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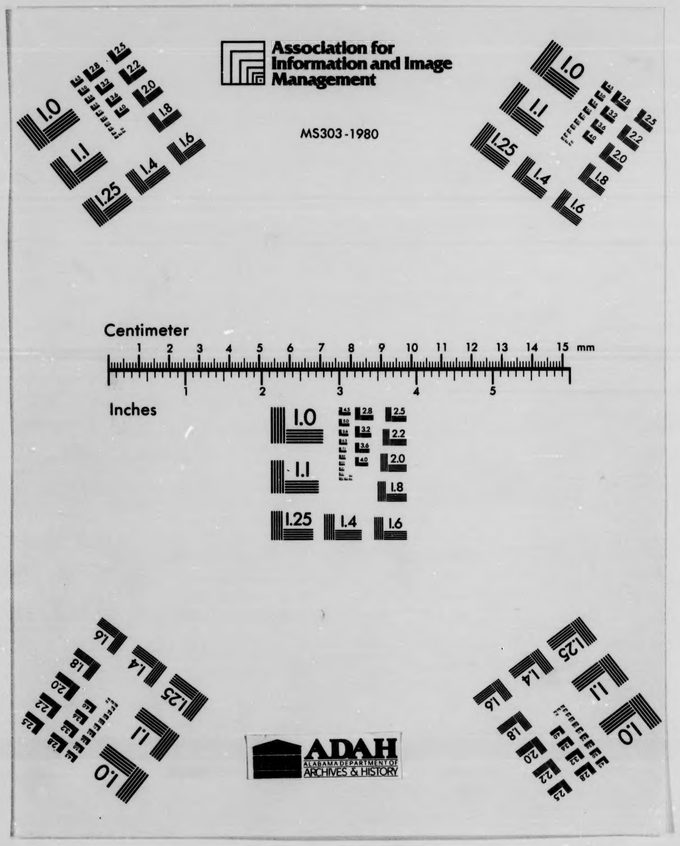
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STATE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE VOTES AGAINST PRIMARY

Decides On Convention In May; Action Seen As Victory For Coolidge.

Alabama Republicans will not enter the Alabama presidential primary, it was decided here Saturday at a meeting of the state Republican executive committee, but will elect delegates in state convention Tuesday, May 20, 1924. This, it was said, is a victory for the forces supporting President Coolidge.

The vote came on a motion by C. B. Kennamer, United States district attorney, of the Northern District, of Birmingham, as a substitute to one by Judge C. R. Lunsford, of Marion, to go into the primary and to so notify the national committee. The vote on Kennamer's motion was 37 to 2.

Despite this, however, Lunsford made a determined fight, charging that the entire committee had been hand-picked and that it did not represent the sentiment of Alabama Republicans.

Lunsford, on the other hand, was pictured as an adherent of Pope M. Long, of Cordova, who heads the Long-Aubrey Thomas wing of Alabama Republicans as opposed to the O. D. Street faction, with which Kennamer is affiliated, and as "betrayers of their party and pie hunters."

"You are the Judases and the pie hunters and the pie eaters," Lunsford replied, launching into a long tirade against the Street faction, which quickly assumed the proportions of a running debate, with the Marion judge in the midst of pandemonium fighting brilliantly, though losing.

The state executive committee was called to meet the day before the state convention, also in Birmingham. It was also decided that one delegate would be elected for each 200 voters, with four alternates, except where a bona fide Republican organization exists, in which sections the voters themselves will select their own delegates.

Lunsford, representing the Long-Thomas faction, is held to be a backer of Hiram Johnson, while the Street branch all along has been considered for Coolidge.

The Long-Thomas wing of the party in Alabama at a conference here several days ago selected W. L. Chenault, of Russellville, as a candidate for the Republican party in this state. At that conference a statement was issuel criticizing the wing of the party under alleged control of Oliver D. Street, national committeemen from Alabama. After Chenault had been selected by the so-called anti-Street faction of the party, spokesmen for the conference said unofficially that Senator Hiram Johnson was expected to come here shortly to make several addresses in this and adjoining states. The inference was drawn that Chenault might support Johnson. Mr. Chenault and other leading Republicans were holding an executive conference at Montgomery Saturday and it was announced they would have something to give out later.

CIVIC IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Civic Improvement Club of Clanton will meet with Mrs. P. D. Wilson on Tuesday, Jan. 8th, at 3:30 P. M.

COOLIDGE INTENDS TO OFFER NO FIGHT HERE IN ALABAMA

Hiram Johnson Will Have Republican Primary To Himself in Alabama.

Washington, Dec. 29.—President Coolidge does not intend to compete in the Alabama primaries against Senator Hiram Johnson, his only avowed opponent for the Republican nomination next June.

Announcement to this effect by the president's frends here Staurday followed swiftly on the heels of Senator Johnson's decision of Friday that he would enter the primaries of Alabama, and it occasioned considerable surprise in political quarters in view of the well-understood policy of the Coolidge managers to contest for delegates in all states.

The reason for the Coolidge announcement, however, was not long in forthcoming.

Law Bars Coolidge.

It has been discovered by the president's friends that under the intricacies of the Alabama primary law, he could not enter the primary there as a candidate in his own name.

And it was also discovered that the Republican National Committee, at its meeting here a few weeks ago, had thoughtfully provided for just such a contingency by adopting a resolution to the effect that those states where the law could not be complied with the committee will seat only those delegates at Cleveland next June that are chosen in state and district conventions.

Thus it would avail the Coolidge managers nothing to compete in the primary by proxy, for delegates so chosen would not be seated under the committee's own resolution. The same, of course, applies to any Johnson delegates that might be elected.

Whether Senator Johnson will also withdraw from the Alabama primary, in view of these developments, was not decided Saturday night. Senator Johnson said he did not know, and would not decide until his representatives, who are now in Alabama studying the situation, report to him.

The Alabama primary law is one of the most peculiar extent, ranking second in this respect only to that of South Dakota.

The Alabama Legislature some months ago passed a law that only a citizen and resident of Alabama can be a candidate for the presidential nomination, and that the man receiving the preference shall select the delegates to the national convention. The law was sponsored by friends of Senator Oscar Underwood, Alabama's favorite son, for the Democratic nomination.

Under this law, a candidate of alien residence would have to enter by proxy, i. e. designate some resident of Alabama, to run for him with the understanding that if given Republican preference he would throw the delegates to the support of the particular candidate for whom he was running.

Sagaciously facing this situation, administration supporters in the national committee here earlier in the month put through a resolution which said in part:

"That in selecting delegates and alternates to the national convention, no state law shall be observed which hinders, abridges, or denies to any citizen of the United States eligible under the constitution to the office of president or vice-president, the right or privilege of being a candidate under such state law for nomination for president or vice president; or which authorizes the election of a number of delegates and alternates from any state to the national convention different from that fixed in this call."

Further on it was stated that in states where the state law could not be observed by the committee, as in Alabama, delegates could be chosen by state and district conventions.

There was evident Saturday night in Johnson headquarters some ill feeling over these developments, for even Johnson managers concede that President Coolidge's friends and supporters will dominate any district or state conventions in many of the states of the so-called solid south.

Republican organizations in most of the southern states are at best but skeleton organizations, subsisting largely on administration patronage and thus an administration in power usually controls the situation.

The resentment by the Johnson managers was based, however, principally upon action of the national committee in voting to seat only Alabama delegates chosen in conventions. —Birmingham News.

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Disfranchisement In The "Solid South"

By J. B. Gordon

Alabama recently enacted a law which prohibits any American citizen eligible for the Presidency from seeking support in Alabama unless he be a citizen of that state.

Alabama's action is the logical outgrowth of the system of disfranchisement of American citizens which prevails in every state of the Democratic "Solid South," in violation of the United States Constitution and in defiance of the principles of representative government. This constitutes the most malignant cancer upon the American body politic today.

It began shortly after the southern states were re-admitted into the Union upon their promise to observe and obey the American Constitution by their disfranchising the negro in defiance of the 14th and 15th amendments. This action was denounced by the Republican party. The right of the emancipated negro to the ballot was upheld by the Republican party. The South then proceeded to disfranchise white Republicans in southern states.

Now the malignant forces which it turned loose threaten to turn upon the Democratic party itself. Having used the weapon of disfranchisement so successfully upon southern Republicans, both black and white, Alabama Democrats now employ it to bludgeon northern Democratic aspirants for the presidential nomination.

Were the evils of this southern practice of disfranchisement confined to the southern states and visited only upon the heads of the Democratic party, the rest of the country would not be necessarily concerned, but such is not the case.

The South claims and obtains representation in the United States House of Representatives on the basis of its negro and white Republican population. But having used these for the basis of obtaining seats in the House of Representatives, southern Democracy proceeds to refuse its negro and its white Republican citizens the right to go to the polls and vote for representatives in Congress. Eighty members of the House of Representatives from the "Solid South" are holding their seats because by "shot-gun" policy and by dishonest and fraudulent elections the exercise of citizenship of a majority of their communities is prohibited. It is a plain statement of a disreputable fact that there has not been an honest, free election in the solid Democratic South for a quarter of a century.

But the evil extends higher and further. A state's vote in the electoral college is based upon its representation in both branches of Congress. The "Solid South" casts 114 electoral votes in every presidential election. Everybody knows that these votes are sure to be cast for the Democratic nominee regardless of who he is or for what he stands. Everybody knows this is true because honest elections and the free exercise of the franchise is impossible in any of the "Solid South" states.

The Republican party starts into every presidential campaign with a handicap of 114 votes to overcome before it can "begin even" with the Democratic party in a contest for the Presidency. There are certain states in the North which are battlegrounds every presidential campaign. If the Republicans, after an intensive fight, succeed in carrying New York, Indiana, New Jersey, Ohio, Nebraska and West Virginia they have succeeded merely in carrying enough states to balance the 114 electoral votes from the "Solid South" and they must then go out and beat the Democratic party in the remaining northern states.

Or, to put it another way: Democratic disfranchisement of Republican voters gives to the "Solid South" in every presidential election, without any contest whatever, a sufficient number of electoral votes to wipe out the electoral votes of the Republican states of Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Maine, Illinois, Iowa and Kansas.

The Democratic "Solid South" attempts to justify its defiance of the Constitution, its disfranchisement of American citizens, its undermining of representative government, its pollution of elections, upon the ground that its action is necessary in order to have a "white man's government." If that be true then it should be limited in its representation in the House of Representatives and in the electoral college to the number of white men in the South who govern. That would give the South a "white man's government" in exact proportion to the white man's government in the rest of the country.—National Republican.

MRS. WILLIE MIMS BACK HOME

We are glad to say that Mrs. Willie Mims, the daughter of I. W. Bice, is back home now, after undergoing three operations 4 weeks ago in Birmingham. She stated that she received fine treatment and is able to walk some now.

JUDGE REYNOLDS AND OTHERS REPLY TO HAND'S LETTER

Details Of The Fight In Probate Office Is Fully And Truly Explained.

Editor Union-Banner:

I am sorry it is necessary for me to write an explanation of the difficulty which occurred in my office a few days ago, and if Mr. Hand had not said that I took undue advantage of him and struck him from the rear I would not have had any thing to say.

The facts are that Mr. Hand and G. C. Walker came into my office and asked for the poll tax books. We three went to the commissioners' court room to get them. Mr. Hand and Mr. Walker each picked up a book and Mr. Walker asked me if they could not work in the commissioners' court room. I stated to them that I was doing the same kind of work they were and that I had to wait on the office and was compelled to have some private place for my papers and I said besides if I left Mr. Hand in the office he would insult the lady clerks in my absence. Mr. Hand in a very bold manner asked "What ladies?" Mr. Walker at this point picked up his book and walked out. I replied to Mr. Hand that he knew how he had insulted the clerks in my office while I was out of town and I further said to him, "You have repeatedly slandered me and you told Mr. Tom Hubbard and others that you would be glad to hire a car and bring them to Clanton and show them that you would tell me to my face that I was a thief, and that you were after that thieving Reynolds bunch." Mr. Hand in a very bold manner said, "I can," and then I slapped him and about the second slap he went down with me on top of him, and in a moment Mr. Sam Pate, Dewey Rockett and Jim Grant came in the office and separated us. Mr. Hand is mistaken in saying that I took advantage of him for we talked some few minutes face to face and the slap I hit him was from the front.

In this same piece I am publishing affidavits of Mr. T. J. Hubbard, W. H. Conway, J. A. Rogers and Mr. J. L. Gore, concerning the way Tom Hand has been slandering me. There is also published the statement of Miss Burnett in regard to the manner of Mr. Hand and Mr. Pickens, and I ask, is there a single respectable person in this county who would not have resented such insults? The worst criticism I have heard was that Mr. Hand came out too easy.

Sometime before this difficulty I had heard that Mr. Hand was talking about me slanderously, saying that I had destroyed many of Rev. Messer's votes, had changed records here in the office and many other untruthful things. I asked him about it one day and he said it was not true and said that he was my best friend and that there was a crowd here trying to worry me to death. He further stated that Dr. Johnson had told him that I had diabetes and would not live this term out, and Mr. Hand told me not to let them worry me but to go out to Mineral Springs and stay there and forget all about this matter. He said I got Rev. Burns and Crysell to go there and they both got better and if they had remained

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MUSGROVE ENTERS STATE PRIMARY TO FIGHT UNDERWOOD

Formally Files Declaration of Candidacy; Says He Will Beat Senator Underwood.

Flying the banner of prohibition, the presidential boom for L. Breckenridge Musgrove, of Jasper, was formally inaugurated in Alabama late Saturday afternoon, when declarations were filed with R. B. Evins, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, in Birmingham, and S. J. Blan, secretary of state of Alabama, in Montgomery.

Mr. Musgrove's hat was tossed into the ring after a day of conferences, in which it was reported that William Jennings Bryan, defeated presidential candidate of the past, was behind the Musgrove campaign and would bring his forthcoming fact directly before the American people.

Mr. Musgrove filed his declarations late Saturday afternoon, after which he notified newspaper men of his intentions of not only "capturing" Alabama's delegation, but also of entering campaigns in other states of the union where there is a "wet" candidate.

Although Mr. Musgrove's prospective candidacy for the nation's highest office had been anticipated for several months, not until Saturday was it indicated that the Walker county man was seriously considering extending his campaign beyond the boundary lines of Alabama, as heretofore it was believed that Musgrove was actuated by unfriendliness to the Underwood cause in participating in the state primary as a presidential canddiate.

Mr. Musgrove was positive in his determination that he will capture Alabama's votes in the forthcoming national convention of the Democratic convention.

"Of course I will defeat Underwood," he said. "Four years ago I did so, but was 'outcounted' by a small majority. At that time, it will be recalled, there were two bona fide prohibition candidates in the field; namely, Judge Weakley and myself, even then, I know that the majority of votes were cast for me."

Mr. Musgrove was positive in his declaration that he had lost in the last senatorial campaign by alleged underhand methods.

'Everyone knows that, even if I was not to enter the race against Senator Underwood for president, there would be, somewhere in this state of ours, a strong, united opposition to his candidacy," Mr. Musgrove added with some emphasis.

"I am dry and Underwood is wet," he continued. "But recently, in Senator Underwood's declaration before the Alabama legislature he says in reference to prohibition, that he "believes in enforcing the law.' He did not say that he is for prohibition, however, and if he does not believe in enforcing the law, he would be incompetent to hold office of any kind."

REYNOLDS TO BE TRIED

Next Saturday has been set as the date for the trial of Judge L. H. Reynolds for the alleged attack on Mr. Tom Hand in the probate's office a few weeks ago. The case will be tried in the Mayor's court of the town of Clanton. We have not learned where it will be tried but we suppose it will be either in the court house or in the office of Mr. J. B. Atkinson.

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there he honestly believed they would be living today.

I accepted Mr. Hand's statement as being sincere and dropped the matter until I was told how he was continuing to talk about me. It was more than any reasonable man could have stood and I often wonder that if it had been some one other than me, Mr. Hand would have come out worse than he did.

It seems that I have enough for one man to bear, as there is a special crowd, who for years have made it their special business to sander me in my business, politics and all other undertakings. If some of them around Clanton were up for vagrancy, the only business they could offer in defense of the suit would be that of slandering me.

I would just like for the public to ponder for one moment as to what has happened to a large portion of the crowd that took it upon themselves a few years ago to show to the world what I was. May I ask if the search light of truth had been turned on some of their lives like it was on mine, they would have withered like a plucked daisy under the noon day sun.

When there is a chance to start something on me the gang a gets together, send out the wise men to get up affidavits, false or otherwise, some to do one thing and some another; but the main purpose being at all times to ruin me if possible. But how different! If something starts on one of their upper set, they all get together to fix it up. It has been teachers, preachers, policemen and many others. It makes no difference, the matter is "whitewashed."

I could write probably volumes upon the way I have been slandered, intimadited, threatened, blackmailed and a thousand other ways mainly to make me quit the Republican party. It was realiably reported to me that one of the highest officials in the Democratic party has said that if I did not resign I would be put in the penitentiary. Another prominent merchant has said that they had two hundred Democrats and two hundred Republicans in the county who were after me and would not stop until they got me one way or the other. I want to make one thing plain, however, that I am not going to quit the job and run off. The people, by their vote, have put me in this office and I will stay here until the highest court in the land says I must get out.

I say here to Mr. Hand or any other man that it is cowardly for a man to talk to another to his back and in his absence, and such conduct as that I think should be rectified.

If the people of this county will recall, I have had every possible scheme worked upon me that the diabolical mind of man could devise. It was some of the same crowd who, a few years ago, had my home searched in my absence with only my wife and sick daughter at home. It is the same crowd who are not man enough to meet me face to face but must take advantage of me to my back or in my absence. To show you the method, a lawyer of Clanton, Mr. Gerald, at the close of a law suit at Maplesville recently, when my name had not been mentioned, proceeded to say the bases and vilest things about me which was so bad that a Democrat took it up and told Mr. Gerald to his face that he looked on him as being a bigger crook than I was. Mr. Gerald thanked him, got in his car and rode away. This Democrat is ready, in fact anxious, to go with me to Mr. erald and face him in what he said.

To give you a further idea the leaders in the contest case against me are not willing that our regular circuit judge try the case and have gone to another circuit jdge in the state and tried to have him prejudiced against me and to have him prejudice the case, hoping that he will be appointed as special judge to try the case.

I had overlooked one matter, that is what Mr. Hand said about Dr. Johnson binding up his wounds. I never saw one drop of blood. The Chilton County News said the doctor had ordered Mr. Hand to go to bed. I think though if you will inquire from the people at Jemison, you will find that Mr. Hand has hardly missed a day off the streets of Jemison since the trouble occurred.

Mr. J. F. Thompson mentioned my name in his letter and he made a correct statement about what I said. The two lady clerks told me that Mr. Thompson was courteous to them, and in the same conversation I told Mr. Thompson that he was an intelligent man and he could form and opinion of men with whom he associated and that he would be held responsible by the public for those associated with him, and he said it would not occur again.

I want to say that Mr. Heard, Walker and Curry have always been nice and courteous in my office and I believe they will say that I have accorded them the same courtesy.

As those present, I will state that neither of my sons, Grady nor Omar, were present at the difficulty and did not arrive until it was over. Sheriff Littlejohn was not there and I did not see him for some time after it was over, neither was Mr. J. Z. Mims present. Mr. Hand did not ask for protection in my presence. In fact he asked no one for protection. As I have stated the first parties there were Dewey Rockett, Sam Pate and Jim Grant.

Mr. Hand seems to try to excite sympathy but I think when a man gets into a man's play he should be able to assume a man's role. I am also four years older than Mr. Hand and it is not my intention to misstate the facts.

This matter will be tried in the city court next Saturday, Jan. 5th, and I wish every man and woman in the county would come and hear the case. It is my intention to introduce the whole truth, in order that the public might form their honest opinion.

L. H. REYNOLDS.

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

Before Me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk Circuit Court in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Delene Burnett, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes on oath and says:

Mr. Hand and Mr. Pickens came into the Probate office and asked for the poll tax books, Mr. Culp and I carried the books from the Commissioners' Court room into the vault, and as I turned to go back to my office, Mr. Hand asked me to wait a minute and said he wanted to show me the poll list that we had given to them, he said it was the bigest mess he had ever seen. He said that you all say that Mrs. Pearl Atchison's name and ..ot only her name but about a half dozen other names were on that list twice and he called over several names, and said that they did not vote twice but it was my copying. I told him I did not copy the poll list and before I could tell him who did copy it Mr. Pickens said: "no, I don't think she did but the other girl in the office did." Mr. Hand said it makes no difference who copied it, it is wrong and they did not vote twice to my knowing.

Mr. Pickens then asked for Judge Reynolds, I told him that he was out of town and he said he will be out all day, will he? Mr. Pickens said that I cannot understand about the other poll list he gave me but guess its some more of Judge Reynolds' copying and Mr. Pickens said I guess there is no use in getting mad at you about this, Judge Reynolds is the man we want to see. The manner in which they spoke to me was very abrupt and ungentlemanly. I then went across the street to Mr. Omar Reynolds' office and told him what was said and the manner in which they spoke to me. He then came over to the office and went into the vault where Mr. Hand and Mr. Pickens were. After Mr. Reynolds left I heard Mr. Hand say to Mr. J. L. Gore that Judge Reynolds and all the other side were crooked.

DELENE BURNETTE.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, on this the 2nd day of Jan., 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk.

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

Before me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk Circuit Court, in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Audell Burnett, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes on oath and says:

I remember the occasion when Mr. Tom Hand and J. J. Pickens came to the Probate office on December 14. I was at the desk recording some papers and I heard Mr. Pickens and Tom Hand talking to Delene Burnett. I was not in the vault and did not hear the conversation but their demeanor and manner and conduct was ungentlemanly.

AUDELL BURNETTE.

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this, the 2nd day of Jan., 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk.

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

Personally appeared before me, A. A. Conway, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, W. H. Conway, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes on oath and says as follows:

I heard Tom Hand of Jemison, Alabama, on the streets of said Town, make the following statements in regard to Judge L. H. Reynolds: That Judge Reynolds was a crook, and proposed to hire a car, and take Tom Hubbard and tell him so to his face, and that he, Tom Hand, was after that Reynolds thieving bunch.

I had spoke to Judge Reynolds of the way Tom Hand was talking about him.

W. H. CONWAY,

Sworn and subscribed to before me this, the 31st day of December, 1923.

A. A. CONWAY,
Notary Public.

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

Personally appeared before me A. A. Conway, a Notary Public, in and for said County in said State, J. A. Rogers, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes on oath and testifies as follows:

I heard Tom Hand make the following statement in regard to Judge Reynolds on the streets of Jemison: That he, Tom Hand, was after that Reynolds thieving bunch. I communicated this to Judge Reynolds before the trouble between Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand which ocurred in the Court House at Clanton during this month.

J. A. ROGERS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 31st day of December, 1923.

A. A. Conway, Notary Public.

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

Personally appeared before me, A. A. Conway, a Notary Public in and for said county in said state, T. J. Hubbard, who benig by me first duly sworn deposes on oath and testifies as follows:

I was present on the streets of Jemison, and in the presence of Tom Hand when he made the following statement, that Judge Reynolds was a crook, and that he would go down in a car and take me with him and tell Judge Reynolds that was a crook and that he, Tom Hand, was after that Reynolds thieving bunch.

Shortly after this I communicated this to Judge Reynolds, which was before the trouble between Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand in the court house at Clanton during this month.

T. J. HUBBARD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this hte 31st day of December, 1923.

A. A. CONWAY, Notary Public.

Statement of Omar Reynolds.

On Friday, December 14th the janitor from the court house came to my office about 8:30 o'clock in the morning and told me that Miss Delene Burnett, the clerk in the Probate office wished to see me. I immediately went to the Probate office, and she informed me that J. J. Pickens, Tom Hand and J. F. Thompson were in the vault and had asked to see the tax books. Miss Burnett also told me that the men had told her in substance that the poll list was wrong and that Mrs. Hance Alred's name and Mrs. Pearl Atchison's name and some other names were not on the list twice. Miss Burnett seemed very much excited and I then went into the vault where Tom Hand, J. J. Pickens and Fritz Thompson were. I stated to the three gentlemen that I had supervised the making of this list and that the names mentioned were on the list twice and that there were four names that the election managers of Beat 4 had writen down that we could not read. Mr. Pickens then stated to me that "That's all right, and we believe what you say about it." I then stated to the gentlemen that if they desired any further information in regrad to the books or otherwise in the Probate office to do their talking with me and not with Miss Burnett.

After assisting them a few minutes with the books I left the vault and went back to my office. Miss Burnett then came to my office. Apparently she was very much excited and I asked her to tell me what the men had said to her. She did so. Judge Reynolds being in Washington at this time and no one being in the office but the two ladies, I felt under the circumstances that I should help them to manage the office. I had a conversation with with Mr. Tom Rockett and Mr. J. Osmond Middleton and Mr. John L. Gore, and it was decided for protection to ourselves that in the absence of Judge Reynolds we should have a man in the office, and Mr. Gore said he would stay. Mr. Rockett and I then went back to the vault where we found J. F. Thompson, Tom Hand, G. C. Walker and H. M. Simpson. I stated to the gentlemen that the books were at their liberty, but that we should keep a man in the vault. Mr. Thompson then stated to me that it would be perfectly alright. I stated to the gentlemen that we did not doubt their honesty and in fact stated to Mr. Thompson that we had respect for him but that there was a man among the crowd whom we could not trust, and stated that it was Mr. Tom Hand. I then stated that it had been reported to us that Mr. Hand had carried things out of the office, and that we could not trust him. At this Mr. Hand seemed to become very much excited and stated that he did have an eraser and would produce it in court at the proper time. I then stated to the gentlemen that we were glad to give them the liberties of the office as the law allowed but that we would expect that they likewise offer themselves in a presentable and gentlemanly manner and then referred to the way in which Miss Burnett had told me they insulted her. I then stated to Mr. Thompson that the young lady did not say his conversation or demeanor was insulting but that she referred to Mr. Hand and Pickens. I then stated to

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Crushing Machine

I wish to state that I now have my Crushing Machine in operation. I am prepared to crush corn, velvet beans, cotton seed, or anything in the way of feed. I am located one mile north of New Salem Church. Crushing done on Wednesdays.

E. L. BURNETT

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager)

Mr. Nels Peterson, who has been attending College at Auburn, spent Xmas at home.

Mr. Louis Lindquist of Bessemer, and Mr. Fick of Woodlawn spent the holidays at the home of Mr. Frank Nelson.

Miss Victoria Johnson of Birmingham has been the guest of Miss Rosa Nelson the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson entertained a number of frenids last Friday night. Those invited were Messrs. and Mesdames A. E. Reagan, James Bosworth, C. R. Foss, Ernie Hanson, James Biggs, Mrs. D. K. Henderson, nee Clara Soberg, Miss Alma Lefstead and Mr. Charles Turnquist.

Misses Anna and Inga Erdahl of Birmingham, were visitors in Thorsby last week.

Miss Victoria Johnson, of Birmingham, has been visiting several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson.

Several parties have been held the past week to honor Mr. Charles Turnquist and Mr. and Mrs. James Biggs, who have been spending the holidays among Thorsby friends.

Miss Alma Lefstead, who has been visiting her mother for the past week, has returned to Magnolia to take up her school work.

Mrs. James M. Graham has her sister from Ozark as a holiday visitor. Miss Lorena Graham, who has been spending Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham, has returned to Enterprise, where she is teaching in high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard, now located at 2019 19th Avenue G., Ensley, took dinner Christmas day with Mr. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis S. Howard, in Thorsby, then the four motored to Jemison and spent the evening with Mrs. Edward Howard's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary and daughter, Agnes, entertained the members of Thorsby Institute faculty who were in Thorsby, Friday evening and the Parnell family at dinner Saturday evening.

Miss May Parnell has returned to take up her work at Washington, D.C.

Rev. E. W. Butler and family motored to Montgomery Thursday, took dinner with their son, Clarence and his family, made a call on Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Horn, and were home again inside of 12 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson of Hanceville, and Herbert, Jr., and the baby, also Miss Ruth Peterson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodgame during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson and little son arrived in Thorsby Sunday morning. They have motored here from Nebraska, and have come to make Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson a visit of a week or so.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carter, Jr., on Dec. 24th.

Mrs. Pennington, a former resident of Thorsby, visited Mrs. John Goddard on Monday.

The Thorsby Institute re-opened Tuesday morning. Students and teachers report having spent an enjoyable holiday season and all seem ready for beginning the new year with enthusiasm.

The second number of Thorsby Institute Lyceum was given at Bates Hall, Wednesday night, the attraction being "The Irish Calleens" in a varied program by three young women. Anyone who has missed the first two numbers at a less price than for single Mr. Butler or Mrs. Loveland and secure tickets for the four remaining nmbers at a less price than for single admissions.

Thosby Institute Basket Ball team are to be congratulated on the fine showing made in last games played.

The regular "First Sunday night Praise Service (Singing) will be held at the Congregational church at 7:30 P. M. Sunday, January 6th.

The Congregational Ladies Aid society will have their monthly social at the home of Mrs. C. A. Peterson Thursday, January 3rd, at 2:30 P. M.

The annual meeting of the Congregational Church Society will be held at the church Wednesday evening, Jan. 9th, preceded by a dinner tendered by The Ladies Aid Society to all members of the Church and Sunday school or other organization affiliated with the church, together with all who consider this to be their church home. This dinner will be served promptly at 6 o'clock, P. M., and followed after a social hour by the business meeting.

In a talk with Mr. Goodgame, manager of Thorsby Warehouse and Gin Company, to which the Thorsby Electric Light plant has recently been sold, we learn that the machinery is to be moved on Thursday of this week to its new location, at the Warehouse company plant, and will probably be out of commission for two days and nights. When started again it will be under improved conditions which will provide better lights and more hour service, running at night until 10:30 regularly, and later when occasion requires, starting again about 4 o'clock A. M., and running as long as light is needed by a majority of patrons.

We hope that the extensive preparations Mr. Wade is making to transform his store building into a Moving Picture Theatre, are drawing near completion and have a substantial character that looks as if he intends it to be permanent. It is hoped that he will be wise enough in the selection of subjects displayed to meet the approval of a people who are sensitive about having anything in the nature of "shady" pictures presented, but will heartily welcome first class Photo-plays that are entertaining and instructive. Mr. Wade is not ready just yet to definitely announce his opening.

Now that we are starting on a new year let us all pull together to make Thorsby a better place than ever in which to live. First let us have a clean town, morally and physically. This is distinctly the duty of our Town Council, who seem to think their chief concern is to assess and collect taxes and then spend the money. There is law and ordinance enough, if enforced, and only the duly constituted officers of the town have authority in this matter, to prevent sweeping dirt and papers into the street, an early walk along our sidewalks will find several industriously doing this very thing. Next there are some who seem to think that our sidewalks, or so much of them as they desire to occupy, belongs to them. A proper enforcement of our ordinances would soon convince them that others have some rights which they are bound to respect. On almost any Saturday afternoon there are spots on our sidewalks which both for filth from spitting and from the crowd assembled, just standing around, make it to say the least, very unpleasant for a lady to try to navigate these shoals, where it should be fair sailing. The ladies have rights in this matter and frequently have need to use their streets. Another thing that will make a more attractive town would be to have the merchants give more attention to making attractive display in their windows. There are a few examples worthy of emulation, but most of them are not. Make your windows pictures.

WEST CHILTON

Happy New Year.

The holidays have passed and everything is about normal again.

On Christmas day the sun shone brightly and a truck load from here at an early hour was on the way to Centerville to one of Bibb county's annual Christian Harmony singings. Arriving on time we found the singers in full swing with Prof. Thompson chairman. It was the best Christian Harmony singing we ever attended. The singers seemed so much in earnest and so reverential toward the service. One half or two-thirds of the class were girls, boys, and young men.

One of their boys, Arthur Deason, is the finest boy director we ever heard in the Harmony music. He is wonderful. The center of the attraction for the day was the directing by little Etoile Palmer, probably not ever ten years old. She had the appearance of those beautiful large dolls we see on the market, yet her directing was equal to professional leaders. Dinner was all that could be desired.

Among the visitors we noted our friend J. A. Deason of Childersburg. The singers in Chilton remember him.

En-route we had the pleasure of meeting our old friend Dock Smitherman. He is very well known in Chilton. Also Robert Fleming, an old Chilton boy, now one of Birmingham's business men.

Those composing our company were Z. J. Jones and part of family, S. J. Smith and part of family, J. D. Hodgens and family, L. F. Martin, Mrs. Tempie Crumpton, L. D. Atchison, driver, H. T. Hodgens and family.

Returning we reached Randolph, then the truck absolutely refused to go farther, but kind friends were present to assist us to our destination. So while "Fair Luna" flooded the landscape with her mellow light we came in a tired, but happy crowd.

Died on Dec. 9.—Mr. Zeke Nix, a life long and highly respected citizen here.

Died on Dec. 8.—Rev. J. E. Champion, a good man is gone.

Mr. Joe Thrash and Miss Nelle Waldrop were recently married and have gone to Herrin, Ill.

L. D. Atchison spent the week-end at Childersburg.

S. N. Waldrop came down from Quinton for the holidays.

Mrs. Belle Smith visited C. C. Atchison's family last week.

Cleveland Martin of Herrin, Ill., came down for the holidays.

Miss Bevie Smith visited Miss Waldrop last week.

Several of the boys from Quinton came home for the holidays.

J. T. and Oscar Waldrop of Herrin, Ill., visited the home folks last week.

With hope we begin the New Year, ignorant of what it will bring us. "But far down the far vista blythe New Year we see,
The dawn of the beautiful sabbath to be."

We wish the Union-Banner (the best county paper we ever saw) a Happy New Year. Long may it waive.

NOTICE OF STOCK HOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Bank of Thorsby, of Thorsby, Ala., for the purpose of electing directors, and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be at the office of said Bank on Tuesday, January 15th, 1924, at 9 o'clock, A. M. All stockholders are asked to be present.

C. R. FOSS,
1-15-24 ch Cashier.

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NOTICE

Each shareholder connected with the Thorsby central are requested to be present at a meeting to be held at Thorsby Saturday, Jan. 5th, at m., as there is some important business to be attended to. Each one is requested to be there.

LEON B. POPWELL, Pres.
R. W. SCOTT, Sec'y.

Ocie Powell and Charlie Hand left last Friday on a two weeks hunting trip in south Alabama.

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No man has ever yet risen to dispute the proposition that the only sure way to reduce taxes is to repeal the tax. An attempt at shifting is always a deception.

The Mellon plan for tax reduction is far more important than would be indicated by the saving of some $325,000,000. It would set an example to the states and municipalities which they could not fail to follow.

Since the present rulers of Russia refuse to recognize the binding obligation of contracts made by the previous rulers, we wonder why they do not repudiate the sale of Alaska to the United States and claim re-possession.

We are publishing this week an ordinance for the Town of Clanton which has for its object the regulation of dogs running at large in town. We wish to commend the Town Council for this act. So many useless dogs running all over town is not only dangerous but is a menace as well, and especially is this true during the season of mad dogs.

We are forced to wonder what has become of that organization in Clanton called the Ku Klux Klan that was going to stand squarely behind the enforcement of law and order. From recent developments it seems that the worthy intention of that organization has slightly miscarried around Clanton. We have had a mighty good opinion of the local klan, but if it is going to tolerate such minipulations as this, we are not so sure about it.

The way that the political coterie of Clanton tries to smuggle dirty tricks of their own bunch is indeed amazing. If the clique here had their way about it, one of their bunch could commit the most heinous crime imaginable, they would cover it over and the next time they got a chance they would honor him with the highest office within their power. But let some lie get hatched out about a Republican and see what they do their best to make of it. They talk it at every opportunity, and every time one of them gets through with it it sounds ten times worse than it did at first.

THE COX KNIFE CUT

Mr. McAdoo need not worry very much over the announcement of the candidacy of Cox for the Democratic nomination for President. Of course that candidacy will cut into the McAdoo strength to a considerable degree, but the Cox strength is something that McAdoo could not get in any event. The friends of Mr. Cox have a very clear idea of the amount of McAdoo strength they did not get in their efforts to elect Cox in 1920. Retribution will be swift and sure.

SAFETY FIRST IN PHILIPPINES

The president of the Philippine-American Chamber of Commerce declares there is no danger of an insurreection in the Philippines, and that the better class of the natives and the business men of the islands do not want complete freedom. That is the view held by most Americans. The condition of the Filipinos will be infinitely better if they remain under the protection of the United States and if American capital is permitted to develop the resources of the island, free from the uncertainties of native rule.

LET SOVIET BE HONEST

Regardless of any specific facts that may be shown on some controverted points in the discussion concerning Russia, the American people will not lose sight of the fundamental fact that the present regime has refused to recognize the binding obligation of contracts honestly made and also refused to recognize the right of title to property honestly acquired. There can be no permanent social organization in any country where these fundamentals are ignored or rejected. Confiscation is a polite word for theft, but it does not deceive anyone of intelligence. The people of the United States want friendly relations with the people of Russia, but not under the leadership of men who refuse to uphold the first essestials of sond private and public business.

Commissioner C. T. Walker of Pletcher was in Clanton Monday circulating among his friends.

THINGS GETTING BALLED UP

Judging from the reports that are generally rife around here Clanton, from an official standpoint, is kindly getting its business muddled up. It seems that those in authority are trying to keep things kindly patched up, but in our way of looking at it, they are making a mighty poor out at it. No one wants to talk it much, but everybody is talking it just the same.

Some three weeks ago Messrs Jesse Baker and Roland Taylor suspicioned that someone was going into their store at night while they were away, so Deputy Harvey Foshee was asked to remain in the store one night and see what he could find out. Shority after midnight Mr. W. H. Kendrick, night police, entered at the front door of the building and came in right on top of the officer. Mr. Kendrick was placed under arrest by Mr. Foshee and carried to the Sheriff. Mr. Kendrick put up the plea to the officers that he was in the store to look after some things he had in the store.

Only a few months ago, Mr. Kendrick sold to Baker & Taylor his interest in this store, and it is said that Mr. Kendrick still kept some of his papers and probably a few other articles in the store. Mr. Kendrick was supposed to have turned over to Baker & Taylor his keys to the building, but somehow he still had one of the keys in his possession. Mr. Kendrick attempted to explain why he had the key and why he entered the building, but his explanation was not very satisfactory. However, the officers agreed to let him go until morning and that they would investigate the matter further. The next morning the owners of the store and the officers of the Town of Clanton were told about what happened.

The thing rocked along until Satday of last week, when Mr. Kendrick was tried in Mayor's court before Mr. J. B. Atkinson. We learn that Mr. Kendrick was turned loose and still remains in the employ of the town as night police.

Whether or not anything more is going to be done about the matter, we are unable to say, but from the action of the Mayor's court it seems to be settled.

Now, the question arises, can the Town of Clanton afford to let a thing like this go by without giving the matter a thorough thrashing out? It seems that the town has been attempting to keep the affair covered up and has tried to ooze out of it without hurting anyone's feelings. We will say frankly, that this kind of stuff cannot get anywhere very long. Just because everybody here likes Mr. Kendrick and because he stands high in several secret organizations is no reason why anything should be smuggled, and the dignity and honor of the town and its officials depends upon a thorough investigation and legal disposition of the whole thing. We for one say, let's have it thoroughly probed and disposed of according to law.

Also there is a report out on the head of Clanton's leading institution that is not exactly becoming to the high position which he occupies, and this report is pretty well founded too. Every effort in the power of the political ring of Clanton is being exerted to smother this report as they do all such things wherein some of their crowd is implicated; but here's hoping that the thing is investigated to the bottom and everything brought to light. If the man is innocent then stop the dirty report and if he is guilty let him suffer duly for it.

This way of covering dirty things up just because they are on deserving elects is not going to pass in Chilton County—not as long as The Union-Banner stays here. We are going to report the facts, let the result be as it may.

DEMOCRATS OPPOSE TAX-CUT PLAN

It will be a sad day for the Senate Democrats if they accept the stand taken by their leaders on the Finance Committee. Senator Simmons declares himself against the major features of the Mellon tax reduction plan, and thereby sets himself squarely in opposition to the taxpayers of the United States who, almost as a unit, are behind the Mellon schedule of tax cuts. The party is headed for certain oblivion if it stands in the way of the greatest financial relief that has been offered to the nation in years. If Democrats assist the Republicans in writing the Mellon recommendations into law they are entitled to the credit for so doing, and the country will accord it. It is a time to put partisanship aside and vote for the common good. Democrats and Republicans alike pay Federal income taxes, and are engaged in business that suffers the handicaps of high assessments. The Mellon relief will be spread among them all, irrespective of party, and it ought to receive the approval of all legislators, irrespective of party.

FROM A FORMER RESIDENT OF CHILTON COUNTY

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 1, 1924.

Dear Editor:

In renewing my subscription for your valuable paper, wish to state that I consider this money well spent. Although it has been more than 30 years since I was a resident of your county, I can still boast of a good many friends and relatives in Clanton and vicinity and still take a lively interest in them as well as in the affairs of your town and county.

Respectfully
THILO FIERING.

THAT MISCHIEVOUS DRIVER AND THE ROCKY ROAD

MORE BUSINESS IN GOVERNMENT

It is hardly to be expected that, under normal conditions of training, army officers will be good business managers. The usual course of training for military service does not include business management. The chief purpose of military education is to prepare men for the organization, the drilling, the equipment, and the maneuvering of troops. The army officer must be so thoroughly trained in military tactics and strategy that his mind works quickly and accurately in grasping and solving a military problem. This is true not merely of military training but of every other science, art, profession or occupation.

Intensive training in any line necessarily means a considerable if not a complete neglect of other lines. Eminent doctors, lawyers, preachers and authors are frequently, if not usually, poor business managers. That is because their sccess in their own profession has been acquired by concentration of mind upon the one subject to the virtual exclusion of every other. The successful financier is often densely ignorant on most other sbjects. It is no disgrace to the members of one profession to be ignorant of the details of another.

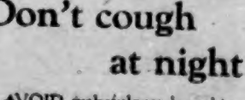
An army officer, like a football player, must be so thoroughly familiar with every phase of his game that when a situation is suddenly and unexpectedly presented, his mind will grasp its full significance instantly and will dictate the course he should pursue without long delay in stdying cases and effects. The commanding officer must not only know how many soldiers he must send to meet an adversary, but he must know, without stopping to look up authorities on the sbject, how many men can be moved over a certain road in a limited amount of time, and how long it will take to move ammunition, food, ambulances, etc., to the same spot. When a man has filled his head with this sort of knowledge, he has probably done so to the neglect of most other subjects.

That explains why Secretary of War Weeks, upon the recommendation of assistant secretary Dwight W. Davis has recently thought it advisable to establish a school of business in the War Department. Army officers will be given courses of instruction in business methods and these men first instructed will form the teaching force for a regular school of business in the army. After they have completed their regular course of taining in military science they will be trained in business management so that they can the better and more efficiently conduct the business affairs of the military branch of the government. Not all army officers will be given this training but a suficifent number to conduct the more important business affairs of the army establishment.

The idea is a good one.

THE PINT JAR METHOD HOT LUNCH

The public health nurse of Ramsey County, Minnesota, has a novel plan for serving hot lunches in the rural schools of her county which she calls "The Pint Jar Method Hot Lunch." Each child brings from home some particular kind of food in a tightly closed Mason pint jar. Upon reaching school the par is set on a rack in a clothes boiler. This boiler is partly filled with water and placed on a two-burner oil stove. At the morning recess the stove is lighted and by noon the contents of the jars are hot. Then monitors distribute the jars and the children supplement the warm dish with the cold food in their lunch baskets. Each child has his initials scratched on the cover of his jar in order to insure indentification. The nurse recommends the following kinds of foods for the jars: Cocoa, milk, soups, certain kinds of fruits and vegetables, macaronia, rice, creamed eggs, baked beans, and stewed meat. The equipment required consists of a two-burner oil stove, a clothes boiler, rack, and hot can lifter.



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THE UNION - BANNER PLEASED WITH RESULT OF CLUB OFFER

The results obtained from the special club offer of three or more subscriptions for one dollar each, which we had on all during the month of December has been very gratifying indeed. Our friends all over the county, and several outside the county, have shown their interest in the paper and its cause by working hard in our behalf.

Newspapers very often put on subscription campaigns and give away automobiles, pianos, talking machines, etc., in which cases the subscribers themselves get no benefit from the money expended, as in such cases the full subscription price is charged and a high price has to be paid to a contest manager. But in our case we deemed it best to give all of our friends the benefit of the reduction instead of having someone from some big city take it away in the form of comission. And our many friends have taken advantage of this liberal offer.

From December 1st, 1923 through January 1st, 1924, we wrote a total of 274 receipts, about half of which was new subscribers. Last Monday was our record day, during which we took in 63 subscriptions. Saturday before was not bad with a total of 38. Since the paper was published last week we have written 143 receipts.

The Union-Banner is greatly indebted to its friends for this splendid result. The people show that they appreciate our efforts to give them a good newspaper, and they are doing all they can to help us. In return for these favors, we pledge ourselves to give you all we have got under our shirt. We are starting out on the New Year with the firm determination to make The Banner better than ever. So, again we thank each and every one.

EVERYBODY PAY YOUR POLL TAX

February 1st, 1924, is not long off, and Mr. Rockett says that people are paying their poll tax mighty slowly. Now, this is not only a privilege but a duty of every person who is otherwise eligible to vote. If you haven't enough interest in your government to want to vote, then you ought to have enough interest in your schools to pay $1.50 into that fund. So, we wish to urge everyone of voting age to look after this important matter. And it would be unwise for everybody to wait till the last few days, as a big rush would result. Don't put it off but go now and look after this matter.

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UNION GROVE NEWS

Health of this place is fine at present. Everybody has been enjoying Christmas just fine.

Several from this place visited the singing at Thorsby Sunday and reported a nice time.

Misses Mollie and Hattie Vinzant from Siluria have been visiting Misses Edna and Iris Robinson.

Miss Myrtle Dorminey of Birmingham has been spending the Holidays with home folks.

Misses Pearl Chandler, Mollie Vinzant and Edna Robinson and Mr. Bernie Chandler spent Friday in Maplesville with Miss Ethel Mize. Miss Mize returned home with them Friday night.

Messrs Bernie Chandler, Akins Collins and Miss Edna Robinson spent a while with Miss Ethel Mize Saturday night.

Messrs Bernie and Arthur Chandler and Misses Ethel Mize, Myrtle Dorminey, Leone Hall, Lurline Martin, Pearl Chandler and Miss Annice Davis spent Sunday with Miss Rebecca Dorminey.

There will be a New Year's service at this place next Sunday morning, the 6th. Sunday school at 9:30. Everybody that comes bring one cent for every year old you are. Everybody is invited to come and bring some one with you. We have a program for the morning. Don't forget to come next Sunday.

FAMILY REUNION

There was a family reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collum near Providence (Beat 13) on Thursday, December 27. Those present were Mrs. S. M. Collum, grand-mother of all the children, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collum; then the children were Mrs. Pete Gentry and six children, Mr. and Mrs. Collie Glass and two boys, M. and Mrs. J. W. Collum and four children, Mrs. J. N. Northcutt and five children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Atkinson and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Cobb and two little girls, Mrs. Vollie Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Matthews and Irona and Frances Collum.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Mellard Martin of Pelham, who were visiting her grand-mother.

In the afternoon Mrs. Walter Glass and little boy, Leslie, called.

Although the gathering was a surprise to the family at home it was enjoyed by all and we regret that the other two sons-in-law were not there.

Mr. M. F. Lett of Route 3 was a caller at our office Monday. He left with us a fresh cotton bloom and a small peach which had just shedded off the blossom. Mr. Lett said that if the warm weather held out a little longer he thought he would be able to make two crops of cotton and peaches this season.

DECEMBER MARRIAGES

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the probate judge of Chilton county, during the month of December:

Marion Littlejohn and Miss Eula Giles.

R. L. Williams and Miss Esther Davis.

John S. Carter and Miss Ophelia Gay.

J. M. Coggins and Mrs. Belle Higgins.

Semuel Mims and Miss Claudie Davis.

L. B. Patterson and Miss Jewell Boswell.

Walter C. Jones and Miss Mattie Cobb.

James A. Baker and Miss Marjory Lake.

Velton Ellison and Miss Media Dolley.

Harvey A. Bullard and Miss Loris Arant.

Wm. L. Henley and Miss Unice Culp.

Marshall C. Bimon and Miss Carlean Atchison.

V. M. Wilson and Miss Averlee Cox.

E. W. Gregg and Miss Mary Waters.

N. H. Harrell and Miss Ethel King.

J. D. Morgan and Miss Sallie Dennis.

John Sorrell and Miss Leatha Mims.

John T. Dorminey and Miss Ella Martin.

Clifford Wells and Miss Eula Foshee.

Randolph Neeley and Miss Alvarade Wilkins.

Glen Vickers and Miss Erma Downs.

Odis Headley and Miss Beatrice Alred.

Thomas R. Carter and Miss Grace Duncan.

Dewey Foshee and Miss Retha Robinson.

Amos Glasscock and Miss Virgie Robinson.

Dan R. Williams and Miss Alsie Dobbs.

COLPORTEURS INSTITUTE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS

The Annual Colporteurs Institute of the Seventh-day Adventist Conference will be held in Clanton, December 30th to January 8th. The meetings will be held in their Tabernacle on Second Avenue and Fifth St., East.

The entire day will be devoted to convention work, and there will be preaching every night at 7 o'clock. Elder G. W. Wells of Nashville, Tennessee and Elder W. P. McLennan of Birmingham, will do the preaching. Topics of vital importance covering present day conditions in the light of prophecy will be studied. The first preaching service will be at 7 o'clock Sunday night, December 30th.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

THOS. E. PAVEY, Pastor.

Calvin Coolidge—Our public men, as a class, are inspired by honorable and patriotic motives, desirous only of faithful execution of their trust.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

The giant five-stage electric pump, Company at Gadsden last May for which was purchased by the Alabama the purpose of pumping out the old Etowah mine, arrived Christmas day and will be installed as early as possible. The delay in delivery was due to the fact that the machine had to be built from special plans and specifications. The pump will be used to clear the water out of the mines, which were abandoned 10 or more years ago. When they are dry the Japanese corporation, which owns openings on the same ridge, will be able to work them. The Alabama Company expects the Etowah mines to supply all of its red ore requirements.

The Tuscaloosa county board of revenue has adopted a new road law to protect the roads, following rains, from being damaged by heavily loaded trucks and wagons. The new law became effective January 1. The law describes the maximum load that may be hauled over the roads of the county following rains amounting to one-tenth of an inch. Another provision of the law prescribes that drivers must not lock the wheels of their wagons when traveling down hill or travel in water ditches along the road. The maximum penalty of violating this law will be a fine of $500 or 90 days on the road, or both.

The International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers as plaintiff in error has thrown the suit of J. W. Green, of Selma, pending for about five years, into the United States supreme court by petition for writ of error filed with the supreme court of Alabama. In this litigation Green sought damages from the brotherhood for his expulsion from the order and was awarded the sum of $12,500 by the final decision of the Alabama supreme court.

In the first two months of the present year a total of 150 prisoners who were sent to the Alabama penitentiary were convicted of violating the prohibition law. In the entire fiscal year 1922-23 a total of only 370 prisoners were sent to the penitentiary convicted of this offense. The above figures are from a summary for October and November, which has just been compiled and made public from the office of Roy L. Nolen, associate member of the state board.

Announcement has been made by Commissioner of Game and Fisheries I. T. Quinn, at Montgomery, of the appointment of game wardens for eight more counties, as follows: Shelby, T. E. Walton, Columbiana; Escambia, W. J. Godfrey, Brewton; Autauga, Leonard Carter, Autaugaville; Jackson, J. T. Wheeler, Scottsboro; Wilcox, C. D Thompson, Camden; Greene, W. A. Gordon, Eutaw; Geneva, W M. Rushing, Samson; Macon, B. F. Wells, Tuskegee.

Determined efforts to delevop the territory through which the Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia Railroad operates are said to be indicated in the fact President C. E. James, of that road, has begun drilling for iron ore near Pigeon Mountain with the expectation of uncovering vast deposits. Should he succeed in locating them as experts predict that he will do it is understood that a blast furnace will be built somewhere near the property.

The Alabama public service commission has ordered a reduction in rates on gravel from Myrtlewood, Hazen, Orrville and Martin, on the Myrtlewood branch of the Louisville and Nashville to Linden. The reduction ranged from 7 to 13 cents per ton. The case which resulted in the lowering of the rate was a complaint from Salisbury & Co., who have a contract for building a road near Linden.

Oneonta experienced one of the quietest Chrismas days in its history with a noticeable absence of intoxications of prohibited beverages.

Birmingham is growng at a phenomenal clip and now has a population well in excess of 225,000, according to views expressed by city officials and other civic leaders. The federal census in 1920 gave the city a population of 178,806. The 1930 census, in the view of leading citizens, will find the city close to the 225,000 mark.

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AARON—BIRDETT WEDDING

On last Sunday, at the home of Mrs. T. B. Hunt near Prattville, occurred the marriage of Mr. Willie Aaron of Cherokee Bluffs to Miss Jewel Birdett of Prattville.

Mr. Hunt is an employee of the Alabama Power Company, having worked at Mitchell Dam until a few months ago, when he was transferred to Cherokee. The young bride is the beautiful daughter of Mrs. Birdette of Prattville, Route 3, and formerly of Verbena.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Godkin of New Orleans, La., spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collum, Calera Route 1.

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In order that you may know more of the accomplishments of this Railroad, as well as the problems which confront its management, these informative bulletins will continue to appear regularly in this newspaper.

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 10 at Cooper on January 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 10 at Evergreen on January 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 6. at Enterprise on January 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 6 at Kincheon on January 10, 1924.
Precinct No. 15 at Culp School House on Jan. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 15 at Pletcher on January 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 8 at Riderville on January 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 8 at Stanton on January 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 7 at Shoults on January 16, 1924.
Precinct No. 7 at Maplesville on January 17, 1924.
Precinct No. 3 at Benson on January 18, 1924.
Precinct No. 16 at Providence on January 19, 1924.
Precinct No. 4 at Clanton on Jan. 21 to Feb. 2, inc've, 1924
Precinct No. 14 at Macedonia February 4, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Mars Hill on February 5, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Providence on February 6, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

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LOCK 18 DAM NOW ASSURED

Citizens of Etowah county have heard with much interest of the sale to the Alabama Power Company by the state of a portion of the state prison farm No. 5, seven miles northwest of Wetumpka on the west bank of the Coosa river.

The tract is about one and one-half miles above the site owned by the power company upon which it proposes to erect a hydro-electric dam, to be known as Lock 18. The land purchased this week wil lbe covered by the impounded water which wil lresult when the new dam is completed.

According to the Montgomery Advertiser, the state board of administration, which closed the deal, called attention to the fact that the land did not in any sense constitute a potential sie for hydro-elecric power development, "the site for the proposed Lock 18 being located down stream on the Coosa a distance of fully a mile and a half. This site was designated some time ago by federal power commission, it was stated."

The state received a good price for the property, $100,000 for 106 acres. The company expects to spend from $12,000,000 to $15,000,000 in construction of the new dam. When it is completed, it will add a substantial sum to the taxable property of the state.

Etowah citizens are especially interested because completion of the project will be another long step in opening the Coosa river to navigation to the Gulf. Construction of the proposed dam will eliminate the necesisty for several smaller locks and dams, and will reileve the government of millions of dollars of expenditures in the work of opening the river.—(Gadsden Journal, Dec. 22, 1923.)

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

Owing to the length of the school term this year I am requested by Prof. C. R. Wood, Director of Extension of the State Normal at Jacksonville, to announce to those teachers taking the Normal Extension Work that the dates for the meeting of this course has been changed so that the remaining meetings will come on the dates mentioned below: Jan. 12th and 26th, and Feb. 2nd.

Teachers will please take note of this change and be present at the meetings.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Co. Supt. Education.

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A COTTON PROGRAM FOR 1924

New Orleans, La., Jan. 1.—"From evidence abundant in every state and neighborhood, the South can grow cotton profitably this year with average weather if the producers generally make use of the knowledge already acquired on weevil control," says the Federal International News, published by the Federal International Banking Company of New Orleans. Successful farmers, weevil experts and trained observers agree upon a program of:

"Small acreage, heavy fertilization and intensive cultivation.

"Selected seed of early-maturing varieties.

"Pre-square poisoning to catch the first brood of weevils emerging from hibernation.

"Picking up and burning fallen squares.

"Treatment with calcium arsenate when and as conditions advise.

"These methods in 1923 yielded profits even in the regions of heaviest infestation. With average weather in 1924 they will yield profits even with a larger crop and lower prices."

The program is compiled from recommendations and experiences of successful farmers and specific advice by Dr. W. E. Hinds, State entomologist of Alabama; J. N. Harper, director and agronomist of the Soil Improvement Committee of the Southen Fertilizer Association, and J. A. Evans, assistant chief of cooperative extension work conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture and agricultural colleges of the South.

NOTICE

All post right and all central dues must be paid on or before Jan. 15th, 1924. Post right fee is $2.40 per line; central dues for each phone is $2.50. In order for you as a patron of the Peoples Telephone Co., to get central service after Jan. 15th, 1924, your post right and central dues must be paid. Remember you can not pay central fees until you have paid your post right fees and have a receipt showing that the post right has been paid.

G. C. ARMSTRONG,
Sec'y.-Treas.
W. W. FOX,
President Peoples Tel. Co.

Kentucky now has a State director of music. The creation of this office by the State superintendent of public instruction is the result of the action of the 1922 legislature, which passed a bill giving music a place in the course of study for all Kentucky schools.

LEAVE FOR DADEVILLE

Mr. H. F. Thompson and family of Clanton got up early last Monday morning and loaded up their household goods on trucks and set out for Cherokee Bluffs. Mr. Thompson is joining his brother, Dudley, who left here a month or so ago. They are running a saw mill down there and cutting lumber for the Alabama Power Company.

Mr. Thompson told us that if everything went to suit him he would remain there for about two years.

Washington, D. C., has been chosen for the summer meeting of the National Education Association. The meeting will be held June 29 to July 5.

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One of every ten members of the faculty of the Pennsylvania State College is devoting virtually his entire time to research work. Thirty men and one woman are investigating problems on agricultural and industrial conditions in Pennsylvania.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court, in Equity.

Robert L. Henderson, Complainant, vs. L. M. Henderson, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said L. M. Henderson to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 15th day of January, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 13th day of December, 1923.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.
12-20-3t.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

A hearing on the project of the Gulf Ports Terminal Railway to build a bridge acros Mobile Bay will be held in the United States engineer's office in Mobile during the latter part of January, Major Earl North announced. Elwood McLaughlin, president of the Gulf Ports Terminal Railway company, has been advancing the project for a number of years. He has built a railroad about 20 miles out of Pensacola and proposes to come into Mobile via the bridge.

Gus Martin, an alleged rum runner, was caught with seven gallons of whiskey in an automobile in East Gadsden, and has been locked up in the county jail Sheriff Leath, who made the arrest, states that Martin was asleep in the car when found, having became exhausted by a long ride from the wilds of Cleburne county.

Much interest has been shown at the state capitol in the report that Gov. W. W. Brandon will go into the record in the case of Theo Lacy to consider the granting of a permenent parole to Lacy, who was sentenced for alleged embezzlement of around $100,000 in state funds as chief clerk of the convict department under the O'Neal administration.

Ground has been broken for the new cotton tie buckle plant at Attalla. The site is on Third street and the work of construction is being supervised by Superintendent Todd. It is said that this is to be the first of a series of small plants to be located in the district to consume raw iron and steel made at Attalla.

1923 was the greatest year in the history of the telephone industry in Alabama in the matter of additional investments, new construction work and the number of new telephones installed, Southern Bell Telephone officers said. It is estimated that gross additions to telephone plants in Alabama during the year amounted to more than $1,000,000.

E. M. Tuttle, well known truck grower of Morgan county, had on the streets a load of cabbage from the third crop grown by him this year. The cabbage, he said, came to maturity this winter without any protection from the weather. The cabbage was grown on Mr. Tuttle's farm at Austinville, two miles from Decatur.

Distribution of the satsuma crop is becoming more extensive every year and new markets are being opened up, which it is predicted will soon demand double Mobile's present output, according to officers of the Gulf Coast Citrus Exchange. The shipping season is practically over, but the fruit will remain in local markets for some time, it s said.

Rates on gravel and sand to all statibns on the Southern railroad between Selma and York and between Selma and Akron, also all stations on the L. & N. between Selma and Beatrice, including the Myrtle branch are reduced in a formal order issued by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

The Anniston branch of the Salvation Army distributed 53 baskets of food for Christmas dinner to as many families, gave Christmas stockings and other treats to 250 children, furnished 109 garments and 16 pairs of shoes to needy persons during the holiday period, according to a report of the commandants given out.

Investigated deaths from natural causes, headed the list in Jefferson county, during the year just with 408, according to the annual report of Coroner J. D. Ramsay. Accidental deaths followed with 246, homicidal, third with 178, and suicides last with 16.

The Alabama Company at Gadsden is hurrying the work of repairs on its furnace No. 1 in order to get it back into production not later than February 1, according to information. It is said the company is anxious to have the stack blown in at the earliest possible moment.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hollingsworth of 2500 Noble street, Anniston, held one of the most interesting family reunions of the Christmas season. Seven sons, two daughters, five daughters-in-law and 20 grandchildren were in attendance.

Governor Brandon has accepted an invitation to attend the unveiling of the head of Robert E. Lee at Stone Mountain, near Atlanta, January 19, the birthday of the Confederate army chieftain.

Dora, a fast growing mining town, in the eastern part of Walker county, is making plans to pave the main streets through the city at an early date, according to Dora citizens.

An order was issued by the Alabama public service commission allowing the Southern railway to discontinue the station at Millsite in Shelby county.

Plans for Jefferson county's new administration building will be ready for submission to the board of revenue for approval within about two weeks, H. B. Wheelock, architect in charge, stated.

A gift of $3,000 to the Baptist orphanage in Troy added greatly to the pleasures of Christmas Day. This gift was made by Mr. and Mrs T. R. Jones, of LaFayette, who gave the check in memory of Mrs. Jones' parents, Reuben and Matilda Kinkle Gilder.

WORDL'S NINTH SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

World's Ninth Sunday School Convention Will Be Held In Glasgow Scotland, June 18th to 26th, 1924.

Alabama is entitled to twenty delegates to this great Convention and already a number have signified their intention of going. Ships will sail June 7th from Montreal, New York, and Philadelphia, carrying delegates to this Convention.

Plans are being made for pre and post Convention Tours for those who wish to visit the Holy Land and Egypt.

Anyone interested in attending the World's Sunday School Convention, should write to Tom V. Ellzey, Secretary, Alabama Sunday School Council, 701 Shepherd Bldg., Montgomery, Ala., or World's Sunday School Association 216 Metropolitan Tower, New York City, N. Y.

Correspondence courses in radio reception and transmission are offered by the engineering extension department of the Pennsylvania State College. More students have enrolled in the radio courses than in any of the other correspondence courses offered by the department.

Boston Transcript—The League of Nations has now taken up daylight saving, and its next subject of adjustment will be jay walking, perhaps, or maybe the right date to put on the heavy ones.

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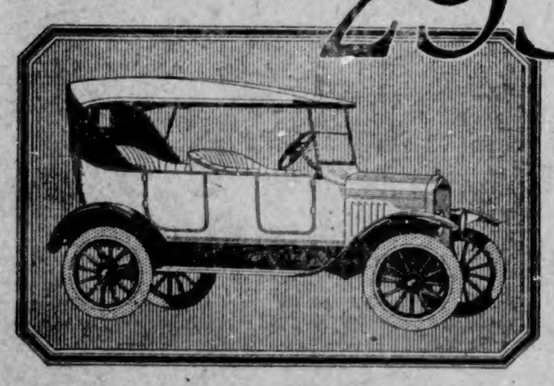

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Ladies Silk Hose worth $1.25, sale price 89c
Misses Hose, sizes up to 9 1-2, 25c value, sale price 18c
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Ladies' Fine Coat Suits, $20.00 values, sale price $12.48
Ladies' Fine Coat Suits, worth up to $25.00, sale price $15.98
Ladies' Skirts, worth $3.50, sale price $2.49
Ladies' Skirts worth $4.00, sale price $3.13
Ladies' Skirts, worth $5.00, sale price $3.84
Ladies' Skirts, worth $6.50, sale price $4.48
Ladies' Serge Dresses, worth $7.00, sale price $4.69
Ladies' Dresses, worth $12.50, sale price $8.48
Ladies' Fine Cloaks, worth $15.00, sale price $9.89
One Lot Ladies' Coat Suits, worth $10.00, sale price $4.98
Ladies' Fine Cloaks, $22.50 values, sale price $15.94
Children's Cloaks, worth $3.00, sale price $2.24
Children's Cloaks worth $5.00, sale price $3.84
Misses' All Wool Sweaters, worth $3.50, sale price $2.50
Misses' Wool Sweaters, worth $5.00, sale price $3.18
Ladies Wool Sweaters, worth $5.00, sale price $3.84
Ladies Wool Sweaters, worth $6.50, sale price $4.48

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36-inch French Serge, $1.50 value, sale price per yd. 94c
40-inch Wool Crepe, $2.50 value, sale price per yd. $1.94
Wool Skirt Goods, $2.50 value, sale price per yd. $1.72
54-inch Skirt Goods, heavy wool, $3.50 value, sale price $2.50
36-inch Cotton Suiting, 35c value, sale price 20c
36-inch Pure Linen Suiting, all colors, sale price 84c
40-inch Georgette Crepe, all colors, worth $2.50, sale price $1
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Genuine Cow Hide Suit Cases, $10.00 value, sale price $6
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Good Quality Mattress Tick, worth 25c, sale price
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32-inch Dress Ginghams, 35c values, sale price
Good Quality Dress Ginghams, 20c value, sale price
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36-inch Long Cloth, worth 20c, sale price
36-inch Pajama Checks, worth 25c, sale price
32-inch Romper Cloth, worth 35c, sale price
36-inch Percal, worth 25c, sale price
36-inch Percal, best grade, sale price
36-inch Bleaching, 25c value, sale price
Extra Heavy Blue Denim, 50c value, sale price
Good Quality Cheviot, worth 25c, sale price
36-inch Indian Head, 40c value, sale price
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LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Union Suits, worth $1.50, long or short sleeves, sale price
Misses' E-Z Union Suits, sale price
Misses' Union Suits, all sizes, sale price

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Full size Napkins, fine quality, $4.50 value, sale price $3.24
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Rugs, worth up to $3.00, sale price $2.14
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9X12 Krex Art Squares, sale price $5.69
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Children Shoes, sizes 5 to 8, sale price $1.14
Children's Shoes, sizes 8 1-2 to 11, sale price $1.38
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Children's Walton Shoes, sizes 5 to 8, sale price $1.69
Children's Walton Shoes, sizes 8 1-2 to 11, sale price $1.98
Children's Walton Shoes, sizes 11 1-2 to 2, sale price $2.69
Men's Fine Shoes, worth $3.50, sale price $2.38
Men's Fine Shoes, worth $4.00, sale price $2.84
Men's Fine Shoes, worth $4.25, sale price $3.34
Men's Fine Shoes, worth $5.00, sale price $3.69
Men's Beacon Shoes, extra value, sale price $4.45
Men's Barry Shoes, worth $9.00, sale price $6.88
Ladies' Fine Shoes and Oxfords, worth up to $3.00, sale price 98c
Ladies' Fine Shoes and Oxfords, worth up to $4.00, sale price $1.48
Ladies' Fine Shoes and Oxfords, worth up to $5.00, sale price $1.98
Ladies' Oxfords and Straps, late styles, sale price $3.69
Ladies' Suede Oxfords and Straps, sale price $3.39
Ladies' Oxfords and Straps, sale price $2.38
Women's every-day Shoes, worth $3.00, sale price $2.34
Boys' Scout Shoes, sizes up to 6, sale price $3.24
Men's Scout Shoes, worth $2.50, sale price $1.98
Men's Army Last Shoes, worth $4.00, sale price $2.98
Men's Work Shoes, worth $4.00 sale price $3.19
Men's 16-inch Boots, worth $7.50, sale price $5.98
Men's Army Last Boots, worth $10.00, sale price $7.50
Boys' Fine Shoes, sizes 3 to 5 1-2, worth $2.50, sale price $1.88
Boys' Fine Shoes, Rubber Heel, worth $3.50, sale price $2.38
Men's Genuine Army Shoes, with or without Hob nails, sale price $2.64

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

Boys Suits, worth $7.00, sale price $4.68
Boys Suits, sizes up to 17, 2 pair pants, worth $9.00, sale price $6.88
Boys 2-pants Suits, sizes up to 18, worth $12.50, sale price $8.48
Men's fine Worsted and Serge Suits, all wool worth $25.00, sale price $18.98
Men's 2-pants Suits, worth $22.50, sale price $15.98
Men's Worsted Suits, worth $15.00, sale price $11.48
Men's Overcoats, worth $15.00, sale price $9.48
Men's Overcoats, worth $25.00, sale price $18.98
Men's Moleskin Work Pants, sale price $2.82
Men's all wool Army Pants, sale price $1.98
Boys Knee Pants, worth $1.50, sale price 98c
Boys Knee Pants, worth $2.50, sale price $1.88
Boys Knee Pants, worth $3.00, sale price $2.15
Men's Fine Pants, worth $3.50, sale price $2.82
Men's Fine Pants, worth $4.00, sale price $3.13
Men's Fine Pants, worth $5.00, sale price $3.75
Men's Fine Pants, worth $6.00, sale price $4.38
Men's Fine Pants, worth $8.00, sale price $6.25
Men's O. D. Wool Overcoats, sale price $3.48
Men's Long Cravanette Overcoats, sale price $8.98

MEN AND BOYS FURNISHINGS

Men's Ribbed Union Suits, all sizes, sale price $1.15
Men's Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, sale price 69c
Boys Ribbed Union Suits, sale price 89c
Men and Boys Caps, worth 40c, sale price 19c
Men's and Boys Caps, worth 75c, sale price 44c
Men's and Boys Caps, worth $1.50, sale price 84c
Men's and Boys Caps, $2.00 values, sale price $1.25
Men's Blue Work Shirts, worth $1.00, sale price 69c
Men's Wool O. D. Shirts, worth $3.50, sale price $2.82
Men's Flanelette Shirts, worth $1.50, sale price 94c
Men's Fine Shirts, with or without collars, sale price 94c
Men's Fine Shirts, worth $2.00, sale price $1.38
Men's Fine Shirts, worth $2.50, sale price $1.88
Men's Fine Shirts, worth $4.00, sale price $2.82
Men's Ties, worth 75c, sale price 45c
Men's Hats, worth $2.50, sale price $1.88
Men's Hats, worth $4.50, sale price $3.18
Men's Velour Hats, worth $5.00, sale price $3.48
Men's Best Grade Athletic Union Suits, $1.50 value, sale price 89c
Men's Heavy Overalls, made of 220 Denim, sale price $1.49
U. S. Army Canvas Leggins, new, worth 75c, sale price 25c
O. D. Lace Bottom Wool Breeches, Class B, sale price $1.29
Men's Wool Army Gloves, worth 50c, sale price 24c
Men's Suspenders, worth 35c, sale price 21c
Men's All Leather Belts, 75c value, sale price 29c
Men's Army Coats, wool, sale price 69c
Men's Army Coats, cotton, sale price 39c
Men's Sweaters, worth $2.50, sale price $1.38
Men's all Wool Sweaters, worth $5.00, sale price $3.75

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JUDGE REYNOLDS AND OTHERS REPLY TO HAND'S LETTER

(Continued from Page 2.)

the gentlemen that the office was without the protection of a man and that we were here ready to protect Miss Burnett.

Mr. J. J. Pickens was not in the office when this conversation occurred, there was only present Mr. Thompson, Walker, Simpson, Hand, Tom Rockett and myself. Mr. Hand and Mr. Thompson did practically all the talking and they denied that they had insulted the young lady and practically the rest of the conversation was in regard to this. Finally John Gore came to the office and we left him there and I then went back to my office. In a short while Miss Burnett came running over to my office again and said that Mr. Gore and Mr. Hand were fussing. Upon arriving at the Probate office the trouble had ceased and I only heard what the men had to say concerning it. There was no more disturbance that day.

Mr. Hand is mistaken about me being present at the time of the trouble on Dec. 18, between him and Judge Reynolds, as I was not informed of the trouble until it was all over.

OMAR L. REYNOLDS.

The part above in which Mr. Reynolds states that I was present is correct.

J. T. ROCKETT.

I was in the Judge of Probate office and heard a fuss as of some one scrambling in the Judge's private office and went in to see about it, when I got there Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand were in the passage way between the commissioners' court room and the Judge's private office. About the time that I saw them Judge Reynolds either pushed or slapped or they tripped and fell into the private office, with the Judge falling on top. I then tried to pull the Judge off and saw that I was not able and then called Sam Pate in the office to help me separate them. About the time that Mr. Pate came in there also came in Jim Grant, W. G. Culp and Harvey Foshee and that was about all and we separated them. This was all that I saw of the trouble except Judge Reynolds and Mr. Hand continued to fuss some few minutes afterwards. Mr. Hand then left and came back with J. J. Pickens, Victor J. Heard, Grover C. Walker, G. D. Retherford, Tom Curry and there was also at that time Jim Grant, W. G. Culp, Sam Pate, Omar Reynolds, Joe Gore and a few others.

DEWEY ROCKETT.

On request of Omar L. Reynolds and Tom Rockett I went to the office of the Judge of Probate to be present in the vault while Mr. Fritz Thompson, J. J. Pickens, Tom Hand and H. M. Simpson were checking the poll tax books. Mr. Hand stated that he had to go to Columbiana on that day as he had an engagement there with several parties. Leaving the vault and in a very short time he returned and stated under the circumstances that he could not leave here that day as this bunch of crooks had charged him with being crooked and I asked what bunch did he refer to as being croowed and he said Reynolds was not only crooked but all on the other side.

JOHN L. GORE.

CLAUD M. BAER IN POST OFFICE

Mr. Claud M. Baker is now working in the Clanton post office in the capacity of Clerk-Carrier, he having received the highest grade in the recent civil service examination for that position. Claud is a fine young man, and we are glad to hear of his success. He has been in Tupelo, Miss., for the past two years working in the Fisheries Department of the Government.

FOR RENT

One 2-horse farm one mile east of Collins Chapel School House. Rent any way to right man.—John Thompson, Clanton, Ala. 1-3-2t pd

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Walker Spairs, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton county for murder on December 8, 1916, and was given a life sentence, will make application before the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

1-3-3t pd. WALKER SPARIS.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By vertue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of one hundred fifty-three and 52-100 dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the March Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Fitzpatrick, N. C. M., by her next friend, H. T. Fitzpatrick, in favor of officers of the court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1924, all the right, title and the interest of the above named Mary Fitzpatrick, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

West half of NW quarter of N half of SW quarter in Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-two (22) North, of Range Sixteen (16) East, and containing 159.60 acres more or less, except the mineral right, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 28th day of December, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, December 28th, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

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SOUTH CALERA ITEMS

After we have been enjoying the Christmas holidays, we hope you will permit us to tell a few of the happenings around home.

Mr. E. D. Crim and Mr. S. N. Rogers left Friday for Cherokee Bluffs where they both expect to secure positions.

Miss Ruth Mooney has returned from Columbiana where she has been spending the holidays with home folks. She began her school work Monday morning.

Mrs. W. M. Clark and daughter, Mamye, have been visiting in the Magic City since last Friday. They returned Sunday night.

The community will miss Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby very much as they will make their future home in Selma. They left Thursday morning.

Miss Lillie Walker and Miss Mexa Tate accompanied the former's brother to Birmingham last Wednesday, returning Thursday.

There was a singing given at the home of Mr. Jim Armstrong last Sunday night. Most of the young people were present and I feel sure everyone had a nice time.

Mr. Holen Crim was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Badie Watts of Birmingham during part of the holidays.

Mr. Homer Martin spent the Christmas holidays at home in South Calera.

Mrs. Arthur Busby and son, Henry Lee, from Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby from Pelham were visitors in South Calera during the holidays.

Mr. M. T. Busby attended the Conference at Leeds last week, also visited his son while there. He returned Sunday night.

There was an enjoyable entertainment given at the home of Mr. W. M. Jones last Wednesday night. Everyone had a nice time.

Mrs. Henry Robinson from Pelham was visiting relatives in South Calera last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, formerly Miss Bessie Busby of South Calera, who were married during the holidays, will make their future home in Birmingham. We wish them much happiness.

Mr. Charles Busby from Marvel was home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Homer Martin was in the Magic City Saturday.

The community regrets very much that Mr. Jim Armstrong and family are moving away from South Calera, but we are very glad to have with us Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess, formerly of this place.

Misses Mamye and Catherine Clark began school on last Monday after a vacation of one week.

Miss Lutie Jones and Miss Mexa Tate were the guests of Miss U. V. Busby last Thursday.

Miss Hazel Cox entertained at her home last Tuesday the following guests: Mr. Alza Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Miss Mexa Tate, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby and Mr. Leon Busby.

Mr. Charlie Busby and family from Jemison were in South Calera last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby from Pelham visited relatives at South Calera during the vacation.

A singing was given at Mrs. C. Campbell's last Friday night. All reported a good time.

Mr. Roy Virgin from Birmingham spent a few days last week in South Calera on a hunting trip.

Mrs. Sarah Crim, who was carried to the infirmary in Birmingham last week is reported to be doing nicely. We hope she will soon be able to be at home again.

Mr. O. C. Busby from Marvel spent part of last week with home folks in South Calera.

Miss Elva Barefield and friends were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Busby last Sunday.

Mr. Amy Boswell spent Sunday in South Calera returning to Pelham Sunday night.

Mr. Delmas Lawley from Birmingham was the guest of Mr. Holen Crim for a short while during the holidays.

With best wishes for the New Year.

LOMAX NEWS

Health of this place is very good at present.

We have had a very quiet Christmas at this place this time.

Mr. A. A. Jackson and family from Birmingham spent the holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells visited relatives at Randolph the first of last week.

Mrs. Callie Culp and daughter, Miss Senara, of Liberty Hill, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with her brother, R. E. L. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Hester from Leeds spent last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Daniel.

Misses Dovie and Lucile Honeycutt from near Friendship spent part of last week with Miss Annie Ward.

Mr. R. E. L. Ward and family visited Mr. H. V. Honeycutt and family last Thursday.

Miss Nora Lee Lesley from Thorsby visited her friend, Miss Pearlee Barrett Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Robinson and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Hollie Price.

Mr. Bennie Wells and family visited Mr. C. C. Burnette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells visited the latter's grand-mother, Mrs. Giles, near Cane Creek last week.

Mr. R. E. L. Ward and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Riggins.

Mr. Claud Muncher and several other boys from Leeds were visitors to Lomax during the holidays.

A READER.

AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the running at large, within the Town of Clanton, Alabama, or within the Police Jurisdiction of said Town, of dogs, and to declare a violation of this ordinance a misdemeanor and to provide the punishment therefor.

Be it Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton:

Section 1. That it is ascertained and determined by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, that at the present time there is an epedemic of rabies among dogs in said town and within the police jurisdiction of said Town, and that it is to the best interests of the citizens of said Town that said epedemic be controlled.

Section 2. That for a period of sixty days from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to allow or permit any dog to run at large within the Town of Clanton or the Police Jurisdiction thereof, unless the same shall be muzzeled with such a muzzle, that will prevent such dog from biting any person or animal.

Section 3. That any person, firm or corporation violating the terms of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction must be fined not less than One ($1.00) or more than One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars.

Section 4. That it shall be the duty of the police officers of said Town of Clanton, to kill any dog found running at large within said Town or the police jurisdiction thereof, in violation of the terms of this ordinance, after its passage.

Section 5. That should any section of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or illegal it shall not affect any of the other sections thereof.

Read, introduced and adopted this, the 31st day of Dec., 1923.

ADA M. ATKINSON
Clerk.

J. B. ATKINSON,
Mayor Pro. Tem.

MARS HILL

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to say a few words from this place.

Our Sunday school met in regular session Sunday, but there were not as large a crowd as we could have had; but we had Sunday school just the same. We hope there will be more present next Sunday.

Health is very good at this place at present.

Our literary school is good and we think we have a good teacher.

There will be preaching at this place second Sunday, by Bro. Faulkner, at eleven o'clock. We hope there will be a large crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. Holesombeck dined with Mr. J. W. Abbott Sunday.

Miss Jewel Scott was the guest of Miss Alma Watson Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Scott spent the night with Mrs. Holesombeck Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watson dined with C. W. Scott Sunday.

Mr. Vernon Edwards and wife returned to their home near Tuscaloosa Saturday, after a few days visit among friends and relatives at this place.

Miss Berthyle Johnson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hattie Strother of Ensley.

Mrs. Etta Clark returned to her home at Silura Saturday night.

A READER.

LIBERTY HILL SINGING SOCIETY

Our singing society met last Sunday afternoon to elect a new president, as our former president, Mr. Glover Smith, was leaving us. We elected Mr. Leonard Culp to serve for president this year. After electing new president we rendered a short but interesting program that everyone seemed to enjoy.

The directors for the afternoon were Messrs Glover Smith, Zack Lowery, Leonard Culp, and Gresham Smith, Misses Frances Lowery and Claudie Smith; also three quartets sang by Messrs Glover Smith, Leonard Culp, Alphus Littlejohn and D. W. Ward; one duett by Messrs Frank Mastin and Glover Smith. The organists for the afternoon were Misses Lillie and Clautie Smith, Bonnie Littlejohn and Mrs. Marie Littlejohn.

JOHN ROLLINS,
Secretary.

NOTICE ROAD HANDS AND TRUCK OWNERS

All persons desiring to pay the road fee of $5.50 instead of working the road seven days, may send me a post office money order for this amount, stating the Beat they live in and their address, and I will send them a receipt for same.

There will be no wagon tax this year, but all parties with trucks may get license at my office. After March 15th there will be an extra fee charged for issuing license for trucks.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

A BIG ADVERTISEMENT

You will notice in The Banner this week a big double page advertisement of the Hohenberg-Lacy-Farrow Mercantile Co., of Wetumpka. These hustling merchants put on this big Clearance Sale every year and advertise it extensively. They are offering some mighty attractive bargains. Read the adv.

1924 GREETINGS SENT COUNTRY BY PRESIDENT

Washington, Dec. 31.—President Coolidge tonight extended New Year's greetings to the American people in a message which said:

"At the end of the old year and the beginning of the new, it is well to take account of our spiritual, moral and material resources and seriously appraise the progress of the past 12 months and the prospect of advancement in the coming year. The nation has made a record of gratifying accomplishments. There is every reason to believe advancement will continue in the coming months.

"It is a pleasure to extend the heartiest of New Year greetings to the American people and express the hope and confidence that 1924 will bring them a full measure of prosperity and happiness."

REPLY TO J. N. SCOTT

I notice in last week's Union-Banner a letter from Mr. J. N. Scott, in which he criticizes the new road law of Chilton County. Mr. Scott advances the idea that the roads could be worked better by the old hand-working system. Well, Mr. Scott, we have been trying this very system which you advocate for the past half a century, and it seems that if the plan was as good as you claim it, your roads up there would be in better shape than they are now.

We have made this change because the old system fails to function properly, and we would ask you to wait until the new plan fails, before you criticize it. We hope that the kickers of Chilton county will do unto the roads of the county as they would have the other fellow do, and that is to work more and kick less.

Yours truly,
C. T. WALKER,
Commissioner.

MRS. NETTIE BAILEY WILBANKS

On Thursday, P. M., December 27, 1923, as the hands of the clock slowly passed four the sweet soul of Mrs. Nettie Bailey Wilbanks faded away. Of all the tender care that was given, God saw he had a place more precious for her in Heaven. She is survived by her husband, G. T. Wilbanks, Clanton, Ala., three sons, Thos. E. Wilbanks, Montgomery; Jack and Wheeler Wilbanks, Birmingham; and four daughters, Mrs. F. E. Fiquett, West Point, Ga.; Mrs. J. Mell Martin, Clanton, Ala.; Mrs. E. L. Hartley and Miss Carl Wilbanks, Montgomery, Ala., besides a host of other relatives and friends.

The remains were laid to rest in Clanton Cemetery Friday afternoon after a beautiful short service at Clanton Baptist Church, conducted by Rev. H. G. Williams of Cincinnati, Ohio, who happened to be visiting relatives and friends in Clanton. "Lead Kindly Light" and "My Father Knows" was beautifully rendered by a quartette composed of Messrs Percy Pitts and Jesse Jones, Mrs. Jno. T. Elils and Miss Della Latham.

Pall bearers, Dr. E. E. Upchurch, Jno. T. Ellis, W. H. Sartor, J. Watts Moore, J. P. Lawrence and Andrew N. Miner.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE URGES THE PAYMENT OF POLL TAXES

Since our people are rather indifferent about paying their poll taxes this year, we wish to urge upon the Republicans of Chilton County the importance of attending to this matter. If you will just consider the matter a little you can readily see that there is too much at stake for you to ignore paying your poll tax. Next year, we elect a president, and there will be several elections of importance. So, in order that you may be pemitted to vote, pay your poll tax before February 1st, 1923, and don't wait too late.

Yours for a strong party,
W. G. CULP, Chairman.
J. Z. MIMS, Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS

Editor Union-Banner:

Allow us a small space in your paper to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help shown us during the recent illness and death of our grandfather, N. O. Andrews. May God bless you all.

TYREE LANDERS,
BIRDIE LANDERS,
E. O. ATCHISON,

DR. GRAGG SICK

We learn with regret that Dr. V. J. Gragg is sick again. He has been in the Central Alabama Hospital for the past few days. We sincerely hope that the doctor's case is not serious but that he will be up again real soon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank the good people of Jemison and Clanton for their kindness and sympathy in the sickness and death of our dear wife and mother.

Mr. G. T. WILBANKS and family.

We have been looking for our dividend on that United Farmers Canning Factory stock which we purchased last year. We wonder if it got misplaced in the mails somehow, eh?

Houston Post (Dem.)—Republican that President Coolidge is, we do not hesitate to say that he has a cool head, a ruly tongue, a good backbone and a dependable intestinal structure.

TREATISE OF IMPORTHNT EVENTS OF YEAR

Chronology of the Year 1923

Compiled by E. W. PICKARD

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INTERNATIONAL

Jan. 1—Turkey reported mobilizing three armies to move against Constantinople, Mosul and other points.

Jan. 2—Allied premiers met in Paris and British and French plans for reparations were submitted.

Jan. 4—Conference of allied premiers in Paris broke up in disagreement. France prepared for isolated action to collect from Germany.

Jan. 8—War debt refunding negotiations begun in Washington by British and American commissions.

Jan. 9—Reparations committee declared Germany in wilful default in coal deliveries, British member voting in negative. French began move on Essen. Germans adopted passive resistance program.

Jan. 10—Germany, formally notified by France of its intention to occupy the Ruhr, protested to the allied powers and withdrew its ambassadors from France, Belgium and Italy.

Near East peace conference decided Moslems in Greece must be moved to Turkey and Christians in Turkey to Greece.

President Harding recalled American troops from Germany.

Jan. 11—French forces occupied Essen and the Ruhr.

Lithuanian irregulars occupied the Memel district, besieging the city.

Jan. 13—Reichstag, by vote of 283 to 12, backed Chancellor Cuno's "moral war" on France.

Jan. 15—German mine owners defied the French, who proceeded to extend their occupation to the entire Ruhr basin.

Lithuanians seized Memel, announcing the revolt was only against the French administration and the German currency.

Jan. 16 — Reparations commission voted Germany in default in material deliveries.

Jan. 19—Germany ordered all state employees to refuse to obey the French.

International commercial arbitration court inaugurated in Paris.

Jan. 20—French arrested many German industrial leaders and officials and seized funds in Reichsbank branches.

Jan. 23—France ordered the Ruhr isolated from the rest of Germany. Workers in Thyssen plants struck.

British and Turks split on Mosul question in Lausanne conference.

Jan. 24—American army of occupation left Germany for home.

Jan. 26 — Reparations commission voted Germany in general default.

Jan. 28—Isolation of the Ruhr from rest of Germany completed.

Jan. 29—Hundreds of German officials deported from Ruhr and Rhineland.

Jan. 31—French seized Ruhr customs and shut off all shipments of coal to unoccupied Germany.

Allies submitted peace treaty to Turks at Lausanne.

British accepted American terms for funding of war debt.

Caechoslovakia and Hungary accepted League of Nations plan to settle their boundary dispute.

Feb. 1—European nations guaranteed loan of $100,000,000 to Austria.

Feb. 5—General Allen ordered by United States to quit relations with Rhineland commission.

Feb. 4—Turks at Lausanne refused to sign peace treaty, rejecting 20 per cent of the clauses, and Lord Curzon departed.

French occupied Goddelau in Hesse.

Chancellor Cuno appointed a dictator to ration and fix prices in the Ruhr.

Feb. 6—Ismet Pasha refused British demand that he agree in writing to sign peace treaty as submitted, and Lausanne conference broke up.

Feb. 7—Turks ordered allied warships to leave Smyrna, but were defied.

Italy ratified the Washington treaties.

Central American conference in Washington ended successfully.

Feb. 16—Council of ambassadors awarded Memel to Lithuania.

Feb. 17—Poles and Lithuanians began battle near Orany.

Feb. 26—Great Britain and France ordered their warships out of Smyrna harbor, as courtesy to Turkish government.

Lithuania and Poland agreed on a truce.

March 3—French crossed Rhine and occupied Mannheim, Darmstadt and Karlsruhe.

March 6—Canada signed fisheries treaty with United States.

March 18—International chambers of commerce met at Rome.

March 19—United States agreed to accept payment of $250,000,000 for expenses of Rhine army, in 12 installments.

March 25—President of Chile, in welcoming delegates to Pan-American conference, urged alleviation of "armed peace" conditions and war on alcoholism.

March 26—Socialists of England, France, Italy, Belgium and Germany, in conference in Berlin, devised reparations program.

France rejected any League of Nations' guarantee for neutralization of the Rhineland.

March 30—German mine owners refused to pay coal tax levied by the French.

March 31—Eleven Krupp workers killed in clash with French troops at Essen.

April 2—Turks agreed to resume peace conference at Lausanne.

April 23—League of Nations council approved loan of $120,000,000 to Austria.

April 23—Lausanne peace conference resumed, Russia excluded.

May 1—Count Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, head of Krupp works, arrested by French as responsible for fatal fight in Krupp works.

May 2—Germany made new reparations offer of $7,500,000,000 with many conditions.

May 3—France rejected German offer.

May 8—French court-martial gave Krupp fifteen years in prison and heavy fine. Other participants in Essen riot fined and imprisoned.

British government served ten-day ultimatum on the soviet government of Moscow demanding compliance with the laws of nations.

May 13—Great Britain told Germany her reparations offer was insufficient and invited her to make a better one.

May 21—New Socialists' International of the World opened convention in Hamburg.

May 22—Russia yielded to British demands.

May 25—Four European powers yielded on all points made by the United States and signed agreement for payment of costs of American army on the Rhine.

Great Britain declined to recognize America's right to interfere with cargoes not destined to enter this country, such as rations, or liquor stocks for crews.

May 26—Turks and Greeks at Lausanne reached agreement on reparations.

June 5—Germany asked new reparations conference on total sum, and offered annuities of 1,500,000,000 gold marks.

June 18—World court began second session in The Hague.

June 21—France withdrew Saar ordinances of March 7, to which England objected.

June 27—Pope issued letter condemning French policy in the Ruhr.

June 29—Ten Belgian soldiers killed by bomb in the Ruhr; French and Belgians took severe sanctions.

July 2—Pope urged Germany to cease sabotage and satisfy her obligations.

July 3—League of Nations council decided to investigate French regime in the Saar.

July 4—Krupp's signed working agreement with French.

July 6—Agreement on all points reached by Turks and allies.

July 7—French chamber of deputies approved Washington naval limitation treaty.

July 9—Four-power Pacific treaty ratified by French chamber.

July 11—French senate ratified naval and Pacific treaties.

July 12—Great Britain invited France and Italy to join her in reply to Germany's latest reparations note.

July 13—French troops of occupation advanced to Limberg, Barmen and Elberfeld.

July 15—Premier Poincare of France, in speech, rejected most of the demands made by British prime minister on German reparations.

July 16—Allies and Turks agreed on terms of treaty, leaving out oil concessions.

July 20—British draft of reply to Germany submitted to allies and United States.

July 24—Turks and allies signed peace treaty of Lausanne.

Aug. 3—Great Britain and France agreed on a mutual guarantee pact against unprovoked aggression, to lead to reduction of armaments.

Aug. 6—United States and Turkey signed treaties of amity and commerce and on extradition, at Lausanne.

Aug. 11—Great Britain handed to France and Belgium note declaring Ruhr occupation illegal and a failure, insisting on impartial reparations inquiry and declaring France must pay enough of the money lent her to enable Britain to pay America.

Aug. 15—United States-Mexico commissioners completed their conference.

Aug. 17—Ratifications of four-power pact and naval reduction treaty negotiated at Washington conference formally exchanged at State department.

France offered to reduce reparations claims on Germany in proportion to the amount of its debt United States and Great Britain cancel.

Aug. 21—France's reply to British note delivered to Great Britain; offered little hope of agreement.

Aug. 28—Italy demanded from Greece abject apology and reparations for murder of Italian military commissioners in Albania.

Aug. 30—Greece accepted some of Italy's demands and rejected others.

Aug. 31—Italy, declaring Greece's reply unsatisfactory, bombarded and seized Corfu and landed on Samos and other Aegean islands. Greece appealed to League of Nations.

Mexican government formally recognized by the United States.

Sept. 4—Mussolini declared Italy would withdraw from League of Nations if it insisted on arbitrating the Italo-Greek affair.

Sept. 7—Council of ambassadors upheld Italy's demands on Greece.

Sept. 8—Greece and Italy formally accepted terms laid down by council of ambassadors.

Premier Poincare of France announced Germany must settle reparations question before an economic accord could be reached.

Sept. 10—Irish Free State admitted to League of Nations.

Sept. 13—Italy agreed to evacuate Corfu on Sept. 27.

Sept. 16—Italy appointed Gen. Giardino military governor of Fiume.

Sept. 18—United States made formal demand on Spain, France and Great Britain for right to build navy coal and oil base in Tangier across from Gibraltar.

Sept. 24—Chancellor Stresemann of Germany formally announced official abandonment of passive resistance in the Ruhr.

Italy informed Jugo-Slavia it intended to keep Fiume.

Italy declined to evacuate Corfu until Greece paid 50,000,000 lire indemnity.

Sept. 25—Council of ambassadors ordered Greece to pay indemnity to Italy.

Sept. 27—Italy evacuated Corfu.

Sept. 28—America won international seaplane race off Cowes, England.

Oct. 2—Allies completed the evacuation of Constantinople.

Oct. 19—Chancellor Stresemann announced Germany would pay no more reparations.

Oct. 24—Germany asked allies for reparations conference and moratorium.

Oct. 26—France accepted British plan for appointment by the reparations commission of board of experts to fix Germany's capacity to pay.

Oct. 28—Premier Poincare announced France would not permit reduction of reparations debt by board of experts, nor abandon the guarantee.

Oct. 30 — Great Britain accepted France's reservations on reparations board of experts.

Nov. 4—Poincare said France would not yield on reparations unless her creditors yielded on debts.

Nov. 5—China refused to pay Boxer indemnity to France.

Nov. 9—United States refused to participate in examination of Germany's capacity to pay because of French restrictions.

Nov. 13—France proposed appointment of experts' committee to investigate Germany's resources and capacity to pay during the next three years.

Nov. 14—Chancellor Stresemann announced he would repudiate treaty of Versailles and abandon the Ruhr and Rhineland to the French.

Nov. 21—France and Great Britain reached accord as to demands on Germany concerning former crown prince and resumption of military control commissions, and sent mild notes to Berlin.

Nov. 23—Industrial magnates of the Ruhr and Rhineland signed treaty with the French for resumption of work and payments.

Nov. 24—Germany refused protection for allied military control officers.

Nov. 27—International conference to halt rum-running opened in Ottawa, Canada.

Dec. 4—France began restoring the Ruhr to German rule.

Dec. 6—Allied warships landed troops in Canton to protect custom house from Sun Yat Sen.

Dec. 7—C. H. Griffis and two others sentenced to prison by German court for attempt to kidnap Bergdoll.

Dec. 9—New treaty of friendship and commerce signed by U. S. and Germany.

Dec. 10—Council of League of Nations met in Paris.

Dec. 11—President Coolidge announced he approved of the participation of American experts in the German inquiries authorized by reparations commission.

FOREIGN

Jan. 14—President Obregon of Mexico ordered expulsion of Papal Delegate Filippi as a pernicious foreigner.

Feb. 14—Italian Fascisti ordered all Free Masons to leave its ranks in County Kerry.

March 7—Thirteen Irish rebel prisoners, forced to wreck road barricades set up by De Valera troops, killed by mine.

Great Britain cut $37,000,000 out of navy plans.

Chinese president's plea for peace met with renewal of fighting in several provinces.

March 20—Labor party in British parliament demanded end of capitalism.

March 24—Guards doubled in Berlin as capture of secret papers revealed plan of German Nationalists to March on capital.

March 26—Twenty thousand farm laborers of Norfolk county, England, struck.

Archbishop Zepliak of Roman Catholic church condemned to death by Russian supreme court for revolutionary activities.

March 31—Mgr. Butchkavich, Roman Catholic vicar general, executed at Moscow for revolutionary activities; Archbishop Zepliak's sentence commuted to imprisonment for ten years.

Rumania prohibited all Roman Catholic congregations.

April 6—Swedish cabinet headed by Branting resigned.

April 7—Rumania threatened with civil war; Premier Bratiano resigned.

April 10—Liam Lynch, chief of staff of Irish irregulars, captured in fight and died of wounds.

April 14—Great plot of Irish republicans to kill British officials and wreck London uncovered.

April 27—De Valera ordered the Irish

(To be continued next week.)

POOR ORIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Mrs. Oscar Jones Gives Pretty Party.

A charming courtesy was extended the members of the card club and invited guests on last Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Oscar Jones entertained at her pretty home. Mrs. Jones greeted her guests and Mrs. Arthur Johnson conducted them to the dining room where cocoa and wafers were served from a table prettily centered with a basket of Pink roses. Misses Louise and Madelyn Orr presided here. Music on the Edison was enjoyed throughout the afternoon, Mrs. J. C. Jones presiding here. After a spirited game, the top score was held by Miss Beverly Hester and awarded a lovely tea pot. The club prize, a hand made handkerchief, was presented to Miss Kathleen Mullins. Later an elaborate plate luncheon with coffee was served to Mesdames, Victor Heard, Grady Reynolds, John Browder, Frank Callen, Napoleon Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Hugh Simpson, L. F. Gerald, Hance Alred, Hosea Downs, Thad McSwain, Guy Higgins, Guy Roberts, P. D. Wilson, Harvey Chandler, Misses Kathleen Mullins, Bettie Mullins, Madelyn and Louise Orr, Sallye Duncan, Alee Stewart, Lurline Harper, Mary Sue Mullins and Beverly Hester.

Younger Set Enjoy Party.

On last Wednesday evening the home of Mrs. A. N. Minor was the scene of gathering of the younger set, when Miss Lurline was a charming young hostess. Christmas Bells and holly were used in profusion to decorate the rooms. Music was enjoyed and several vocal numbers rendered by Miss Jewel Minor. Games were played until later in the evening a dessert course and fruits were served to Misses Loraine Murphy, Ruby Armstrong, Alma Robinson, Margaret Robinson, Alma Wingard, Jean Johnson, Sara Luckie, Rita Arant, Lula Mae and Lena Mims, Mary Ellis, and Luther Culpepper, Hershel Gore, John D. Mullins, Ensley Culpepper, Elwyn Gore, Sam Upchurch, Thomas Gragg, Barney Burnett, Julian Evans, William and Moses Simpson.

42 Party Given.

Mrs. McGwains was a charming hostess on last Thursday morning, entertaining a number of friends at a "42" party. The apartments were lavishly decorated with Christmas decorations. Five tables were arranged for the game. After a couple of hours spent playing "42" Mrs. Grady Broadhead and Miss Bessie Thomas cut for the prize, a set of dominoes, and was won by Miss Thomas. A lovely plate luncheon was served at the close of the game to Mesdames, Barney Roberts, R. C. McDavid, R. E. Luckie, V. J. Elmore, Claud Jones, J. C. Jones, M. A. Gore, Clyde Jones, T. H. Neighbors, Jatie Middleton, Watts Moore, John Armstrong, P. D. Wilson, Grady Broadhead, L. C. Ross, Earl Gowan, W. Z. Hodges, Misses Sallye Johnson, Bessie Thomas and Nell Stubblefield..

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Leaves a bad cough. So does "flu" and la grippe. But these lingering coughs yield easily to the healing and curative qualities of

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Every user is a friend

Mrs. McSwain Hostess.

Christmas decorations prevailed in the decoration of the home of Mrs. T. C. McSwain when she was hostess to a number of friends at a Bridge party on last Friday morning. Six tables for the game were arranged, and after a series of games the top score was held by Mrs. Hance Alred, who was presented a deck of cards. At the conclusion of the game a delightful salad course with coffee was served. Included in this courtesy were Mesdames, Alred, Browder, F. Callen, N. S. Johnson, H. Simpson, Bill Lanier, Carrie Mullins, Guy Roberts, J. C. Page, Grady Reynolds, Victor Heard, H. Chandler, Arthur Johnson, L. F. Gerald, Oscar Jones, Hosea Downs, Madelyn and Louise Orr, Lurline Harper, Sallye Duncan, Alee Stewart, Lessie Reynolds, Kathleen Mullins and Bettie Mullins.

Pretty Dinner Party Given.

Entertaining on last Thursday evening Mrs. M. D. Arant proved a charming hostess, when she tendered a lovely 4 course birthday dinner as a "surprise" to her husband and guests. The home was pretty with vases of pink roses while the central table ornament was an embossed cake with "40" pink candles. Covers were laid for the honoree, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Dr. Neighbors, Mr. H. T. Pipes, and Mr. J. R. Mullins.

Mrs. Mallie White Hostess.

The home of Mrs. Mallie White was lovely on last Friday when she was hostess at a spend the day party to the Sewing Club. Christmas decorations prevailed throughout the apartments. A lovely 4 course menu was served. Enjoying the day were Mesdames, Watts Moore, R. E. Luckie, Geo. Polk, M. A. Gore, Clyde Jones, Barney Roberts, P. T. Hinkle, John Armstrong, Messrs. John Armstrong and J. B. Atkinson.

Mrs. Henry Pipes arrived home Thursday after a delightful two weeks visit to her son, Mr. Hoke Pipes and family at Chartottsville, N. C.

Prof. and Mrs. Martin were visitors to Thorsby Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lanier were visitors to Clanton during the holidays.

Mr. Burton Higgins from Montgomery spent Christmas in Clanton.

Mr. Tom Jones of Montgomery was a guest in Clanton last week.

Miss Mary Sue Mullins, who is taking a medical course in New Orleans, returned to her studies Monday night.

An announcement of interest to Clanton people was that of the marriage of Bill Higgins to Miss Lillian Thomas of Blount Springs, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Grady Heflin returned home Thursday from a weeks visit to relatives in Birmingham.

"Hub" Davis, a student of the University of Ala., has returned after a week's stay with his parents here.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson will regret to learn that they left Monday for their new home near Cherokee Bluffs.

Dr. Benedict from Birmingham was a visitor to Clanton Saturday to do some surgical work at the Central Alabama Hospital.

Miss Ruth Moore who is taking a business course at Massey's in Montgomery spent several days with her parents here last week.

Mrs. (Hensdale) Harrison from Mississippi was a visitor to Clanton last week.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton and children spent a few days with friends in Columbiana last week.

Miss Marion Searight has returned to Clanton to resume school work after spending the holidays with relatives in Andalusia.

Mr. Evans Edwards has returned to Auburn to resume school duties after spending the holidays at home.

After spending the holidays with her parents, Mrs. Hugh Jones has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mullins and sons spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis at Verbena.

Mrs. Stanly Hubbard from Verbena was a visitor to Clanton last Wednesday.

Mrs. Virg Cromvell who has been the guest of Mrs. J. Q. Wade, is spending this week in Montgomery.

After a visit to her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson have returned to their home in Selma.

Frank Mullins spent the week-end in Wetumpka.

Emmett McKee spent the holidays with his parents here.

After a weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Holmes in Dothan, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Edwards returned to Clanton last Wednesday.

After spending the holidays with his uncle, Mr. Mallie White and wife, Hubert White has returned to his home in Birmingham.

Rev. P. G. Carter of Mobile spent a few days in Clanton while here undergoing a minor operation at the Central Alabama Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanDerveer and sons, John and Joe, with Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer have returned home from a stay of several days with relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nix from Wilton and daughters, Misses Gladys Mae and Evelyn, were visitors to Clanton during the holidays.

Miss Alma Jones from Birmingham spent the yuletide season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Parrish are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little daughter, whom they have named Helen Evans.

Mr. Jim Middleton was among the visitors to Clanton Christmas day, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Middleton.

Mrs. Chas. Higgins and children from Talladega, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones, last week.

The Sunny South Ministrel from Birmingham put on a very entertaining program at the High School last week. The proceeds went to the Eastern Star.

Mr. R. S. Williams from Cherokee Bluffs was visiting relatives here last week.

Frank Mullins had as his guest last Thursday, Ham Stevens from Howard College.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell have returned from a pleasant visit to relatives in Georgia and North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. George Polk have as their guest the former's mother, Mrs. Polk from Columbiana.

Miss Sara Luckie returned home Sunday from a few days visit to relatives in Montgomery.

Mr. Stonewall Carter has returned to resume school work after spending the yuletude season with relatives in Bradleyton, Ala.

Mr. Wallace Heflin was among the visitors to Clanton last week.

Mr. Cecil Todd from Montgomery was a visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor and Mrs. Bama Cox have returned from a trip to Jackson, Miss.

Mrs. J. W. Gullahorn from Jackson, Ala., visited relatives here last week.

Cecil Armstrong from Cherokee Bluffs visited relatives in Clanton last week.

Mrs. M. R. Lancaster from Birmingham spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and little daughter, Mary Frances, have returned from a visit to Vincent, Ala.

Mrs. Mack Wyatt and children left Sunday for their home in Fort Payne after a stay of several weeks with her parents here.

Mr. John W. Stanfield and son, Wilmer, of Greenville, were visitors to relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mr. Jim Mullins of Birmingham spent the holidays with his parents here.

Ensley Culpepper from Tuscaloosa spent the holidays in Clanton as the guest of Luther Culpepper.

Miss Lessie Reynolds, who is teaching at Lincoln, has gone to resume school work, after spending the yuletide season with her parents here.

Jesse Sam Gowan arrived home Wednesday from Mississippi, where he was the holiday guest of his grand parents.

Edward McMorris, who was the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malie White, has returned to his home in Birmingham.

Frank Mullins left Wednesday for Howard to continue his school career.

Mrs. James Parrish from Birmingham spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. McKee.

Mrs. Earnest Williams from Decatur has returned home after a visit to relatives here.

Rev. Williams from Sheffield was a recent visitor to Clanton.

Mrs. Sallye Kicker has returned home from a visit to her brother, Mr. Dunn and family in Montgomery.

Mrs. W. A. Kemp and Mrs. King were visitors to Montevallo Saturday.

After spending the holiday season with her parents here, Miss Beverly Hester has returned to Birmingham to take charge of her music class.

After a visit to his son, Cecil Baily, Mr. Baily has returned to Rockford.

Mr. L. H. Henderson made a business trip to Montgomery Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Reynolds was a visitor to the Capital City Saturday.

After spending a few days with Mrs N. S. Johnson, Miss Sallye Duncan has returned to Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bailey were visitors to Rockford for the holidays.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT OR SALE—I have 100 acres of very good land which I will sell or rent at a most reasonable price. The timber on the place will pay for the land. I have half interest in a good saw mill located on this trace of land which I will sell with the land. This is a good chance for any man who is willing to work. Anyone interested write or see Wiley M. Bean, Clanton, Ala. 1-3-2tc.

PIANO FOR SALE.—Remington, in good condition. If interested inquire at Union-Banner. 2t pd.

FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on Highway 3 miles south of Clanton. If interested see me at Powell Pressing Co. W. L. Powell. 2t-c.

WANTED—2-horse croper on halves, to work 40 or 50 acres. Pasture furnished for 2 head of cattle. Call on H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, west of L. & N. R. R. 12-20-3t-pd.

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STRAY COW—Yellow and white, but-headed, with bell on, been at my place about three weeks. Owner may get her by paying damages.—J. A. Cleckler, Clanton, Route 8. 12-20-3t-c.

Travel by teachers is encouraged by the board of education of Tulsa, Okla. Every third summer any teacher who spends the vacation time in travel is paid full salary at the same rate per month as in the regular school term.

TO ELECT COUNTY TREASURER

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 8, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a county treasurer for Chilton county. All who wish to make application for this position may file their application for same with the Probate Judge any time before 11 o'clock of this date mentioned.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

Portland Oregonian—Ought to be considered encouragement to Mr. McAdoo in the fact that the crown prince also came back.

How Mothers Friend aids Expectant Mothers at Child-birth

THERE are thousands of expectant mothers who undergo much useless suffering for months before, as well as at the moment when delivery occurs. These months of suffering, with nerves and vital organs weakened, leave their effect upon the child. An eminent physician found the way to stop much of this unnecessary suffering—the same easy way which thousands of mothers have used for three generations.

Mrs. Walter S. Hadley, Bridgeport, Ind., says: "Before my little boy came I was so paralyzed in my hips and limbs I could scarcely walk, and some days after a little extra exertion I couldn't walk a step. I felt coming on this time; in fact, I could hardly get up when I sat down, but now, after using one bottle of Mother's Friend, I am so much better. I feel that I almost owe my life to Mother's Friend."

Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says: "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse, and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used Mother's Friend and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor, because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes."

"Mother's Friend" is applied externally to the abdomen, back and hips. It penetrates remarkably, permitting easier relaxation and distension of muscles, nerves, tissues and ligaments, and their constant easier readjustment during expectancy and at childbirth. Have no more fear or dread, mother! Start using "Mother's Friend" now—the sooner the better.

"Mother's Friend" contains no narcotics or harmful drugs. It is safe. For three generations "Mother's Friend" has relieved expectant mothers of much useless suffering. Mother! you must avoid mere greases and useless substitutes. Begin using "Mother's Friend" today. It is sold at drug stores—everywhere.

FREE BOOKLET ON MOTHERHOOD

Don't let false modesty keep you from this duty to yourself, to your child and to your home. By all means, you should have our valuable illustrated book, sent free. Send for your copy now to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-71, Atlanta, Ga. Get "Mother's Friend" from your druggist today.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

D. D. Easterling, Prop.

MOVING!

I wish to thank my many friends for the nice business given me in the past and especially the increase in 1923. I also wish to state that I will move my Insurance and Machine office January the first into the Walker building, next door to Tom Parrish.
Wishing for one and all a Happy and Successful year for 1924, I am,

Yours most truly,

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Inactive Liver

"I have had trouble with an inactive liver," wrote Mrs. S. Nichols, of 4412 Spencer St., Houston, Texas. "When I would get constipated, I would feel a light, dizzy feeling in my head. To get up in the morning with a lightness in the head and a trembly feeling is often a sign that the stomach is out of order. For this I took *Thedford's Black-Draught*, and without a doubt can say I have never found its equal in any liver medicine. It not only cleans the liver, but leaves you in such a good condition. I have used it a long time, when food does not seem to set well, or the stomach is a little sour."

If it isn't **Thedford's** it isn't **BLACK-DRAUGHT** Liver Medicine.

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DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX BY FEB. 1.

EARLY ACTION ON SHOALS EXPECTED

House Committee Will Meet Tuesday To Discuss Project.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Prompt action by Congress to sell the government's nitrate and power project at Muscle Shoals, Ala., was forecast Saturday night when it was announced that the House military affairs committee will meet next Tuesday to consider the offer of Henry Ford for the property.

The majority of the committee interprets President Coolidge's remarks with respect to Muscle Shoals in his annual message to Congress as constituting a virtual endorsement of the Ford offer, although the Detroit automobile manufacturer has been waging an unsuciessful campaign in and out of Congress for more than a year to obtain control of the property.

The committee has under consideration a bill by Representative McKenzie, Republican, of Tennessee, providing for the sale of the Muscle Shoals power plants to Ford, and it is expected that arrangements will be made to hold public hearings on the McKenzie bill beginning Jan. 16. This will mean the opening up of the whole Muscle Shoals question.

The committee will consider also the proposal by Congressman Madden that the government use the $3,500,000 obtained from the Alabama Power Company for the Gorgas steam plant, formerly one of the units of the Muscle Shoals plant, in construction of a new steam power plant at Muscle Shoals to restore the project to the condition in which it was when Ford made his offer.

It is expected by members of the committee that other offers for the Muscle Shoals plant in whole or part, will be received by the government after the legislation has been taken up in committee. For some time there have been reports that the Alabama Power Company is to submit a bid for the entire plant under terms that may prove more attractive to the committee.

Congressman McKenzie said such bids would be welcomed and given careful consideration by the committee.

"I am not wedded to the Ford offer," he continued. "I went the government to get rid of Muscle Shoals plant on the best terms and conditions possible, but the government should get rid of these plants to stop their drain on the treasury. The plants should be put to good use and electric power should be made available. I will support the best offer the government receives and I have heard there are to be other offers than that made by Mr. Ford."

W. M. U. MEET

Circles 3 and 4 of the Womans Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will meet jointly at the home of Mrs. J. E. Gowan Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Circle 4 will render an interesting program on Missions in Mexico.

J. E. BUZBEE GETS JASPER POSITION

Pres. Coolidge Disregards Bankhead In Naming Street Supporter For Postmastership.

Washington, Jan. 8.—President Coolidge sent to the Senate Monday the nomination of John E. Buzbee to be postmaster at Jasper, Ala., in place of Mrs. N. S. Coleman, whose commission expired Dec. 28, 1923.

Buzbee had the endorsement of the Street Republican faction in Alabama, who brought strong pressure upon the powers that be at Washington to appoint him.

Congressman Bankhead went to the Postoffice Department and urged the retention of Mrs. Coleman, but the officials frankly informed him that the pressure was so great by the Republican organization in Alabama that they would have to make a change in postmasters.

Buzbee has been active in connection with Street faction politics and gets an office with a good salary attachment. Mrs. Coleman is the widow of one of Jasper's ablest and most prominent lawyers.

This was the only instance in which Congressman Bankhead went to the department in the interest of any postmaster in his district included in the presidential class.

PROF. PEGUES RESIGNS AS HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Prof. Ira Pegues, who has been at the head of the Chilton County High School for the past five months, last week tendered his resignation as principal to the County Board of Education, and his resignation was accepted by the board. No one has as yet been appointed to take his place, but Prof. Peterson, first assistant of the school, is supervising it temporarily.

Prof. Pegues was here the latter part of last week winding up his business and has now gone to his home in Jackson County.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT COURT HOUSE

Rev. Walter M. Crawford of Omaha, Nerbaska, Soverign Auditor for the Woodmen of the World, will make an address on Woodcraft at the court house in Clanton on Monday night, January 14th at 8:00 o'clock. This will be a public meeting and everybody, ladies, gentlemen and children, have a cordial invitation to attend.

DATE SET FOR CONTEST

It is announced that the attroneys for both C. D. Measer and L. H. Reynolds in the contest case for the probate judgeship of Chilton county have agreed on the date for the beginning of the investigation, which date is the first Monday in February, 4th. The date was first set for January 7th, but at the request of Measer's attorneys, the date was postponed.

M. B. O. Blow, a pomising young Republican of Beat 9, was in Clanton Wednesday to pay his first poll tax. All the other young men of our county of voting age who have not already paid their poll tax should follow the example of Mr. Blow and attend to this important matter before the time expires February 1st. Mr. Blow has not yet registered but he is paying his poll tax now so that after he qualities with the Board of Registrars he will be a legal voter.

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1924 YEAR BOOK

One thousand of them have just come off the press and are now ready for distribution. If you got one of the 1923 issues you know what to expect; if you did not, come and get one of these and see what it contains for you.

If you can't come to Clanton soon and want us to mail you one of these books, send us a two-cent stamp and a copy will be immediately forthcoming.

Remember, They Are Absolutely Free.

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FEDERAL MARSHAL FINISHES SHAKE-UP

Deputy J. A. Wall Released and is Succeeded by J. Sherman Johnson of Andalusia

United States Deputy Marshal J. A. Wall who has served the middle district office of the government marshal since July, 1914 will be succeeded by J. Sherman Johnson of Andalusia under the reorganization of personnel of the force under the adminstration of Marshal Douglas Smith, it was announced Saturday.

R. R. Covington, of Troy will be succeeded by J. W. Daughtry of Hartford who will in the future operate from Dothan. Appointment of a successor to Deputy Covington completes reorganization of the field department at Andalusia leaving only one deputy, A. J. Gibson to operate in Montgomery. Mr. Smith stated should he find one deputy insufficient for needs of the local office he would apply for additional men to the Washington office.

Deputy Wall is one of the most widly known men in this section of the state, he having been prominently identified in narcotic work of Federal forces and in serving civil papers durnig his tenure in office. He was also a prominent figure in raids conducted by Federal forces several years ago, or up until the period when criminal work was eliminated from his duties.

BANKER A. T. RUDDER DIES IN MONTGOMERY

The announcement of the death of Mr. A. T. Rudder, cashier of the Marbury Savings Bank, which occurred in a Montgomery hospital Sunday was a heavy shock to the many friends of the man and the bank who cover a large territory in this section. Mr. Rudder has been very active in business in Marbury for the past several years and was a man whom everybody enjoyed associating with and doing business with. He was, we are sure, the leading figure in the progress of the little town of Marbury, he having taken a very active interest in the affairs of the town and especially in its educational advancement. The Marbury-Mt. Creek high school, which is a very healthy and going institution was made so in a great part by the efforts of this noble Christian man. The place vacated by the death of Mr. Rudder will be a diffiqult one to fill.

It is reported that the death of Mr. Rudder has been such a sudden shock to the Marbury Savings Bank that that institution will almost be compelled to suspend business. However, we hope this report is untrue and that someone can be obtained to fill the vacancy, as the suspension of the bank will be quite a back-set to the thriving little city. It is indeed regrettable that the All-Wise saw fit in His wisdom to call this useful figure from the walks of men.

PASTOR McLENNAN PREACHING

Pastor Walter P. McLennan of Birmingham, who has been preaching at the Seventh-day Adventists tabernacle in Clanton every night for the past week, announces that he will continue to preach every night at 7 o'clock during the remainder of his week ann very likely all next week. Pastor McLennan is preaching some wonderful sermons that are worth everyone's trouble in going and hearing.

CHURCH NOTICE

The first quarterly conference of Clanton Circuit, M. P. Church, will be held at Cedar Grove 3rd Saturday, Jan. 19th, instead of the 4th Saturday. In order to meet the visit of the President, Rev. W. G. McDanial, all officials take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

G. B. GOLDEN, Pastor.

Dr. V. J. Gragg, who has been sick for the past few weeks, is now able to be at his office again. It is hoped that the doctor continues to improve until he is completely well.

Mr. W. J. Headley of Pinedale was in town Wednesday.

ALABAMA FARMS WILL GET POWER

A Far-Reaching Agreement Is Arranged By Auburn And Corporation.

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 5.—Definite arrangements have been completed between the Alabama Polytechnic Institute and the Alabama Power Company whereby research work of a more comprehensive nature than ever before attempted will be conducted to find practical means and methods of supplying Southern farmers with hydro-electricity, according to announcement made Saturday by President Spright Dowell. Sufficient funds have been appropriated by the Alabama Power Company to cover the cost of experiments over a three year period, during which research work in electrifying agreculturei will be done and practical studies will be made on farms located in different sections of Alabama.

Discussion and consideration of this project have been in progress for some time and, now that the agreement has been signed, actual work will begin immediately.

As explained by Dr. Dowell, the Alabama Power Company will furnish electrical engineers, who will work in co-operation with agricultural engineers of the experiment station. They will determine how electric power may be delivered to the farms of Alabama, and utilized in farm homes and in farming operations to provide the same benefits enjoyed by city dwellers.

BETHANY DOINGS

As I haven't seen any news from this place in quite a while, decided I would write a few items.

We are sorry to say that Mr. A. W. Bone is on the sick list. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. M. M. Gray spent Monday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Gray.

Mrs. John Hester visited Mrs. Georgia Jones Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone and little daughters, Louise and Laverne, spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Miss Mary Gray visited her sister, Mrs. A. W. Bone Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray and family spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Jacks.

Mrs. Jim Terrell and children from Coosa spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pressley.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Jacks spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gray spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Misses Mary Huett, Jewel Deloach and Maggie Boockholdt were the dinner guests of Miss Eunice Jones Sunday.

Misses Jewel Deloach, Eunice Jones and Mary Huett spent a few hours with Miss Mary Gray Sunday afternoon.

Little Louise Bone spent Sunday night with her grand father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes visited Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gray Sunday night.

Come on Bethsalem and Hampton and let us hear all the news.

Well, we will close. Will let you hear from us again next week.

CHILTON PRODUCES 8,059 BALES TO DECEMBER 13

The Department of Commerce, through the Bureau of Census, announces the preliminary report on cotton ginned in Alabama for the crop of 1923 up to December 13th. This report gives Chilton County a total of 8,059 bales, as against 11,795 bales up to the same date last year. The total for Alabama this year was 591,401 and 812,088 up to the same date in 1922.

In the early part of the ginning season it was estimated that Chilton County's crop would be around 6,000 but it went above this mark a little better than two thousand.

COMMISSIONERS COURT IN SESSION

Important Modifications Made To New Chilton County Road Law.

The Commissioners Court of Chilton county was in session at the court house Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. This was a special session for the purpose of considering the road working law of Chilton county. Following is a digest of the most important things passed upon by the court:

No truck or wagon will be permitted to haul a load over 10,000 pounds, including the vehicle, over the public roads of Chilton county.

No person can haul lumber, timber, cordwood, crossties, logs or ore over the public roads of Chilton county within twenty-four hours after a rain of twenty minutes from the 1st day of May to the 1st day of December, and thirty-six hours after a like rain from the 1st day of December to the first day of May. All other vehicles are prohibited from carrying over 800 pounds during said time.

There will be appointed one road supervisor for each voting precinct in Chilton county.

There is a license on all trucks which will be delinquent after the 1st day of February. All persons subject to road duty can pay the probate judge $5.50 on or before the 1st day of March which will exempt them from road work for the year.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

The probate judge of Chilton county has filed with The Union-Banner the semi-annual report of the county treasurer of Chilton county. The report reached us a little too late to be published this week but will be carried next week.

HAND-REYNOLDS TRIAL AT COURT HOUSE SATURDAY

At the trial of Mr. Tom Hand vs. Judge L. H. Reynolds on the charge of affray, held at the Court House last Saturday, Judge Reynolds was found not guilty. The trial was held at the court house by the Mayor's Court of Clanton. Dr. V. J. Gragg, Mayor of Clanton, being sick and unable to be out, Mr. J. B. Atkinson presided over the trial. The trial opened about 10 o'clock in the morning and was not finished until after noon about 2:30 o'clock. There were a number of people present from several precincts of the county, and everybody seemed to be pleased with the disposition of the case.

PLEASANT HILL

Remember next Saturday and Sunday there will be preaching at this place by Rev. Pope Hail and also singing in the afternoon. Everybody come.

I am glad to say we had a wonderful Christmas. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. We had several entertainments in our homes. Everything went off nicely.

Onnie Martin, Colonel Blow, Willie Martin, Jadie Samons, Miss Virgie Cost, Luria Samons and several ohters visited Miss Sophia Martin Sunday.

Colonel Blow left Monday for Cherokee Bluffs.

A READER.

Don't forget to pay your Poll Tax by February 1st.

DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX BY FEB. 1.

AUTOMOBILES SHOW GREAT INCREASE IN ALABAMA SINCE 1914

Latest Record Gives State 126,642 Cars With Annual Revenue of $1,532,614; 8,078 Ten Years Ago.

From 1914 to the close of the fiscal year on September 30, 1923 the number of automobiles owned and operated in Alabama increased from 8,078 to 126,642. In like proportion automobile revenue to the state increased from $68,010 in 1914 to $1,532,614.

These figures showing the remarkable increase in the number of automobiles owned by Alabamians, over a period of a comparatively short space of time, and the tremendous increase in the state's revenues from this source, were recently compiled by State Tax Commissioner Frank C. Marquis.

Already, Commissioner Marquis stated over 160,000 motor vehicle license tags have been issued in Alabama for 1924 and in anticipation of a further increased demand, enough tags have been ordered from the manufacturer to date, for 200,000 cars. The figures for 1923 alone would indicate that there is one automobile in Alabama to every 10 adult citizens.

Since 1920 it is pointed out, receipts from the issuance of automobile license tags have gone for the retirement of state highway improvement bonds, except for the percentage provided for the county or incorporated city.

Commissioner Marquis estimates that from 1920 up to and including 1923, the cost of operation of the automobile tax division of the state tax commission, is about 2 per cent of the revenue realized.

MORE SIDEWALKS TO BE BUILT IN CLANTON

Work begins today on the paving of all the sidewalks on both sides of Seventh Street between First Avenue at the post office and Fourth Avenue at Maddox's warehouse. Mr. C. B. Cox has the contract to do the work. This improvement will add materially to the appearance as well as usefulness of this street.

The date for paying poll tax is drawing near the close. February 1st is the last day. If you have not paid or know anyone who has not you should get busy and attend to it while you have the opportunity. Everybody regardless of political inelination should pay their poll tax. No one should be satisfied to live in this geat country of ours without exercising their inalienable right as a citizen of this commonwealth. Pay you poll tax now.

Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, principal of the Verbena High School, was in Clanton Monday afternoon. Prof. Sutton is a hustler and is making a good showing of the Verbena school.

Mr. F. H. Vinzant of Jemison Route 4 was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday of this week.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Bank	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

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SHEPHERD NAMED

Tuscaloosa Automobile Dealer Is Appointed To Board of Revenue.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., January 5.—Joe H. Shepherd, local automobile dealer, and one of the most prominent and best known of Tuscaloosa's citizens, was Wednesday named by Governor Brandon to fill the unexpired term of John C. Shamblin on the county board of revenue, following Mr. Shamblin's resignation Jan. 1. The choice of Mr. Shepherd by the governor is receiving general commendation throughout Tuscaloosa, because of his known interest in the development of the county and especially in good roads for the county.

Mr. Shepherd has been in Tuscaloosa for a number of years, having enterad the wholesale grocery business here in 1910, and later acquiring extensive coal mining interests. In 1918 he disposed of all his interests here and became district sales manager for the Lewis-Hall Iron Works of Detroit, with a territory of 14 Southern and Western states. As the firm with which he was associated made a specialty of building steel bridges and heavy road machinery, Mr. Shepherd made quite an extensive study of road building and the economic maintenance of roads, which knowledge is expected to result in much good to Tuscaloosa County through his appointment to the board of revenue.

Mr. R. L. Wells of Route 2 was a visitor to Clanton Monday. While here he paid a visit to The Union-Banner. We were glad to see him.

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

The state highway department will advertise for bids on another link of the paved highways which is to connect Birmingham with Montgomery before the expiration of the month of January, according to information. The new section will be in Chilton county, and will extend half way across that county, from the Shelby county line to Lomax, a distance of 17 miles. The entire distance through Chilton county was considered too much to be handled as a single project, being 34 miles, and was divided into two sections, to be handled as separate projects.

Rabbits have been scarce in the market at Huntsville all this season and people in the country declare that there are not many of the little animals to be seen. Some of them claim that the rabbits were almost exterminated during the summer by the profuse use of calcium arsenate and other poisons that were spread in the cotton fields to exterminate the boll weevil and cotton caterpillars and that the poisons got on other vegetation as well as cotton, the rabbits ate it and died. Whether or not this is the explanation, very few rabbits are being seen this season, it is declared.

Held in the Tuscaloosa county jail charged with the killing of an unidentified girl, whose body was found in a burned negro church about four miles from Tuscaloosa on the Watermelon road, Alf Winchester has been indicted by the federal grand jury on three charges of violation of the federal narcotic laws. One charges the selling of narcotics, another dealing in narcotics and the third charges having narcotics in his possession. The indictments came following investigations by the grand jury and it is said they were based upon information supplied by three named persons.

R. B. Pinson, a 72-year-old farmer, who lives on the Eulaton pike a few miles west of Anniston, has demonstrated conclusively that farming can be made profitable in this section by clearing from a small farm $259.60 with an outgo of less than $10. Mr. Pinson had on his credit at a local bank on the first day of the year that amount of money from his 1923 operations, besides 50 bushels of corn, two and one-half tons of hay, 90 dozen bundles of oats and a large number of chickens and plenty of produce about his home.

The state board of agriculture has adopted uniform grades, the same as those applied to by the federal government, for cabbage, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes and peaches, effective Feb. 2, and adopted tentative grades for strawberries. The board will meet Jan. 28 at Mobile, that city being selected for the meeting owing to the large trucking industry in its vicinity. The board on this occasion will make a survey of the satsuma, potato and cabbage areas of Mobile and Baldwin counties.

The Curry community, 10 miles north of Jasper, is a fast growing section of that part of the state. The new Curry consolidated high school was one of the first in north Alabama. This school would be a credit to any of the county high schools in the state. One of the features of this school is the vocational training, consisting of real farming, which provides practical agricultural experience. The Curry district is composed of seven large school districts, being the largest district in the state.

The Oak City Furniture factory, with a capitalization of $25,000, Tuscaloosa's newest manufacturing enterprise, has just started operation and commenced making porch swings at the rate of 150 to 200 per day. Eight thousand are to be manufactured in the present lot and this will keep the plant busy for some time. The output of manufactured goods will be gradually increased, according to the demands and will be shipped to all parts of the country.

The annual meeting of the Cleburne Farm Bureau will be held ta the courthouse in Heflin Saturday morning, Jan. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCurdy, who recently celebrated the sixty-ninth anniversary of their wedding, have moved to Anniston with their daughters. He is 92 and she is 91.

Hearings on the general citation issued by the Alabama public service commission to all carriers on fertilizer rates will be held at Montgomery January 14.

Mr. R. T. Grant of Cooper was here Saturday attending to some business matters.

FARMERS ARE BUYING FERTILIZER EARLIER

Advantages of Co-operative Buying in Advance of Needs And Mixing at Home Are Declared by Auburn Workers.

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 7.—Acting upon the recommendations made by Farm Bureau officials and the county demonstration agents, Alabama farmers are securing their spring supply of fertilizer earlier than usual this year, according to information reaching Auburn from several counties. Before the holidays a cargo of nitrate of soda was received by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation and carloads scattered to many sections of the State. This is regarded as the beginning of the fertilizer shiping season, which will continue several weeks.

Early buying of fertilizer on the co-operative plan has a large number of advantages, in the opinion of representatives of the Agricultural College here. By having it arrive at this season of the year work in receiving and hauling it out does not interfere with regular farm work as much as it will if received later. If all ingredients are on hand it may be mixed and made ready before it is needed next spring.

By buying fertilizer co-operatively there is a direct saving of several dollars per ton, and a much larger indirect saving in the form of larger yields.

During the last few years buying of fertilizer on the co-operative plan has increased by leaps and bounds in Alabama. Indications are that 100,000 tons will be bought in this way this year. It is being handled by the State and County Farm Bureaus.

PEOPLES TELEPHONE CO. OPERATOR CONTRACT

State of Alabama Chilton County.

This contract made and intered into this the 1st day of January,1924, by and between the Peoples Telephone Company, inc., hereinafter refered to as the company, and G. W. Culp hereinafter refered to as the operator, witnesseth.,

1. That the Operator hereby agrees to operate and maintain the Central Office, and all lines, now owned by said Company, inside of the incorporated limits of the city of Clanton, Alabama, to build all new lines and maintain same. In consideratoin of the above the Company agrees to pay said Operator $100.00 per month, and furthur agrees to pay the rent of the house, in which the Central office is now located, also to furnish two tons of coal per year.

2. The company also agrees to furnish all necessary material for repairing and maintaining of said Central office, including the telephone lines within the corporate limits of the town of Clanton, Alabama, and the company further agrees when the necessity arises for the removing or replacing heavy telephone poles, within said incorporate limits, that said company will furnish all necessary help to erect the same to said operator.

3. Said operator agrees to operate the Central office and to maintain same, and to render Central service promptly when called; further and to allow no one Central service after Jan. 15th, 1924, unless the party calling has paid Post right and Central fees, inside the Corporate limits of the town of Clanton. Operator further agrees to make the proper reports to the President of said company; and further to requisition to said President of said Company for all actual necessary material for the upkeep and maintenance of said Central office and Telephone lines of said company, within the incorporate limits of the town of Clanton, Alabama.

4. Operator further agrees to investigate all complaints made relative to the service of said Central office and lines, within said city limits, and to trace the same out, including making any necessary repairs, either at said Central office, or on said lines, within said city limits. Further, Operator agrees that in the case of any complaint in the nature of trouble with said Telephones, or lines out side of corporate limits of the city of Clanton, Ala., that he shall at once call up the Director of said Line and give him notice of said trouble on said line, together with the nature of said complaint, outside of the corporate limits of the city of Clanton, Alabama.

5. It is further agreed by and between the Company and the operator, that should the operator fail to carry out this contract, or any part of same, hereinbefore mentioned, including the maintenance and operation of said company's office and lines; and upon ten days notice given said operator by said President of said Telephone Company, said operator agrees to vacate said house, where said Central office is located, together with Central office and all equipment, and turn the same over to the President of said Peoples Telephone Company, within the above mentioned ten day's time after notice.

Signed in duplicate, this the 1st day of January, 1924.

W. W. FOX, President.
G. W. CULP, Operator.

Witness:
G. C. ARMSTRONG.

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS AT ONE WITH FORD

Washington, Jan. 7.—Replying to the remark of a prominent Democrat that Henry Ford can not carry all his admirers into the ranks of the Coolidge supporters, the Republican Publicity Association, through its president, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., says that "this is undoubtedly true, but the same line of reasoning which carried Ford into the Coolidge ranks will carry his admirers also.

"Probably there are not over a thousand voters in the United States who would vote for Coolidge just because Ford is going to vote for Coolidge. But there are hundreds of thousands who will vote for Coolidge because they have reached exactly the same conclusion that Ford reached—that Coolidge is trying to do what is right and that the country will be safe under his leadership.

"While we have had misfortune in some places, there was never a time in our history when a larger proportion of our people were prosperous and happy. Why change?

"That is the question Ford asked and it is the question hundreds of thousands of others are asking. Others were asking it before Ford did, but because of his fame as an automobile manufacturer, his statement of the question received wide publicity.

"The people of the country will not vote for a change unless someone shows them a good reason for a change. No one has undertaken to do that yet. No one undertakes to show in what respect the country would be better off under the leadership of any one else."

"My Rheumatism is gone—"

"THERE are thousands of you men and women, just like I once was—slaves to rheumatism, muscle pains, joint pains, and horrible stiffness. I had the wrong idea about rheumatism for years. I didn't realize that increasing blood-cells had the effect of completely knocking out rheumatic impurities from the system. That is why I began using S. S. S.! Today I have the strength I used to have years ago! I don't use my crutches any more." S. S. S. makes people talk about themselves the way it builds up their strength. Start S. S. S. today for that rheumatism. You'll feel the difference shortly.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

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Practice limited to diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses.
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MANAGER

JEMISON, ALA.

Mrs. Housewife! Do You Favor Food Law Enforcement?

You appreciate the vital importance of pure and fresh drugs—drugs that are prepared and packed under fixed government regulations.

How about foods? Aren't they just as important? Take baking powder, for instance—it is useful only when it produces its maximum of leavening strength in the breadstuffs—bakings that are easily digested, which in turn aid towards perfect health. Lack of leavening strength means flat and soggy bakings which are surely indigestible.

The pure food laws of our country have standardized baking powder—they require that it contain 12% leavening gas at the time of sale to the consumer. Why is it that these laws have not been applied to baking powder mixed with flour and sold in sacks as self rising flour?

Thousands of barrels of self rising flour are annually sold in our southern states without any regulation by pure food measures, except in Texas.

Any grade of flour and any quality or strength of baking powder can be used in making self rising flour and sold to the unthinking public without official criticism.

Numerous baking and laboratory experiments have been conducted by state chemists and other investigators. They found a surprising amount of this mixed flour to be so deteriorated as to be productive only of heavy, soggy bakings.

Do you want to eat foods made from self rising flours that do not contain the necessary leavening strength—foods that are hard to digest and a detriment to health? Do you want the law to protect you in this instance as it protects the user of medicine? It is for you and others interested in public health to decide.

Remember Calumet Baking Powder meets every requirement of the law—that it retains its great leavening strength to the last spoonful.

Packed in tin—keeps the strength in.

POOR OR

STATEMENTS REGARDING MR. KENDRICK

Mr. W. H. Kendrick, who we understand has recently resigned the position as night police of Clanton, hands us a couple of statements from men who knew him before he came to Clanton, which we gladly give space to. We hope that our readers and the public in general will read these statements and take them for what they are worth. No one in Clanton, we are sure, wishes to unjustly accuse Mr. Kendrick, and we hope by the publication of these letters that the matter may be somewhat cleared up and justice may be brought to bear on all concerned:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I have known and been acquainted with W. H. Kendrick, the bearer hereof, for a period of Twenty-five years; that during my Term of office as Judge of Probate of Elmore County, Alabama, Mr. Kendrick had charge of one of the road working outfits; that during said term the said Kendrick handled at least $40,000.00 of the County's money without bond and made a perfect report on same; that his work for the county was most satisfactory; that he was honest with the county, prompt, industrious and efficient in his duties as such Road Foreman; that he held the office of Registrar of Elmore County, Alabama, for a period of 8 years, in which said office he proved himself to be an honest, upright and just citizen and proved himself worthy of every honor that had been bestowed upon him.

It gives me great pleasure to recommend him to any person, firm or corporation who desires to employ an honest, industrious, energetic and upright Christian gentleman, who at all times will give to his employee the best that is in him.

Respectfully submitted,
M. D. STILL.
Ex-Probate Judge, Elmore Co.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to say that I have known Mr. W. H. Kendrick for 25 years, much of that time intimately associated with him. It is my pleasure to say that he is a gentleman in every respect. His truth and honor are above suspicion, and he is a good citizen from every standpoint. A loyal Sunday School worker, a man who stands for morality and uprightness, personally and for the community. He is always found supporting a moral and uplifting cause. He will be a valuable acquisition to any community.

Yours truly,
G. H. HOWARD.
Probate Judge, Elmore Co.

RIDERSVILLE DOTS

Everybody is hugging the fires and wishing for a little warm weather. Some people are hard to please.

The community witnesed an awful wreck Saturday night, when the freight train No. 51 was derailed at Martin's Creek trestle. Mr. Scott Welch was the engineer. No one was hurt, except by the cold wind.

Everybody is asked to come to Sunday school next Sunday and start the year right.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Maness have returned to their home at Lawley, after spending the week-end with Mrs. Maness' mother, Mrs. W. F. Reynolds.

Mrs. Edwards and two children and Mr. Chester Nichols of Perry County were visitos of Mrs. S. Osburn last week-end.

Miss Lottie Johnson spent the night with Mrs. Joe Hethcox.

Mrs. Dewey Prestly and baby LeRoy, are visiting Mrs. Prestly's mother, Mrs. J. P. Milstead.

Mrs. J. A. Hand of Polas has returned to her home after a visit with relatives here.

Several enjoyed a "Buck" dance given by Mr. Shelly Barnes Monday afternoon in Mrs. Will Smithers' home. Mr. Kelley played for them.

NOTICE

All post right and all central dues must be paid on or before Jan. 15th, 1924. Post right fee is $2.40 per line; central dues for each phone is $2.50. In order for you as a patron of the Peoples Telephone Co., to get central service after Jan. 15th, 1924, your post right and central dues must be paid. Remember you can not pay central fees until you have paid your post right fees and have a receipt showing that the post right has been paid.

G. C. ARMSTRONG,
Sec'y.-Treas.
W. W. FOX,
President Peoples Tel. Co.

Charter No. 11,515. Reserve District No. 6.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT CLANTON, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1923.

RESOURCES.

1.(a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$363,456.00	
Total Loans		$363,456.00
2.Overdrafts, secured none, unsecured $383.02		383.02
4.U. S. Government Securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 30,000.00	
Total		30,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		**26,220.90**
6.Furniture and Fixtures		2,565.78
8.Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		23,035.18
10.Cash in vault and amt. due from National Banks		176,564.89
11.Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, and 10)		7,602.94
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	$184,167.83	
15.Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,500.00
16.Other assets, if any		229.17
Total		$631,557.88

LIABILITIES.

17.Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
18.Surplus fund		10,000.00
19.Undivided Profits	$ 18,939.04	
(c) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,433.11	12,505.93
20.Circulating notes outstanding		30,000.00
23.Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		2,100.06
25.Cashier's checks outstanding		7,609.17
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	$ 9,709.23	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26.Individual deposits subject to check		408,069.63
27.Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		18,363.55
28.State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		5,628.74
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	$432,061.92	
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32.Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		87,280.80
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$ 87,280.80	
Total		$631,557.88

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF CHILTON, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1924.
J. B. ATKINSON,
Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
D. I. DERAMUS, Jr.,
G. C. WALKER,
E. E. UPCHURCH.
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Bank of Maplesville

located at Maplesville, Ala., at the close of business Dec. 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

1. Loans and Discounts		$ 49,335.64
2. Overdrafts		19.47
5. Banking House		600.00
6. Furniture and Fixtures		1,351.56
8. Cash—		
(a) Currency	$ 3,643.00	
(b) Gold	295.00	
(c) Silver, Nickels and Pennies	398.58	
Total		$ 4,336.58
9. Due from Banks		11,319.62
12. Checks and Cash Items		122.00
14. Other Resources		227.71
Total		$ 67,412.58

LIABILITIES:

1. Capital Stock Paid in		$ 10,000.00
2. Surplus Fund		1,700.00
3. Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		1,562.92
5. Demand Deposits—		
(a) Individual Deposits	$ 46,613.57	
(f) Cashier's Checks	33.00	
Total		$ 46,646.57
6. Time Deposits—		
(b) Time Certificates	$ 2,501.08	
Total		$ 2,501.08
8. Notes and Bills Rediscounted		5,000.00
10. Other Liabilities		2.01
Total		$ 67,412.58

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came W. W. Brooks, Cashier of Bank of Maplesville, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

W. W. BROOKS,
Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of January, 1924.
MRS. W. D. BROOKS,
Notary Public.

ATTEST:
J. W. FOSHEE,
F. H. BROWN,
H. M. NIX,
Directors.

Crushing Machine

I wish to state that I now have my Crushing Machine in operation. I am prepared to crush corn, velvet beans, cotton seed, or anything in the way of feed. I am located one mile north of New Salem Church. Crushing done on Wednesdays.

E. L. BURNETT

CLANTON, ALA., ROUTE 4

Temerson's Mid Winter Clearance Temerson's

Starts Saturday, January 12th — SALE — and will Run for 10 Days

During this sale we expect to clear our shelves of all Winter merchandise at prices far below market value, in order to make room for our Spring and Summer goods which will soon be coming in. Below we mention a few prices:

1 lot Men's good Sox	10c
Good quality Domestic, 36-in. wide, 10 yards for	$1.00
Best quality Cheviot Shirting, worth 25c yd., sale price	16c
Men's Dress Shirts, regular $1.50, sale	79c
Good Curtain Scrim	10c
Men's Wool Shirts, reg. $2.50 to $3.00	$1.79
Men's good Work Shoes, solid leather	$1.98
Men's Dress Shoes, regular $4.00 to $4.50 value	$2.98
Men's Blue Shirts, the $1.00 kind	69c
Men's good Hats, well worth $2.00, Sale price	$1.29
Men's Hats, regular $4.50 to $5.00, Sale price	$2.49
Men's Ties, regular 75c values	49c
1 lot good Dress Gingham, while it lasts, per yard	12½c
1 lot Men's Pants, all-wool	$2.94
Ladies, Black Kid Shoes, very special	$1.98
Boys' Corduroy Pants, regular $1.50	98c
Men's good Handkerchiefs	4c
1 lot Ladies Silk Hose, the celebrated Burson Brand, in several colors, regular $1.50 values	69c
1 lot Outing, while it lasts	12½c
Men's Dress Caps, regular $1.50 value	98c
Boys' Caps, regular $1.00 value	49c
The best quality Outing, extra heavy, while it lasts, regular 25c value, sale	16½c
Ladies' new Fall Serge Dresses, worth $10.00, Sale price	$3.98
Ladies' Coat Suits, well worth $18.00 to $20.00, Sale price	$9.45
Ladies' Long Coats, regular $12.50 values, Sale price	$4.95
Quilt Bundles	45c
Men's Silk Hose, regular 75c values	44c
Children's Silk and Wool Sox, 3-4 length, regular 75c values, Sale	39c
Big Reduction on Ladies', Men's and Children's Sweaters.	
Men's heavy ribbed Shirts and Drawers	79c
Ladies' ribbed Vests and Pants	49c

Remember this is new and seasonable merchandise we are offering you at these very low prices. Don't fail to take advantage of this Mid-Winter Sale. Don't forget the date.

SALE STARTS SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, AND WILL RUN FOR 10 DAYS ONLY.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

Some people have got the idea into their heads that The Union-Banner has joined forces with the lawless element of Clanton and that we have decided to do our bit toward hindering the enforcement of the laws of our city and county. We wish to say here and now that a careful retrospective glance over the past record of this paper regarding the subject in mention will show how we have always stood on the matter and also how we intend to stand on it in the future. We know that the laws of our city, county, state and nation are statutes that are as sacred to the hearts of American citizens as are our own birthrights, and that all good citizens should abide by these laws and that all others should not be allowed to ignore them. If the time should ever come (and we don't want to be here when it does come) when those who want to trample the laws under their feet get the upper hand of the country, we will in a very short period of time go down into the ghastly pits of eternal hell. So, we stand now as we have always stood, regardless of the opinion of any officer, citizen, man or beast, squarely behind law enforcement, allegiance to the American Flag, cleaner politics, better government, better schools and a better country in general. And so long as we are permitted to retain our present thinking facilities and the opportunity to speak we will be found everlastingly hammering behind these propositions and doing our utmost to keep them hoisted above the range of the missiles of the contriving adversary. The thing we advocate and contend for is simply a square deal for everybody regardless of who it is. If a slum violates the law and a noble violates the law feed them both out of the same spoon. This is our contention heretofore, now and forever hereafter.

COLD WEATHER SAID TO BE GREAT HELP TO FARMERS

In the estimation of the State Department of Agriculture the recent extreme cold snap visited upon the South has meant an enormous benefit to the farmers of this section of the country. It is said by that department that the wholesale destruction of boll weevils by the cold will net the farmers thousands of dollars in the way of protection to their cotton this coming season.

Saturday and Sunday the thermometer flirted down close to zero, which is said to have been the coldest weather since 1899. The government weather bureau at Birmingham issued the statement that the temperature of that city dropped even lower than it did during the extreme cold waive in the winter of 1918.

It was a common sight the first of this week to see Fords and automobiles frozen up until they had to be pulled off to be cranked, and numbers of them were frozen so badly until radiators and even several engines were severely injured.

The plumbers of Clanton have been doing a rushing business in Clanton since the water pipes began to thaw. Many of them were badly frozen and burst up where the water was not drained out before it got so cold.

The weather was kindly pinching and the cold wind was rather unpleasant, but we are glad to have a cold snap once in a while as after it is over general health conditions are better and everybody feels rejuvenated and more anxious to go about their daily tasks.

WORTH YOUR ATTENTION

We are publishing this week under the heading "A Wonderful Sermon" a condensed treatise of the sermon preached by Pastor W. P. McLennan of Birmingham at the Seventh-Day Adventists tabernacle in Clanton. In this day of anxiety and general unrest among all peoples it would not be amiss for us to drop a thought or two along the lines of this sermon. The subject: "Is the World Getting Better?" is one that is continually on the minds of people. We all want to hope that it is getting better, but as Col. Graves puts it, "We had better be truthful pessimists than optimistic liars." Read the sermon.

Delinquency in studies decreased 60 per cent last year at Lawrence College, Appleton, Wis. It is believed by the college authorities that the improvement was largely the result of freshman courses in how to study.

MR. KENDRICK NOT ON AS NIGHT POLICEMAN

In publishing the article which we did last week about Mr. W. H. Kendrick and the Town of Clanton, we did it under the impression that the above named party had been retained on the position as night police of Clanton after he was tried in Mayor's court last Saturday, Dec. 29th. Since that time, we have learned that immediately after the trial, Mr. J. B. Atkinson who tried the case as acting Mayor and who is also a member of the Town Council accepted Mr. Kendrick's resignation pending action by the City Council which was to meet the following Monday. However, Mr. Kendrick was asked to assist on the force on the night of the 29th, which Mr. Atkinson says was done on account of the emergency brought on during the holidays. The fact that Mr. Kendrick had resigned had not been reported to us when we printed the paper last week. In fact, the editor of this paper went to Mr. Atkinson's office Tuesday morning of last week for the purpose of finding out what disposition had been made of the matter. We asked Mr. Atkinson, "Have there been any changes made in the police force?" to which question Mr. Atkinson answered, "No." Mr. Atkinson was busy, so we did not detain him for further explanation. We naturally judged from this answer that Mr. Kendrick was still on the force as night police. Mr. Atkinson says that what he meant by saying there had been no changes was that the city council had not changed his action in accepting Mr. Kendrick's resignation which was tendered on the day of the trial.

Had we known that Mr. Kendrick was no longer on the force, we would not have mentioned the matter, but from what Mr. Atkinson told us and after seeing Mr. Kendrick on duty after the trial, we concluded that Mr. Kendrick was going to be kept on as night police. So, it was under this impression that the article was written. If this fact had been made clear, we would have offered no criticism whatever.

It was our information and we stated in the article last week that the report of the arrest of Mr. Kendrick was made to the city officials the next morning, at the same time it was reported to Mr. Baker. But upon further investigation we find that it was not officially reported to any of the city officials until about two weeks later. This report was a gross injustice to the officials, and the blame for the delay lies not on the officials but on those who knew about it and did not report it to the proper authorities. The matter was held out of court until it was the general talk of the public. Of couse, the trouble was that Mr. Baker did not want to have anything to do with it since he and Mr. Kendrick were such good friends. But the matter should have been reported to the authorities at once so that an investigation could have been made earlier.

As soon as the Town was officially informed of the matter, they got busy and as hastily as possible passed on it. The delay occurred before it was placed in the court. As for the decision rendered by the city court will say that we have read the testimony which was copied by a stenographer during the trial, and this testimony is widely different from the rumors that are generally spread. In our estimation, there was nothing reported in the city court that justified conviction. According to the evidence Mr. Kendrick has been falsely accused and the court is due no criticism for its action in acquitting him. The fact that Dr. Gragg was sick and confined to his room for the past several days rendered him unable to take any part in the trial as Monday of this week was the first day he was able to be out.

It appears now that the town officials have made a thorough investigation of the matter as hastily as they could after it was reported to them and have disposed of it with justice to all parties concerned. So, the management of this paper willingly and cheerfully takes this means of clearing the city court and the city officials of the charges preferred against them last week.

DEMOCRATIC BUNK vs. OFFICIAL RECORDS

Washington, Jan. 7.—In 1920 the Democratic tariff law was functioning in all its glory and all the rest was gloom. Our imports for that fiscal year attained the highest total in our trade history, namely, $5,238,000,000. That meant a per capita of foreign goods entering this country of $47.22. According to the Statistical Abstract of the United States 65 per cent of these goods came in without the payment of a cent of customs duty. The average rate of duty on all imports sank to the low record of 6.38 per cent, and on dutiable goods to 16.4 per cent.

In 1920 we imported over $1,500,000,000 worth of food stuffs, $387,000,000 worth of textile manufactures, $40,000,000 of leather manufactures, $24,000,000 in hats and materials, and $157,000,000 in manufactures of wood, lumber, shingles, etc. These were all new records up to that time.

Now, by all the canons of Democratic faith and political exegesis, a three and a half billion increase over pre-war imports should have made the cost of living in 1920 decline. Eight years before the Democratic party had campaigned the country on the issue of free trade versus protection. The latter was blamed for the high cost of living. The former was held up to the American people as their only means of breaking the strangle hold which the wicked trusts had on the country. "Give us control of the government and we will give you low prices on the things you eat and drink and wear and use for housing," was the Democratic promise to the voter. A rift in the Republican ranks gave them a chance to make that promise good and they immediately undertook to reinstate their near-free-trade totem while flaunting President Wilson's solemn declaration that not an industry in the country would be harmed, a statement which was followed by another soon after to the effect that the industrial depression was merely a state of mind. Within seven months of the passage of the 1923 tariff law over 4,000,000 men were out of work, and only the outbreak of the European War saved us from bread riots.

On September 22, 1922, the policy of protection was restored and the Fordney-McCumber tariff went into effect accompanied by the most dismal foreboldings on the part of the Democratic Party and the importers' combine which had been pocketing profits ranging from 150 to 2500 per cent on imported commodities. By the first of October, 1923, a full year under the Republican law, $3,835,000,000 worth of commodities had been imported of which $2,182,000,000 came in free. The law was admittedly framed to protect the farmer and the manufacturer and it has done so, to our foreign competitor. Itemized figures covering the full year have not yet been compiled, but the totals above mentioned speak for themselves.

The day after Christmas the United States Bureau of Labor issued an announcement showing that "the cost of living was one-fifth less in September this year (1923) than in June, 1920, when the highest point in living costs since 1913 was reached. A decrease of 20.5 per cent in the total cost of living in the United States as determined by a consolidation of the figures for thirty-two specified cities." And this under the protective policy.

Three days before this announcement was published the Democratic National Committee set a flat one billion dollars as the cost of the tariff to the Christmas shoppers, and throughout the year they had been asserting that the tariff added $4,000,00,000 annually to the cost of living. What have they to say now in view of the official records?

EVERYBODY PAY YOUR POLL TAX

February 1st, 1924, is not long off, and Mr. Rockett says that people are paying their poll tax mighty slowly. Now, this is not only a privilege but a duty of every person who is otherwise eligible to vote. If you haven't enough interest in your government to want to vote, then you ought to have enough interest in your schools to pay $1.50 into that fund. So, we wish to urge everyone of voting age to look after this important matter. And it would be unwise for everybody to wait till the last few days, as a big rush would result. Don't put it off but go now and look after this matter.

Vocational schools in several Michigan cities have assisted the State organization of parent-teacher associations by printing without charge its monthly bulletin for distribution in their respective districts.

CROWDING HIM

MR. PEGUES MAKES STATEMENT

He who steals my purse steals trash, but he that robs me of my good name takes that which can not help him but the taking does me irreparable injury.

For one to criticize my teaching troubles me none at all. To assail my character, the only capital God has given, is an entirely different question. I challenge the man or woman who says I have had any immoral relations with any high school girl or any other girl to produce prime facie evidence, not "hear say" or "he says" or "she says." The person who claims to have seen me through the office window in a position unbecoming a gentleman, is absolutely mistaken. That person may be honest in what that person thought that person saw, but that person lied. Any person who fails to present direct testimony of my unbecoming acts, is hereby branded as a dastardly, cowardly, infamous and pusilanimous liar.

I went to Thorsby last Tuesday night and asked Mr Billingsley to bring the county board together, to question every high school pupil and teacher, since they alone are in a position to speak intelligently on the question. All others were going on "hear says." After seeing Mr. Billingsley I caught the train for Montgomery to see the State Department of Education. The fact that I was not back Wednesday morning seemed to have set on fire those who are trying to find a mote in some one else's eye. Friends of mine sensing the tenseness of the situation and knowing that mad men have no reason, got word to me at once not to return until a few had had time to think. The person lies who says I left because I was scared. Those who advised me to see the State Department of Education know that I was afraid to go because of what people might think of my going.

I am not a coward, but I consider myself able to discuss any matter calmly and avoid a fight with any person of reason. I have too much sense to be drawn into a scuffle where two are present against me alone. If the other should shoot, both would swear the killing was due to accidental discharge of a gun in the scuffle. I repeat, I am not a coward, but I have no desire to be killed in a way to give the murderer an alibi. I will get into the ring with the boxing gloves against any man my size who has slandered me. Let him now speak or forever hearafter hold his peace.

Volumes have been poured out about some letters I wrote. Those letters may show my personal fondness for that pupil, but they certainly show no immoral act or immoral intent.

I gave one girl a present, yes. I gave two girls and one boy a present each. That is a helluva lot of evidence isn't it? Only a depraved mind or a personal enemy would think anything of that fact.

Before I came back to Clanton I wired Mr. Middleton to guarantee fair play. He did his best and had assurance of it, but I lacked a helluva lot of getting it.

Respectfully
IRA PEGUES.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Walker Spairs, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton county for murder on December 8, 1916, and was given a life sentence, will make application before the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.
1-3-3t pd. WALKER SPARIS.

Mr. E. D. Hand of Route 2 was a visitor of our office Tuesday. We were glad to have Mr. Hand call around to see us.

Don't cough at night!

AVOID wakefulness by taking Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey just before going to bed. It loosens phlegm, soothes irritation in throat and chest and prevents the exhausting coughing spasms. Made of just the medicines that up-to-date doctors recommend—combined with the old-time favorite, pine-tar honey. Its taste is pleasant, too! Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

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CLANTON, ALABAMA

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager)

Constructive Thinking.

This title and trticle were suggested by an incident which makes a very good sequel to what we wrote last week concerning Mr. Sereno C. Norton. In a letter received from him a day or two later he stated, "Just before leaving on his western trip he was called into the manager's office at the experiment station, where he is one of about fifty Chemists employed, and told that headquarters, at Wilmington, Del., considered his work, for the past year, to be the best of any man at the station." An outstanding example of constructive thinking and organization. Could greater commendation be condensed in so few words?

There is very little of real progress achieved in this world that is not the result of "Constructive Thinking." This sort of think has a distinct appeal to the writer who has had considerable personal experience along precisely these lines, and whose "Constructive Thinking" revolutionized not only one but several methods of doing things, until the use of his inventions have become so universally adopted that their product enters practically every home in the civilized world, wherever goods are bought in metal containers. Many things are in common use today that never existed until our "Constructive Thinking" produced them, and although it is from thirty to forty years since most of them were brought out. No better way has ever since been devised. On the other hand the very fact that these things and methods were devised, has set many others to "Constructive Thinking" and the result has been a great forward movement for a revolutionary character in the working of sheet metal into the various forms in which the products of this industry are commonly found today. "Constructive Thinking" utilizes the forces of nature, builds great industrial organizations, schools, churches and hospitals, teaches mankind how to achieve the fullness of life by being a blessing to others through giving of ourselves.

The Fighting Eagles will meet the Montevallos Friday afternoon, Jan. 12th. We are going to win. Who says so? We all say so. Fifteen Rahs for Coach Lefstead, fifteen Rahs for the team!

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Howard entertained quite a company of friends on New Years night, in honor of Mrs. D. K. Henderson, (nee Clara Soberg) who has been spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg. Mrs. Henderson left Thorsby last Tuesday morning, for Birmingham where she will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Walter L. Morgan, and will then return to her home in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Howard C. Junkerman, who has been ill for several weeks was carried to a hospital at Tuscaloosa last Tuesday. Some arrangement will be made for the care of his mother who is aged, sick and on account of the illness of her son is temporarily left alone, but not among strangers or without friends

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The severe weather of the past week has greatly handicaped the work of removal and fitting up Thorsby electric light plant. In conversation with Mr. Wm. H. Goodgame, the new manager, Tuesday morning, we were told that they expected to be ready to turn on the lights by Wednesday night.

The "Queen Esther class" (young ladies and with Miss Jenkins as their teacher) of the Congregational Sunday school, are preparing to give a play at Bates Hall Saturday night, January 19th. From past experience in such matters we feel confident that they will give a very interesting entertainment.

January 14th the Thorsby Lyceum course will have its third number. Rahmona, the Magician, will entertain the people. All come and help solve the mysteries solved right before your eyes.

Messrs. "North-Wind" and "Zero Weather" Saturday night had no terrors for the Literary Society. Fifty Crescendos and Jeffersonians gathered at the Girl's Dormtiory and spent the evening playing games, charades, and in contests.

Mrs. Harry V. Thompson left for Birmingham last Thursday with the expectation of remaining there for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald spent Tuesday in Clanton.

Mrs. C. R. Foss entertained Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. James Biggs and Mrs. D. K. Henderson. After spending an afternoon in social intercourse and renewing old acquaintances, appetizing refreshments were served.

Mrs. James Biggs left Thorsby last Monday for her home in Atlanta.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon, Jan. 10th, at the home of Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon, Jan. 17th, at the home of Mrs. Martha Grothey.

LIST OF PENSIONERS OF CHILTON COUNTY

Class "A"

Askins, J. A., Clanton.
Boyd, W. R., Clanton.
Burnette, W. L., Jemison.
Blankenship, W. J., Clanton.
Baxley, J. A. P., Mt. Creek.
Brantley, J. N., Jemison.
Chandler, Jos., Jemison.
Cooper, Wesley, Mt. Creek.
Cash, Bailey, Clanton.
Deavers, S. F., Clanton.
Edwards, I. E., Jemison.
Edwards, J. P., Jemison.
Fox, J. N., Maplesville.
Gardner, B. F., Clanton.
Gray, W. A., Clanton.
Gibson, C. C., Jemison.
Gulledge, J. W. E., Clanton.
Glasscock, W. M., Jemison.
Henley, J. A., Clanton.
Harris, J. W., Clanton.
Hamilton, H. C., Jemison.
Hawse, L. J., Mt. Creek.
Harris, Jack, Stanton.
Honeycutt, R. M., Jemison.
Jacks, D. F., Clanton.
Jones, W. B., Clanton.
Jones, G. W. Clanton.
Letcher, J. J., Stanton.
Lee, H. C., Clanton.
Martin, J. C., Jemison.
Mullins, Oliver, Clanton.
Mills, R. P., Billingsley.
Miller, M. D. L., Clanton.
Mann, Jas. W., Clanton.
McDowell, J. J., Clanton.
Nelson, J. T., Maplesville.
Nix, Jno. P., Maplesville.
Piper, Asa M., Thorsby.
Popwell, R., Clanton.
Price, H. J., Thorsby.
Pierce, J. P., Clanton.
Parrish, A. L., Clanton.
Popwell, Alfred, Clanton
Roebuck, R. M., Maplesville.
Robinson, W. R., Clanton.
Robinson, Moses, Clanton
Scott, S. S., Verbena.
Sims, J. M., Clanton.
Thomas, Geo., Clanton.
Terry, J. N., Jemison.
Teel, Thos. J., Clanton.
Wilson, Henry, Jemison.
Wooley, R. L., Montevallo.
Watts, D. B., Calera.
Williams, Milton A., Clanton.
White, Jas. W., Clanton.

Class I.

Armstrong, A. L., Montevallo.
Best, Angeline, Clanton.
Barnes, Mary A., Jemison.
Bushby, Lee, Jemison.
Blasingame, Fannie, Clanton.
Cates, S. R., Jemison.
Calloway, Alice, Clanton.
Driver, J. K., Clanton.
Dykes, Alice, Verbena.
Davenport, Litha, Clanton.
Eaves, Mary E., Clanton.
Eiland, G. S., Clanton.
Guthrie, Lou, Jemison.
Griffin, Nancy, Clanton.
Haywood, Nancy N., Jemison.
Houston, J. C., Maplesville.
Johnson, Johns, Clanton.
Moore, Scottie, Clanton.
McCormack, Cornelia J., Clanton.
Mitchell, A., Verbena.
McWhorter, Emma, Clanton.
Moore, Ruth A., Clanton.
Reynolds, Sallie, Jemison.
Vickers, B. H., Clanton.
Wise, Joanah, Clanton.
Willis, Wm., Clanton.

Class II.

Champion, Hulda W., Verbena.
Childress, A. A., Clanton.
Daniel, S. C., Verbena.
Dawson, Olive F., Clanton.
Durbin, Amanda, Clanton.
Dyer, Louisa, Stanton.
Edwards, Mary J., Clanton.
Easterling, Mahala, Clanton.
Glass, Mary E., Jemison.
Glasscock, M. A., Jemison.
Honeycutt, Emily, Clanton.
Moore, Martha J., Clanton.
Moore Eliz., Clanton.
McCary, Rachael, Maplesville.
Northcutt, Mahala, Jemison.
Pate, Mahala, Clanton.
Rasberry, Malone, Maplesville.
Rawlinson, Jno. A., Billingsley.
Smith, M. M., Clanton.
Silas, N. A., Clanton.
Spivey, Eliz. J., Jemison.
Spivey, Mary, Maplesville.
Traywick, Rebecca, Clanton.
Traywick, Nancy, Clanton.
Whatley, Saphronia, Jemison.
Ward, Luticia, Clanton.
Williams, Rebecca, Clanton.

Class III.

Allen, Francis J., Clanton.
Armstrong, Martha, Montevallo.
Bice, Harriett, Clanton.
Barefield, Nannie, Calera.
Burnett, M. J., Clanton.
Culver, Margaret A., Mt. Creek.
Cooper, Susan, Clanton.
Collum, Sarah, Jemison.
Claughton, Eliz., Verbena.
Culp, Margaret J., Clanton.
Courtney, Ferby E. J., Clanton.
Eiland, Sarah A., Clanton.
Fitts, Ella F., Stanton.
Griffin, Mary M., Clanton.
Gregg, Susan C., Plantersville.
Gullahorn, Cornelia, Verbena.
Glasscock, Perdelia, Jemison.
Haynes, Mary K., Clanton.
Hayes, Martha J., Clanton.
Hubbard, B., Jemison.
Johnson, T. J., Verbena.
Kemp, Adeline, Clanton.
Littleton, Marina, Clanton.
Letcher, B. F., Plantersville.
Lowery, Mary A., Jemison.
Melton, Martha C., Clanton.
Morris, P. C., Clanton.
Mullins, Mary A., Clanton.
Merchant, Eliz., Maplesville.
Northcutt, Mahalie, Jemison.
Paterson, Mary J., Verbena.
Retherford, Nancy A., Clanton.
Robinson, E. J., Clanton.
Rollins, M. J., Pletcher.
Roper, R. J., Clanton.
Roberts, Mary A., Clanton.
Smith, Susan C., Clanton.
Scarbrough, S. J., Clanton.
Smith, S. E., Clanton.
Smith, Mary J., Clanton.
Smith, Mary E., Clanton.
Taylor, Mary A., Clanton.
Vinson, Martha A., Verbena.
Willis, Rolinia F., Clanton.
Wright, Drucilla A., Clanton.
Wyatt, Mary A., Clanton.
White, Sarah E., Clanton.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

I, L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate in and for Chilton County, Alabama, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list of the Pensioners in this County, as is shown by record in this office.

This, the 7th day of January, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF STOCK HOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Bank of Thorsby, of Thorsby, Ala., for the purpose of electing directors, and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be at the office of said Bank on Tuesday, January 15th, 1924, at 9 o'clock, A. M. All stockholders are asked to be present.

C. R. FOSS,
Cashier.

1-15-24 ch

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The Bank of Thorsby

located at Thorsby, Ala., at the close of business Dec. 31st, 1923.

RESOURCES:

1. Loans and Discounts		$ 74,092.69
2. Overdrafts		2.57
5. Banking House		1,000.00
6. Furniture and Fixtures		2,097.06
8. Cash—		
(a) Currency	$ 3,754.00	
(b) Gold	360.00	
(c) Silver, Nickles and Pennies	386.31	
Total		$ 4,500.31
9. Due from Banks		13,739.95
12. Checks and Cash Items		247.32
14. Other Resources		19.55
15. Collections in Transit		2,771.79
Total		$ 98,471.24

LIABILITIES:

1. Capital Stock Paid in		$ 10,000.00
2. Surplus Fund		3,000.00
3. Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		3,833.10
5. Demand Deposits—		
(a) Individual Deposits	$ 59,990.88	
(b) Demand Certificates	735.00	
(f) Cashier's Checks	1,761.89	
Total		$ 62,487.77
6. Time Deposits—		
(b) Time Certificates	$ 19,150.37	
Total		$ 19,150.37
Total		$ 98,471.24

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came C. R. Foss, Cashier of The Bank of Thorsby, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

C. R. FOSS,
Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8th day of January, 1924.

WALLACE C. EDLER,
Notary Public.

ATTEST:
CHAS. E. LUCAS,
E. W. BUTLER,
CARL C. PETERSEN,
Directors.

CARRIED TO ASYLUM

Deputy J. H. Foshee, with the assistance of J. L. Gore, left Clanton Tuesday for Tuscaloosa where they were taking H. C. Junkerman to the insane asylum. Mr. Junkerman was formerly a practicing dentist in the town of Thorsby.

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ORIGINAL

More Specials For Saturday

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1 lot of fine Silk Hose for ladies, sell everywhere at 65c; our special low price for Saturday—
29c

Men's Overcoats
1 lot of Men's Overcoats mostly sizes from 34 to 38, to close out at—
$4.95

Laides' Sweaters
1 lot of Ladies' Brush Wool Sweaters, sold at $7.50; our week-end sale price while they last, special—
$3.48 up

Men's Trousers
1 lot of assorted young Men's and Men's Trousers, all-wool and assorted patterns, worth $4, special sale price—
$2.85

Men's Suits
1 lot of Men's all-wool Suits, sold at $27.50; special in blue and brown, all sizes—
$14.95

Men's Shirts
Men's $1 Work Shirts, triple stitched, all sizes with a full faced sleeve, guaranteed not to rip; you never will be able to buy again for the price;
69c

The above are a few of the Special Bargains for the week-end. Don't buy until you inspect our goods first.

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MANAGER, M. LANDE

Remember our Location, Near the Railroad, the Old Postoffice Building, Clanton, Ala.

SOUTH CALERA

Mrs. Angeline Busby from Birmingham was visiting Mrs. David Green in South Calera last Monday.

We hear that Mr. Walker is planning to move to Birmingham. The community will miss them very much.

Miss Ruth Mooney spent last weekend at home in Columbiana. She returned Sunday morning.

Mrs. Sarah Crim, who has been in the infirmary in Birmingham is able to be at home again. She came home lsat Friday night.

Miss Mexa Tate spent last Tuesday in Calera attending a meeting of the W. M. U. in the afternoon.

Mr. Henry Killingsworth and family have recently come back to Alabama from Louisiana where they have been living for some time. They were formerly of this place and we hear they are going to make their home here again.

Mr. Oulan Busby from Leeds, Ala., came down to visit his parent's Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby last Saturday, leaving Monday to go back to Leeds.

Although Mr. Elwood Armstrong has moved away from South Calera, he comes back real often.

On last Tuesday night the older people enjoyed a singing in the old books at the home of Mr. M. T. Busby, while the young people enjoyed games of various kinds.

Mrs. Henry Killingsworth and children were guests of Mrs. G. S. Tate on last Monday night.

A number of young people of South Calera spent a while with Miss Lutie Jones last Friday night.

Mr. Leon Busby entertained a number of friends at his home New Year's Day. Those present were: Mr. Home Martin, Mr. Alza Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Miss Hazel Cox. In the afternoon several games of Rook were enjoyed.

Next Thursday night is PRAYER MEETING night.

FOR RENT

One 2-horse farm one mile east of Collins Chapel School House. Rent any way to right man.—John Thompson, Clanton, Ala. 1-3-2t pd

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

Here we come for a short chat, as news is mighty scarce over here, but of course, we are all living.

That paty or dance that Mr. McGee gave last Saturday night was one week ago was simply fine. There was a large crowd and good dancing. Think every one had a good time.

We all regret to learn that our good friend, Mr. Wilcox and family have moved away from our town. We hope they will be back to live in our community again shortly.

Folks, we know its been mighty cold to go to Sunday school, but you know, if you mean what we read and learn, the dear Savior alone will hender us from doing or saying things that will be "deathramental" to us.

We learn with regret that Mr. Fox and family, one of our long residers here, has recently moved to Birmingham. We hope that they will like their new home exceedingly well.

Mr. Spivey, of this place, has moved into the house where Mr. Fox has moved from.

Two car loads of young folks from this berg motored out to a party at Mr. L. B. Broadhead's, east of this place, last Saturday night. They reported a splendid time.

82 YEARS OLD AND AS GOOD AS A YOUNGSTER

"7 or 8 years ago I was a very sick man. Doctors said catarrh trouble of stomach and bowels, affecting the liver and heart. For more than a year I wanted to die, but could not. Upon the advice of a friend I tried Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and although 82 years old I now feel as good as a youngster." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. —Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

SARDIS DOINGS

Mr. Harmon and Miss Bernice Broadhead gave a little party last Saturday night, Jan. 5th.

It was so awful cold there wasn't a very large crowd there but yet we had a good time. Several young people from Maplesville were there and two other young men from Jones, Ala.

Mr. John Burnett of Fairview or New Cedron was a welcome visitor to this community last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Adams was married to Miss Velma Headley last Sunday at the latter's home and we are wishing them a long happy life.

Mr. Union Headley of this place was united in marriage to a Miss Cleckley from some other settlement. We have not yet learned her name, but we also hope them a happy life.

There was a big dance at Albert Hayes' last Saturday night and every one seemed to have a good time.

Miss Addie Christian spent Saturday night with Miss Bernice Broadhead. They sure did have a fine time eating candy.

JUST FROM SHOULTS— JUST AFTER CHRISTMAS

Cap sho is one sight. Tother day in Chrismas time when he wus a gitten back fum sumwhor I ax him whor he bin and he say I bin over on White Oak Branch. I thought thats whor he bin cause his face wus lookin mighty red and rosy.

I ax him if he thot Mars. Littlejohn wus goin to ketch all the wild cats and he say no, no, Remus, efin you wants to git rid uv dem tigers you will hafto git the man that drink it, caus de church membrs drink it and dabble wid it. And he say Remus, efin you will stop de ones dat bys and drinks it den de wild cat'll go out uv bisnus at onct.

Cap sho is one sight. Efin you wanta keep up wid Cap perscrib for de Union-Banner.

Yours truly,
UNCLE REMUS.

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HIGH STEPPER

How would you, kind reader, like to hop back and forth from business on one of these "three-story" pogo sticks, the invention of a certain Mr. Gordon, of Los Angeles, California. He believes it won't be long before people in his home city take to the innovation and, once they're started, the rest of the country will follow suit.

No, thanks. Not for us. We admit Mr. Gordon's elevated pogo sticks may be the means of saving shoe leather but we'd hate to think of what would happen to our anatomy should the darn thing decide to part company with our feet while we were perched on its uppermost level. We're afraid we'd meet the pavement face to face too many times to find any pleasure in the scheme.

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MONUMENTS.—For right prices and guaranteed material and workmanship in Mounments, see or write G. B. Golden, Clanton, Ala., Route 5. 1-10-4t ch.

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. E. D. Hand, 5 miles south of Clanton on the B. & M. Highway, desires your patronage in dressmaking. She is a student from the Woman's Institute and is competent to do the work. 1-10-4t pd.

STRAYED MULE.—Owner may call and get a black mare mule with brown nose, about 6 or 7 years old, weighs about 950 pounds, that came to my house last Friday, by paying for trouble and this advertisement.—Tommie Gray, Verbena, Ala., Route one, at Enterprise School House. 1-10-4t pd.

FOR RENT OR SALE—I have 100 acres of very good land which I will sell or rent at a most reasonable price. The timber on the place will pay for the land. I have half interest in a good saw mill located on this trace of land which I will sell with the land. This is a good chance for any man who is willing to work. Anyone interested write or see Wiley M. Bean, Clanton, Ala. 1-3-2tc.

FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on Highway 3 miles south of Clanton. If interested see me at Powell Pressing Co. W. L. Powell. 2t-c.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

Owing to the length of the school term this year I am requested by Prof. C. R. Wood, Director of Extension of the State Normal at Jacksonville, to announce to those teachers taking the Normal Extension Work that the dates for the meeting of this course has been changed so that the remaining meetings will come on the dates mentioned below: Jan. 12th and 26th, and Feb. 2nd.

Teachers will please take note of this change and be present at the meetings.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Co. Supt. Education.

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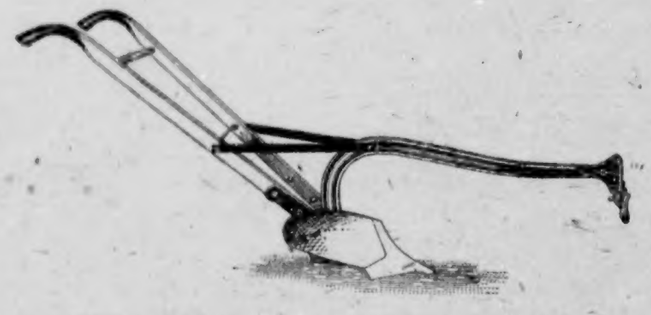

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE URGES THE PAYMENT OF POLL TAXES

Since our people are rather indifferent about paying their poll taxes this year, we wish to urge upon the Republicans of Chilton County the importance of attending to this matter. If you will just consider the matter a little you can readily see that there is too much at stake for you to ignore paying your poll tax. Next year, we elect a president, and there will be several elections of importance. So, in order that you may be pemitted to vote, pay your poll tax before February 1st, 1923, and don't wait too late.

Yours for a strong party,
W. G. CULP, Chairman.
J. Z. MIMS, Secretary.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF GUARDIAN

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Cassie Thomas as guardian of Willie Mae Thomas and Matalie Thomas, minors, has filed her resignation of guardianship of the above named minors in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama and also vouchers, receipts and disbursements accompanying the same and that the same is set for hearing on Saturday, Feb. 2, 1924, at the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at which time all parties interested may appear and contest same if they desire.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-10-3tc Judge Of Probate.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By vertue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of one hundred fifty-three and 52-100 dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the March Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Fitzpatrick, N. C. M., by her next friend, H. T. Fitzpatrick, in favor of officers of the court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1924, all the right, title and the interest of the above named Mary Fitzpatrick, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

West half of NW quarter of N half of SW quarter in Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-two (22) North, of Range Sixteen (16) East, and containing 159.60 acres more or less, except the mineral right, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 28th day of December, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, December 28th, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
1-3-4t Sheriff.

Will He Withdraw His Endorsement?

Congress is now in session.

Is it the intention of certain members to hamper the railroads by the enactment of further restrictive legislation—*especially aimed to decrease the revenues of the railroads*—or will they be disposed to grant the railroads a legislative holiday?

The Railroads have accepted the provisions of the present Transportation Act; and—although they have not been able to earn the rate of return permitted therein—they are spending more than $1,000,000,000 for the improvements called for by increased traffic.

Nearly all of this billion dollars is borrowed money—borrowed in good faith, with the help of Uncle Sam's endorsement, in the form of the assurance that the Railroads would be allowed to earn a fair return, based on the value of their property; and be able to pay for needed improvements.

Further legislative curtailment of railroad revenues at this time, would result in frightening off private investors upon whom the railroads must depend for new capital; this would serve to stop the construction of needed improvements; the efficiency of the railroads would be destroyed and there would come inevitably a breakdown and bankruptcy of the transportation system; and finally Government ownership with its attendant evils.

Although the L. & N. Railroad has not been able to earn the "fair return" permitted by the Transportation Act, it has, within the past year, contracted to spend for new equipment, second tracks, bridges, etc., more than $52,000,000—thus acknowledging its obligations to the public and manifesting the purpose of the management to fulfill them.

The L. & N. joins the other Roads in asking that they be let alone; that they be not further hampered, by unwise legislation, in their efforts to keep pace with and to assist in the Nation's progress.

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 6 at Kincheon on January 10, 1924.
Precinct No. 15 at Culp School House on Jan. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 15 at Pletcher on January 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 8 at Riderville on January 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 8 at Stanton on January 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 7 at Shoults on January 16, 1924.
Precinct No. 7 at Maplesville on January 17, 1924.
Precinct No. 3 at Benson on January 18, 1924.
Precinct No. 16 at Providence on January 19, 1924.
Precinct No. 4 at Clanton on Jan. 21 to Feb. 2, inc've, 1924
Precinct No. 14 at Macedonia February 4, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Mars Hill on February 5, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Providence on February 6, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

No one can register except in his own precinct and at the Court House.

-:- CHRONOLOGY OF THE YEAR 1923 -:-

(Continued from last week)

republicans to cease hostilities and to negotiate peace with the Free State.

May 6—Chinese bandits wrecked the Peking-Shanghai express and kidnaped many foreign passengers, including 14 Americans, demanding one million dollars' ransom.

...ay 8—Chinese government ordered that all demands of bandits who kidnaped foreigners should be complied with.

May 9—Irish Free State announced rejection of De Valera's peace offer.

May 20—Andrew Bonar Law resigned as prime minister of Great Britain.

May 22—Stanley Baldwin appointed British prime minister.

May 26—Communist strike and riots in the Ruhr increased in violence.

May 27—Polish cabinet resigned, Witos made premier.

June 9—Stambouilsky's peasant government in Bulgaria overthrown in almost bloodless revolution; Professor Zankoff made premier.

June 12—All foreign captives released by Chinese bandits.

Civil war broke out in Bulgaria.

President Li Yuan-hung of China fled from Peking.

June 14—Li Yuan-hung resigned as president of China.

Stamboulisky captured and killed in Bulgarian village.

June 23—Manitoba voters killed prohibition law, substituting sale by government.

July 15—Mussolini clinched his grip as dictator of Italy by forcing parliament to pass his electoral law.

July 16—British parliament rejected Labor party's motion proposing gradual transition to socialist form of government.

July 20—Gen. Francisco Villa, noted ex-chief of Mexican rebels and bandits, slain from ambush.

July 22—Belleau Wood, in France, dedicated as memorial to Americans who died there.

Aug. 6—Teixeira Gomes elected president of Portugal.

Henry Sullivan of Massachusetts swam the English channel.

Aug. 8—Chancellor Cuno presented to reichstag his rescue plan for Germany, including a gold loan, taxation on a gold value basis and a heavy levy on industries.

Aug. 12—Chancellor Cuno and the German government resigned. Gustave Stresemann undertook to form new cabinet, the first coalition majority government in Germany's history.

Aug. 15—Eamon de Valera arrested by Irish Free State.

Aug. 21—German cabinet demanded $100,000,000 from the industrialists.

Aug. 27—Irish government party won in elections.

Aug. 28—Admiral Yamamoto made premier of Japan, succeeding the late Baron Kato.

Sept. 12—Spanish army revolted against the cabinet.

Sept. 14—Spanish cabinet resigned; directorate established under presidency of Gen. Primo Rivera, leader of the revolution.

Sept. 19—William Cosgrave re-elected president of Irish Free State.

Sept. 23—King Boris dissolved Bulgarian parliament and proclaimed a state of siege because of Communist and peasant uprisings.

Sept. 26—Germany officially abandoned passive resistance in the Ruhr. Bavaria revolted and named Gustave von Kahr as dictator of the state.

Sept. 27—President Ebert appointed War Minister Gessler military dictator of Germany. Miners in the Ruhr declared a general strike.

Sept. 28—Bulgarian revolt crushed with capture of Ferdinandovo.

Oct. 1—Monarchists captured fortress of Kustrin, Prussia.

Last vestiges of civil rule abolished in Spain, all municipal governments being dissolved.

Oct. 2—Kustrin recaptured by German government troops.

Oct. 3—German cabinet resigned and Chancellor Stresemann began formation of a virtual directorate.

Oct. 4—Revolution started in northern Portugal.

Oct. 5—Marshal Tsao-Kun elected president of China.

German Socialists yielded to Stresemann.

Oct. 7—Finland refused to pay Russia indemnity for death of cheka agent.

Oct. 8—Reichstag, by heavy majority, gave Chancellor Stresemann vote of confidence.

Oct. 9—Chancellor Stresemann refused demands of Hugo Stinnes and other industrialists, which would have made them dictators of Germany.

Oct. 10—France refused to negotiate with Germany on resumption of work in the Ruhr, preferring to deal with the industrial barons. Panic on Berlin bourse, the mark going to 7,000,000,000 to the dollar.

Oct. 12—Reichstag confirmed Chancellor Stresemann as dictator.

Oct. 17—Socialist government of Saxony and Thuringia defied Stresemann.

Oct. 21—Rhineland republic set up in Aix la Chapelle; movement spread to other cities.

Oct. 23—Communists fought bloody battle with police in Hamburg; 44 killed. Rhineland separatists ousted from several cities.

Chancellor Stresemann yielded to Bavaria's demand for greater autonomy for the German states.

Oct. 27—German government ordered dismissal of Saxony cabinet.

Oct. 28—Saxon government defied the reich.

Oct. 29—Chancellor Stresemann ousted the Saxon cabinet.

Angora assembly proclaimed Turkey a republic and elected Mustapha Kemal president.

Oct. 30—Ismet Pasha made premier of Turkey.

Bavarian monarchists mobilized for march on Berlin.

Nov. 1—Krupp signed Ruhr accord with French.

Nov. 2—Socialists quit German cabinet and Stresemann assumed dictatorial powers.

Nov. 8—Hitler and Ludendorff tried to overthrow Bavarian government by royalist coup. Von Seeckt made supreme military dictator of Germany by President Ebert.

Nov. 9—Putsch of Bavarian Fascisti suppressed and Ludendorff arrested.

Nov. 10—Former Crown Prince Frederick William returned to Germany.

Nov. 12—Adolf Hitler arrested.

Nov. 20—Rhineland separatists captured Mains.

Nov. 21—Mobs from Upper Silesian towns looted and burned estates of rich farmers who refused to sell food; many killed.

Nov. 23—German Chancellor Stresemann and his cabinet, denied a vote of confidence by the reichstag, resigned.

Nov. 25—Dr. Heinrich Albert made chancellor of Germany.

Nov. 27—Failing to form a ministry, Doctor Albert resigned as German chancellor.

Nov. 28—Matthes, head of Rhineland republic, ousted by associates.

Nov. 29—Stegerwald failing to form German cabinet, Dr. Wilhelm Marx, Catholic leader, was made chancellor.

Dec. 3—Germany completed negotiations for foreign loan to support her new currency.

Dec. 4—Many German manufacturers arrested for big tax frauds.

Dec. 6—Conservatives defeated in British elections. Rebellion in Mexico, led by Adolfo de la Huerta.

Dec. 11—British Conservative government decided to retain office until meeting of new parliament.

Dec. 16—Liberals won in Greek elections.

Dec. 17—The Greek government informed King George it considered it advisable for him to leave Greece until the national assembly had decided on the regime best benefiting the country.

Dec. 18—King and queen of Greece went to Rumania.

Dec. 20—Secret papal consistory opened in the Vatican.

DOMESTIC

Jan. 3—Secretary of the Interior Fall announced his retirement from the cabinet on March 4.

Jan. 3—President Harding vetoed the Bursum bill for larger pensions.

Jan. 6—Senate requested the President to recall troops from Germany.

Jan. 9—House judiciary committee voted for dismissal of impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty.

Jan. 11—Ira Nelson Morris, minister to Sweden, resigned.

Jan. 15—Harry Pratt Judson, president of University of Chicago, resigned; E. DeW. Burton selected to succeed him.

Jan. 19—Senate passed the agricultural credits bill.

Five defendants in Herrin mine massacre trial acquitted.

Jan. 22—House passed resolution for constitutional amendment prohibiting further issuance of tax-exempt securities.

Jan. 24—Federal Judge E. T. Sanborn of Tennessee nominated by President Harding to be associate justice of Supreme court to succeed Justice Pitney.

Jan. 26—House voted, 204 to 77, to approve report of judiciary committee giving Attorney General Daugherty clean bill of health in impeachment investigation.

Jan. 29—Robert Woods Bliss nominated as minister to Sweden.

Feb. 2—Senate passed the rural credits bill.

Feb. 7—Last American troops from Germany landed at Savannah, Ga.

Feb. 9—House passed British debt funding bill.

Feb. 16—Senate passed British debt-funding bill.

E. Mont Reily resigned as governor of Porto Rico.

Feb. 19—Senate confirmed appointment of Senator Poindexter as ambassador to Peru.

Supreme court ruled a Hindu cannot be naturalized.

Feb. 27—President Harding appointed Hubert Work secretary of the interior and Harry S. New postmaster general, effective March 4.

Richard M. Tobin of San Francisco nominated for minister to the Netherlands.

Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines appointed director of the veterans' bureau.

Feb. 28—Ship subsidy bill killed in senate.

Mondell of Wyoming appointed member of War Finance corporation and Towner of Iowa governor of Porto Rico.

March 1—House passed rural credits bill.

Senate requested President to urge nations to limit production of habit-forming drugs.

March 2—Investigation ordered by senate into charges of waste and mismanagement of veterans' bureau.

March 4—Congress adjourned after Democratic filibuster tied up legislation.

March 5—President and Mrs. Harding and party started for vacation in Florida.

March 7—Wisconsin senate, 26 to 4, defeated bill to abolish National Guard.

March 10—United States debt commission arranged to fund Finland's $9,000,000 war debt.

March 14—Charles F. Cramer, general counsel for veterans' bureau, killed self on eve of senate investigation.

March 17—Attorney General Daugherty said President Harding was candidate for renomination.

Two Federal court decisions forbade search of autos and homes by dry agents without search warrants.

March 31—Mayor of Gary, Ind., and 54 others convicted of liquor conspiracy.

April 3—Judge W. E. Dever, Democrat, elected mayor of Chicago.

April 6—Defendants in Herrin (Ill.) mine massacre case again acquitted.

April 8—President Harding returned from vacation in South.

April 16—United States Supreme court upheld constitutionality of Capper-Tincher grain futures act.

April 19—Government began suit to stop speculation in sugar futures.

Mrs. A. W. Cook of Pittsburgh, Pa., elected president-general of D. A. R.

April 24—President Harding committed the administration to world court plan in New York speech.

Charles B. Warren, former ambassador to Japan, and John Barton Payne of Chicago named as American members of United States-Mexican commission.

April 30—Supreme court, in 7 to 2 decision, barred foreign vessels carrying liquor into American ports, but overruled Daugherty opinion that American ships cannot sell liquor outside territorial limits.

May 2—Charles E. Ruthenberg, noted radical, was found guilty of violating the Michigan anti-syndicalism law.

May 5—Army monoplane piloted by Lieutenants MacReady and Kelly made nonstop flight from Hempstead, N. Y., to San Diego, Cal.

May 4—New York legislature repealed state prohibition law.

May 5—E. H. Cunningham of Iowa made member of federal reserve board, and E. E. Jones of Pennsylvania member of farm loan board.

May 11—Frank McManamy of Washington, D. C., made member of interstate commerce commission.

May 13—Advisory committee of 100 named by Secretary Work to survey problems of the American Indians.

May 17—Alva B. Adams appointed United States senator from Colorado.

May 21—William R. Day resigned as umpire of the United States-German mixed claims commission; Judge E. B. Parker of Texas appointed to succeed him.

June 4—United States Supreme court declared unconstitutional state laws barring the teaching of foreign languages in schools.

Convention of Shriners opened in Washington.

June 11—Supreme court held Kansas industrial court was without power to regulate wages in packing houses.

June 20—President Harding started on his trip to the West and Alaska.

Sentences of 24 men imprisoned for obstructing conduct of war commuted by the President.

June 23—United States seized sealed liquor stores on several British liners at New York.

June 26—Interstate commerce commission abolished "assigned car" practice in coal transportation.

June 29—Budget Director Lord announced surplus of $310,000,000 for fiscal year.

July 1—R. W. Bowden resigned as American observer on reparations.

July 4—Convention of radicals opened in Chicago.

July 5—President Harding sailed from Tacoma for Alaska.

July 6—Farmer-Labor party in Chicago convention repudiated the Reds who tried to form Federated Farmer-Labor party on communistic lines.

July 7—Army balloon won national elimination contest. Lieutenants Roth and Null, piloting a navy balloon, lost in Lake Erie.

July 8—United States anthracite commission reported in favor of government supervision of mines but against government ownership.

July 16—President Harding landed at Juneau, Alaska.

July 16—Magnus Johnson, Farmer-Labor candidate, elected United States senator from Minnesota.

July 17—Philippine cabinet and other officials resigned after controversy with Governor General Wood.

July 28—President Harding taken ill in San Francisco.

July 29—President Harding worse, California program canceled.

July 30—President Harding gravely ill with broncho-pneumonia.

Aug. 2—President Harding died suddenly in San Francisco.

Aug. 3—Calvin Coolidge took oath as President at Plymouth, Vt., and went to Washington.

Harding funeral train started from San Francisco for Washington.

Aug. 8—State funeral services for Mr. Harding held in the capitol, Washington.

Aug. 10—Warren G. Harding's body placed in vault at Marion; memorial services in all lands.

Aug. 13—President Coolidge gave full approval to Harding budget system.

Coal commission summoned heads of anthracite operators and miners to conference.

Governor Walton of Oklahoma placed Tulsa under martial law after renewed floggings.

Aug. 14—Ex-Congressman C. Bascom Slemp of Virginia appointed secretary to President Coolidge.

Aug. 15—Powerful bootlegging ring of Savannah, Ga., broken up by 84 arrests.

Aug. 21—Anthracite negotiations collapsed.

Aug. 22—Successful tests made for coast-to-coast air mail service.

Aug. 24—Governor Pinchot asked by President Coolidge to try to settle anthracite problem.

Aug. 29—Governor Pinchot offered compromise plan to avert anthracite strike.

Aug. 30—Savage riot in Perth Amboy, N. J., when big mob attacked Ku Klux Klan meeting.

F. E. Scobey, director of the mint, resigned, effective October 1.

Aug. 31—Anthracite miners and operators not satisfied with Pinchot plan, and strike begins, but negotiations continued.

Sept. 3—American relief measures for Japan earthquake victims started on great scale.

Sept. 5—G. A. R. in annual parade in Milwaukee.

Sept. 6—G. M. Saltzgaber of Vanwert, O., elected commander-in-chief of G. A. R.

Sept. 7—Anthracite miners' representatives accepted Pinchot's proposals.

Sept. 15—Governor Walton put all Oklahoma under martial law.

Sept. 26—Under orders from Governor Walton, the Oklahoma National Guard prevented the meeting of the house of representatives in special session.

Sept. 29—Governor Walton of Oklahoma proclaimed indefinite postponement of special election which was to decide whether legislature should meet to investigate his actions.

Oct. 1—Governor Walton of Oklahoma abandoned military opposition to special election of October 2, but called new election for December 6.

Oct. 2—Oklahoma voted decisively in favor of constitutional amendment authorizing the state legislature to convene itself to consider impeachment charges against state officials.

Oct. 4—Resignation of George Harvey, ambassador to England, announced.

Oct. 11—Oklahoma legislature met and prepared for impeachment of Gov. Jack Walton.

Oct. 19—John R. Quinn of California elected commander of American Legion.

Oct. 23—Lower house of Oklahoma legislature voted to impeach Governor Walton and the senate suspended him from office.

Oct. 26—Former United States Senator Frank B. Kellogg named ambassador to Great Britain.

Nov. 12—United States Supreme court decided aliens can be prohibited by states from owning land, provided there is no treaty stipulation to the contrary.

Robert J. Grant of Denver made director of the mint.

Nov. 15—Senator Hiram Johnson formally declared himself a candidate for Republican presidential nomination.

Nov. 19—Governor Walton of Oklahoma found guilty by senate court of impeachment and ousted from office.

Nov. 21—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, fake North pole discoverer, convicted of oil stock frauds and sentenced to prison.

Nov. 24—Former Governor Walton of Oklahoma indicted on criminal charges.

Nov. 30—Gov. W. T. McCray of Indiana indicted for embezzlement.

Dec. 3—Sixty-eighth congress met but progressive Republican bloc prevented organization of the house.

Dec. 4—In South Dakota state proposal conventions the Republicans indorsed Coolidge, Democrats picked McAdoo, and Farmer-Laborites favored LaFollette for presidential candidates.

Dec. 5—House organized, Speaker Gillett being re-elected.

Dec. 6—President Coolidge delivered his message to congress.

Dec. 10—United States Supreme court recessed until January 2.

Dec. 12—Republican national committee selected Cleveland as place and June 10 as date for national convention.

Dec. 13—Conference of representatives of anthracite using states opened at Harrisburg, Pa.

Dec. 15—President Coolidge ordered release of all remaining imprisoned violators of war laws.

Dec. 17—W. G. McAdoo formally announced his candidacy for Democratic presidential nomination.

Dec. 27—American Association for the Advancement of Science met in Cincinnati.

DISASTERS

Jan. 3—Twenty persons killed in collapse of bridge at Kelso, Wash.

Feb. 8—Mine explosion at Dawson, N. M., entombed and killed 120 men.

Explosion in mine near Cumberland, B. C., killed 30 men.

Feb. 18—Twenty-two patients and three attendants killed in insane asylum fire on Ward Island, New York.

March 2—Fifteen miners killed in blast at Arista, W. Va.

March 10—One hundred and fifty Greek soldiers drowned when transport Alexandre sunk.

April 14—Six hundred persons killed by tidal waves in Corea and Japan.

May 14—Flood and fire partly destroyed Hot Springs, Ark.

May 17—Severe earthquake at Quito, Ecuador.

Seventy-three killed in burning of schoolhouse at Cleveland, S. C.

June 10—Disastrous floods in Kansas, Oklahoma and Colorado.

June 15—Reports received of earthquakes in Persia in which 6,000 perished.

June 17—More earthquakes in Persia; 3,000 killed.

June 18—Mt. Etna in violent eruption; several towns destroyed.

Aug. 14—Explosion in coal mine at Kemmerer, Wyo., killed 90 men.

Aug. 18—Terrific typhoon at Hongkong, destroying vessels, property and lives.

Aug. 21—Million dollars' damage done by flood in Arkansas valley, Colorado.

Sept. 1—Earthquakes and resultant fires destroyed most of Tokyo and Yokohama and other cities; 225,000 killed.

Sept. 8—Nine United States destroyers and one liner wrecked on coast of southern California in fog; 27 lives lost.

Sept. 15—Typhoon and floods killed 5,000 in Japan.

Sept. 17—Sixty blocks of Berkeley, Cal., destroyed by fire.

Sept. 23—Three balloons destroyed by lightning in Gordon Bennett cup race starting in Belgium; five balloonists killed, including two Americans.

Sept. 27—Forty persons killed when Burlington train plunged into river at Lockett, Wyo.

Nov. 6—Twenty-seven miners killed by gas explosion in West Virginia.

Dec. 1—Nearly 500 killed by bursting of dam near Bergamo, Italy.

Dec. 9—Nine killed, many injured in wreck of Twentieth Century train at Forsythe, N. Y.

Dec. 15—Destructive earthquake in Colombia and Ecuador.

INDUSTRIAL

Jan. 9—Erie railway signed new wage agreement with shop crafts workers.

Jan. 31—Railway labor board restored to signalmen the eight-hour day and time and a half pay for overtime.

March 22—Thousand men at Michigan City Pullman plant struck in protest against employment of negroes.

March 28—Armour-Morris packer merger formally completed.

April 9—Steel industry raised wages of common labor 11 per cent and adjusted pay of other classes.

April 13—Chicago packing house employees and building trades workers given raise of pay.

May 21—Pennsylvania railroad gave shopmen $4,000,000 pay raise.

Aug. 2—Elbert H. Gary announced immediate elimination of the 12-hour day in the steel industry and adjustment of wages.

Aug. 21—Anthracite operators and miners broke off wage negotiations.

United Typothetae of America ordered by federal trade commission to discontinue practices which the commission declared would enable employing printers to maintain standard prices for commercial printing.

Aug. 24—Governor Pinchot selected by President Coolidge to handle the anthracite problem.

Aug. 29—Compromise plan to settle anthracite trouble offered by Pinchot.

Aug. 31—Anthracite strike officially began, negotiations continuing.

Sept. 7—Pinchot's compromise plan accepted by leaders of anthracite miners.

Sept. 8—Miners and operators agreed on resumption of mining on September 20.

Oct. 9—American Federation of Labor, in convention at Portland, Ore., voted against formation of a labor party and also against the recognition of soviet Russian government.

Oct. 11—Samuel Gompers re-elected president of A. F. of L.

Dec. 3—Federal railway labor board ordered increased wages of maintenance of way men on seven railways. Many other roads reached separate agreements.

Dec. 5—Railway labor board increased pay of pullman conductors.

Dec. 11—Rock Island railway renewed wage agreement with engineers.

NECROLOGY

Jan. 2—W. T. Whiting, Wisconsin paper mill magnate, at Stevens Point, Wis.

Rev. Mrs. Cora L. V. Richmond, noted Spiritualist, in Chicago.

Jan. 7—Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, eminent Jewish divine and scholar, in Chicago.

Jan. 10—George Hamlin, noted American tenor.

Jan. 11—Constantine, former king of Greece.

W. M. Moore, financier, in New York.

Jan. 12—Congressman Nestor Montoya of New Mexico.

Alexandre Ribot, French statesman.

Frederic Harrison, English philosopher and historian.

Jan. 18—Wallace Reid, motion picture star.

Jan. 22—Max Nordau, famous German philosopher, in Paris.

Jan. 25—Dr. Paul Reinsch, former United States minister to China, in Shanghai.

Jan. 21—Henry Clews, New York banker.

Feb. 6—E. E. Barnard, astronomer of the University of Chicago.

Feb. 10—Former Senator J. A. Hemenway of Indiana.

Prof. W. C. Roentgen, discoverer of the X-ray, in Munich.

Judge Martin A. Knapp of Federal Court of Appeals.

Feb. 14—Rt. Rev. C. D. Williams, bishop of Michigan.

Feb. 22—Mrs. John A. Logan.

George R. Peck, noted lawyer and orator.

Feb. 24—Charlemagne Tower, former ambassador to Russia and Germany.

Feb. 26—Former United States Senator George C. Perkins of California.

March 1—Congressman W. Bourke Cockran of New York.

March 2—William G. Beale, prominent Chicago attorney.

March 3—Orson Smith, Chicago banker.

March 6—Charles D. Norton, New York banker.

March 13—Chancellor James R. Day, churchman and educator.

March 22—Milo D. Campbell, member federal reserve board.

March 24—Judge Donald L. Morrill of Illinois Appellate court.

Senator Samuel D. Nicholson of Colorado.

March 26—Mme. Sarah Bernhardt in Paris.

March 27—Congressman John R. Tyson of Alabama.

April 5—Earl of Carnarven.

Horace Boles, former governor of Iowa.

April 10—Oliver F. Fuller, pioneer Chicago wholesale druggist.

Stuyvesant Fish, financier and railway man, in New York.

George A. Yule, Wisconsin financier, at Kenosha.

April 11—John G. Rodgers, vice president of Pennsylvania railroad.

W. T. Hazen former head of United States secret service.

April 14—Bishop G. Mott Williams of the Episcopal diocese of Europe.

April 17—Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, presiding bishop of Episcopal church in United States, in St. Louis.

Rev. Dr. O. C. Houghton, pastor of "Little Church Around the Corner" New York city.

April 22—Maj. Gen. Frank D. Baldwin in Denver.

April 23—United States Senator Knute Nelson of Minnesota.

April 30—Emerson Hough, American author.

Bishop Alfred Harding of Episcopal church, in Washington.

May 1—Rear Admiral W. S. Cowles, United States navy, retired.

May 4—Congressman John W. Rainey of Chicago.

May 11—Brig. Gen. H. M. Robert, author of "Robert's Rules of Order," at Hornell N. Y.

May 14—Dr. J. A. Macdonald, former editor of Toronto Globe.

May 16—George Jay Gould in Mentone, France.

May 20—Dr. Florenz Ziegfeld, veteran leader in musical education, in Chicago.

May 23—Joseph W. Folk, former governor of Missouri.

May 31—Claude Kitchin, congressman from North Carolina.

June 10—Louis Viaud (Pierre Loti) famous French writer.

June 15—Gen. Luis Terrazas, once Mexico's richest man.

Maurice Hewlett, English novelist.

June 16—John McFarland, president International Typographical union.

June 22—Edward R. Potter, noted American sculptor.

July 2—Rt. Rev. James Ryan, bishop of Alton, Ill.

July 9—William R. Day, former associate justice of United States Supreme court.

July 10—Helen Ring Robinson, writer and politician and Colorado's first woman state senator.

Congressman Luther W. Mott of Oswego, N. Y.

July 11—Albert Chevalier, English actor.

July 12—United States senator William P. Dillingham of Vermont.

July 15—Dr. L. Wilbur Messer, leader of Y. M. C. A., in Chicago.

July 16—Louis Couperus, Dutch novelist.

John M. Siddall, editor American Magazine.

July 19—Rear Admiral C. D. Sigsbee, captain of the Maine when it was blown up in 1898.

William Holabird of Chicago, architect.

July 30—Sir Charles Hawtrey, English actor.

Aug. 2—Warren Gamaliel Harding, President of the United States.

Aug. 9—Randall Parrish, author, in Peoria, Ill.

Aug. 10—Juaquin Sorolla, Spanish painter.

Aug. 17—Marie Wainwright, actress, in Scranton, Pa.

Aug. 23—Baron Kato, premier of Japan.

Kate Douglas Wiggin, American author.

Aug. 31—Thomas Mosher, publisher, in Portland, Me.

Sept. 7—Edward Payson Dutton, publisher, of New York.

William R. Thayer, American author and journalist.

Sept. 15—Dr. C. F. Millspaugh, botanist, in Chicago.

Sept. 18—Paul J. Rainey, explorer and hunter, at sea.

Sept. 19—Max Bohm, American artist.

Sept. 23—Viscount Morley, British statesman and author.

Sept. 25—Edwin G. Cooley, educator, in Chicago.

Oct. 24—Dr. Boris Sidis, psychopathologist, at Portsmouth, N. H.

Oct. 26—Dr. C. P. Steinmetz, famous electrician, at Schenectady, N. Y.

Oct. 30—Andrew Bonar Law, former prime minister of Great Britain.

Nov. 3—G. R. Huntington, president of the Soo railway.

Nov. 4—S. R. McCall, former governor and congressman from Massachusetts.

Nov. 13—Clifford Thorne, noted attorney of Iowa, in London.

Nov. 17—Anthony Caminetti, former United States commissioner of immigration.

Nov. 18—George C. Taylor, president American Railway Express company, in New York.

Nov. 24—Frederick Dixon, former editor of Christian Science Monitor.

Dec. 1—Earl of Loreburn, former British lord chancellor.

A. O. Bunnell, veteran newspaper editor, at Dansville, N. Y.

Dec. 5—Sir William MacKenzie, Canadian railway magnate.

Bishop James Atkins of M. E. Church, South.

Dec. 8—Edward G. Brown, eminent Chicago attorney.

Dec. 10—Baron Shaughnessy, Canadian railway magnate.

Dec. 11—John R. Rathom, editor Providence Journal.

William A. Pinkerton, famous detective.

Dec. 13—Lawrence Sperry, American aviator, drowned in English channel.

Ex-Congressman Ben T. Cable of Rock Island, Ill.

Dec. 14—Dr. Harold N. Moyer, noted alienist, in Chicago.

Dec. 18—Edna Dean Proctor, author and poet.

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Mr. W. H. Sartor Host To The Gun Club.

On last Tuesday evening the home of Mr. W. H. Sartor was the scene of a congenial group of his friends, when he entertained at a lovely dinner. The table held as its central onament a pretty flowering Christmas cactus and hand painted place cards bore the inscription of the members of the gun club and friends. poinsettanut cups were an added attraction to the table. A delightful four course dinner was served to Messrs. Mallie White, H. T. Pipes, R. C. McDavid, Fred Calloway, V. J. Elmore, L. C. Ross, J. B. Atkinson, L. R. Lancaster, from Birmingham, Dr. J. P. Hayes, Dr. V. J. Gragg, Dr. E. E. Upchurch, Rev. C. C. Wilkerson and Dr. S. J. Ezell. The club presented Mr. Sartor with a lovely Christmas gift. Mr. J. B. Atkinson being spokesman of the occasion. A social smoke was enpoyed after dinner.

Wednesday Bridge Club Entertained.

Miss Kathleen Mullins proved a charming hostess on last Wednesday afternoon when she delightfully entertained the members of her Bridge club. Fragrant carnations lent grace and beauty to the apartments. After a spirited game the top score was held by Mrs. John Browder, who was presented a lovely embroidered handkerchief. Late in the afternoon a dainty salad plate was served.

Enjoying the game were Mesdames Frank Callen, John Browder, Hance Alred, Hugh Jones, Grady Reynolds, Victor Heard, Arthur Johnson, Oscar Jones, L. F. Gerald, Hugh Simpson, Willis Lyman and Miss Bettie Mullins. Mrs. Lyman will be next hostess.

Mrs. McSwain Hostess.

The Wednesday Sewing club were delightfully entertained on last Wednesday when Mrs. T. C. McSwain was hostess. Christmas greens and bulbs were used to decorate the apartments. A new member, Mrs. Bama Cox was welcomed into the club.

A delightful salad plate was served late in the afternoon.

Miss Marjorie Murphy, who is teaching at Oak Grove, spent the week-end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. P. Murphy.

Mr. C. Fenn Jones made a business trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

Mr. Will Culp was a visitor to the Capital City Tuesday.

Miss Tate has returned to resume school work after spending the holidays at home in Anniston.

MOTHERS—

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"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

Miss Carter, who spent the holidays in Georgia, has returned to resume her school duties here.

Mr. Joe Maddox visited his wife, who is sick in a hospital in Birmingham, Tuesday.

Mrs. John Armstrong is spending this week in Boothtown with her brother, Dr. Clarence Roper and wife.

Miss Jean Johnson left Saturday for Nashville where she is in school this winter.

The friends of Miss Marie Thomas will be interested to know that she has accepted the position as third grade teacher upon the resignation of Mrs. Dick Hayes.

Mr. J. O. Middleton made a business trip to Columbiana Monday.

After a couple of weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. Biles, his mother has returned to her home in Tennessee.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Amzi Gowan and Dr. Gowan in Brewton.

Mrs. J. C. Jones returned Saturday evening from a weeks visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. S. Hubbard from Verbena was the guest of Mrs. Watts Moore Friday.

Mrs. Frank Culpepper spent Tuesday in Jemison with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Erwin.

Mr. Will Robinson is spending this week in Havana, Fla., in interest of his mills there.

Mrs. Mattie Wooley and Hoyt Reynolds have returned home from a motor trip to South Alabama.

Earl Gore left Monday for Belle Buckle, Tenn., where he will resume school duties at Webb School.

Misses Sophia Mullins and Sallye Johnson left Saturday morning for Randolph-Macon, at Danville, Va., to resume school duties.

Miss Warrene Spigener has returned to Marion where she is a student this winter.

Mr. J. O. Middleton made a business trip to Montgomery last week.

Mrs. Macey Jones has returned home after a visit to her mother in Montgomery.

Miss Johnson has returned to Clanton after spending the holidays at Hamselle.

Mr. O. E. Latham from Dothan was a visitor to Clanton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonza Parrish are the proud parents of a fine boy, which arrived at their home Jan. 3.

Corn Mill Literally Swamped!

An Ohio farmer writes that his corn mill was so infested with roaches it was literally swamped! He used Royal uaranteed Ronch Powder to get rid of them and had no further trouble. Remember the name, Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., and Cooper Drug Co.

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A WONDERFUL SERMON

The Seventh-day Adventists are holding a Colporteurs' Institute in Clanton, which began last Sunday, Dec. 30, and will continue for 10 days. The evening services are devoted to the preaching of the message which they believe is due the world to day. President C. B. Stephenson filled the pulpit Sunday night, and last night and the night before pastor W. P. McLennan, of Birmingham, did the speaking. The subject last Wednesday night was "Is the World Getting Better?" The minister said in part:

"Where is the thoughtful man or woman that has not come face to face with this question? The overwhelming iniquity and the almost unbelievable events of the past few years have forced this question upon us, and while we may not care to meet it fairly and squarely for fear of becoming a pessimist, it would be well for us to remember the language of Col. John Temple Graves, 'We would better be truthful pessimists, than optimistic liars.'"

Your speaker is an optimist and recognizes the fact that never was optimism more needed than today.

In considering the above question, let us allow facts to answer the following questions:

Is the world improving, morally?
Is the world improving, spiritually?
Is the world improving, physically?
Is the world improving, civilly?

It was Woodrow Wilson who said, "I have found that the particular thing you have to surrender to is facts." We will now call to the witness stand those who are in position to speak authoritatively. Coming to the first of these four questions we call upon the following witness:

Mr. H. G. Wells, the English publivist, observes; "The ship of civilization is not going to sink in five years time or fifty years time. It is sinking now. . ."

Mr. Alfred Noyes of international reputation says, "Practical men, with their feet solidly planted upon the earth, are looking into the future as into an immeasurable darkness, and they are not sure whether there is solid ground in front of them, or whether the next few steps will bring them to the brink of the precipice."

Dr. Hoffman, statistician of the Prudential Life Insurance Co., says, "At the present time murder prevails in this country to an extent unheard of in the experience of civilized mankind," and the SPECTATOR asserts, "Murder indeed has become a safe trade."

Alfred Russell Wallace, whose life work was in the interests of evolution and who was a co-worker with Darwin, gives us the following in one of his last published books: "It is not too much to say that our whole system of society is rotten from the top to bottom, and the social environment as a whole, in relation to our possibilities and our claims, is the worst that the world has ever seen."

iLsten to ex-President Wilson: "In these doubtful and anxious days, when all the world is at unrest, and, look which way you will, the road ahead seems darkened by shadows which portend dangers of many kinds."

Mr. John R. Mott, witnesses: "It is a bewildered world, a confused world. This all means an imperiled world. We see everything disintegrating, and that leads to destruction."

Current History says criminal conditions "have been steadily growing worse and becoming more alarming for at least thirty years."

Statistics show that in thirty years crime has increased 500 per cent in the U. S., or four times the increase in population, and in the opinion of the Law Enforcement Committee of the American Bar Association, "the trial of a criminal is like a game of chance, with all the chance in facor of the criminal." No wonder Judge Lindsay said the question now is not of improving but of saving society. Why, my dear people, there are in New York City alone, according to David Starr Jordan, 12,000 college men who are down and out through vice.

This world of ours is out of joint to a large degree in every particular. Mark the increase in the number of suicides. The Save-Life League has reported that there were 20,000 suicides in 1922, an advance of twenty-three per cent over the previous year. All classes and ages are affected, from a 100 year old man to a child of five; from Millionaires to those dying of starvation. In the U. S. last year fifty college professors and school teachers, nineteen preachers, fifty-two judges and lawyers, eighty-four physicians, one hundred presidents of large concerns, seventy-nine millianaires, eighty-eight bankers, took their own lives. In New York City alone the average is more than two a day. The increasing number of suicides among boys and girls is particularly noticeable. From 477 in 1919 the total jumped to 900 in 1922. Boy suicides averaged in age, sixteen years, and girls, fifteen years. And there is only one source of hope in these perilous times—it is the blessed gospel hope. Titus 2:3.

We will now notice the second question: Is the world becoming better spiritually? As to the condition of our churches, Harold J. Hamilton spoke the truth when he stated as given in the LITERARY DIEST, our churches themselves "have become hot beds of infidelity, higher criticism, and evolution. The monkey gospel is today predominant in the protestant church. The Bible has been reduced to a classic. The blood atonement is called a slaughter house religion. For lack of space we cannot record all that is going on in the greater part of the church today, showing the drift of things toward complete apostasy. The world stands in need of heart religion and the old time gospel message. As ex-President Wilson recently said: "The sum of the whole matter is this, that our civilization cannot survive materially unless it be redeemed spiritually."

Passing on to the third question, is the world becoming better physically? Positively, No. While it is true that the average length of life has increased a few years, this increase of life is realized from the minimum of life and not from the maximum. In other words, there are fewer who reach the ages of fifty, seventy-five and one hundred than there were fifty years ago, but more that reach the younger ages. As Frederick L. Hoffman, the world's greatest statistician, says, "It is evident that the decline in death rate has been at the younger ages. . . and that there is no doubt that the morality of adult ages is still decidely excessive." And the death rate from diseases due to imorality is on the increase. More than sixty per cent of men are infected with these deadly diseases.

Insanity, indicating tissue degeneracy of the brain, has increased more than three hundred per cent in the last fifty years.

Is the world becoming better civilly or governmentally? The editor of the WASHINGTON POST presents this graphic picture. "The world's governments are now regarding with keenest anxiety the state of affairs in Germany, France, and England. sibilities of the near future." Says Premier Baldwin; "Our most acute and experienced specialists confess themselves baffled. They will tell you that in all history of statecraft they are familiar with there is no other complication so obstinate as this."

This is indeed, a dark picture, but nevertheless it is a true one and in the language of our late President, "It would be a grievous error to allow ourselves to feel too confident that this is only a temporary and passing aspect." The student of prophecy, knowing the meaning of all this can sing still,

"Blest be the tempest, kind the storm,
That drives me nearer home."

These very conditions enable us to "see the day approaching." Hb. 10:25. They are a fulfillment of such Scriptures as Matt. 24:12; 24:37-39; Tim. 3:1-5, 13. The Hope of the world at this time is summed up in one sentence, "Come, Lord Jesus, and come quickly."

Mr. P. H. Connell of Mt. Creek was in Clanton shaking hands with friends Tuesday.

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RESOURCES:

1.	Loans and Discounts		$204,151.62
2.	Overdrafts		1,100.73
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and W. S. Stamps		66,500.00
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants		10,700.00
5.	Banking House		2,700.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		2,727.25
8.	Cash—		
	(a) Currency	$ 25,748.00	
	(b) Gold	3,467.50	
	(c) Silver, Nickles and Pennies	1,467.38	
	Total		$ 30,682.88
9.	Due from Banks		157,253.96
12.	Checks and Cash Items		4,452.92
13.	Cash Items in Transit		6,489.24
	Total		$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$ 15,000.00
2.	Suplus Fund		3,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		62,784.01
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	(e) Individual Deposits	$305,509.50	
	(d) Due to Banks	600.00	
	(f) Cashier's Checks	1,807.12	
	(g) Certified Checks	11.25	
	Total		$307,827.87
6.	(b) Time Certificates	$ 98,146.72	
	Total		$ 98,146.72
	Total		$486,758.60

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came F. J. Callen, President of The Peoples Savings Bank, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

F. J. CALLEN, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8th day of January, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

ATTEST:
N. S. JOHNSON,
G. C. HARRIS,
J. HANCE ALRED,
Directors.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

Republicans, Pay Your Poll Tax and Register Now

JUDGE REYNOLDS WRITES MORE OF THE HAND AFFAIR

Says That Thompson Makes Two Different Statements Of What Was Said.

Clanton, Ala., Jan. 15, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I do not wish to prolong the controversy which happened in my office while I was in Washington, but my attention has been called to an affidavit by Mr. J. F. Thompson in the Chilton County News of last week in which Mr. Thompson stated:

"That in company with J. J. Pickens and W. T. Hand, I went to the Record Room in the Court House at Clanton, Alabama, to work on the poll tax records on Friday morning, December 14th, 1923. Shortly after our arrival Omar Reynolds came in and stated that he would like to put some one in there to watch, as Mr. Hand had been in here before looking at the books, and gone out and made statements that there had been names rubbed off. Prior to this time, not one discourteous, unpleasant or unkind word had been spoken by anyone, in fact, Mr. Hand had not spoken to either of the clerks in the probate office. Mr. Hand was with me in the record room at work the entire day mentioned, execpt when he left for the train but returned in about two or three minutes. I told Judge Reynolds on Wednesday, December 19th in the office of Grover Walker, that it was not Mr. Hand but I was the one who asked the Clerk for the information relative to the names on the poll list. There was nothing unusual or unpleasant resulted from my inquiry. Mr. Hand was at work on the other side of the table and took no part in the inquiry I made."

In other words, Mr. Thompson states emphatically that not one discourteous, unpleasant or unkind word had been spoken by any one, and further states that Mr. Hand had not spoken to either of the clerks in the probate office. However, quite different is the statement of Mr. Thompson in his letter to The Union-Banner of December 27th, wherein he states:

"The truth of the matter is that I did not say an unkind or discourteous word to either of the ladies in the office, nor was an unkind or discourteous word spoken to either of them by any one in my presence or hearing. Neither did either of them burst into tears or go for assistance so far as I know. It certainly did not happen in the record room where I was all the time. To show that your statement is not true, Judge Reynolds said to me in

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PROGRESS ON THE DRAINAGE WORK OF SWAMPS HERE

Mr. Collins Completes His Part of Work And Turns His List Over to Lawyers.

Mr. J. D. Collins, who was hired by the drainage meeting two months ago to draw up the initiative plans for the drainage of the swamps around Clanton, reports that his work of drawing up the sketch map of the project and the proper entering of the signatures to the petition have been completed. Mr. Collins has turned the matter over to the attorneys, who are getting the papers in legal form. As soon as this is done the papers will be filed with the Probate Judge, who will take the matter in hand and go to work with it in accordance with the State drainage laws.

To merely glance at the matter it looks as though the work is going forward slowly, but when one considers the enormity of the project and the fact that it has to be done in accord with the State and Federal laws touching on it, it takes time to get it all worked up. Mr. Collins assures us that the work is not at all dead but that the prospects now are very promising. A sufficient number of signatures of the land owners have been secured to carry the work on, and it is hoped that as soon as the season gets right the matter may be far enough advanced for the real work of the dredging to begin.

We will ask that everyone who is interested in the advancement of our town and community stay squarely behind the proposition and take advantage of every opportunity to push it forward. This thing means more to the advancement of the community than any other thing we know of at this time. We can't afford to let this opportunity pass.

JOHN L. GORE APPOINTED

Mr. J. L. Gore, ex-Sheriff of Chilton County, last Friday received his appointment as Federal Prohibition Enforcement officer of Alabama, the appointment coming through Judge H. W. Hargett of Birmingham, Federal Prohibition Director.

Mr. Gore left Sunday for Birmingham to report for duty. It is generally thought that Mr. Gore will be placed at Girard, Ala., to do prohibition enforcement work, however, this will be a matter for the state department to determine.

Mr. Gore will be engaged in practically the same work as Mr. Walter Gillespie has been doing in Chilton and adjoining counties for the past few years.

MR. LANDE MOVES STORE

Mr. Maurice Lande, proprietor of The Leader, is moving his stock of goods back into the old stand in the Mullins Building which was burned a few months ago. The building has been thoroughly renovated and the front painted red, so now it measures up very favorably with Mr. Lande's idea of a real store house. When he gets it chug full of brand new goods he will be ready for business in the right way.

DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX BY FEB. 1.

THREE IMPORTANT ELECTIONS WILL COME OFF THIS YEAR

The Success or Failure of the Republican Party of Chilton County Depends Largely Upon Payment of Poll Taxes and Registration of Voters Within Next Few Days.

The time allowed to pay poll tax closes on the night of February 1st, and the payments so far have been exceedingly low. The Board of Registrars are now making their rounds over the county for the purpose of registering those who have become 21 years of age during the past year and all others who have not heretofore registered. So, now is the time for the Republicans of Chilton County to prepare.

There is seldom ever a year when the full strength of the party is more needed than this year. There are three elections to come off and they are all very important ones. The special election for the election of presidential delegates to the national conventions will be held in March. The regular primary comes off in May, when we are to nominate a County Treasurer, two County Commissioners and one Member of the County Board of Education. In November comes the general election when we will elect the above named officers together with president of the United States. Also there will very likely be other matters of vital importance to be voted on.

The Republicans of Chilton County can readily see how important it is for us to get busy now and within the next few days place ourselves in position to be able to stand our ground in these coming elections. The Democrats have got the down-hill pull on us since every member of the Board of Registrars are Democrats, and they are going to take unlimited advantage of this opportunity. The only chance we have to keep our party ahead of the procession is to work while we can and not wait till it is everlastingly too late.

This matter is the business of every Republican in Chilton County. If you haven't already paid the poll tax of yourself, your wife, your mother, your daughter and your son, do it now. Look around among the other Republicans of your community and see that they do the same. The plan of the Democrats is to work by making as little fuss as possible, but just because they are not making a big noise don't let them make you believe they are not working. We have got to combat these efforts by working our side of the matter, and now is the time to do it.

If you can't meet the Board of Registrars when they come to your precinct, then meet them at the court house in Clanton between January 21st and February 2nd, inclusive. While they are at the court house they are allowed to register voters from any precinct in the county.

In short, our appeal is simply this: Get all of the Republicans of Chilton County to register and pay their back poll tax while we have the opportunity—and remember we have only a few days left in which to do it.

ROWLAND W. TAYLOR MOVES TO CLANTON

Mr. Roland W. Taylor of the firm of Baker and Taylor has moved his family to Clanton to live. Mr. Taylor and his folks arrived here last Friday and their household goods came one day this week. Mr. Taylor will live in the house which he has owned in the Gowan Addition for the past several years, which is located on the corner of First Street and Third Avenue South near the high school building.

Mr. Taylor needs no introduction to the people of Chilton County, as he is the son of our good old fellow townsman, T. G. Taylor of farming and grist-mill fame. Roland worked in dry good stores in Clanton several years ago and since that time has worked for ten years as traveling salesman for a well known wholesale grocery during which time he traveled all over the north-eastern part of Alabama.

This pogressive young man left a good and well-paying job to pitch his tent in Clanton, but he has got the stuff that makes success sure wherever he goes. In going into partnership with Mr. Baker in the retail mercantile business Mr. Taylor does so with the same spirit in which he went out on his rounds as traveling salesman and that is to give the very best service in his power. He is in business with a man that has succeeded well in business life, and the combined efforts of the two cannot possibly result in anything other than the building of a business of which Clanton may be justly proud.

WHITE CITY MAN KILLED IN CYCLONE LAST THURSDAY

Mr. J. E. Hargett, age 63, of White City, was killed in a cyclone which visited his place last Thursday. Mr. Hargett was in his barn shucking corn when the wind came which swept the barn down taking the life of Mr. Hargett and two mules and one horse.

The services of J. Mell Martin, Undertaker, of Clanton were procured to prepare the body for burial, which occurred Friday.

MARRIED SATURDAY NIGHT

Last Saturday night about 11 o'clock, after Uncle Dock Wells had gone to bed and been asleep quite a while, someone knocked at his chamber door. Uncle Dock hated mighty bad to part with his good warm bed, but the knocking would not stop until he got up and answered it. Upon opening the door ne was told by the bold intruder that he wanted to get married. Uncle Dock shivering from the cold said, "My, Lord, young man, can't you wait till morning?" The reply of "Nope" came forth immediately. So, Uncle Dock did not argue any further but jerked on his breeches and proceeded to perform the sacred ceremony.

The contracting parties were Mr. Ervin Treace and Miss Eselee Wells, both of Clanton. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Treace will make their home in Sylacauga, Ala.

MR. A. B. TUCKER HERE

Mr. A. B. Tucker, feature writer for the Montgomery Advertiser, was in Clanton Monday and Tuesday of this week. He was pesent at the W. O. W. meeting at the court house Monday night, he being a state officer in that fraternity.

While here Mr. Tucker decided to write up a feature story of the progress of Clanton and Chilton County during the past year which will be published in The Advertiser one day this week. Write-ups of this kind in the daily papers is splendid advertising for Clanton and Alabama.

CAUGHT A WILD CAT

One day last week Mr. Napoleon Willis of Providence went to one of his traps on Coosa River and found that he had caught a big full-grown wild catamount. The trap had the animal by one of his feet and was not injured in any way. Napoleon managed some way to get the cat in a cage and brought him home alive and in fine shape. The animal is still alive and Mr. Willis says he will bring him to Clanton one day soon so that everybody may see him.

NINE OF SOUTHERN POWER COMPANIES BID FOR SHOALS

Proposal Provides Part of Plant Shall be Devoted to Making Fertilizers For Farmers.

Washington, Jan. 9.—Promising a return of $100,000,000 to the government over a period of 50 years, the nine principal power companies of the South Wednesday laid before the Federal Power Commission a letter which is tantamount to a new offer for Muscle Shoals.

The new offer proposes a lease for the government properties at Muscle Shoals, exclusive of the nitrate plants, for a period of 50 years, at a rental of $2,000,000 a year, this annual payment being 4 per cent interest on the government's estimated total investment of $50,000,000, when construction is completed.

The proposal provides that in time of national emergency the government may take over the property, and it would be subject to recapture by the government at the end of the 50-year period, as provided by the federal water power law.

The joint letter of the nine power companies contemplates the organization of a company to lease the Muscle Shoals properties. The letter details the offer in this way:

The proposed company "would agree to pay a rental to the government sufficient to meet all interest charges on expenditures on the project to the time of its completion, including the $17,000,000 expended during and just after the war.

"This total expenditure, we understand, will be approximately $45,000,000, on the assumption that the government installs eight generating units in the hydro plant, to which should be added $4,500,000, the present value of the government steam plant at Muscle Shoals, making a total of approximately $50,000,000 as the basis for the interest charges.

"This interest return, therefore, taken at the government rate of 4 per cent, amounts to approximately $2,000,000 per annum, which the licensee would be prepared to pay. If the government installs additional power units beyond eight, the return to the government should be increased accordingly.

"If the government desires to sell the steam plant mentioned, one or more of the undersigned would be prepared to purchase the same at $4,500,000 on terms satisfactory to the government.

"The rental for the first six years would be at the rate of $300,000 per annum; for the next four years, $1,500,000 per annum, increasing the following year to the maximum rental."

Under this plan the property would be operated under the protection and regulation of the federal water power act, it is pointed out, and the government would retain ownership of all of its properties involved.

The letter states that the entire Muscle Shoals Power can be absorbed in the South within a period of not exceeding 10 years from the completion of the project, owing to the interlocking Southern superpower system already established.

"During the first few years of the lease," the letter says, "it would be necessary for the power companies to expend not less than $10,000,000 in new lines, additional units and other equipment necessary to transmit and deliver the power to various parts of the South."

The power company would supply the necessary power to operate the government locks without expense to the government, the latter to operate the locks.

In time of war, the government could assume control of the property if it saw fit.

"Under the plan proposed," the letter goes on to say, "ample provision would be made for the supply of electric energy for the manufacturer of fertilizer at Muscle Shoals, such energy to be supplied at actual cost to the licensee."

GRADY REYNOLDS ENDORSED AS U. S. DIST. ATTORNEY

Reliable Reports Say Local Attorney Will Be Appointed By Attorney General.

Appointment of a United States district attorney for the middle district of Alabama is expected to be made within the next few days. Attorney General Daugherty conferred with President Coolidge Saturday afternoon regarding several appointments, among which is said to have been that in the Montgomery district.

According to reliable reports, the appointment will go to Grady Reynolds, of Clanton. He has had strong endorsements presented at the White House and at the department of justice. The only objection raised against Mr. Reynolds has been his comparative youth, but his experience at the bar is said by his friends to be so extensive as to counterbalance this factor.

Mr. Reynolds and his father, Probate Judge Reynolds, of Chilton county, were in Washington ten days ago regarding the appointment. No information has been given out here as to the assistant to be named to the district attorney. This is not a presidential appointment.

It is understood that strong efforts have been made to compose factional differences in the ranks of Alabama republicans and that probably one of the applicants for the major post would be named assistant. The appointment has been pending many months and President Coolidge is anxious to have the matter cleared up.

Mr. Leon B. Popwell of Thorsby Route 1 was in Clanton Monday morning. He was here to confer with the county officials regarding the new county road law.

DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR POLL TAX BY FEB. 1.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT
of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager)

It was the privilege of the writer to attend the annual meeting of the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association, Saturday, Jan. 12th. We were very much impressed with the orderly and business like manner in which the proceedings were conducted. This Association now has 220 members, 16 of whom were enrolled at this meeting. A representative of the Dyer Fruit Box Mfg. Co., of Dyer, Tenn., was present and stated that Thorsby fruit and Truck Growers Association was the best organized of any association of its kind he had ever visited. The residential area covered by its members extends from Clanton to some distance north of Jemison, and four or five miles either east or west from Thorsby, a territory which includes appoximately 100 square miles. One needs but to see these men assembled for a business meeting and note their close attention to all the proceedings, their prompt action on all important questions, their seeming confidence in and respectful attention to their officers, to realize something of the potency of the force of this body of Chilton County farmers organized.

There was no bombastic oratory, but a full and free discussion of the question before the house in which each speaker took part briefly and with evident intelligence.

In the elections which followed the routine business, the confidence of the most of the members in those who have been officers for the past year was manifest by the election of so many to succeed themselves.

For the ensuing year the officers elected were: Carl C. Peterson, President; Green S. Burnett, Vice- President; Chas. M. Williams, Secretary, J. Milton Smith, Treasurer; Chas. A. Peterson, Business Manager.

Directors elected were: Carl C. Petersen, Green S. Burnett, J. Walter Littleton, M. J. Soberg, Wm. A. Hayes.

One feature of the business is the necessity of making provision for growing and harvesting and marketing the crops before they are grown. Crates and Fertilizes must be purchased wholly on faith that there will be a crop grown to put in them.

As evidence that this confidence is justified by results we submit the report of the Treasurer for the past year, which was an unsally hard one, because of laet frosts which destroyed the best and earliest half of the strawberry crop, making the season late, when competition made prices low, and in addition a rainy season which injured the quality of many of the berries.

Produce Sold in 1923 By Thorsby Fruit & Truck Growers Association, Thorsby, Ala.

13,405 crates Strawberries	$37,146.15
307 crates Tomatoes	566.15
349 Hampers Beans	567.44
69 crates Grapes	119.87
53 cts. Scuppernongs	72.63
Other produce sold	1,020.00

Eleven car loads of fertilizers were ordered co-operatively and distributed to the members at factory prices at greatly reduced prices over individual buyers.

The ball game between Montevallo and Thorsby, January 11th, resulted in a victory for Thorsby. The score was 20 to 13.

Thosby Institute Items

The Lyceum numbers which are being given under the auspices of Thorsby Institute contine to be entertaining and instrctive. The attendance has increased with each performance. The third number which was held January 14th, had a larger attendance than any of the others. Be on the lookout for the announcement of the next number.

The first semester ends the 25th of January. Examinations will be held on the 24th and 25th. Anyone who is planning to attend the Institute will do well to enroll at the beginning of the second semester. New classes are formed at this time, making it the logical time to commence your work.

At the January meeting of the T. I. Board of Trustees held Thursday, the 10th, Rev. Joseph E. Each, the new pastor of the Congressional church, was elected a Trustee and member of committees to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. J. W. Davenport, when he left for Tennessee.

At this meeting Miss Helen C. Jenkins was again elected as principal of the school for the ensuing year, beginning July 1st, 1924, to succeed herself. Other members of the faculty will be elected at the April meeting.

Miss Jenkins has asked us to say, to avoid misunderstanding, that the new honor conferred on Thursby Institute by enrollment on the accredited list of the Southern States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, has no bearing whatever on being on the accredited list of the State of Alabama, an honor that the school has long enjoyed.

The annual stockholders meeting of the Bank of Thorsby was held last Tuesday evening, at which time reports were made by the officers, showing that the bank had had a most prosperous year.

The following Directors were elected for the ensuing year: Chas. E. Lucas, Felix Eiland, E. W. Butler, C. C. Peterson, J. H. Goddard, J. R. Martin and A. E. Reagan. Mr. A. M. Grimsley was re-elected chairman of the board.

Upon adjournment of the stockholders, the directors went into session and elected officers for the coming year. Those elected were: Chas. E. Lucas, Pres.; C. C. Peterson, Vice-Pres.; and C. R. Foss, Cashier.

It was voted that $3,000.00 be placed to the surplus account, and a 10 per cent dividend be declared.

A general spirit of friendship and good will, as well as satisfaction over the last years results, prevailed at the meeting.

Mr. J. B. Wells, who for the past few months has been working for the Chilton County News of Clanton, has accepted a position in Selma with the Times-Journal and leaves this week to take up the work down there.

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ELECTRIGITY ON FARM IMPORTANT

Dr.. E. A. White, National Figure, Predicts Great Things for the Farmers From Auburn's Test.

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 14.(—Special.)—That the farm electrical research and investigational work which will be done jointly by the Alabama Polytechnic Institute and the Alabama Power Company will reveal facts of tremendous importance in making agriculture a more profitable industry and farm life more attractive is the opinion of Dr. E. A. White, national figure in work of this kind, as expressed by him while in Auburn today.

Dr. White represents one of the most powerful study groups ever formed in the United States. It is composed of the American Farm Bureau Federation, the National Electric Light Association, the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, and the U. S. Departments of Agriculture, Commerce and Interior.

The application of electricity to farms for the production of power is one of the most important possibilities of the work, thinks Dr. White. He declares that farm income parallels farm power and expresses his belief that electricity produced on the streams of Alabama can be made to supply Alabama farmers with power in such a way as to make it very advantageous for them to use it.

MRS. NANCY RETHERFORD DIES IN CLANTON HOSPITAL

Mrs. Nancy Ann, wife of the late I. O. Retherford of Mineral Springs, died in the Central Alabama Hospital last Saturday night about midnight, Mrs. Retherford was 76 years old and was the second wife of Mr. Retherford. She was married about forty years ago and was not the mother of any children. The only living whole brother of the deceased is Mr. James E. Mullins who lives at Lawley, Ala. Her last whole sister, Mrs. W. W. Jones, died in Clanton about six months ago. Mr. W. I. Mullins of Clanton is her half brother.

The deceased, being a daughter of Rev. James A. Mullins, was a member of one of the most prominent families of this section. Rev. Mullins was the organizer of the Clanton Baptist Chuch and to his good name hangs the honor of having been intimately connected with the founding of several of our leading Baptist Churches in Chilton County. Although originally a Baptist, when Mrs. Retherford was married she went with her husband to the Methodist Church where she remained a faithful member until her death. Her membership was with the Lime Springs Methodist Church.

The remains were laid in their final resting place beside her husband in the Mountain Springs Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. Rev. C. C. Wilkerson, pastor of the Clanton Methodist Church, preached the funeral, assisted by Rev. Ezell of the Clanton Baptist Church.

MAGGIE AND GIGGS AT HIGH SCHOOL

The famous old story of "Bringing up Father" by Magie and Giggs was played at the county high school auditorium last Monday night by a New York company of players. The spaceous auditorium was filled to capacity, and evreyone seemed to enjoy the play emensely. A nice collection was taken in, a part of which was kept by the school. There is one thing about Clanton people and that is they enjoy nice wholesome amusement.

CLASSIFIED ADS

DUROC BROOD SOW FOR SALE.—Thorough bred, just weaned first litter of pigs, 18 months old.— E. E. Plier, Clanton Route 1. 1t pd.

LOST.—Large Shepherd dog with rope around neck, on Sunday, Jan. 6. Finder please return to Mrs. Roy, Clanton, Ala., and get reward. 1 tpd.

IF ITS STOVE WOOD you want, phone F. A. Ellison, Clanton Route 1. 1-17-4tpd.

COTTON SEED FOR SALE.—Pure Half and Half Seed, limited quantity, $1.50 per bushel. Walter G. Vinson, Clanton Route 6. 1-17-4t pd.

LOCAL SALESMAN WANTED for Clanton and vicinity to sell Double-Wear Shoes direct from factory to wearer. Our new measuring apparatus insues perfect fitting. For full particulars write the DOUBLEWEAR SHOE COMPANY, 315 East Lake Street, Minneapolis, Minn. 1t pd.

ONE-HORSE FARM FOR RENT.—Located three miles west of Clanton, near Baker School House, will rent for fourth. Apply to Miss Monnie Baker, Clanton Route 7. 1172t pd.

MONUMENTS.—For right prices and guaranteed material and workmanship in Mouments, see or write G. B. Golden, Clanton, Ala., Route 5. 1-10-4t ch.

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. E. D. Hand, 5 miles south of Clanton on the B. & M. Highway, desires your patronage in dressmaking. She is a student from the Woman's Institute and is competent to do the work. 1-10-4t pd.

STRAYED MULE.—Owner may call and get a black mare mule with brown nose, about 6 or 7 years old, weighs about 950 pounds, that came to my house last Friday, by paying for trouble and this advertisement.—Tommie Gray, Verbena, Ala., Route one, at Enterprise School House. 1-10-4t pd.

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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF GUARDIAN

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Cassie Thomas as guardian of Willie Mae Thomas and Matalie Thomas, minors, has filed her resignation of guardianship of the above named minors in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama and also vouchers, receipts and disbursements accompanying the same and that the same is set for hearing on Saturday, Feb. 2, 1924, at the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at which time all parties interested may appear and contest same if they desire.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-10-3tc Judge Of Probate.

STREET FAIR IN CLANTON

A street fair with ferris wheel and everything is showing in Clanton every night this week. The show is located on the Curry lot in the east edge of West End. The main part of the show is the famous old plantation performance by a troupe of darky players.

MISLEADING STATISTICS

Statistics are sometimes not what they seem. For instance, it is announced that our agricultural imports exceed our exports by about $400,000,000. But there is included in this forest products which are really poducts of the soil, but not, in the usual meaning of the term, agicultural. We import a large quantity of wood pulp. Excluding forest products, the excess of so-called agricultural imports is about $100,000,000. Bt there is included in that silk and rubber, neither of which is usually classed as agricultural, althogh strictly such when we consider their origin. When food products alone are considered, our exports and imports very nearly balance. Our imports of food products are very largely of a class of commodities we do not produce in this country—coffee, tea, spices, tropical fruits, etc.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I will make application for a parole for Bully Hubbard at the next regular meeting of the Board of Pardons. Hubbard was convicted of murder and given a life sentence in Chilton County on December 14th, 1894.

W. A. GIBSON.

Woco Pep Advances

Owing to the recent heavy advances in the price of crude oil, and an advance of three to four cents at the refineries, we find that we are today compelled to advance the price of Woco Pep two cents a gallon. We regret very much to have to do this, however, to meet the cost of today we are compelled to do so, and while we feel that the large companies will do the same within the next few days, tho our price will be two cents higher regardless of what the others do. We thank the public for their patronage, and even at two cents more Woco Pep is still cheaper than ordinary gas.

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Severe Indigestion

"I had very severe attacks of Indigestion," writes Mr. M. H. Wade, a farmer, of R. F. D. 1, Weir, Miss. "I would suffer for months at a time. All I dared eat was a little bread and butter. . . consequently I suffered from weakness. I would try to eat, then the terrible suffering in my stomach! I took medicines, but did not get any better. The druggist recommended

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and I decided to try it, for, as I say, I had tried others for two or more years without any improvement in my health. I soon found the Black-Draught was acting on my liver and easing the terrible pain.

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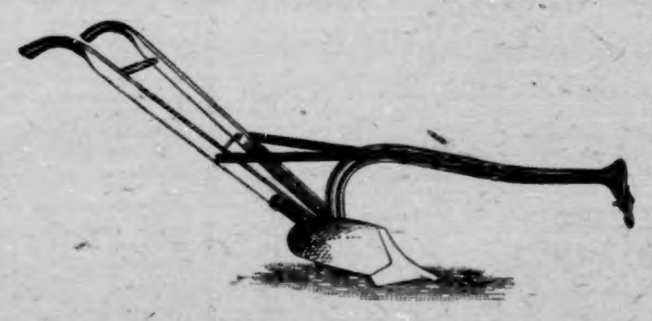

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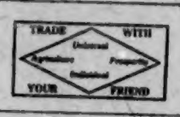

To notice the increase in the bank deposits in the banks of Clanton during the past year will show how business conditions in general are improving. The total deposits in both banks on January 1, 1923 was $824,985.94, and on January 1, 1924 was $935,026.54, an increase of $110,040.60. Yes, this Republican prosperity is playing havoc with the country.

Saturday Evening Post—To handle private trust funds carelessly and wastefully is a serious matter and one is promptly fired for it; to handle public trust funds carelessly and wastefully may make one so popular that he will be returned by an increased majority. To get votes with five-dolalr bills is bribery and one goes to prison for it; to get votes with legislation voting tax money to favored classes and localities is statesmanship and one goes to Congress for it. Vote getting is sometimes hard to distinguish from vote buying, unless one is trained to nice political distinctions.

There has recently been placed before the War Department a bid for Muscle Shoals which surpasses any that have heretofore been made for that property. There is no stings to this poposition since the lesees agree to pay the government its legal rate of four per cent on all the money it has invested at Muscle Shoals and too the lease is only for a period of fifty years. The nine leading power companies of the South are jointly submitting the proposition and they agree to form a separate and distinct firm to operate the Muscle Shoals plants but at the same time this firm will be backed by all nine of the companies. This is by far the most workable proposition the government has received.

As Secretary of the Treasury, W. G. McAdoo, whose hat is in the ring for president of the United States, appointed John Burke, a Knight of Columbus, as Treasurer of the United States. After his retirement from that office Burke became director of a bucket-shop financial concern that quickly went into bankruptcy with liabilities overwhelmingly in excess of assets. Secretary McAdoo also placed Wm. J. Flynn, another Irish Knight of Columbus at the head of the treasury secret service. The private secretary to McAdoo was also a Roman Catholic. Mr. Underwood of Alabama is also closely affiliated with the Catholics and whiskey heads of the country and has come out openly against the Ku Kux Klan. Mr. Musgrove had a mighty slim chance of being nominated, so what are the liberty-loving and truly American Democrats of our country going to do for a president?

CHIPPING IT OFF

The public debt of the United States was reduced $400,000,000 during 1923, and now stands at approximately $21,500,000,000. The man who is successfully engineering the liquidation of our huge war obligations ought to be trusted in the matter of tax redctions. Secretary Mellon knows what the Treasury needs and how best to obtain it.

BOK HITS ROCK

One thing the author of the Bok plan failed to explain is how the United States could take part in all the deliberations of the league council and assembly and yet not be a member of the league. Yet that is what his precious plan calls for. There is nothing in the league covenant that would countenance such an instrusion of an outsider, and if it were accepted it would simply mean putting another puncture in that already badly riddled contract.

KEEPS POWDER DRY

Jugoslavia declares she can mobilize 2,000,000 men in 24 hours, and that a slight shortage in artillery ammunition can be quickly supplied. Jugoslavia is a member of the league of nations, but she is careful not to depend on that organization to protect her independence. Article X of the covenant guarantees each member against territorial aggression, but each member knows that its real guarantee lies in an effective military force—just as it did before the World War was fought and before the league was even dreamed of.

These Arctic Expeditions Ain't What They Usta Be!

EQUITABLE REPRESENTATION FOR SOUTH

Washington, Jan. 14.—By telling part of the truth, and suppressing the rest, certain public speakers and editors are misrepresenting the facts concerning Southern repesentation in the next Republican National Convention. For the purpose of creating the impression that an un undue advantage is to be given to President Coolidge in the Convention the assertion is made that the Republican National Committee, at its recent session, increased the representation of Southern States over the representation they had in 1920, and over the representation that was planned when the Committee met some two and one-half years ago. Thus far these critics of the Republican National Committee told the truth. Southern States will have a slightly larger representation than they had in 1920.

But these critics are guilty of misrepresentation when they stoppel with the telling of this part of the story. They fail to state that while he South will get nine more delegates than in the Convention of 1920, Northern States get 114 more delegates thus more than counterbalancing the additional representation given to the South. When representation is considered in percentages, which is the determining factor in measuring relative strength, the South has relatively less representation in the next Convention than it had in 1920. Thus is carried out the spirit of the recommendations made by the last National Convention

The resolutions adopted by the Convention of 1920 directed the National Committee to adopt "a just and equitable basis of representation in future National Concentions." In 1921 a subcommittee worked out a plan of representation that was thought to carry out this instruction. When this plan was considered at the recent meeting of the Committee it was found that it would deprive a number of Congressional Districts in the South of any representation. The resolution of the National Convention called for "just and equitable representation." The plan under consideration would have deprived those Districts of any representation whatever. In order to correct this injustice the National Committee adopted a revised plan which gives every Congressional District at least one delegate, but, in order to carry out the spirit of the instruction which contemplated giving the South a smaller relative representation, the number of delegates accredited to Northen States was incensed.

In this connection it might be well to emphasize the fact that it is Democatic legislation in the South that prevents Republicans from recording their votes. If the National Committee were to base representation in the next Convention on the actual number of votes cast, this action would be, in effect, permitting the Democratic Legislatures of the South to dictate the number of delegates from that section of the country who shall sit in a Republican Convention. Democrats are now accusing the Republicans of cutting down the representation of the South in a Republican Convention. It is a sufficient answer to them to say that if they wish the South to have a sufficient answer to them to say that if they wish the South to have a larger representation in a Republican National Convention this can be readily accomplished by their revising their election laws and election practices in such a way as to permit Republicans to vote at general elections in Southern States.

Probably no plan can be devised that will accomplish exact justice in apportioning delegates to a National Convention. It may be safely asserted, however, that the plan recently adopted is the closest possible approximation of "just and equitable representation" as called for by the last National Convention.

TOADIES FOUND THEIR TOADSTOOLS

One of the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad has set forth some of the reasons why he thinks the railroad workers should not be in favor of Government ownership or operation. He points out the well-known fact that during the era of McAdoovian management of the railroads, "Every labor leader, large and small, took a liking to the climate of the National Capital. The hotels did a thriving business alone in entertaining these gentlemen. They were then handy to general headquarters for all of the lines where wages and other concessions were administered, and the authorities who administered them were not appointed by or responsible to any board of directors for their actions, but to a political party and to that party alone." The writer of the letter from which the above is quoted is not opposed to increase in wages, or other concessions but he is opposed to a system which places the wage question in politics. He thinks the wage question, like every other question in the business management of railroads should be settled on business principles and not according to the political interests of the people who happen to be in power.

FREE SPEECH WINS

The American Legion has found it impossible to enforce its rule limiting free speech among its member posts. The Legion undertook to say that, inasmuch as the parent organization had decreed in favor of the soldiers' bouns, no individual post could publicly proclaim its opposition to the bouns. The proposition has been tested in New York where a post formally adopted a resolution protesting against the bonus. A grievance committee made an investigation and determined that the offending post could not be penalized for its action. It is probable that many other local units of the Legion will register opposition to the bonus grant, now it has been ascertained that it is in order to do so.

THE USUAL THING

The reclamation projects, taken as a whole, cost the Government 50 per cent more than was estimated and some of the settlers are called upon to pay per acre four times as much as they were led to believe would be demanded of them. It is probable that private enterprise would not have undertaken this work. A lot of the settlers pobably wish that the Govenment had not undertaken it. Be that as it may, the results are one more demonstration of the expensiveness and inefficiency of government operation when conducted at its best.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
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Clanton, - - - Alabama

P. R. R. STOCKHOLDERS

One of the greatest influences for efficiency among the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad is their ownership of stock in the company. Up to the end of last year they had purchased 30,241 shares on the installment plan, in addition to other stock holdings by various employees. The stockholders realize they are part owners of the property which they serve and are eager to give their best efforts toward making it a profitable enterprise. They understand the point of view of those other millions of railroad stock holders who have suffered from interruptions to transportation by strikes and other causes.

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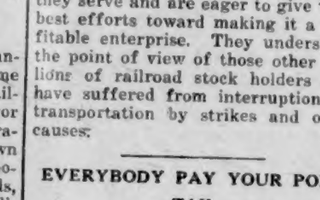
February 1st, 1924, is not long off, and Mr. Rockett says that people are paying their poll tax mighty slowly. Now, this is not only a privilege but a duty of every person who is otherwise eligible to vote. If you haven't enough interest in your government to want to vote, then you ought to have enough interest in your schools to pay $1.50 into that fund. So, we wish to urge everyone of voting age to look after this important matter. And it would be unwise for everybody to wait till the last few days, as a big rush would result. Don't put it off but go now and look after this matter.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Walker Spairs, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton county for murder on December 8, 1916, and was given a life sentence, will make application before the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

1-3-3t pd. WALKER SPARIS.

A. C. Smith C. B. Smith
SMITH & SMITH
Attorneys-At-Law
Second Floor Smith Building
CLANTON, ALA.



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MR. WALKER WRITES ABOUT ROADS

Editor Union-Banner:

May I say to the people of Chilton County who do not respect the public roads of the County that if you don't help keep up the roads, please don't detroy them by putitng something in the ditches that will cause them to fill up and turn the water across the road.

Last Wednesday I was called to a washout on the Pletcher and Plantersville Road which will cost the County $35.00 to put the fill back like it was. One man violated the road law by putting his wire fence in the ditch. 30 minutes work on the right-of-way would have prevented all the trouble. So, if you can't help keep up the roads, please don't help the "bear."

I have a man on my mind who claims to be a good citizen who will throw trash, scraps of goods boxes, old automobile tires or any thing else in the ditches and cause them to fill up and the water to run a quarter of a mile down the road. It is the desire of your probate judge and commissioners to build up the country roads of the county. If you can't help us push up hill, please don't push down hill.

I want the people of the Third District to help me to look out for better places for the roads where there needs to be changes, so that we wont spend your money on the old roads and then change them. Let's put the roads in the right place and then spend the money on them.

I will call a meeting in each Beat in my District to discuss what I consider to be some of the most important matters about what it takes to build good roads.

Yours for better roads,
C. T. WALKER.

POPLAR SPRINGS

Know all Men by these Presents:

In regard to a certain rumor started in Poplar Springs District, No. 30, about a dance to be at the school house and said rumor was carired to Supt. H. L. Foshee's office by J. L. McDowell and H. W. Devaughn; that possibly two of the trustees were informed of said dance.

We, the undersigned Trustees, as far as us being in favor of said dance, brand the report as a wilful, malicious, dastardly, cowardly lie and we challenge the said perpetrators of the report to prove we were in favor of said dance.

J. H. TRAYWICK,
J. E. McDOWELL,
Trustees.

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Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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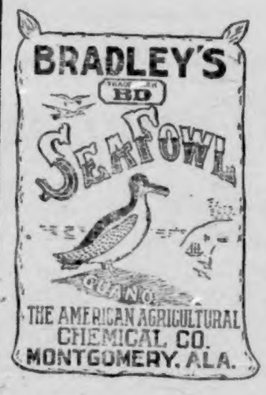

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NEW SALEM NEWS

Dear Editor:

Please let us have a place in your paper to remind the people of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Patterson spent a few enjoyable hours with Mrs. Stella Martin Saturday night.

Misses Pearl and Verlie Thacker had as their guest Miss Lera Bean Saturday night.

Mr. William Martin of Gold Hill, Ala., was here with home folks from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cobb Burnett of Gold Hill are with us for a few days.

Several of the young folks went to the party at Miss Estelle Gore's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bearden of Birmingham are visiting the latters mother, Mrs. Stella Martin.

Mr. Raymond Martin is visiting home and had as his guests Saturday and Sunday night, Messrs. Thomas Burnett and R. A. Ciffers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Varden are visiting this week, Mr. Varden's mother.

Our social club will meet next Thursday. Everybody come.

Misses Lera and Loutishie Bean dined with Pearl Thacker Sunday.

Mr. McCloud Nix dined with Mr. Henry Bates Sunday.

Mr. E. L. Sundberg spent the week-end at home.

Mr. John Parker of this place is visiting Birmingham now.

Mr. F. J. Parker has been at home.

Mrs. Willie Lee Burnett is visiting Mrs. Evie Burnett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson spent Sunday with their son, Mr. Floyd.

Misses Murid Carden and Arsula Burnett spent Sunday with Miss Mae Parker.

Mr. E. L. Burnett has sold his saw mill.

A SUBSCRIBER.

GONE TO BUSINESS COLLEGE

A trio of Clanton young men boarded the train for Montgomery Monday morning where they went to enter Draughn's Business College. The band was headed by Jimmie Taylor, the famous clerk in Baker's and Taylor's store, who was accompanied by Mr. Gladys Johnson and Mr. Gurthrie Johnson. These are three promising young men who are well liked by the people of Clanton, and we are sure that they will make good in their studies at the business college.

WATCH

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MR. J. N. SCOTT REPLIES TO MR. WALKER'S LETTER

I notice in a recent issue of The Union-Banner that Mr. C. T. Walker accuses me of criticising the new road law of Chilton County and of being a kicker. I accept his accusation but think I have a right to do so.

I want to say that I fail to see where it is right to tax lumber and log trucks $11.25 to keep up the public roads and nothing else. Wagons cut up the roads much worse than trucks. Again I fail to see where it will be better for the roads to cut the road hands from ten days to seven days a year or $5.50. That don't look very much like building up roads to me, and I will say that you can't build up roads with money. It takes labor, and the people out in the country have got a good deal of it stored back in their systems. They have a lot or spair time during the year which they could put on the roads and not much money. Why not tax the men with trucks and wagons as well as road hands for so many days a year on the road they travel most, and have one man in each community to see that this labor is put on the roads each year.

No man ought to object to working the roads they have to travel, and by having this system in force we could have some good roads out in the country. I fail to see, Mr. Walker, where you can get more done on the roads for $5.50 a year than with a man's ten days labor a year on the roads. Yes, I believe in the old hand working system and then a little help from the county out of our tax that we pay in for that purpose. Mr. Walker, how many machines and how much labor do you think you can get for the roads of Chilton County out of that $5.50 from the road hands and the taxes from log and lumber trucks. This is a vital question and worthy of every man's thoughts. Yes I am a kicker when I see things going wrong.

Mr. Walker, you asked me to wait till the new plan fails. Why should I wait when I remember as I said about 9 or 10 years ago we saw just such law fail under taxation. The road machine was bought and sent out over the roads one trip and raked the leaves and mud up into the roads, then the roads of Beat 2 were turned over to Mr. J. H. Martin, and of course everybody in Beat 2 was waiting on Mr. Martin, and the longer we waited the worse the roads got. So finally they got so bad Mr. Martin could not get here. He started but bogged down, so we could not get over them and saw that something had to be tone. So me and Mr. Joel Childress, J. A. Scott, C. E. Langston and several other old men with some of the boys started out on the old hand working system as you call it. We carried our wagons and went to the fields and hills and picked up flat rocks and gravel and built up the worst places. And I want to say that there are some places which we fixed yet standing good. There is nothing that will build up a red boggy slick hill faster or better that to haul rock and gravel and put on it.

But we are all waiting. Yes, Mr. Walker, we say that the men and boys road duty must put in ten days a year on the roads then you wait for them to do it they put in from two to five days a year and then they wait for the next year. So we are all waiting for the other fellow. And weight and rough roads are what broke down C. W. Scott's wagon the other day. So I say, look out for more labor on the roads and less money, for money is only a medium of exchange and to build up the grafters pocket book.

Mr. Walker, I would be glad I could tell all about this road proposition but I can't at this time. I should like to have something to say about this taxation in general and how the people are burdened down, but my letter is too long now. But Mr. Walker, after you have taken this second dose of ignorance drops and have examined them thoroughly and you don't feel better over it than you did just let me know and I will send some more.

Yours for good roads,
J. N. SCOTT.

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PASTOR McLENNAN PREACHES AT S. D. A. TABERNACLE

Pastor W. P. McLennan, of Birmingham, returned to Clanton in time to occupy the Adventist pulpit Tuesday night, where he will preach every night this week and three times next Sunday, 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 7 p. m. In his sermon last night the minister delivered a very impressive message, basing it upon Luke 19:28-44, the minister said:

"In this scripture we find a most remarkable picture and a most timely lesson. Amid the universal rejoicing of the triumphal entry, which palm branches were being waved, while glad hosannas awoke the echoes of the hills, and thousands of voices declared Him kind, the world's redeemer was overwhelmed with a sudden and mysterious sorrow, He, the son of God, the Promised One of Isreal, whose power had conquered death, was in tears, not of ordinary grief, but of intense, irrepressible agony.

"His tears were not for Himself, though He well knew His feet were tending. Before Him lay Gethsemane. Not far distant was the place of crucifixion. He wept for the doomed thousands of Jerusalem because of the blindness and impenitence of those whom He came to bless and save.

"For three years the Son of God knocked at the gate of the impenient city. He was unwearied in His efforts to save this vine of His own planting. He healed the sick, He comforted the sorrowing, He raised the dead, and spoke pardon and peace to the repentant. He gathered about Him the weary, the helpless and the desponding and extended to all the invitation of mercy: 'Come unto Me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.'

All the predictions of Christ concerning the destruction of Jerusalem were fulfilled to the letter. Probably a more sad and awful experience and destruction is not recorded than that which came to Jerusalem in the siege under Titus in the year A. D. 70. In closing days of that siege mothers eat the flesh of their babies and children. With mighty efforts the Jews had struggled to save the magnificent temple. Even Titus himself tried to save the wonderful structure, but a soldier threw a fireband through a lattice window and in a moment that edifice, which for so many years had been regarded as the temple of the Lord of Hosts, was in the embrace of flames which no hand could stay.

"The Savior's prophecy is to have another fulfillment, of which that terrible scene was but a faint shadow. The second advent of the Son of God is foretold by lips that make no mistake. Matt. 24:30-31 and 2Thess. 2:8.

"The world is no more ready now to credit the warning than were the Jews in the days of our Savior. Come when it may the end will come unawares to the ungodly. Men and women are looking for every thing else but the second coming of Christ and so that day will overtake them as a thief. 1 Thess.5:2-3.

"The Jewish people knew not the time of their visitation. This need not have been, as they were fully warned of God. Their mistake was that they believed not the word of God. Do you, my dear hearer, sense the time of your visitation?

UNION GROVE

Dear Editor:

Please allow me space in your valuable paper to say a few words of this place.

We are very glad to say that Mr. Clyde Davis, who has been very sick with the measles, is better.

Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching days. We had with us Rev. W. P. Lowery of Thorsby, who delivered a very interesting semon both Saturday night and Sunday. Rev. Lowery was our pastor for about ten years and of course we were all very glad to see him and hear him preach.

The United Singing Society met at this place in regular session Sunday afternoon with a very good crowd, considering the weather, and we had some very good singing.

Directors for the afternoon were: E. L. Glasscock, D. B. Robinson, Akins Collins and A. H. Glasscock. Organists were: misses Emma Campbel and Esther Adkinson.

Sunday was the day for the election of a new president, but we got Mr. E. L. Gasscock back, as we feel that he is the man for the job and we are well pleased with his atteudance last year, Mr. T. J. Manning, Vice-President and Miss Edna Robinson, Secretary. The singing Society will meet at Collins Chapel next Sunday and everybody go and help out in the singing and lets keep our singing society going as we don't feel like we could do without it.

Mrs. R. S. Chandler spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Bob Cofer.

Miss Euna Davis spent Saturday night with Mrs. Myrtle Brasher.

Misses Pearl Chandler and Edna Robinson were the guests of Misses Florence and Lula Cofer Sunday.

Miss Flossie Robinson dined with Miss Leone Hall Sunday.

Miss Leone Hall and Messrs. Otto Burnette and Akins Colilns spent a while with Miss Edna Robinson Sunday evening.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent Sunday evening with Miss Amy Robinson.

Miss Leone Hall spent Friday night with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Mr. J. R. Holley has gone to Thomasville, Ga., to work at a planing mill.

W. M. U. TO MEET AT JEMISON

W. M. U. quarterly meeting of the Chilton County Association will meet at Jemison Baptist Church, Jan. 24, 1924, on Thursday before the 4th Sunday at 10:30 A. M.

10:30—Hymn "Come, Women, Wide Proclaim."

Welcome address by Mrs. Erwin.

Response by Mrs. Piper.

10:40—Report of W. M. U. Convention at Bessemer, by Mrs. D. O. Manning and Miss Mickle.

Special music by Miss Leora Goodgame.

11:00—The standing of this association at Bessemer.

How can we help Alabama win the Loving Cup at Atlanta, by Mrs. Harper.

10:30—Address redeeming the time by Bro. Whorton.

12:00—Dismiss for lunch.

1:00—Devotional, by Mrs. Ben Davenport.

Roll call of societies, each responding with the number of subscriptions to Royal Service.

2:00—What magazines are on your library table? by Mrs. Erwin.

Open Discussions.

Successful plans in mission study, by Mrs. Lawrence.

Special music by Miss Goodgame.

3:30—Plans for our young people, by young people's leader, Mrs. Maud Bentley.

MRS. E. R. PIPER, Sec'y.
MRS. W. J. BILLINGSLEY, Superintendent.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court of Chilton County.—In Equity.

Grace Downs, Complainant, vs. Arthur D. Downs, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. O. Middleton that the defendant, Arthur D. Downs, is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address are unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Arthur D. Downs, to plead, answer, or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 18th day of February, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office at Clanton, Alabama, this 16th day of January, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

1-17-4t

Mr. J. F. Rawlinson of Pletcher was in Clanton Monday attending to some business matters.

ADAMS DOINGS

As I haven't seen any news from this place in quite a while, decided I would write a few items.

Mrs. Mary Rollinson, Miss Mattie Gandy and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dyer took dinner at Mr. R. M. Roebuck's Sunday.

Well, we will go, wishing our new married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Adams, a long and happy life.

CEDAR GROVE

We, the church and surrounding community of this place, do cordially invite all that are interested in sabbath school at this place to be present on the fourth Sunday of this month for the purpose of getting organized and being ready to start our work on the first Sunday in February. Come fathers and mothers, bring your children.

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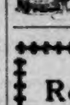

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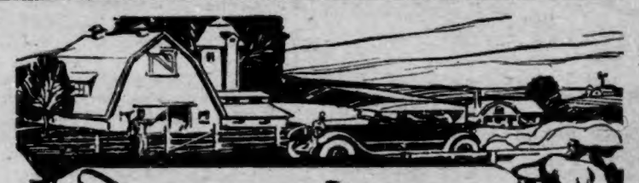

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Factories are community builders also. Since a great part of their output is usually sold in other sections of the country, factories bring lots of money into the communities in which they are located. They furnish employment to many people; and their payrolls circulate among the tradesmen, artisans, and professional men, bringing increased prosperity to all.

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad, thru its Immigration & Industrial Department, has for years been assisting in community building in this territory by getting industrious and desirable farmers from other sections of the country to locate somewhere along or near its tracks; and by means of personal instruction in the field and the issuing of special bulletins on the growing of certain crops, etc., has helped these newcomers to achieve success.

Thru the efforts of this Department, many factories have been located along this railroad and much wealth has thus been added to this territory.

An extensive campaign of advertising, setting forth the advantages of this territory for farmers and factories is now being carried by the L. & N. in farm and industrial magazines with national circulation.

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Statement of money received and money paid out from July the first, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.

STATE OF ALABAMA, CHILTON COUNTY.

To the Honorable Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama:

The undersigned, as Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, herewith submits this, his report of the receipts, disbursements and registered claims against Chilton County, from July the first, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923.

This, the 31st day of Dec., 1923.

JESSE BAKER, Treasurer.

Filed in office of Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, Dec. 31st, 1923.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

TO CASH RECEIVED, from July, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923.—General Fund.

July 3.—L. H. Reynolds, business license $120.67
July 3.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 25.83
July 5.—J. Z. Mims, court cost 102.60
July 5.—J. Z. Mims, stenographer's fees 14.25
July 5.—J. Z. Mims, Solititor's fees 270.75
Aug. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, license for Maplesville 93.59
Aug. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 25.60
Aug. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 7.31
Sept. 1.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 25.03
Sept 1.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 24.38
Oct. 1.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 14.68
Oct. 1.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 7.31
Oct. 1.—L. H. Reynolds, warrant No. 979 returned 90.00
Oct. 2.—J. Z. Mims, court cost 57.00
Oct. 2.—J. Z. Mims, stenographer's fees 33.25
Oct. 2.—J. Z. Mims, solicitor's fees 213.75
Nov. 2.—J. T. Rockett, T. C., Taxes 2,860.01
Nov. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, J. P., privilege tax 15.11
Nov. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 82.57
Nov. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 1,515.88
Nov. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, land redemption, G. F., ... 5.80
Nov. 7.—W. B. Allgood, franchise tax 1,244.43
Nov. 17.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 2,342.24
Nov. 17.—J. Z. Mims, solicitor's fees 247.00
Nov. 17.—J. Z. Mims, court cost 74.10
Dec. 3.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 1,818.20
Dec. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, privilege tax 32.92
Dec. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 24.13
Dec. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 289.33
Dec. 15.—J. T. Rockett, T. C., Taxes 3,332.62
Dec. 29.—J. Wiley Littlejohn, coal sold from jail 7.00
Dec. 31.—J. Z. Mims, solicitor's fees 66.50
Dec. 31.—J. Z. Mims, court cost 17.10
Dec. 31.—J. Z. Mims, stenographer's fees 33.25

BY CASH PAID OUT, from July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—General Fund.

July 27.—Election Mgr., J. M. Parrish 2.00
July 27.—Tick Inspector, J. L. Burnett 36.00
July 27.—building vat, E. N. Wilson 10.00
July 27.—Haling cement and building vat, G. A. Moore 14.70
July 27.—Water, Town of Clanton 80.61
July 27.—Tick Inspector E. F. Conway 37.50
July 27.—Tick Inspector, J. H. Burnett 90.00
July 27.—Tick Inspector, J. T. Walker 90.00
July 27.—Tick Inspector, W. H. Harris 90.00
July 27.—Salary as County Solicitor, G. C. Walker 300.00
July 27.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, W. J. Gentry 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, W. R. Handditch 2.00
Aug. 31.—Merchandise, Downs Hdw. Co., ... 2.55
Aug. 31.—Stationery, Foster & Davis Co. 59.50
Aug. 31.—Hauling Sand for Vat, John Giles 10.00
Aug. 31.—Merchandise, Auto Electric Co. 10.50
Aug. 31.—Commissioner, C. T. Walker 101.00
Aug. 31.—Cement to build vat, C. T. Walker 18.00
Aug. 31.—Freight on cattle dip, C. T. Walker 14.82
Aug. 31.—Painting at Court House, W. H. Taylor 9.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, S. P. Shaw 2.00
Aug. 31.—List of qualified voters in School District 18, L. H. Reynolds 90.00
Aug. 31.—Ex-Officio fees and road service, L. H. Reynolds 327.00
Aug. 31.—Janitor service, Will Kennedy 3.00
Aug. 31.—Cleaning dipping vat, W. D. Burnett 10.00
Aug. 31.—Jury Commissioner, H. A. Harris 30.00
Aug. 31.—Clerk Judy Commission, J. Mell Martin 43.90
Aug. 31.—Burial of Ellen Beadlecomb, J. Mell Martin 30.00
Aug. 31.—Register Receipt, W. B. Carley 3.00
Aug. 31.—Merchandise, Clanton Brokerage Co. 70.60
Aug. 31.—Deputy Sheriff's salary, W. G. Culp 300.00
Aug. 31.—Cleaning and fililng vat, J. A. Sample 10.00
Aug. 31.—Service in Junevile Court, T. J. Littlejohn 4.00
Aug. 31.—Service in Junevile Court, T. J. Littlejohn 8.00
Aug. 31.—Three months salary, Jesse Baker, Treasurer 237.49
Aug. 31.—Repairing dipping vat, Wiley Littlejohn 37.50
Aug. 31.—Lumber used on Culp vat, E. C. Mims 8.25
Aug. 31.Cleaning and filling vat, Johnnie Franklin 12.50
Aug. 31.—Examining Thos. Hile in jail, Dr. W. T. Wise 5.00
Aug. 31.—Cleaning and repairing vat, J. P. Bean 20.00
Aug. 31.—Drayage, J. W. Franklin 5.25
Aug. 31.—Work on Ramsey vat, J. D. Gay 16.00
Aug. 31.—Cleaning and filling vat, J. M. Deason 10.00
Aug. 31.—Working on vat, C. H. Rodgers 1.50
Aug. 31.—Carrying Mrs. Brown asylum, T. J. Littlejohn 18.58
Aug. 31.—Hauling cement for vat, J. L. Gore 6.00
Aug. 31.—Cement used on vat, Ralph Calloway 2.50
Aug. 31.—Service in Juvenile Court, T. J. Littlejohn 9.00
Aug. 31.—Ex-Officia fees, T. J. Littlejohn 125.00
Aug. 31.—Expense for carrying Thomas Hyte to Grady, Ala., T. J. Littlejohn 5.00
Aug. 31.—Expense for carrying Manila Littlejohn to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 17.02
Aug. 31.—Washing blankets, T. J. Littlejohn 5.70
Aug. 31.—Visits and medicine for Poor House, Dr. S. C. Wood 47.90
Aug. 31.—Stamps, H. L. Foshee 26.00
Aug. 31.—Stamps Revenue notices, S. M. Pate 7.78
Aug. 31.—Lights for jail and Court House, Alabama Power Co. 24.12
Aug. 31.—Repair work on jail, T. L. Williams 1.20
Aug. 31.—Three months pauper, Ida Mae Cox 18.00
Aug. 31.—Taking care of inmates at poor farm, D. H. Gentry 547.20
Aug. 31.—Three months pauper, S. B. Adams 18.00
Aug. 31.—Making abstract, S. M. Pate 150.00
Aug. 31.—Lumber and nails, W. G. Conway 18.80
Aug. 31.—Board of Fredy Short at jail, T. J. Littlejohn 3.00
Aug. 31.—Commissioner, T. J. Dorminey 59.45
Aug. 31.—Commissioner, J. Wiley Littlejohn 88.05
Aug. 31.—Lumber, J. T. Wilson 9.87
Aug. 31.—Lumber, J. L. Gore 9.72
Aug. 31.—Cement and lumber, W. C. Dyer 109.79
Aug. 31.—Merchandise, Clanton Produce Co. 3.55
Aug. 31.—Work on Porter vat, R. M. Porter 55.50
Aug. 31.—Work on County House, W. H. Hayes 5.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, Will Conway 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, Lee Popwell 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, J. M. Mahan 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, Fenn Jones 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, R. E. Jones 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, J. H. Robinson 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, John Popwell 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, R. A. Miller, Jr. 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, J. D. Collins 2.00
Aug. 31.—Election Manager, T. H. Neighbors 2.00
Aug. 31.—Pauper, Celia Smitherman 18.00
Aug. 31.—County blacksmith workw, T. E. Carlton 21.40
Aug. 31.—Pauper, Drucilla Littlejohn 18.00
Aug. 31.—Pauper, Newt Henley 18.00
Aug. 31.—Work on vat, Lewis Smith 13.00
Aug. 31.—Pauper, Martha Roberts 12.00
Aug. 31.—Pauper, Laura Ann Mims 12.00
Aug. 31.—Printing and stationery, Union-Banner 520.74
Aug. 31.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Aug. 31.—Returning officer, J. P. Bean 2.50
Aug. 31.—Interest on Warrant No. 177, Edward Miller & Co. 28.05
Aug. 31.—Interest on Warrant No. 175, C. Y. Bogachi 15.00
Oct. 4.—Cleaning and repairing vat, J. B. Hicks 8.00
Oct. 4.—Three months pension pauper, Dunkin Wilson 18.00
Oct. 4.—Freight on table for office, J. Z. Mims 2.88
Oct. 4.—Hauling table for office, J. Bice 10.45
Oct. 4.—Wire and freight, W. M. D. O'Neal 36.00
Oct. 4.—Commissioner, J. M. Mims 59.70
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, J. H. Davenport 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, R. F. Bates 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, Sam Collins 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, Joe Culp 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, C. C. Conway 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager. J, E. Minor 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, William Headley 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, M. E. Dunsmore 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, E. R. Piper 2.00
Oct. 4.—Water bill four months, Town of Clanton 108.12
Oct. 4.—Service as Commissioner, J. Wiley Littlejohn 51.80
Oct. 4.—Ex-Officio fees, J. Z. Mims 112.50
Oct. 4.—Tick Inspector, W. M. D. O'Neal 12.00
Oct. 4.—Election Clerk, J. B. Hicks 2.00
Oct. 4.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Oct. 4.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Oct. 4.—Retuning officer, M. L. Milford 2.90
Oct. 4.—Returning officer, H. T. Childress 3.00
Oct. 4.—School Enumaerator, Hugh Davenport 2.10
Oct. 4.—Jury Commissioner, Will Clements 30.00
Oct. 4.—Three months pension pauper, Syntha Littlejohn 18.00
Oct. 4.—Boarding road crew, G. W. Sorrell 3.85
Oct. 4.—Repairing on jail, C. R. Waters 3.50
Oct. 4.—Building and filling vat, W. H. Harris 10.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, Reed Mullins 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, J. D. Cooper 2.00
Oct. 4.—Election Manager, Mrs. C. S. Howard 2.00
Oct. 4.—Drayage, J. W. Franklin 3.75
Oct. 4.—Quarrantine officer, T. J. Littlejohn 20.00
Oct. 4.—Circuit Judge Suplies, Geo. F. Smoot 42.26
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, D. Irby Deramus 13.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Lee Clark 16.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Joror certificate, Jadie Cofer 4.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Frank M. Foshee 12.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Mack C. Culver 12.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, L. B. Adams 12.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, T. Calvin Jones 12.90
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, G. Gen J. Blalock 12.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Lee Bookholdt 12.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Malcolm Manning 13.00
Nov. 8.—Returning officer, W. G. J. Dorminey 3.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, J. J. Pickens 12.00
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Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, James W. Veazey 13.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Mason F. Jones 12.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, William W. Bishop 12.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Emmett Varden 12.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Daniel M. Wyatt 12.15
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Jack J. Mims 15.25
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, John W. Bailey 17.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Walter L. Lenoir 22.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, R. S. Chandler 22.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Tom J. Nix 22.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Jurors certificate, Clent C. Coburn 23.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Columbus W. Scott 22.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jim R. Baker 18.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, E. T. Sewell 22.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John C. Courtney 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Henry Miller 13.30
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Emmett Moore 12.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Lee Sorrell 12.70
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Till Robinson 13.10
Nov. 8. Petit Juror certificate, Richard T. Robinson 13.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John W. Mims 12.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, M. Whit Brown 13.70
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jim L. Thomas 13.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. Green Hayes 14.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Paul Jones 13.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. T. Garrett 14.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. B. Green 17.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Geo. C. Kemp 14.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Crayton B. Lenoir 12.95
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Chtster P. Garrett 14.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, R. Matt Vines 12.90
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. Sanford Clark 1320
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Stephen Pate 13.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Oscar H. Bean 12.70
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Frank Hayes 12.30
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Lon C. Keen 13.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Charles L. Wilkins 13.30
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Andrew J. Durbin 12.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Will S. Cox 13.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Dan H. Mitchell 14.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Maborn Taylor 13.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Sam P. Collins 15.90
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John W. Tippett 18.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John A. Bookholdt 15.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, A. Jack Jones 15.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Claudie E. Wood 21.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, G. Ed Plier 15.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jesse J. Hayes 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Tom L. Carter 21.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, E. L. Lenoir 22.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Virgil A. Watley 22.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jim O. Mize 4.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Calhoun Merchant 4.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, E. F. Culver 4.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jim M. Popwell 15.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Jupror certificate, Bowen L. Jones 3.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Joe W. Beasley 4.20
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Walter Sanford 12.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, T. C. Gibson 17.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. LaFayette Chandler 16.00
Nov. 8.—Petti Juror certificate, W. Greer Culver 16.30
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, M. Vandy Smith 15.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juor certificate, O. R. Robinson 15.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Tom Lake 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Joe Berry Jones 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Glaucus M. Durbin 16.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Jim V. Best 15.30
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. Leonard Hayes 16.00
Nov. 8. Petit Juror certificate, Ben F. Vines 16.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. W. Little 15.75
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John S. Wright 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror Certificate, Peter C. Weldon 15.60
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Wilson W. Spivey 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, G. Cleve Powell 15.70
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, J. A. Thompson 15.25
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Tate A. Ellison 15.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. M. Aldridge 17.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juor certificate, F. B. Owen 16.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Joseph E. Cobb 16.50
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Wilson Z. Hodges 15.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John B. Farley 15.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juor certificate, Ben L. Davenport 21.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, W. Hardy Hurtt 15.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, James L. Abbott 16.80
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Monroe J. Parrish 3.70
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Joe W. Foshee 15.10
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, T. A. Prickett 16.40
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, John C. Page 3.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Newton A. Gray 15.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Ocie C. Blackmon 16.00
Nov. 8.—Petit Juror certificate, Noah Duffey 16.10
Nov. 8.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Nov. 8.—Court Baliff, J. L. Gore, ... 30.00
Nov. 8.—Court Baliff, J. L. Easterling 27.00
Nov. 8.—Court Baliff, T. S. Johnson 15.00
Nov. 8.—Court Baliff, Harvey Foshee 30.00
Nov. 8.—Election service, A. Z. Bean 2.00
Nov. 8.—Election service, D. M. Apperson 2.00
Nov. 8.—Stationery, Dixie Printing Co. 10.13
Nov. 8.—Election service, J. W. Mims 2.00
Nov 8.—Election service, J. E. Easterling 2.00
Dec. 3. Guarding vat, J. M. Grant 21.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, W. F. DeShazo 18.00
Dec. 3.—Freight on cattle dip, C. T. Walker 15.28
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, W. T. White 15.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, J. L. Dennis 6.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's fee, W. J. Moates 39.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, J. N. Mitchell 18.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's fee, John J. Hicks 180.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's fee, J. T. Walker 183.00
Dec. 3.—Salary, H. M. Simpson 1.50
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, B. D. Thompson 18.00
Dec. 3.—Work on Sheriff's house, J. M. Huckabee 10.50
Dec. 3.—28 tons of coal, J. Wiley Littlejohn 224.00
Dec. 3.—Visits to paupers, Dr. S. C. Wood 64.25
Dec. 3.—Painting at Sheriff's house, P. G. Marcus 15.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, J. L. Smith 12.00
Dec. 3.—Commissioner, T. J. Dorminey 43.40
Dec. 3.—Commissioner, C. T. Walker 100.50
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, Ed Smitherman 18.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's fee, W. G. Conway 231.00
Dec. 3.—Commissioner, C. T. Walker 66.00
Dec. 3.—Tick Insptctor, Ed Smitherman 87.00
Dec. 3.—Chief Deputy Sheriff, W. G. Culp 300.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, J. W. Foshee 9.00
Dec. 3.—Stamps, H. L. Foshee 29.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, T. S. Johnson 12.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, J. R. Popwell 24.00
Dec. 3.—Merchandise, Tom Taylor 3.96
Dec. 3.—Guarding vat, Walter Vinson 42.00
Dec. 3.—Tax Collector's Bond, J. T. Rockett 165.00
Dec. 3.—Drayage, J. W. Franklin 3.05
Dec. 3.—Freight to Court House, J. W. Franklin 2.00
Dec. 3.—Service Circuit Court, T. J. Littlejohn 14.00
Dec. 3.—Attending Court, T. J. Littlejohn 10.50
Dec. 3.—Tick Inspector, R. J. Downs 45.00
Dec. 3.—Bldg. barn for County, Bertie Parrish 21.00
Dec. 3.—Pauper, Newt Henley 18.00
Dec. 3.—Pauper, Dunkin Wilson 18.00
Dec. 3.—Merchandise, DeKalb Prtg. Co. 111.27
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. B. Hicks 18.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, E. L. Burnett 12.00
Dec. 3.—Pine, J. J. Headley 4.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. J. Headley 27.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. R. Mitchell 3.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, Mose Thomas 21.00
Dec. 3.—Ex-Officio Fees, L. H. Reynolds 200.00
Dec. 3.—Freight, L. H. Reynolds 93.96
Dec. 3.—Work on Court House, J. T. Arant 4.50
Dec. 3.—Pine for Court House, J. B. Minor 3.00
Dec. 3.—Brooms for Court House, J. H. Connell 16.00
Dec. 3.—Pine, J. E. Easterling 2.00
Dec. 3.—Pine for Court House, B. F. Roberts 6.00
Dec. 3.—Pine for oCurt House, J. L. Easterling 2.50
Dec. 3.—Janitor, Effie Duke 99.00
Dec. 3.—List of qualified School District, Delene Burnett 100.00
Dec. 3.—Caring for Poor Farm, D. H. Gentry 586.10
Dec. 3.—Work on Crt. Hs. and Jail, W. A. Franklin 10.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, D. O. Manning 12.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, D. O. Manning 165.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, Fletcher Pyron 3.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, B. D. Dennis 6.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, A. Z. Robinson 72.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. C. Robinson 9.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, G. W. Johnston 113.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, L. B. Adams 9.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, B. G. Brasher 30.00
Dec. 3.—Bldg. barn for County, S. E. Morris 19.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. R. Short 21.00
Dec. 3.—Cost in Grooms Case, J. Z. Mims 20.00
Dec. 3.—Repairing Typewriter, J. Z. Mims 2.65
Dec. 3.—Ex-Officio Fees, J. Z. Mims 112.50
Dec. 3.—Expenses, J. Z. Mims 20.50
Dec. 3.—Tick Inspector, J. L. Burnett 42.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. R. Rutland 2.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, J. L. Burnett 24.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, J. L. Burnett 345.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, R. J. Downs 180.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, A. M. Taylor 3.00
Dec. 3.—Inspector's Fee, W. R. Baker 126.00
Dec. 3.—Merchandise, Clanton Brokerage Co. 39.00
Dec. 3.—Three Months Salary, Jesse Baker 237.50
Dec. 3.—Lumber for Vat, Zed Robinson 9.72
Dec. 3.—Lumber for Vat, Thompson Lbr. Co. 3.60
Dec. 3.—Pine for Jail, T. J. Littlejohn 3.00
Dec. 3.—Washing Blankets, T. J. Littlejohn 7.80
Dec. 3.—Expense in Court, T. J. Littlejohn 7.00
Dec. 3.—Ex-Officio Fees, T. J. Littlejohn 125.00
Dec. 3.—Guarding Vat, T. J. Littlejohn 6.00
Dec. 3.—Expenses of carrying Mrs. Williams to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 17.14
Dec. 3.—Expenses of carrying Oscar Broadhead to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 21.87
Dec. 3.—Expense of carrying Enoch Glass to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 26.65
Dec. 3.—Expenses in Court, T. J. Littlejohn 10.00
Dec. 3.—Juror Certificate, Orien O. Calfee 13.00
Dec. Juror's Certificate, Will A. Littlejohn 9.35
Dec. Bailiff for Court, L. O. Vickers 15.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, J. M. Mahan 45.00
Dec. 22.—School Election, W. C. Jones 2.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, T. L. McKee 30.00
Dec. 22.—Jury Commissioner, G. D. Retherford 30.00
Dec. 22.—Hardware, Chilton Hdwe. Co. 5.60
Dec. 22.—Closet Seats, Chilton Hdwe. Co. 37.50
Dec. 22.—Merchandise, Chilton Hdwe. Co. 13.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, C. C. Dennis 6.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, W. E. Hayes 21.00
Dec. 22.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 71.10
Dec. 22.—Merchandise for Road, Thorsby Hdwe. Co. 4.32
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, J. Wiley Foshee 9.00
Dec. 22.—Burial Sallie Lockhart, Mullins & Moore 17.50
Dec. 22.—Election Clerk, Hill Foshee 2.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, G. C. Powell 30.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, H. J. Foshee 15.00
Dec. 22.—Inspector's Fee, W. E. Deason 126.00
Dec. 22.—Inspector's Fee, W. H. Harris 90.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, J. M. Parrish 33.00
Dec. 22.—Inspector's Fee, W. H. Harris 360.00
Dec. 22.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 53.40
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, W. D. Burnett 24.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding Vat, J. R. Patterson 54.00
Dec. 22.—Bridge and vat work, T. H. Brown 4.22
Dec. 22.—Right of way, L. J. Perry 50.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, D. F. Pounds 30.00
Dec. 22.—Building barn for County, Calvin Parirsh 5.00
Dec. 22.—Fine, G. N. Easterling 2.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, C. L. Wilkins 21.00
Dec. 22.—Commissioner service, J. Wiley Littlejohn 32.80
Dec. 22.—Janitor, Will Kennedy 3.00
Dec. 22.—Coal, Garnsey Coal Co. 318.75
Dec. 22.—Freight and other expenses, L. H. Reynolds 16.75
Dec. 22.—Pine for Court House, J. L. Easterling 2.50
Dec. 22.—Janitor, Effie Duke 43.50
Dec. 22.—Pine, J. L. Easterling 15.00
Dec. 22.—Election Manager, Jack Davis 2.00
Dec. 22.—Inspector's fee, W. M. D. O'Neal 177.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, Luther Vance 3.00
Dec. 22.—Pauper, Ida Mae Cox 18.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, W. M. Cox 18.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, T. P. Gore 51.00
Dec. 22.—Guarding vat, Turner Dennis 9.00
Dec. 22.—Election Manager, W. G. Culp 2.00
Dec. 22.—Merchandise, W. T. Bean 22.10
Dec. 22.—Merchandise, W. T. Bean 33.17
Dec. 22.—Interest, Educational Exchange Co. 38.52
Dec. 22.—Pine for Court House, J. L. Easterling 2.50

TO CASH RECEIVED, from July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—Road Fund.

July 2.—State Auditor, Gasoline excise tax $782.50
July 5.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 50.83
Aug. 1.—State Auditor, gasoline excise tax 840.16
Aug. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 24.22
Sept. 1.—State Auditor, gasoline excise tax 902.68
Sept. 1.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 8.79
Oct. 1.—State Auditor, gasoline excise tax 947.77
Oct. 1.—State Auditor, carbonic acid gas tax 16.93
Nov. 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 1,430.01
Nov. 2.—State Auditor, gasoline excise tax 925.77
Nov. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle tax 1,099.25
Nov. 17.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 1,171.13
Nov. 20.—Transferred fom F. & F. fund 1,500.00
Dec. 3.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 909.31
Dec. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 1,289.92
Dec. 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 1,666.31

BY CASH PAID OUT, from July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—Road Fund.

July 27.—Board for road crew, Mrs. Oda Bates 28.00
July 27.—Lumber, Thompson Lbr. Co. 67.77
July 27.—Lumber, Henderson & Hosey 38.45
July 27.—Board for road crew, Walter Kendrick 6.30
July 27.—Lumber, W. C. Dyer 7.67
July 27.—Road work, W. R. Houlditch 1.50
July 27.—Road work, T. G. Milling 15.20
July 27.—Work on road machine, Clifford Popwell 211.50
July 27.—Work on road machine, Clifford Popwell 17.25
July 27.—Parts for road machine, L. H. Reynolds 79.74
July 27.—Work on bridge, J. T. Grant 6.00
July 27.—Lumber, wire and nails, F. D. Wilson 44.40
July 27.—Team hurt on road, J. W. Cox 25.00
Aug. 31.—Work on bridge, W. J. Morris 14.00
Aug. 31.—Over payment on tax, 1922, J. T. Rockett 94.12
Aug. 31.—Lumber and labor, H. E. Robinson 26.00
Aug. 31.—Work on bridge, W. J. Morris 4.50
Aug. 31.—Work on bridge, W. J. Morris 4.50
Aug. 31.—Lumber, T. M. Taylor 159.05
Aug. 31.—Work on team, W. F. DeShazo 20.00
Aug. 31.—Work on bridge, W. F. DeShazo 29.62
Aug. 31.—Lumber, H. P. Willis 17.66
Aug. 31.—Lumber, Thompson Lbr. Co. 39.54
Aug. 31.—Repairing bridge, Sam Shoults 10.00
Aug. 31.—Work with team, J. R. Popwell 10.00
Aug. 31.—Work for Jim Blalock, Payton Jones 20.00
Aug. 31.—Over head expenses, Knights Ferry Road, J. R. Popwell 7.00
Aug. 31.—Work on road, Leonard Spencer 83.05
Aug. 31.—Road work with team, Jim Blalock 150.00
Aug. 31.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 211.50
Aug. 31.—Road work, Tom Polk 40.20
Aug. 31.—Road work, Birgey Bay 99.00
Aug. 31.—Road work, Henry Pelham 61.90
Aug. 31.—Road work, Guy Williams 55.00
Aug. 31.—Road work, R. C. Kennedy 27.50
Aug. 31.—Road work, Loanie Hardy 31.00
Aug. 31.—Plow broken on road, Ed Minor 1.75
Aug. 31.—Graveling and grading, W. F. DeShazo 344.75
Aug. 31.—Work on road, Irby Popwell 73.50
Aug. 31.—Work on road, Leon Brown 61.18
Aug. 31.—Work on road, Payton Jones 14.00
Aug. 31.—Work on road, Joe Hardy 45.92
Aug. 31.—Lumber, J. T. Rockett 26.11
Aug. 31.—Lumber, W. C. Dyer 25.40
Aug. 31.—Lumber, P. D. Wilson 222.60
Aug. 31.—Work and lumber, T. G. Milling 87.23
Aug. 31.—Work and team on road, C. L. Williams 70.45

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To notice the increase in the bank deposits in the banks of Clanton during the past year will show how business conditions in general are improving. The total deposits in both banks on January 1, 1923 was $824,985.94, and on January 1, 1924 was $935,026.54, an increase of $110,040.60. Yes, this Republican prosperity is playing havoc with the country.

Saturday Evening Post—To handle private trust funds carelessly and wastefully is a serious matter and one is promptly fired for it; to handle public trust funds carelessly and wastefully may make one so popular that he will be returned by an increased majority. To get votes with five-dolalr bills is bribery and one goes to prison for it; to get votes with legislation voting tax money to favored classes and localities is statesmanship and one goes to Congress for it. Vote getting is sometimes hard to distinguish from vote buying, unless one is trained to nice political distinctions.

There has recently been placed before the War Department a bid for Muscle Shoals which surpasses any that have heretofore been made for that property. There is no stings to this poposition since the lesees agree to pay the government its legal rate of four per cent on all the money it has invested at Muscle Shoals and too the lease is only for a period of fifty years. The nine leading power companies of the South are jointly submitting the proposition and they agree to form a separate and distinct firm to operate the Muscle Shoals plants but at the same time this firm will be backed by all nine of the companies. This is by far the most workable proposition the government has received.

As Secretary of the Treasury, W. G. McAdoo, whose hat is in the ring for president of the United States, appointed John Burke,a Knight of Columbus, as Treasurer of the United States. After his retirement from that office Burke became director of a bucket-show financial concern that quickly went into bankruptcy with liabilities overwhelmingly in excess of assets. Secretary McAdoo also placed Wm. J. Flynn, another Irish Knight of Columbus at the head of the treasury secret service. The private secretary to McAdoo was also a Roman Catholic. Mr. Underwood of Alabama is also closely affiliated with the Catholics and whiskey heads of the country and has come out openly against the Ku Kux Klan. Mr. Musgrove had a mighty slim chance of being nominated, so what are the liberty-loving and truly American Democrats of our country going to do for a president?

CHIPPING IT OFF

The public debt of the United States was reduced $400,000,000 during 1923, and now stands at approximately $21,500,000,000. The man who is successfully engineering the liquidation of our huge war obligations ought to be trusted in the matter of tax redctions. Secretary Mellon knows what the Treasury needs and how best to obtain it.

BOK HITS ROCK

One thing the author of the Bok plan failed to explain is how the United States could take part in all the deliberations of the league council and assembly and yet not be a member of the league. Yet that is what his precious plan calls for. There is nothing in the league covenant that would countenance such an instrusion of an outsider, and if it were accepted it would simply mean putting another puncture in that already badly riddled contract.

KEEPS POWDER DRY

Jugoslavia declares she can mobilize 2,000,000 men in 24 hours, and that a slight shortage in artillery ammunition can be quickly supplied. Jugoslavia is a member of the league of nations, but she is careful not to depend on that organization to protect her independence. Article X of the covenant guarantees each member against territorial aggression, but each member knows that its real guarantee lies in an effective military force—just as it did before the World War was fought and before the league was even dreamed of.

These Arctic Expeditions Ain't What They Usta Be!

EQUITABLE REPRESENTATION FOR SOUTH

Washington, Jan. 14.—By telling part of the truth, and suppressing the rest, certain public speakers and editors are misrepresenting the facts concerning Southern repesentation in the next Republican National Convention. For the purpose of creating the impression that an un undue advantage is to be given to President Coolidge in the Convention the assertion is made that the Republican National Committee, at its recent session, increased the representation of Southern States over the representation they had in 1920, and over the representation that was planned when the Committee met some two and one-half years ago. Thus far these critics of the Republican National Committee told the truth. Southern States will have a slightly larger representation than they had in 1920.

But these critics are guilty of misrepresentation when they stoppel with the telling of this part of the story. They fail to state that while he South will get nine more delegates than in the Convention of 1920, Northern States get 114 more delegates thus more than counterbalancing the additional representation given to the South. When representation is considered in percentages, which is the determining factor in measuring relative strength, the South has relatively less representation in the next Convention than it had in 1920. Thus is carried out the spirit of the recommendations made by the last National Convention

The resolutions adopted by the Convention of 1920 directed the National Committee to adopt "a just and equitable basis of representation in future National Concentions." In 1921 a subcommittee worked out a plan of representation that was thought to carry out this instruction. When this plan was considered at the recent meeting of the Committee it was found that it would deprive a number of Congressional Districts in the South of any representation. The resolution of the National Convention called for "just and equitable representation." The plan under consideration would have deprived those Districts of any representation whatever. In order to correct this injustice the National Committee adopted a revised plan which gives every Congressional District at least one delegate, but, in order to carry out the spirit of the instruction which contemplated giving the South a smaller relative representation, the number of delegates accredited to Northen States was inceased.

In this connection it might be well to emphasize the fact that it is Democatic legislation in the South that prevents Republicans from recording their votes. If the National Committee were to base representation in the next Convention on the actual number of votes cast, this action would be, in effect, permitting the Democratic Legislatures of the South to dictate the number of delegates from that section of the country who shall sit in a Republican Convention. Democrats are now accusing the Republicans of cutting down the representation of the South in a Republican Convention. It is a sufficient answer to them to say that if they wish the South to have a sufficient answer to them to say that if they wish the South to have a larger representation in a Republican National Convention this can be readily accomplished by their revising their election laws and election practices in such a way as to permit Republicans to vote at general elections in Southern States.

Probably no plan can be devised that will accomplish exact justice in apportioning delegates to a National Convention. It may be safely asserted, however, that the plan recently adopted is the closest possible approximation of "just and equitable representation" as called for by the last National Convention.

TOADIES FOUND THEIR TOADSTOOLS

One of the employees of the Pennsylvania Railroad has set forth some of the reasons why he thinks the railroad workers should not be in favor of Government ownership or operation. He points out the well-known fact that during the era of McAdoovian management of the railroads, "Every labor leader, large and small, took a liking to the climate of the National Capital. The hotels did a thriving business alone in entertaining these gentlemen. They were then handy to general headquarters for all of the lines where wages and other concessions were administered, and the authorities who administered them were not appointed by or responsible to any board of directors for their actions, but to a political party and to that party alone." The writer of the letter from which the above is quoted is not opposed to increase in wages, or other concessions but he is opposed to a system which places the wage question in politics. He thinks the wage question, like every other question in the business management of railroads should be settled on business principles and not according to the political interests of the people who happen to be in power.

FREE SPEECH WINS

The American Legion has found it impossible to enforce its rule limiting free speech among its member posts. The Legion undertook to say that, inasmuch as the parent organization had decreed in favor of the soldiers' bouns, no individual post could publicly proclaim its opposition to the bouns. The proposition has been tested in New York where a post formally adopted a resolution protesting against the bonus. A grievance committee made an investigation and determined that the offending post could not be penalized for its action. It is probable that many other local units of the Legion will register opposition to the bonus grant, now it has been ascertained that it is in order to do so.

THE USUAL THING

The reclamation projects, taken as a whole, cost the Government 50 per cent more than was estimated and some of the settlers are called upon to pay per acre four times as much as they were led to believe would be demanded of them. It is probable that private enterprise would not have undertaken this work. A lot of the settlers pobably wish that the Govenment had not undertaken it. Be that as it may, the results are one more demonstration of the expensiveness and inefficiency of government operation when conducted at its best.

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February 1st, 1924, is not long off, and Mr. Rockett says that people are paying their poll tax mighty slowly. Now, this is not only a privilege but a duty of every person who is otherwise eligible to vote. If you haven't enough interest in your government to want to vote then you ought to have enough interest in your schools to pay $1.50 into that fund. So, we wish to urge everyone of voting age to look after this important matter. And it would be unwise for everybody to wait till the last few days, as a big rush would result. Don't put it off but go now and look after this matter.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Walker Sparis, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton county for murder on December 8, 1916, and was given a life sentence, will make application before the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

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MR. WALKER WRITES ABOUT ROADS

Editor Union-Banner:

May I say to the people of Chilton County who do not respect the public roads of the County that if you don't help keep up the roads, please don't detroy them by putitng something in the ditches that will cause them to fill up and turn the water across the road.

Last Wednesday I was called to a washout on the Pletcher and Plantersville Road which will cost the County $35.00 to put the fill back like it was. One man violated the road law by putting his wire fence in the ditch. 30 minutes work on the right-of-way would have prevented all the trouble. So, if you can't help keep up the roads, please don't help the "bear."

I have a man on my mind who claims to be a good citizen who will throw trash, scraps of goods boxes, old automobile tires or any thing else in the ditches and cause them to fill up and the water to run a quarter of a mile down the road. It is the desire of your probate judge and commissioners to build up the country roads of the county. If you can't help us push up hill, please don't push down hill.

I want the people of the Third District to help me to look out for better places for the roads where there needs to be changes, so that we wont spend your money on the old roads and then change them. Let's put the roads in the right place and then spend the money on them.

I will call a meeting in each Beat in my District to discuss what I consider to be some of the most important matters about what it takes to build good roads.

Yours for better roads,
C. T. WALKER.

POPLAR SPRINGS

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In regard to a certain rumor started in Poplar Springs District, No. 30, about a dance to be at the school house and said rumor was carired to Supt. H. L. Foshee's office by J. L. McDowell and H. W. Devaughn; that possibly two of the trustees were informed of said dance.

We, the undersigned Trustees, as far as us being in favor of said dance, brand the report as a wilful, malicious, dastardly, cowardly lie and we challenge the said perpetrators of the report to prove we were in favor of said dance.

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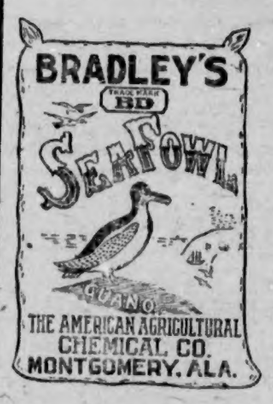

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POOR OR

F. E. Boyd *says*: "Potash is most profitable ingredient in fertilizer mixtures for cotton, in Alabama."

IN an article in BETTER CROPS, F. E. Boyd, Agronomist of the Alabama Extension Service, gives figures that prove potash profitable. He says:

The principal field crop in Alabama is cotton. During the 1923 season, 76.7 per cent of all the fertilizers used were applied to this crop. When a bale of cotton (seed, lint and stalk) is produced on a given area of land, it removes from the soil 28 pounds of phosphoric acid, 75 pounds of nitrogen and 54 pounds of potash. Either the soil must give up these fertilizer elements or they must be supplied in commercial form. The average acre of land devoted to cotton in Alabama contains in the surface seven inches less than 1,000 pounds of phosphoric acid and even less nitrogen. The potash content of this land varies from about 2,500 pounds in the Coastal Plain region to approximately 25,000 pounds per acre seven inches in the heavy clay lands of east and north Alabama.

With the above analyses figures as a basis, farmers have been led to believe that, when buying fertilizer ingredients for cotton, it was not necessary to include any potash for the clay lands of the northeast two-fifths of Alabama, and not much, if any, on lands with red subsoils throughout the Coastal Plain section of the state.

Since it is generally conceded by all farmers that phosphoric acid and nitrogen are essential for the normal development of the cotton plant, and that potash, being present in such abundant quantities in most soils, is not so essential and can be easily left out of the mixture, it shall be the purpose of the remainder of this discussion to show what potassic fertilizers have done and are capable of doing for the farmers of Alabama.

The Alabama Experiment Station, in cooperation with 143 "dirt" farmers representing every soil division in the state, conducted from 1911 to 1922 more than 200 regular cotton fertilizer tests. These tests covered a period of 12 years and included years before and after the appearance of the boll-weevil, with high and low rainfall and other conditions that might be expected during any 12-year period.

Based on these tests, the Alabama Station recommends for cotton a minimum application of 200 pounds acid phosphate, 100 pounds nitrate of soda and 100 to 200 pounds of kainit, or its equivalent, per acre. At this rate per acre, and at the present cash price of fertilizer materials, the total cost of fertilizers for 20 acres of cotton is $95.00 or $108.00, depending on the amount of potash used. Kainit is valued at $13.00 per ton and seed cotton at 9 cents per pound.

On the gray lands with yellow subsoils of southeast Alabama, one and two tons of kainit on 20 acres increased the yield of seed cotton 1,460 and 3,060 pounds, valued at $131.40 and $275.40, respectively. Compare these values with the total cost of all fertilizers for 20 acres. On Coastal Plain soils with red subsoils, one ton of kainit increased the yield of seed cotton 1,280 pounds, worth $115.00, which is more than enough to pay for all fertilizers applied to 20 acres. Additional kainit did not produce profitable increase.

The Black Belt of lime lands of middle Alabama show a response of 1,120 pounds additional seed cotton for one ton of kainit and 1,640 pounds for two tons of kainit. At 9 cents per pound the above increases more than pay for all acid phosphate, nitrate of soda and kainit applied to 20 acres.

There are two divisions of soil in Alabama (Piedmont and Appalachian Plateaus) on which potash does not increase the yield sufficiently to pay for all fertilizers applied, but on these divisions the return per dollar invested in potash is $2.91 and $5.68, respectively, for an application of one ton of kainit to 20 acres. Extra kainit was not profitable.

In north Alabama throughout the Limestone Valley region, there are isolated areas of gray and yellow chert-free lands with yellow subsoils on which potash gives largest returns in the state. One ton of kainit increased the yield 2,240 pounds seed cotton, and two tons kainit 3,200 pounds seed cotton per 20 acres. These yields are worth $219.60 and $288.00, respectively. The return per dollar invested is $16.09 and $11.08, respectively. The heavy red clay lands found in the Limestone Valley region of north Alabama, according to the farmers of that section, do not need commercial potash, but the accurate tests show that one ton of kainit, costing $13.00, increased the yield of seed cotton 1,300 pounds, worth $117.00.

There are other results from various subdivisions in line with data given above. In studying the returns per dollar invested in the various fertilizer materials, it was found that the profit from potash was greater than from either phosphoric acid or nitrogen, with the exception of the Piedmont Plateau soils.

Potash is very essential, and the most profitable ingredient in fertilizer mixtures for cotton in Alabama. Apply 65 cents' worth of potash per acre and it will make enough additional cotton to pay for all the fertilizer materials added, except on the two soils noted above.

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Oct. 4.—Truck tires, Part Service Corporation 564.99
Oct. 4.—Lumber, Madden & Hawes 36.44
Oct. 4.—Road work, E. P. Littlejohn 5.00
Oct. 4.—Bridge work, W. M. Cassell 3.00
Oct. 4.—Road Work, B. B. Durham 10.00
Oct. 4.—Bridge work, Zack Lowery 4.50
Oct. 4.—Hauling gravel, W. H. Veazey 10.50
Oct. 4.—Hauling gravel, Arthur Allison 40.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, James Driver 40.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, J. W. Williams 38.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, W. M. Wright 3.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Will Jackson 19.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Will Johnson 9.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, Bud Klinner 21.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, Dave Boleme 21.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, Frank Boleme 13.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Charlie Giles 21.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, Harland Peters 28.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, John Davis 18.00
Oct. 4.—Road work, Robert Waters 7.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Shirp Davis 19.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Jim Brown 7.50
Oct. 4.—Road work, Leon Peters 21.00
Oct. 4.—Hauling and road work, Henry Ratliff 45.50
Oct. 4.—Hauling and road work, Sol Davis 45.50
Oct. 4.—Hauling and road work, W. M. Walker 42.00
Oct. 4.—Hauling and road work, Tie Landers 45.00
Oct. 4.—Hauling and road work, T. R. Williams 31.50
Oct. 4.—Water boy, Stanley Davis 2.25
Oct. 4.—Road work, Will Johnson 4.50
Oct. 26.—Road work, Jim Brown 1.50
Oct. 26.—Road work, Wat Davis 15.00
Oct. 26.—Hauling and road work, W. F. DeShazo 92.50
Oct. 26.—Road work, Math Wilson 6.00
Oct. 26.—Road work, Dave Johnson 15.00
Oct. 26.—Lumber and work on bridge, Geo. R. Moroe 82.50
Oct. 26.—Interest, National Park Bank, N. Y. 5,012.50
Oec. 3.—Lumber, Thompson Lbr. Co. 28.80
Dec. 3.—Repair on T. A. Curry car, Clanton Motor Company 31.25
Dec. 3.—Lumber, Mathis & Fisher 29.52
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, S. D. Lovelady 35.00
Dec. 3.—Lumber and hauling, Deloach Lbr. Co. 291.10
Dec. 3.—Oil for County, Standard Oil Co 163.14
Dec. 3.—Oil for County, Standard Oil Co. 154.63
Dec. 3.—Road work, Dan McKinnon 3.00
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, John Giles 62.00
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, John Giles 2.50
Dec. 3.—Lumber, R. J. Williams 81.00
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, C. B. Lenoir 6.25
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, Bob Gentry 3.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 16.50
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, W. J. Morris 31.50
Dec. 3.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 112.75
Dec. 3.—Road work, W. A. Moore 34.50
Dec. 3.—Lumber, P. D. Wilson 339.99
Dec. 3.—Lumber, T. M. Taylor 37.20
Dec. 3.—Lumber, Tom Taylor 52.50
Dec. 3.—Bridge work, B. C. Glass 260.75
Dec. 3.—Lumber, Erie Hart 29.60
Dec. 3.Blacksmith work, T. E. Carlton 59.85
Dec. 3.—Road work, Jim Easterling 7.50
Dec. 3.—Lumber, J. T. Rockett 182.84
Dec. 3.—Lumber, C. L. Wilkins 86.71
Dec. 3.—Lumber and road work, R. F. Atkinson 29.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, R. B. Sterling 143.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, R. B. Sterling 136.00
Dec. 3.—J. R. Popwell 24.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, Will Littlejohn 211.50
Dec. 3.—Road work, Sam Shoults 9.62
Dec. 3.—Road work, Dewey Caton 5.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, Walter Jones 16.50
Dec. 3.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 110.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 160.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, Arthur Williams 24.00
Dec. 3.—Road machine parts, Part Service Cor. 12.00
Dec. 3.—Hauling gravel, R. R. Seals 142.92
Dec. 3.—Hauling gravel, Arthur Glison 17.50
Dec. 3.—Road work, Arthur Glison 21.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, J. D. Glison 3.50
Dec. 3.—Road work, W. F. DeShazo 9.00
Dec. 3.—Gravel used on road, T. D. Potts 6.50
Dec. 3.—Gravel used on road, Harney M. Nix 21.00
Dec. 3.—Road work, E. L. Manning 6.05
Dec. 3.—Lumber, Thompson Lbr. Co. 20.25
Dec 22.—Road work, J. T. McMillion 138.95
Dec. 22.—Road and bridge work, R. R. Seals 6.00
Dec. 22.—Lumber, J. A. Huett 8.50
Dec. 22.—Bridge work, S. R. Barnes 16.32
Dec. 22.—Lumber, C. L. Hayes 5.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, Moorde McGee 35.40
Dec. 22.—Plow point, Mullins and Moore 14.00
Dec. 22.—Lumber, J. J. Headley 2.20
Dec. 22.—Bridge work, Birtie Parrish 75.15
Dec. 22.—Part for road machine, Twin City Co. 3.00
Dec. 22.—Material for vat, J. Watts Moore 33.61
Dec. 22.—Cement, E. G. Caldwell 4.50
Dec. 22.—Lumber, D. C. Littlefield 78.30
Dec. 22.—Lumber, D. F. Jones 102.40
Dec. 22.—Road work A. L. Brown 12.80
Dec. 22.—Blacksmith work, T. E. Carlton 1.60
Dec. 22.—Balance on warrant No. 292, Clifford Popwell 30.20
Dec. 22.—Road work, Clifford Popwell 10.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, Will Littlejohn 135.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 48.12
Dec. 22.—Road work, Irby Popwell 135.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 15.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, Walter Jones 82.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, Dewey Caton 59.12
Dec. 22.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 59.12
Dec. 22.—Road work, Ben Duke 66.00
Dec. 22.—Lumber, Curtis Moore 8.00
Dec. 22.—Road work, R. B. Sterling 25.00
Dec. 22.—Lumber, J. N. Scott 84.00
Dec. 22.—Bridge work and lbr., W. M. D. O'Neal 108.81
Dec. 22.—Lumber, R. M. Roebuck 106.22
Dec. 22.—Road work, Curry & Norris 67.12
TO CASH RECEIVED, From July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—Special Road Tax. 318.00
Dec. 5.—W. B. Allgood, excise gasoline tax 1,918.16
Dec. 31.—W. B. Allgood, excise gasoline tax 1,804.62
TO CASH RECEIVED, From July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—Fine and Forfeiture Fund. 747.65
July 5.—J. Z. Mims, fines 332.50
July 5.—J. Z. Mims, County Convict hire 80.51
Aug. 24.—L. H. Reynolds, County convict hire 226.24
Oct. 2.—J. Z. Mims, fines 323.95
Oct. 29.—J. Z. Mims, convict hire 129.11
Nov. 2.—J. Z. Mims, fines 384.75
Nov. 27.—J. W. F. Gulledge, fines 10.00
Dec. 31.—J. Z. Mims, fines 747.65
BY CASH PAID OUT, From July 1st, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923.—Fine and Forfeiture Fund.
July 27.—Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn $29.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, Alice Lee 2.80
July 27.—State witness certificate, John Collins 1.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, Jess Speigner 51.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, E. E. Deramus 3.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, D. M. Appperson 3.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, Oliver Chambers 2.80
July 27.—State witness certificate, Askins Watley 6.90
July 27.—State Witness certificate, S. C. Lacey 3.80
July 27.—State witness certificate, C. B. Reed 15.30
July 27.—State witness certificate, Lawyer McGee 4.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, George eBarden 3.70
July 27.—State witness certificate, George Latham 6.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, Carl Peaney 1.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, George Latham 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, Carl Peaney 1.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, George Latham 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. T. Abney 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, Helen W. Abney 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, W. H. Abney 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, Helen W. Abney 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. T. Abney 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, Dock Tucker 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, E. P. Tucker 3.10
July 27.—State witness certificate, T. L. Clam 3.20
July 27.—State witness certificate, Daniel Worthey 3.20
July 27.—State witness certificate, Harvey Foshee 1.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, T. M. Taylor 1 20
July 27.—State witness certificate, Annie Cleckler 1.50
July 27.—State witness certificate, Susie Mae Cox 1.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, Russell Shoults 4.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, P. H. Barnes 6.90
July 27.—State witness certificate, Clanton Jarrett 2.80
July 27.—State witness certificate, Jim Wilson 4.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, C. T. Walker 3.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, Clark Shoults 3.70
July 27.—State witness certificate, D. B. Barden 16.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, George Latham 3.10
July 27.—Grand Judy certificate, Henry Patterson 1.40
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, C. B. Reed 3.70
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, T. L. Smith 2.50
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, Carl Peaney 2.85
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, George Latham 3.85
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, Sam Ford 1.85
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, A. W. Lenoir 2.35
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, E. E. Deramus 2.35
July 27.—Grand Jury certificate, Tom Robinson 1.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, Julius Conners 72
July 27.—State witness certificate, John Thomas 37
July 27.—State witness certificate, Ezee McDaniel 41
July 27.—State witness certificate, Odell McDaniel 41
July 27.—State witness certificate, Julia Owens 41
July 27.—State witness certificate, Owen McDaniel 41
July 27.—State witness certificate, J .A. Wall 25
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. M. Curlee 25
July 27.—State witness certificate, Leonard Martin 25
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. M. Grant 25
July 27.—State witness certificate, Jim Wilson 3.60
July 27.—State witness certificate, Grady Bearden 3.70
July 27.—State witness certificate, Clay Latham 3.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, Lawyer McGee 4.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, Dan Worthy 3.30
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. M. Curlee 1.00
July 27.—State witness certificate, J. P. Gore 1.00
July 27.—Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn 31.00
Oct. 4.—Clerk's fees, J. Z. Mims 3.45
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, S. T. Varden 3.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. T. Walker 3.50
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. M. Grant 1.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, T. D. Roper 4.50
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Will DeShazo 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, W. H. Harris 4.60
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, D. M. Apperson 4.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, D. M. Apperson 3.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Oliver Chambers 3.80
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Oliver Chambers 2.80
Oct. 4.—State witness cedtificate, J. H. Ratliff 2.60
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, E. H. Giles 2.60
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Reuben Wililams 3.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Wililam Williams 2.40
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, W. D. Burnett 2.15
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, I. M. Deason 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Bob Billingsley 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, W. E. Deason 2.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, W. A. Pool 2.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, R. F. Deason 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate. Mrs. L. E. Deason 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Ethel Billingsley 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. B. Cole 1.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. W. Weldon 2.10
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Bula McCary 2.50
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Frank Atchison 2.80
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, S. D. McCary 2.50
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Hoyt Freeman 3.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. P. Atchison 3.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Paul P. Lewis 1.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, J. T. Walker 3.50
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Mr. Langston 2.60
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, D. O. Manning 2.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, A. L. Blow 2.20
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, A. L. Blow 2.20
Oc. 4.—State witness certificate, Charlie Walker 3.60
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, Ira Garner 4.00
Oct. 4.—State witness certificate, W. R. Scott 2.40
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Kelley Bean 5.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, A. N. Minor 2.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Bill Cooper 1.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. E. Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State Witness certificate, A. L. Sammons 2.30
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Henry Easterling 3.20
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, W. W. Broadhead 2.50
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Oliver Davis 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Russell Shoults 4.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Bill Cooper 1.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Ben. Easterling 3.20
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Ocie Adams 2.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. L. Easterling 1.50
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Clark Shoults 3.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Rev. Joe Kelley 1.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. A. Sewell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, John Gother 3.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Cleve Latham 3.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certifietae, George Bearden 3.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Clay Latham 3.20
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. H. Callius 1.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Clark Shoults 4.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Francis Campbell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Neather Campbell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, T. C. Campbell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Francis Campbell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Martha Campbell 3.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Francis Campbell 3.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, W. G. Culp 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Alfred Thomas 2.20
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, P. L. Robbins 1.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, John Sewell 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Ruth Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Nathan Mims 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Ruth Gowan 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. E. Gowan 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, H. J. Grant 7.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, W. G. Culp 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Mrs. J. E. Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. E. Gowan 2.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Ruth J. Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. E. Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Dan Worthey 3.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Willie Griffin 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Walter Johnson 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, E. C. Brown 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, E. C. Brown 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Wesley Butts 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, W. O. Robbins 3.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Fletcher Dupriest 2.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Lonnie Gore 2.30
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Tom Collins 1.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Willis Martin 2.10
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, A. E. Regan 1.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. M. Curlee 2.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, James Grant 2.15
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Andrew Smitherman 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, S. D. McCary 2.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Frank Atchison 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witnes scertificate, Joe Waldrop 2.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. P. Atchison 3.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Bula McCary 2.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Martha Watley 3.40
Nov. 8.—State witnes certificate, Ellie Watley 3.40
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Cleney Watley 3.40
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. M. Grant 1.15
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, L. P. Martin 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, H. R. Oden 3.30
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, C. T. Walker 3.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. R. McAbee 3.50
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Oscar Giles 1.50
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Mrs. Ruth Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, J. E. Gowan 1.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, George Bearden 3.70
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, John Gather 3.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Lawyer McGee 3.80
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Charlie Walker 3.60
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, John Sewell 2.00
Nov. 8.—State witness certificate, Clay Latham 3.00
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness certificate, Jim Wilson 3.30
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., G. C. Shaw 2.20
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Hoyt Freeman 3.00
Nov. 8.—Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn 222.00
Nov. 8.—Sheriff's fees, J. L. Gore 87.50
Nov. 8. Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn, ... 1.50
Nov. 8.—Clerk's fees, J. Z. Mims 112.65
Nov. 8.—Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn 23.50
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., E. M. Price 10.80
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., E. M. Price 1.30
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Newt Connell 2.60
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., W. H. Hayes 4.10
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., P. R. Devaughn 2.60
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Billie Smith 1.00
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Francis Hayes 3.10
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Oscar Rhodes 2.70
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Lillie Atchison 2.80
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Wesley Butts 10.60
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Parnell Price 7.70
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Nathan Minor 2.00
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Marie McCary 2.30
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., J. H. Collins 1.80
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Lacy Ada McCary 2.30
Nov. 8.—Grand Jury witness cert., Grady Broadhead 1.00
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Lee Ray Rhodes 1.40
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Sam Connell 1.60
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Dessie Atchison 2.80
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Essie Hayes 4.10
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Wallace Watkins 4.20
No. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Otto Burnett 2.80
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Harvie Cox 2.80
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury witness cert., Walter Bean 2.80
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury cert., E. C. Brown 9.60
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury cert., Mrs. W. M. Atchison 2.80
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury cert., Jace P. Hayes 4.10
Nov. 14.—Grand Jury cert., W. W. Broadhead 2.50
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., D. O. Monning 2.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Will DeShazo 2.10
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., J. L. Easterling 1.50
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Ocie Adams 1.60
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Ida Garner 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Jim Wilson 4.60
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., John Gather 3.30
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Clark Shoults 3.70
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., P. H. Barnes 6.90
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Clevey Mulder 3.70
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., T. M. Taylor 1.20
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Harvie Foshee 1.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Elile Watley 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Alfred Thomas 3.50
Nov. 14.—State witnes scert., W. R. Scott 2.40
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., A. L. Sammons 2.30
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Russell Shoults 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Martha Watley 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Clay Latham 3.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Ida Garner 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Clevey Watley 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Ellie Watley 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Martha Watley 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Joe Cobb 2.50
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Lawyer McGee 3.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Clevey Mulder 4.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Henry Easterling 2.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Andrew Mnoir 1.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., W. H. Harris 3.50
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., J. M. Curlee 1.00
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., T. M. Taylor 1.20
Nov. 14.—State witness cert., Askins Watley 3.70
Nov. 20.—State witness cert., Martha Watley 3.70
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RECAPITULATION

General Funds—		
Bal. June 30th, 1923	$ 6,861.15	
Cash rec. from June 30th, to Dec. 31st, 1923	15,134.17	
	$21,995.32	
Cash paid out from June 30th to Dec. 31st, 1923	14,113.61	
Bal. Dec. 31st, 1923		$ 7,881.71
Special Road Funds—		
Bal. June 30th, 1923	$ 5,267.28	
Cash rec. from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923	13,565.58	
	$18,832.86	
Cash paid out from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923.	17,464.47	
	$ 3,722.78	
Special Gasoline Road Tax to Dec. 31st, 1923	3,722.78	
Bal. Dec. 31st, 1923		$ 5,101.17
Fais and Forfeiture Funds—		
Bal. June 30th, 1923	$ 1,626.09	
Cash rec. from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923	2,234.71	
	$ 3,860.80	
Cash paid out from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923	2.993.08	
Bal. Dec. 31st, 1923		$ 867.72
Land Redemption Funds—		
Bal. June 30th, 1923	$ 578.14	
Cash rec. from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923	464.48	
	$ 1,042.62	
Cash paid out from June 30th, 1923, to Dec. 31st, 1923	271.32	
		$ 771.30

The following is a true and correct list of registered claims against Chilton County, and unless otherwise specified, are due and payable non without interest:

The following Road Warrants bear 6 per cent interest:

Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933	$500.00
Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933	500.00
Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933	500.00
Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933	500.00
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Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933	500.00
Nov. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1931	500.00
Nov. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1931	500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926	500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926	500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926	500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939	500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939	500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939	500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939	500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939	500.00
Jan. 5, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1929	500.00
Mar. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926	500.00
Mar. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926	500.00
Mar. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1927	500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1924	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1924	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1924	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1924	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925	500.00

The following Warrants bear 6 per cent interest from date:

Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Aug. 24, 1920.—C. Y. Bogacki, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Aug. 24, 1920—Educational Ex. due Jan. 1, 1925	1,284.10
Aug. 24, 1920.—Edward Miller & Co., due Jan. 1, 1925	935.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925	500.00
Nov. 15, 1921.—Geo. R. Moore, due Jan. 1, 1924	300.00
Nov. 15, 1921.—Geo. R. Moore, due Jan. 1, 1924	300.00
Nov. 15, 1921.—Geo. R. Moore, due Jan. 1, 1924	300.00
Nov. 15, 1921.—Geo. R. Moore, due Jan. 1, 1924	300.00
June 15, 1917.—Funding Road and Bridge Bonds, due June 1, 1947, with interest at 5 per cent per annum	200,000.00
Jan. 20, 1923.—Bank of Troy, borrowed money	16,000.00
Mar. 15, 1923.—Geo. R. Barnard	216.43
Mar. 13, 1923.—A. C. Pyron	3.15
Mar. 13, 1923.—C. C. Atchison	27.69
May 14, 1923.—R. A. McLead	14.00
June 18, 1923.—H. S. Hicks	12.20
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. D. Culp	13.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—G. D. Retherford	30.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Chilton Hdw. Co	13.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—H. R. Drake	28.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. E. Mims	3.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—James C. Jones	12.38
Aug. 13, 1923.—W. T. White	2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—T. L. Lecroy	2.00
Sept. 24, 1923.—Burtie Parrish	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. W. Parnell	45.76
Nov. 19, 1923.—Bob Gentry	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—R. R. Seals	8.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—E. A. Norris	14.60
Nov. 19, 1923.—A. B. Jones	221.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. McMillan	6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Moorde McGee	14.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—L. A. Brown	7.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. L. Hayes	35.40
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. J. Headley	75.15
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. B. Lenoir	6.25
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. Watts Moore	4.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—L. J. Perry	50.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—S. R. Barnes	5.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—G. M. Ratliff	2.75
Nov. 19, 1923.—Thorsby Hdw. Co.	4.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—Twin City Co.	38.61
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mulins & Moore	2.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Birmingham News	11.40
Nov. 19, 1923.—Alred Drug Co.	14.70
Nov. 19, 1923.—H. G. Cofer	15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Howard L. Foshee	7.10
Nov. 19, 1923.—E. G. Caldwell	78.30
Nov. 19, 1923.—H. C. Jones	2.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mullins & Moore	17.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—Foote & Davis	37.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—Arthur Johnson	4.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. Davis	2.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—R. J. Eiland	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. L. Herring	14.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—Chiltton Hdw. Co.	37.50
Nov. 19, 1923.Johnson Drug Co.	4.05
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mercantile Paper Co.	249.55
Nov. 19, 1923.—Union-Banner	660.27
Nov. 19, 1923.—Barnard Printing Co.	161.59
Nov. 19, 1923.—Roberts & Sons	1,172.68
Nov. 19, 1923.—Jones Hdw. Co.	1,675.66
Nov. 19, 1923.—H. H. Harris	360.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. C. Mims	6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. E. Deason	126.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. F. Pool	30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. R. Askin	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. M. Mahan	45.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Watson Looney	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Grover Looney	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Walter Popwell	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. R. McAfee	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—R. E. Jones	45.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. C. Dennis	6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. F. Bearden	18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Dowdell Johnson	15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. E. Hayes	21.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Jones Warner	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—O. C. Blackman	30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. Jones	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. E. Bearden	18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—E. N. Derhart	54.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Downs	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. L. Robinson	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Ruben Popwell	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—D. H. Gentry	6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. H. O. Kelley	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—John Sanders	15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Collins	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Milton Moore	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—B. F. Dukes	15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. B. Foshee	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. L. McKee	30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—H. N. Smith	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. L. McKee	18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—E. H. Carroll	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. Wiley Foshee	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. D. Burnett	24.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Patterson	54.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—G. D. Retherford	9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—G. C. Powell	30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Arthur Willis	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Dewey Patterson	4.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—Briggs Crumpton	21.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Downs	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. C. Maherg	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Larry Bethert	3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—John Smith	12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. M. D. O'Neal	45.00

HONOR ROLL FOR THE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

First Honor Roll.

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent or tardy:

Seventh Grade.

J. D. Evans, Annie Cowart, Buster Foshee, Delene Williams, Arthur Burnett, Lee Roy Mims.

Sixth Grade.

Mittice Duncan, Gertie Fiquett, Cathrine Hayes, Vera Jones, Pauline Lawrence, Cathrine Littlejohn, Myra Johnson, Gladys Williams, Clarence Jones, Joe Luckie.

Fifth Grade.

Martha Foshee, Bernice Williams, Mary Foshee, Louise McSwain, Minnie Gray, Annie Gray, Arthur Johnson, Georgia Wood, Clarence Easterling, Jo Erle Gowan, Branson Ruffin, Luke Calloway, Charles Raspberry, Bill Minor, Nelson Parrish, Leola Calloway, Mary Nell Goodgame.

Fourth Grade.

Zebbie Gray, Leon Jones, Jennie Welch, Herman Harris, Josephine Littlejohn, Leora Mims, Jane Roberts, Vivion Gray, Miriam Kittrell, Jeanette Walalce.

Third Grade.

Dorothy Sessions, Flora Jones, Elizabeth McSwain, Mary Nell Jones, Clyde Jones, Doris Lawrence, Byron Bean, Anderson Wallace, J. P. Jones.

Second Grade.

Mary Charles Cox, Marie Fraser, Elizabeth Harris, Alice Mae Polk, Myrtle Powell, Mary Agnes Welch, Hal Broadhead, James Dennis, Lawrence Gerald.

First Grade.

John Ezell, J. D. Jones, John Thomas Marlor, Grady Reynolds, Renfro Sorrell, Dan Smith, Holland Popwell, Merle Aldridge, Aline Foshee, Mary Edith Jones, Louise Marcus, Nell Neighbors, Lucile Scroggins, Flora Thomas, Chloe Nevins, Mary Francis Respberry, Osmond Glenn.

Second Honor Roll.

The following pupils have made an average above 85:

Seventh Grade.

Mary Lee Pyron, Courtland Retherford, Gertrude Blalock, George Raspberry, Clyde Lowe, James Wade, Burnice Vance, Horace Miller, Myrtle Smith.

Sixth Grade.

Corinne Polk, Edna Wyatt, Odell Mims, John VanDerveer, Samuel Martin, Ralph Johnston.

Fifth Grade.

Julius Foshee, Janice Danforth, Vivian Sanders, Dovie Huckabee, Mary Goodwin Jones, Julia Ruth Hester, Mattie Arant, Eual Martin, Lester Carter, Johnnie Culp, Foster Miller, Hurst Middleton, Erie Ellis, John Ponder Lawrence, Ottis Gray, Paul Cox.

Fourth Grade.

Erin Littlejohn, Mildred Mims, U. L. Foshee, Pauline Wells, Carwell Tippett, Raymond Taylor, Lawrence Edwards, Curtis Hurt, Harvey Lee Jones, Esther Lee Dennis, Irene Harris, Velma Mims, Bonnie Hann, Mary Lucile Calloway, Gladys Cowart, Wilma Goodgame.

Third Grade.

Lois Thompson, Ruby Bates, Clyde Morris, Reedless Headley, Joe Roberson, Davis Aldridge, Frances Maddox, Ophelia Hayes.

Second Grade.

Julia Edwards, Ruth Maddox, Mary Louise Meates, Rose Mary Pickens, Mary Alice Mahan, Nellie Jones, Monroe Askins, Earl Gray, Alex Hayes, Carl Jones, Cecil Jones, I. V. Jones, Tom McDonald, Herbert Neighbors, Daniel Lee Sanford, J. B. Wells.

W. E. MARTIN, Prin.

LIBERTY HILL.

Health of this community is very good at present.

Rev. J. D. Hughes filled his appointment Saturday and Sunday.

The singing at the home of Miss Senaro Culp Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Maggie Rollins dined with Miss Frances Lowery Sunday.

Miss Meadie Sanson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Littejohn Sunday.

Misses Gussie Littlejohn and Mae Sanson were the guests of Miss Verbie D. Williams Sunday.

Miss Mattie Sanson dined with Mrs. D. W. Ward Sunday.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Delene Maddox Sunday.

Miss Delene Maddox spent Sunday night with Miss Minnie Taylor.

Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Leila Sanson spent the day with Mrs. G. W. Sanson Monday.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening. Every one is invited to come be with us.

A SUBSCRIBER.

NOTICE OF WRIT OF ATTACHMENT AND LEVY

To G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson, Non-Residents of the State of Alabama:

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama, Greeting:

Whereas, W. C. Burnett, has complained on oath to me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, that G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson are justly indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of Two Hundred Ten and no-100 Dollars, and the plaintiff having made affidavit and given bond as required by law in such cases, you are hereby commanded to attach so much of the estate of said G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson as will be of value to satisfy said debt and costs, according to the complaint, unless repleved, so to secure that the same may be liable to further proceedings thereon to be had at the next term of the Circuit Court for the County of Chilton, to be holden at the Court House thereof within 30 days from the service of this writ, when and where you must make known how you have executed this Writ.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff filed in this cause that the defendants have waived their right to claim as exempt to them any personal property as against the debt upon which this suit is based, this Writ is not subject to any claim of exemptions as to personal property.

This the 31st day of Dec. 1923.

J. Z. MIMS, Clerk.

I have executed the within Writ this 9th day of Jan. 1924, by Attaching one saw mill complete, including one husk frame, carriage, belts and pulleys.

T. J. LITTLEJORN,
Sheriff.

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WHY HE VOTED FOR GOOD ROADS

Relation of Public Health and Smooth Highway Shown

The county was to vote on a bond issue which would criss-cross it with hard roads. At a public meeting in the county seat the arguments presented from the forum were largely directed against the issue of bonds, based on the higher taxes which would be paid and the fact that "we already have all we can pay."

The chairman was an anti-bond advocate. After a probond speech, to which he listened with ill-concealed impatience, he caleld Farmer Jones to his feet. "You tell 'em, Brother Jones," he said. "You would be heavily taxed, and yet you wouldn't be within a quarter of a mile of the road." Turning to a lieutenant he smiled. "He'll tell 'em, too! I've heard him talk before. He's hot against extra taxes for roads!"

"Friends," began Farmer Jones, "for years I have fought good roads at county expense. I was wrong. I'm here to tell you why. Last winter my little girl got sick. She was awful sick. I got the doctor on the telephone and he said he'd be right out. It took him eight hours to get to the rouse. He got mired in down by the horse pond. When he got there it was too late. My little girl chocked to death with diptheria. My road tax might have cost me fifty dollars a year for a few years; and I'd have a daughter. I saved the money . . . and bought a tombstone with it, and the roads are just as bad as ever. I'm for the bond issue, and when the road is built, I'll build my own quarter of a mile of road so I can get to it. I've still got two children."

The bond issue was passed.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

Owing to the length of the school term this year I am requested by Prof. C. R. Wood, Director of Extension of the State Normal at Jacksonville, to announce to those teachers taking the Normal Extension Work that the dates for the meeting of this course has been changed so that the remaining meetings will come on the dates mentioned below: Jan. 12th and 26th, and Feb. 2nd.

Teachers will please take note of this change and be present at the meetings.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Co. Supt. Education.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Looking Ahead

LAST Spring a total of 350,000 people were disappointed in not being able to obtain deliveries of Ford Cars and Trucks, as orders were placed faster than cars could be produced.

The demand for Ford Cars and Trucks this Spring will, according to all indications, be far greater than last Spring.

Winter buying has been increasing at a greater rate than ever before.

Actual retail deliveries the past 60 days totaled 308,170 Ford Cars and Trucks, an increase of 1,961 a day over a year ago.

Over 200,000 people have already ordered Ford products on our purchase plan, the majority of whom will take delivery in the Spring.

The above facts are given with the suggestion that you list your order promptly with a Ford dealer if you contemplate the purchase of a Ford Car or Truck for use this Spring or Summer and wish to avoid delay in delivery.

Ford Motor Company
Detroit, Michigan

You need not pay cash for your car. You can arrange to make a small deposit down, taking care of the balance in easy payments. Or, you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan. This puts you on the preferred order list and insures delivery of your car at a time to be determined by yourself.

CLANTON MOTOR CAR CO.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
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Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
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Coughs annoy unnecessarily

Check those violent coughing spells that bring upon you unfavorable attention. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by gently stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation	Wind Colic
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Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

MULES FOR SALE

Good Heavy Mules, suitable for Farm Work or Hauling Lumber. Will sell for cash or on terms, or trade for Cattle.

L. H. Reynolds

CLANTON, ALA.

SHALL OUR DEMOCRACY SURRENDER OR SURVIVE?

The Truth About Underwood's Private Presidential Primary Law and It's Hidden Purpose

MUSGROVE CANDIDATE OF THE PEOPLE; UNDERWOOD FOR SPECIAL INTERESTS

Citizens of Alabama, do you realize what has been done to you? Do you know that the sacred right of casting your vote, of selecting your representatives, of voicing your sentiments has been taken away from you? Do you know that in this good year of 1924 a handful of would-be politicial dictators have trampled into the dust the principles for which your fathers fought, which came into being with the birth of our nation and which have become the treasured ideals of Americanism?

In the history of American politics our citizenship has been forced to suffer under "boss rule." Instances of this are recalled in the "boss-ism" of Quay and Penrose, of Pennsylvania; Tweed, Croker, Murphy and Tammany, of New York. These, with Sullivan, of Illinois, in their total disregard for the God-given rights of the people, "self-government" in no sense of the word approaches the high-handed way in which the submissive and blinded legislature, sought to thwart the will of the people and disfranchise the voters.

How has this been done? Who is responsible? What is its purpose? These are the facts.

The manipulators of Mr. Underwood knew if the people were allowed to vote for their own delegates that they would select delegates reflecting the sentiment of their districts, and that Mr. Underwood would not be the choice of many of these for President and that none of them could be used by him and "his friends" to trade off in support of Al Smith of New York or some other reactionary politician. Hence this assault upon your rights—therefore this undemocratic, illegal, and nefarious scheme. **Shades of Washington, Jefferson and Jackson! Where has gone the teachings of our forefathers? Is representative government and democracy to perish?**

To throttle the will of the people, to bind and gag the voters of the State, Underwood's manipulators, steeped in their own arrogance, believing that the people of our State are but lamb like and stupid sheep secured the passage of a **special primary law** which provided that a **special primary at the cost to the people of the State in time and money of a million dollars,** should be held at which only an Alabamian could enter and receive the benefits of—and then only the Alabamian (or really Underwood, as admitted and intended) would be given the rights heretofore vested in the people and be allowd to name the twenty-four delegates from this State, without the voters being given a voice in their selection. And then with Alabama's twenty-four votes in his vest pocket the state's vote would be his to hand to Murphy, to cast for Al Smith or any other wet, reactionary politician he might choose. While the vote of your representatives in drafting democratic principles would be presented to the enemy to voice as your sentiments the things you have always fought as evil and harmful.

CORPORATION POLITICIANS HOG-TIE VOTERS.

Why was this done?

It was because certain of the corporation controlled politicians of the State knew that your votes would never be cast for them to represent you and thus only could you be bound hand and foot, hog-tied and turned over to those who are even now planning to thwart the will of the people in the coming Democratic convention and select a "safe" tool as the nominee to serve their own selfish interests.

And so we have this unnecessary, **undemocratic, and costly special primary** which has been foisted upon the people of the State in an effort to give their sacred rights into hands of one man who fails to represent the sentiment of the people of the State.

NO HOPE FOR UNDERWOOD.

Every well informed man knows that Mr. Underwood can never hope to secure the nomination. They are simply playing on their belief in the people's stupidity not to see through their abortive scheme to use your vote and your voice against your interest **for the benefit of the financial and corporate interest in the East with whom Mr. Underwood is aligned.** They call on you in the name of State pride and Southern pride hoping that you will assist in the robbery of your own rights for their benefit. It is not State pride nor Southern pride but a selfish desire to trade your votes for their benefit. For the sake of ourselves and our children, may we be delivered from being deluded into any such trap as they would try to spring by raising this false cry of State pride.

Does Mr. Underwood now advocate local self-government or government by himself for himself?

What will YOU do?

Realizing that someone must make this fight for the preservation of the principles of democracy in our State and in response to the demand of those who believe in the people's right to govern, and at a sacrifice of my wishes and interest I permitted myself to be entered in this race, so that you may have an opportunity to cast your vote for a candidate who will choose only those who will cast their votes for a progressive democrat, whose sympathy with the people is unquestioned, and about whose prohibition views there is no doubt, and who will be in sympathy with the forward moving democracy of our State.

FOR PRESIDENT

L. B. MUSGROVE.

When you give your endorsement to me you know that I will never trade your vote and your voice in support of Al Smith's and Tammany's candidates and platforms.

Will you permit the crime of the attempted robbery of the people's rights to be accomplished or will you repudiate such political chicanery? Are you willing to aid this attempt to defraud the citizens of our State? Where does your STATE PRIDE place you in THIS FIGHT?

What The Candidates Stand For

WET OR DRY?

Underwood has been continuously wet. He voted against the State prohibition amendment in 1909. He voted against the eighteenth amendment (prohibition) in Congress. He voted to leave the question of selling liquor to a vote of the District of Columbia—on account of his convictions—when half of the voters there were negroes. He is now being actively supported by the Association Opposed to Prohibition. He was the leader in the fight for the wets against the prohibition amendment. He is still their leader. I have led the fight for the drys from the beginning. Now that Mr. Underwood is a candidate for the Presidency, and now that prohibition is primarily a question of law administration—under the general leadership of the nation's chief executive—with Underwood's attitude on the prohibition question unchanged, where should the friends and believers of prohibition line up in this fight?

MUSGROVE FAVORS SOLDIER BONUS.

Underwood is against the Bonus Bill for the soldiers. I favor the bonus. Underwood seeks to reap the benefit of a million-dollar special primary arranged for his personal benefit, but Underwood is not willing to give one cent to the soldiers.

England and France with a debt of six to eight times that of America has long since allowed adjusted compensation for her soldiers. Canada has already done as much for her soldiers and made appropriations for a great deal more than the Bonus Bill provides for ours. Is America with only one-eighth of the debt of these other countries to refuse even this small pittance to her soldiers? Democracy should never place its standard in the hands of any man who is unwilling to allow this compensation for the soldiers. Fifty thousand Alabamians offered their all for their country. George Washington received $64,000 adjusted compensation from the United States, and $60,000 from State of Virginia, and recommended a bonus for all soldiers. Abraham Lincoln received adjusted compensation in the Black Hawk Indian war, and our own beloved Gen. Robt. E. Lee received adjusted compensation in the Mexican War. President U. S. Grant also received a bonus. Multi-millionaires were created by the war. Shall those who represent their interest say that this compensation be denied to the thousands of Alabama soldiers?

Adjusted compensation has been paid our soldiers of all wars except the World War. Underwood **is one of the four Senators** who defeated the bonus bill in the last Congress.

Other Issues.

Underwood bitterly opposed the Woman Suffrage Amendment and fought against the women since the beginning of the fight and voted against the submission of the 19th amendment and franchising the women—I favored Woman Suffrage and fought for the submission of the 19th amendment since this fight began.

Underwood is a stand-pat reactionary. Musgrove is a progressive Democrat.

ESCH-CUMMINGS BILL. RAILROAD OWNERSHIP OF GOVERNMENT.

Underwood favors "the crime of this generation"—Railroad Ownership of Government familiary known as the Esch-Cummings Railroad Bill, which impoverished the farmers and nearly wrecked the shippers. I oppose any such iniquitious legislation.

Underwood is aligned with the big interest in this country and the reactionaries in politics. I have always been aligned with the people and the people's interest.

Underwood is in favor of the legislature dictating and disfranchising the voters and appointing their representatives—I favor giving all the people a right to vote their own convictions and electing their representatives.

Underwood is a lawyer and a politician representing the big interest and reactionaries in Governmental affairs. I am a farmer and business man and opposed to the reactionaries and big interests controlling the country.

The people of this State know instinctively that Mr. Underwood has not helped to secure Muscle Shoals for Ford. On this question Underwood says: "I will finish with Ford." Yes, and the finish can easily be made far back in the rear. And everyone knows that the chief opponent of Henry Ford, the Alabama Power Co. and their newspapers, are now supporting, actively, Mr. Underwood. I will lead for Henry Ford in this fight as I have since the question has been before this country; and further, if nominated and elected the Muscle Shoals question will be settled in favor of the farmers and Henry Ford.

UNDERWOOD FAVORS AUTOCRACY IN GOVERNMENT. I FAVOR DEMOCRACY IN GOVERNMENT.

Underwood's "Pink-Tea" and "Silk Stocking Supporters" speak publicly and offensively of the farmers' organizations as the moribund (dead) crowd, while I say the farmers and farmers' organizations are the foundation stone upon which the Republic stands, and that the farmers are the bulwark of the Nation, and that long before the coming primary election the Bolshevik Bourbon Underwood supporters will find out that the farmers of this State are not dead, neither are they sleeping.

What Is to Be Your Verdict?

ARE YOU FOR UNDERWOOD AND AUTOCRACY, OR MUSGROVE AND DEMOCRACY?

Are you for Underwood and the surrender of your rights and your liberty or are you for Musgrove and the preservation of the rights of the people to have a representative government and to have control of their own affairs?

Are you in favor of the vest pocket Underwood delegation being voted for a reactionary wet politician; or for Musgrove with the assurance that only a dry, progressive democrat will receive the benefit of your vote?

The choice is yours. Yours to bear the evils of a defeat of democratic principles. Yours to receive the benefits of a victory for the right of the people to rule.

L. B. MUSGROVE.

IMPORTANT NOTE—All citizens are urged to form clubs at once. Write for literature and report local conditions to Musgrove Committee 416 N. 21st St., Birmingham, Ala.

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SPECIALS SATURDAY

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Dish Pans,
Percolators,
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Fast Colors,
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NOVELTY SPRING SLIPPERS
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All Colors,
Special Saturday
One Lot
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Our Prices Are the Lowest in Town.
Low Grade, pair
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CORDUROY BREECHES
Good for All-the-Year-Round Wear
$2.49

GROCERIES
Good Flour,
24-lb. sack
90c

SUGAR
10 lbs. for
$1.00

COFFEE
4 lbs. Good Grade Coffee for
$1.00

MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS
See them and Get Our Prices Before Buying.

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TOM TAYLOR, Manager
Clanton, Alabama

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

W. M. U. Meets Monday.

At the home of Mrs. Mallie White on Monday evening, the Woman's Missionary Society held their regular business meeting, and officers for the year were elected. Rev. C. C. Wilkerson conducted the devotional exercises. After all business was dispensed the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. C. Jones; Vice-President, Mrs. M. L. White; Recording Secretary, Mrs. H. Chandler; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Macy Jones; Local Treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Armstrong; Superintendent of Juniors, Mrs. V. J. Elmore; Superintendent of Study and Publicity, Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson; Superintendent of Bible Study, Mrs. McDavid; Superintendent of Social Service, Mrs. Joe Calloway; Superintendent of Supplies, Mrs. W. A. Reynolds; Local Chairman and Agent for Voice, Mrs. Kicker; Parsonage Committee, Mesdames M. A. Gore, Hugh Simpson; Flower Committee, Mrs. Luckie. Rev. Wilkerson made a few commentary remarks concerning the work on the new church, also the urgent need of the centenary move. A large number of useful and serviceable articles had been given by each merchant. These things were to be collected to be sold at M. A. Gore's store by Mesdames. Macy Jones, Wilkerson and Oscar Jones. Among these articles was a "yearling," given by Tom Kemp, and the Ladies Committee appointed Rev. Wilkerson to take charge of this number. Three new names were added to the roll, that of Mesdames Claud Jones, Oscar Jones and Joe Calloway. Late in the evening a dessert course was served by the hostess, assisted by Mesdames Luckie and Armstrong.

Birthday Party.

Janice Meredith Danforth is eleven years old. The epochal day fell on last Friday. Her classmates became her guests for the afternoon in celebration of the occasion. The receiving of the gift-bearing guests, the serving of fruit punch, the playing of child-hood games, the serving of delightful refreshments and the dispensing of favors to the departing guests by the honoree, made up the afternoon's program. Much fun and jollity were crowded into the few short hours. It is safe to say the happy occasion will ever be remembered by the participants. During the partaking of refreshment period, each guest expressed one good wish for the benefit of the happy honoree. These good wishes could have been expressed universally, in the language of the inimitable Rip Van Winkle: "May you live a long time and always be happy."

Card Club Meets.

Mrs. Willis Lyman was lovely hostess on last Wednesday when she entertained her Bridge club. Bright flowers and pot plants were used to decorate the rooms where the tables for the game was arranged. After a spirited game Mrs. Oscar Jones held top score and was given a pretty hand made handkerchief.

At the close of the game a dessert course was served.

Mrs. John VanDerveer and Miss Bettie Mullins were guests of the club.

The friends of Roscoe Connell will be glad to see him out again after a spell of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roberts enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Holmes of Dothan is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Hugh Simpson was called to Montgomery Tuesday on account of the death in the family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong returned from a brief visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. E. S. Parrish from Deland, Fla., was theh guest of Mr. and Mrs. Luckie Sunday night.

Mr. McDonald of the McDonald Mercantile Co., made a business trip to Montgomery Monday.

Mrs. Hanley returned to her home in Ensley Tuesday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowell.

Master Sidney Reynolds spent the week-end in Montgomery with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Johnson.

Mr. Red Wooley was called to Montevallo a couple of days last week on account of the death of his aunt.

Mrs. Sallie Goodwyn is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Luckie.

Miss Callie Watts made a business trip to Jacksonville, Ala., Monday.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins returned home Tuesday after a two weeks visit to Dr. and Mrs. Amzi Gowan.

Mr. Marion Foshee returned to his home in Fort Payne after a few days business trip here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds motored over to Selma Tuesday.

Clarence Evans was a visitor to his mother here last week.

Mr. Andrew Easterling and family left Monday for the Rio Grande Valley, where they will make their future home.

Solicitor Tate from Wetumpka was a visitor to Clanton Thursday on business.

Mr. H. L. Shields, Road Master of the L. & N. was attending to business in Clanton Tuesday.

Miss Marjorie Murphy, who is teaching at Oak Grove, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Annie Thacker is moving this week to Clanton and will have an apartment with "aunt" Laura White.

Visit New Tea Room.

Last Tuesday afternoon a congenial group of ladies played Bridge at the home of Mrs. Victor Heard and after the game they went over to Mrs. Branch's tea room, where they were served dainty refreshments.

Mr. W. H. Robinson of Providence was in Clanton Monday. While here he came to The Banner office to get his copy of the 1924 Year Book.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., B.A-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
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BURIAL SUPPLIES
Prompt Courteous Consideration
MULLINS & MOORE
Clanton, Ala.

ENTERPRISE ITEMS

I'm glad to state that health of this community is very good at present, except a few bad colds.

The farmers are now getting ready for their next crop.

Miss Essie Neeley spent Wednesday night with her cousin, Miss Jewell Deloach, and reported a nice time you know, for they had a candy pulling.

Misses Lizer and Fannie Williams spent Saturday night with their cousin, Miss Susie Huett.

Misses Maggie Bookholdt, Essie Neeley, Mary Huett were the dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Wiliams.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Neeley spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wililams.

Miss Jewell Deloach spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Ruby Williams.

We are glad to have our new neighbors that have just moved in, Mrs. Mary Wiliams and family.

Mr. F. E. Neeley spent Thursday night with Mr. S. D. Deloach and family.

Mr. D. D. Deloach motored up to Mt. Creek Sunday and found the roads awful.

Misses Jewell Deloach and Mary Huett were broom hunters Thursday afternoon.

We have preaching every third Sunday at Bethany church, singing every fourth.

Coughing
Tires the old, lowers their vitality. The best standard family cough medicine for old and young
CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY
Good for every member of the family

SAXON & PITTS
Lawyers
Office in Johnson Bldg.
CLANTON, ALA.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe
D. D. Easterling, Prop.

POOR OR

WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE ELECTION CONTEST ANY WAY?

(EDITORIAL)

We always thought that an election was contested for the purpose of making corrections in illegal votes and ultimately to purge the ballot boxes of any illegality, but from recent developments it looks as though the real purpose of the contest over the probate judgeship of Chilton County has been forgotten and instead there has been instituted a personal persecution against Judge L. H. Reynolds on the part of a few sore Democrats in the county. The backers of the scheme seem to be composed mostly of one or two doctors, a few lawyers and from all indications one or two who stand influential in one of the banks here in Clanton. If the reason leading up this persecution of Judge Reynolds is disclosed, it can be readily seen that the majority of these men have something personal against Judge Reynolds and are not fighting the contest for any meritorious reason whatever. You may go down one side of the street, even in Clanton, and back up the other, and four out of every five will tell you that they are not in favor of the methods that are being resorted to to oust Judge Reynolds out of office. You can even go to Beats 7 and 8, two of the strongest Democratic Beats in the county, and we will wager to say that not one influential Democrat is in favor of the methods that are being pursued and the treatment Judge Reynolds is being accorded.

In regard to the difficulty that occured a few days ago in the court house, it seems to us that Judge Reynolds has been unusually patient and has borne the excessive abuse that has been heaped upon him longer and with more patience than most any other man in the country would have done. It seems sometimes that some men are not quite as respectful of the truth as they might be, or else their recollection is very blurred. If you will take the time to read the piece of Judge Reynolds in this week's paper in which he quotes the statement made by Hon. J. F. Thompson in his letter to The Union-Banner on December 27th in regard to the controversy at the court house, and then again his statement in the Chilton County News on January 10th, you will understand what we mean. Also read the affidavit of old man A. J. Jones whom we all know and trust and see what he says concerning the conversation which he heard between Mr. Thompson and Prof. Pickens on the train one afternoon just after the difficulty. In that conversation, when these two gentlemen thought that no one interested was around and talked confidentially, Mr. Thompson made the expression that Judge Reynolds had not done any more than any ordinary man would have done under the circumstances. In other words, Mr. Thompson justifies Judge Reynolds' action in slapping Tom Hand, but almost simultaneously he has the audacity to come out in the Chilton County News with an afidavit entirely and wholly exonerating Tom Hand of insulting the girls and holding him up to the public as a model man and a paragon of all orderly actions and righteousness on the day of the controversy. On the one hand he is publicly lauding Tom Hand to the skies and shows him up to be blameless, while privately he blames Mr. Hand and in effect says that Judge Reynolds was right. The poet has aptly said that "Truth crushed to the earth shall rise again," which fits this case with miraculous aptitude. We wonder sometimes if more private conversations of some of the same set of men could be known that the real motive of the contest would not be disclosed.

The News is continually speaking of frauds in the last election. Well, let us just suppose that Judge Reynolds or some other Republican officer of the county at any time had performed any duty that was imposed upon them by law in such a manner as the Board of Registrars did two years ago, the News would have invoked the powers of heaven and hell to have reaped its retributive justice for it. What can the News or any Democrat think of a Board of Registrars—men appointed and sworn to perform a public trust under sacred and binding judicial oaths before the Almighty God to perform their duty according to law, and then contrary to law go from house to house registering Democrats and skipping Republican voters? It is reliably reported that on one occasion they went to Mrs. Durbin's house and registered her out under the wagon shed which is controry to law and left a Republican lady in the house not registered. There are numbers of other similar cases that might be mentioned. On one occasion they advertised the place for registering voters and Mrs. O. S. Shoults went to the place on the date advertised and remained there all the morning in the rain, and the registrars went from house to house violating the law, and yet this good lady was not allowed the privilege of registering and was disfranchised and denied the privilege of voting, which the highest law of this land says she was entitled to. If any Republican official had performed any official duty in such a manner, he would have been, and should have been, run out of the county and denied the right to ever look upon the face of an honest man or woman again.

Right now, there is a man on the Registration Board whom we understand from a reliable source, went to a member of the last State Legislature and told him it would never do to let the probate judges of the State register voters as some of them were Republicans and would register all alike but by having a Democratic board the advantage would be decidedly in their favor. Yes indeed, it is in their favor where the registrars have as little respect of the law as above pointed out. So, our suggestion to the Chilton County News is that they sweep around their own door a bit before they undertake to cleanse all the "crooked" Republicans in Chilton County. Yes, we say, let the contest come—but in a legal fashion. Let it be above board and open. Let's make it a legal fight with honor and justice reigning supreme, and then the winner will know that he has fought a good fight and kept the faith.

In its last issue the News speaks of "Judge" Atkinson being a staunch Republican and open, clean and honest. We are forced to wonder, has the News gone Republican, or what is the trouble?

HAMPTON NEWS

Mrs. W. F. Parson was the guest of Mrs. S. E. Howell Friday afternoon.

Miss Ida Scott and nephew, Joseph Scott, were the guests of Mrs. S. E. Howell and daughter Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. F. Parson and family were guests of Mrs. Bill Logan and family Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Scott and family were guests of Mrs. J. P. Barbour and family Sunday.

There's no preaching at Hampton now. Rev. White has become unable to serve the church and it seems the folks are in no hurry to get them a new pastor.

There is preaching at Zion's Rest every 4th Sunday. Everybody is welcome.

Since Miss Thelma Scott has left us, it is quite lonesome down here. Come on folks, if you would visit us we might be able to get something started at Hampton. Bethany folks, Bethsalem and none of those folks ever visit us, and there is not many folks around here, and how can we expect anything? The folks do not think it worth while, when no one cares to come about us. Tell us what you have against us.

LOMAX NEWS

(Last week's letter.)

Please allow me a small place in your paper for a few words.

Misses Nettie and Vilula Littlejohn of Thorsby were visiting relatives and friends around here part of last week.

Mr. R. W. Ward of Mt. Pleasant was a visitor to Lomax Friday afternoon.

Mrs. William Jones and Mrs. Webb Sharp from near Jackson Chapel were visiting in Lomax Friday.

Messrs C. C. Burnett, Oscar Wells and Henry Taylor made a trip to Birmingham Sunday.

Uncle Dock Wells of Clanton was visiting in Lomax Sunday.

Mr. D. N. Robinson, better known as Doulby Robinson, from Montgomery, is visiting relatives and friends here.

Miss Pauline Robinson was the guest of her cousin, Miss Annie Ward, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tom Burnett who has been visiting his son, Charlie Burnett, returned to his home in Randolph Monday.

Mrs. Bessie Wells visited Mrs. Ollie Burnett Sunday afternoon.

With best wishes to The Union-Banner.

A "trouble bureau" is operated by the Service Citizens of Delaware, an organization which co-operates with the State department of immigrant education in preparing foreign-born persons for citizenship. More than 1,000 problems concerning naturalization were presented to the bureau during the past year by 746 applicants who needed help. These applicants represented 33 nationalists.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By vertue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of one hundred fifty-three and 52-100 dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the March Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Fitzpatrick, N. C. M., by her next friend, H. T. Fitzpatrick, in favor of officers of the court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1924, all the right, title and the interest of the above named Mary Fitzpatrick, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

West half of NW quarter, N half of SW quarter in Section Twenty (20), Township Twenty-two (22) North, of Range Sixteen (16) East, and containing 159.60 acres more or less, except the mineral right, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 28th day of December, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, December 28th, 1923.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff.

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THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 7 at Maplesville on January 17, 1924.
Precinct No. 3 at Benson on January 18, 1924.
Precinct No. 16 at Providence on January 19, 1924.
Precinct No. 4 at Clanton on Jan. 21 to Feb. 2, inc've, 1924
Precinct No. 14 at Macedonia February 4, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Mars Hill on February 5, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Providence on February 6, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

No one can register except in his own precinct and at the Court House.

Big Bargain

SALE

BEGINNING JAN. 19
and lasts for only two weeks

OVERALLS

$2.00 Jumpers	$1.59
2.00 Overalls	1.57
1.50 Overalls	1.29
1.35 Overalls	1.19
1.25 Overalls	.99

WORK PANTS

$3.00 Pants	$2.49
2.50 Pants	2.19

SHIRTS

$1.00 Work Shirts	$ .89
3.00 Wool Shirts	2.59
2.50 Wool Shirts	2.19
2.00 Dress Shirts	1.59

UNION SUITS

$1.00 Union Suits	$ .79
1.25 Union Suits	.89
1.50 Union Suits	1.19
.50 Infants Vests	.36

HEADWEAR

$1.00 Fine Knitted Caps	86c
.50 Caps	39c

DRESS GOODS

Pamella Flannel	17½c yd.
Griffin Flannel	19c yd.
30c Dress Ginghams	23c yd.
25c Dress Ginghams	19c yd.

GROCERIES

Arm & Hammer Soda, 7 boxes	25c
Hammer Soap, 8 bars	25c
Washing Powders, 7 boxes	25c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans	25c
Sledge Hammer Lye, 7 cans	50c
Red Seal Lye, 2 cans	15c
Morning Joy Coffee, 1 lb can	40c
Matches, 6 boxes	25c
Pet Milk, 4 cans	25c
Good Flour, 1 barrel.	$7.00
Sugar (Saturday only) 10 lbs.	$1.00

We have just received our line of Spring Shoes. Don't forget we will give you a special bargain. Every pair guaranteed.

We also carry a stock of the best Horse, Dairy and Poultry Feeds that money can buy.

Don't forget that this sale only lasts two weeks, beginning Jan. 19. With each $10.00 cash sale we will give $1.00 in trade.

Clanton Mill & Gin Co.

J. A. MADDOX, Manager. CLANTON, ALA.

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REMOVAL NOTICE!

We have moved to our former store and are prepared better than ever to furnish our customers with Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Ladies' and Gent's Ready-to-Wear.

We have the niftiest lines of Men's and Boys' Suits and Ladies' Dresses that have ever been in Clanton. We guarantee you a saving with every purchase. All we ask is that you look at our competitor's line, then see us.

Remember we gladly refund your money on anything you buy from us not satisfactory, by only asking, without any questions.

THE RED FRONT STORE

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE

CLANTON, ALA.

JUDGE REYNOLDS WRITES MORE OF HAND AFFAIR

(Continued from Page 1.)

the presence of Mr. G. C. Walker in Mr. Walker's office last Wednesday that the young ladies told him that I was courteous at all times and that I did not speak an unkind word in their presence. You could have ascertained the truth of this matter if you had wanted to be fair to me. I am perfectly willing to leave the matter of my conduct to Judge Reynolds who investigated the incident on his return and told me the result as above."

In other words, in this statement he makes the assertion that he, Mr. Thompson, did not say an unkind or discourteous word to either of the ladies in the office, and further says that an unkind or discourteous word was not spoken to either of them by anyone in his presence or hearing, and that if there were discourtesies shown it did not happen in the record room where he was all the time. I think it is quite apparent to any one that in the article in The Union-Banner Mr. Thompson is only testifying what happened in his presence or what he himself did, but in his last affidavit in the Chulton County News he makes the broad assertion that Mr. Hand had not spoken a single discourteous word to the young ladies either in his presence or otherwise. Why the discrepancy in the two statements I do not understand.

Mr. Thompson also stated in the same affidavit in the Chilton County News that he himself told Judge Reynolds on Wednesday, December 19 in the office of Grover Walker that it was not Mr. Hand but he himself who asked the clerk for the information relative to the names on the poll list and that there was nothing unusual or unpleasant which resulted from his inqiry. This is also entirely different from the conversation I had with Mr. Thompson in Mr. Walker's office on the date mentioned.

During the conversation I asked Mr. Thompson if he heard Mr. Hand and Mr. Pickens speak to the girls in any insulting manner and he said: "I did not hear them say anything insulting to the girls." He asked me if they said he was discourteous and I stated to Mr. Thompson that the clerks said he was entirely courteous to them, but I am sure I am correct when I say Mr. Thompson did not tell me that he was the one who talked to the girls concerning the poll list as he satted in the Chilton County News on the date above mentioned. At first it seemed the purpose of Mr. Thompson to exonerate himself from any wrong doing, but in his last statements he has taken upon himself the exoneration of Mr. Hand as well.

In the issue of The Union-Banner of some few weeks ago there were affidavits by the two Misses Burnett of what happened in the office. There were no insinuations against Mr. Thumpson at all and if he takes upon himself the broad duty of answering for Mr. Tom Hand's wrong doings, that is his business. However, I feel that in justice to the two Misses Burnett, his statements for consistency should not go unchallenged. I have known the two Misses Burnett practically all their lives and I have known Green Burnett, their father, pactically all his life, and they are all known to the people of this county and it makes no difference as to the relative position of Mr. Thompson and the two Misses Burnett, as I believe their word before the public of Chilton County will have as much weight as his.

There are numerous circumstances and facts concerning this controversy which bear the two Misses Burnett out in their statements. These facts have already been published in a former issue of The Union-Banner. Also, taking Mr. Thompson's side of the affair, if the facts were as he has alleged in the last issue of the Chilton County News, why did he change those facts from the statements made in the Union-Banner of December 27.

Mr. Thompson has seen fit in this affidavit to flatly contradict and dispute the statements made by the Burnett girls, but I will say this in defense of them, that, considering the facts in the case and the inconsistent statements of Mr. Thompson and also considering the character and honor of the two young ladies I do not think his affidavit can change the attitude of the public. I have always found the two young ladies and their father as being of the highest character and integrity, and the public knows that they have been very courteous and affable in the office, always closely attending to the business of the office and the public service.

Yours very truly,
L. H. REYNOLDS.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Before me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said county in said state, personally appeared A. J. Jones, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes on oath and says as follows:

I am now a resident citizen of Chilton County, I was born in Chilton county and have resided in Chilton County my entire life, and I am now seventy-one years of age. A day or two after the trouble between Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand, which I am informed occurred in the court house at Clanton, I boarded No. 10 in the afternoon at Verbena, Ala., for Lomax, Ala. While the train stopped at Clanton I went from the day coach into the smoker and Mr. J. J. Pickens of Clanton came into the smoker also and sat down by the side of J. F. Thompson. I know both of these gentlemen. I then sat down across the aisle from where these two gentlemen were sitting and they then started a conversation relative to the trouble between Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand. During the course of the conversation J. F. Thompson stated in substance that the trouble between Judge Reynolds and Tom Hand was all uncalled for and that Judge Reynolds had not done any more than any ordinary man would have done under the circumstances.

A. J. JONES,

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 15th day of Jan., 1924.
J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.

Clanton, Ala., Jan. 15, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

This is to certify that we, resident citizens in and around Collins Chapel, have personally and intimately known the Misses Delene and Audel Burnett practically their entire lives, they having been raised and lived in this community, and we have also known their father, Green Burnett, and we take pleasure in certifying and testifying to the character of these young ladies as being of the highest type of womanhood, both for honor, integrity and veracity and we strongly resent any insinuations made to the contrary by any person either a resident of this county or otherwise.

We futher certify that the Misses Burnett are descended from a family of the highest type of character and citizenship and we emphatically resent, on their account, and insinuations that may be made on their two daughters.

We have also found the Misses Burnett very courteous in the Probate Office and attentive to the public service and the duties of the office. They have also conducted themselves in a womanly and lady-like manner and we therefore feel it our duty to publicly resent any insinuations to the contrary as to their veracity or honesty.

(Signed)—R. H. Bean, Docia Bean, W. M. Benson, R. M. Benson, Susie Benson, Julia Benson, Sam P. Collins, Minnie Collins, Mattie Barrett, Mrs. J. W. Collins, Freddie Barrett, G. M. Benson, Edgar Huett, Mrs. Meline Benson, Mrs. Tom Collins, J. H. Benson, Mrs. J. H. Benson, R. F. Littleton, Mrs. R. F. Littleton, J. M. Mims, Martha Mims, Gerald Hubbard, Lunnie Lee Hubbard, Mrs. S. A. Murrah, G. W. Sessions, Mrs. G. N. Sessions, Frank A. Oslin, Mrs. Frank Oslin, Mrs. A. P. Oslin, C. I. Willis, Mrs. M. C. Willis, T. P. Gore, Mrs. T. P. Gore, G. W. Mims, M. E. Mims, S. M. Pate, J. D. Cleckler, G. L. Foshee.

Mr. Andrew J. Easterling and family, who have heretofore been living in Temple Community, left Monday afternoon for their new home in the Rio Grande Valley of Southern Texas. Mr. Easterling bought land there a few weeks ago and sold out all his belongings in Chilton County. The Banner wishes Mr. Easterling much success in his new undertaking.

Mr. J. L. Smith, formerly of Clanton Route 3, but now of Pletcher, was in Clanton a while Monday.

CENTENARIAN

Work and no worry—there you have the recipe for attaining ripe old age, in the estimation of Daniel Driscoll of Sawtelle, California. He ought to know. Mr. Driscoll who is pictured above, has just passed the 105th milestone of his career.

And he is just as spry and active as a man of thirty. If you saw him going through his daily routine of work in his garden, it is said, you'd never think the man was a centenarian. Quite interesting, we'd say.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by the Honorable J. F. Posey, Judge of the Probate Court of Autauga County, Alabama, on the 7th day of January, 1924, I, G. C. Donovan, administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, deceased, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door on Factory Street in the City of Prattville, Autauga County, Alabama, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The west half of the south-west quarter of section 19, township 20, range 14, containing 80 acres, more or less, also the following land situated in Chilton County, Alabama, beginning 338 yards west of the south-east corner of section 36, township 20, range 13, thence running north 70 yards, thence west 120 yards, thence south 70 yards, thence east 120 yards to the point of beginning, containing 1 and one-half acres, more or less; also the following parcel of land situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the north-west corner of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section 1, township 19, range 13, thence west 25 yards, thence south-east 140 and 11-12 yards, thence east 80 yards, thence north 23 and 1-2 yards, thence west 87 and 1-2 yards to the point of beginning, containing one and 627-1000 acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of making a division of the proceeds of said sale among the heirs and distributees of said estate.

Witness my hand, this, the 7th day of January, 1924.

G. C. DONOVAN,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, Deceased.
Gipson & Booth, Attorneys,
Prattville, Alabama.

UNION GROVE

Health of this community is very good considering the weather.

Our Sunday school is still just fine. We didn't have any prayer meeting Sunday night, the weather was so bad, but we had a very good crowd out Sunday. We didn't carry out all our program Sunday.

Messrs John and Claudie Brasher of Shelby spent the week-end with their brother, Mr. Willie Brasher.

Miss Euna Davis spent Sunday with Miss Leone Hall.

Miss Flossie Robinson spent Saturday night with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Messrs Arthur and Bernie Chandler of Birmingham spent the week-end with home folks.

Miss Ethel Mize dined with Miss Edna Robinson Sunday.

Miss Lula Cofer was the guest of Miss Pearl Chandler Sunday.

Miss Annice Davis was the guest of Miss Amy Robinson Sunday.

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Rev. R. S. Chandler will preach for us on Sunday.

The United Singing Society meets at this place on Sunday afternoon. Everybody is invited to come and help us in our singing.

We will have Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Everybody come and don't forget the singing at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

GOLDEN RIDGE

Our school at this place is progressing nicely under the condition of the weather.

Health of this community is very good at present.

The farmers are clearing some now, getting ready for farming.

Miss Mary Lee Smitherman spent Saturday night with Miss Bertha Stough.

Mrs. K. D. Scott and family spent the day with Mrs. Carrie Ferguson and family Wednesday.

A large crowd enjoyed the cake biding and dance at Miss Bertha Stough's Wednesday night.

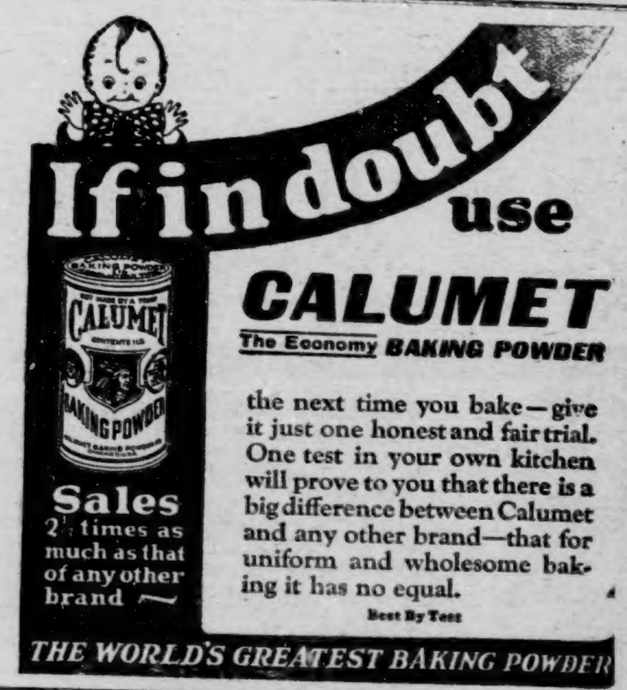
Mr. Gordon Lawley left for Tuscaloosa Thursday morning, where he will take up his work. He will be badly missed by his friends.

Misses Thelma Ferguson and Ester Smith spent a few hours with their friend, Miss Thelma Scott, Saturday P. M.

Misses Ester and Sadie Bell Smith and Thelma Scott spent the night with Miss Thelma Ferguson Saturday night.

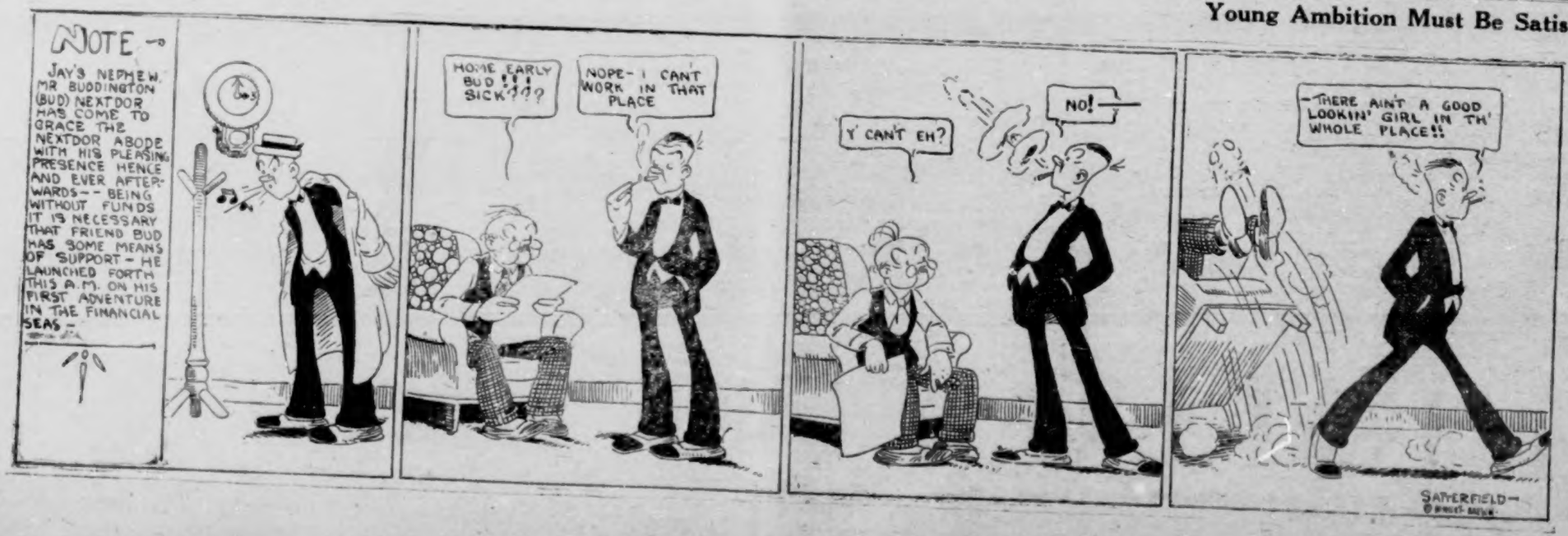
A large crowd of young folks went kodaking Sunday afternoon.

Look for us again some time soon.



THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR

Young Ambition Must Be Satisfied!



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THE UNION-BANNER

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Only Seven More Days Left To Pay Your Poll Tax

Republican Executive Committee Met Here Last Monday

In Regular Session At Court House

Important Matters That Are Before Republicans Taken Up In Enthusiastic Meet.

Pursuant to a call by Chairman, W. G. Culp, twenty-two members of the Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County met at the court house in Clanton on Monday of this week. Althogh the weather was rather cold and disagreeable, only a few Beats in the county were not represented. The fact that the committeemen from the border Beats of the county got in their vehicles and manfully faced the chilly winds for a fofteen or twenty mile drive shows somewhat the interest that the Republicans of the county have in the affairs of their party.

After the meeting was declared in order by the chairman, several matters of minor importance were brought to the attention of the committee and disposed of. A motion was introduced by Judge L. H. Reynolds and passed by the body that the Republicans of the county enter the primary election in May, simultaneously with the Democratic primary, for the purpose of nominating county officers; also that the Republicans in each Beat meet at 2:00 o'clock on the day of the primary at or near the voting places and elect delegates to the County Republican Convention as has been done heretofore.

A motion was introduced and passed by the meeting to appoint a committee composed of J. O. Middleton, T. G. Wyatt and Grady Reynolds to arrange for the May primary and a county mass meeting.

It was brought to the attention of the committee that the Couny Board of Registrars of Chilton County had been issuing registration certificates to voters in Chilton County that bore the caption of "The State of Alabama, Jefferson County." Inasmuch as these certificates were no good with this error on them, a committee was sent to the Board calling their attention to the matter. The Board informed the committee that it was purely a mistake on their part and that they would gladly correct all the erroneous certificates which they had issued.

The County Committee went on record as opposing any participation of the Republicans of the county in the special presidential primary in Alabama to be held in March of this year. This action was taken on the grounds that the construction of the peculiar primary law in Alabama is unconstitutional and unfair to the citizens of other states who might want to enter their names in the primary in Alabama. Following is the resolution passed by the committee touching on this matter:

"WHEREAS the National Republican Executive Committee at its meeting in Washington, adopted a resolution ignoring the Alabama Presidential primary; and

"WHEREAS our State Republican Executive Committee, following the lead of the National Committee, wisely adopted the resolution repudiating the Alabama Presidential primary, and decided to call a State Convention for the selection of delegates to the National Convention;

"THEREFORE be it resolved by the Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County, Alabama, in regular session assembled on this 21st day of January, 1924 at Clanton Alabama, adhering to the rule adopted by the National and State Republican Committees, hereby repudiate the Alabama Presidential Primary to the end that delegates may be selected by convention under rules promulgated by our State Convention."

The Committee also went on record as endorsing the wise, able and efficient administration of President Coolidge and pledged him the support of the county organization in his race for re-election. This resolution follows:

"WHEREAS President Coolidge, by his wise administration of the affairs of this nation, has justly earned the confidence and esteem of the American people; and

"WHEREAS we believe with the overwhelming majority of the American people that the nation will remain safe by contniunig him in office;

"THEREFORE be it resolved by the Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County, Alabama, that we do hereby indorse the candidacy of Hon. Calvin Colidge for re-election as President of the United States."

The manner in which Editor Corley of the Chilton County News has been lambasting Col. Street and the Republican organization of Alabama by refering to them as "the blacks and tans" and making other and varied charges against the Republicans of Alabama was taken up in the meeting and openly repudiated. A resolution regarding the actions of The News was passed by the body as follows:

"WHEREAS there has come to our attention articles in the Chilton County News of January 17, 192[illegible] and also prior to this time, which are intended to villify the character and political standing of our national committeeman, Hon. O. D. Street of Guntersville, Alabama, without any meritorious reason whatever. We, the Chilton County Republican Executive Committee, do hereby strongly resent and oppose any such untrue insinuations cast by the editor of the Chilton County News, W. B. Corley, and brand the same as untrue and cowardly. But it further resolved that the same is a futile attempt on the part of the editor of The News, as the official organ of the Democratic party in this county, to prejudice Hon. O. D. Street and mainly the Republican party in Chilton County without any just, logical, gentlemanly or meritorious reason whatever.

"Be it further resolved that we have known Mr. Street and have always found his character to be that of a high class gentleman and ethical lawyer and worthy of the official trust that the Republican party of this state has bestowed upon him.

"We further condemn the action of the editor of the Chilton County News as being unethical and its statements untruthful and its conduct unbecoming as a newspaper, and we strongly resent the said insinations and statements in regard to Mr. Street and the Republican party.

"We further represent that the statements of Mr. Corley are but a cowardly subterfuge on his part to attempt to discount and villify the Republican organization in this State and also to disrupt and tear down the same. We therefore frankly and wholeheartedly condemn the action of Mr. Corley and the Chilton County News and warn the Republicans of this county and elsewhere not to be misled by such cowardly subterfuge as these statements."

The entire Committee expressed itself as being squarely behind Judge Reynolds in going into the contest and seeing that the Republican side of the case is looked after diligently. The committeemen were not at all afraid for the contest to come to a show-down, but openly expressed themselves as wanting the case to be fought out strictly on its merits and each party concerned given only his just dues, which of course they feel sure will be done by the court which tries the case.

All in all, this meeting was as spirited and as harmoneous as any that have ever been held in the county. Every member seemed to be well pleased with the condition of the party in the county and were filled with the determination to fight during the coming year with every ounce of their energy to make the success of the party assured.

COMMISSIONERS COURT IN SPECIAL SESSION

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County was in special session Tuesday of this week for the purpose of finishing up some business in connection with the new road law of Chilton County. The new road law and the necessary blanks for the enforcement of the law have been turned over to the printer, and these supplies will be ready for use within a few days. This new road law is somewhat a new undertaking but the commissioners have worked out the details very carefully, and it is believed and sincerely hoped that the plan will prove successful. Let everybody in the county co-operate with the commissioners in their efforts, and let's make the plan succeed. No plan will work successfully if half of the people are continually knocking it, but if everyone will do his duty, we will see a marked difference. The commissioners want good roads and at the minimum expense to the county, so let us all stand squarely behind them and help them to accomplish this end.

REPUBLICANS, PREPARE NOW TO VOTE, BY PAYING YOUR BACK POLL TAX AND REGISTERING

Board of Registrars Now at Court House—Will Be Here Through February 2nd—Then Will Visit Other Beats in County.

During the past week, several voters have paid up their poll tax and placed themselves in position to vote, but the number yet is comparatively small. The time in which to pay is drawing near, as Friday, February 1st is your last chance.

The Democrats of the county are going to put up a hard fight this year to overthrow President Coolidge and the Republican administration at Washington. If you prefer to live on in peace and prosperity as we have during the past Republican administration, then qualify now and be able to vote. If you want the Democrats to get in charge and bring on another panic, just keep your seat and they will do the rest. The Democrats are not losing a minute's time; so the time for us to prepare is now. Let us not lose any time.

It is an easy matter to see what the Democrats of Chilton county would do if they are given the control of the county affairs. The men who control the party care little for the wishes of the common people, more than to get their vote. After a Democrat is elected, the machine force is immediately brought to bear upon him and he either has to surrender or be ousted, and they always surrender. The inevitable result is that the rights of the common people are tread under foot.

In regard to President Coolidge and the national administration, Henry Ford recently said, "Why make a change?" The whole country is facing the same question. The Republicans have managed our affairs well,—much better than any Democrat ever managed them. So, we can't afford to make a change. Calvin Coolidge has proven to be a man of real brain. The Republican Congress has reduced the national debt several million dollars, and will finally wipe it all out if they stay in charge. The Republicans enacted into law the protective tariff, which has proven time and again to be the best for the farmer and the laborer, instead of the Democratic—Underwood free trade act. The protective tariff is the very life of American industry.

The Republican party stands for America and American ideals. The Democratic party stands for the League of Nations and entangling alliances with foreign countries. This fact alone should cause every man in the country to awake to his duty and exert his rights as a citizen.

So, at this late hour, we make the appeal to the Republicans of Chilton county, to see to it that all the Republicans of Chilton county pay up their back poll tax and register. If the Board of Registrars have already visited your precinct and you know of some who did not register, then have them meet the registrars while they are at the court house. While they are here they can register any voter from any precinct in the county. And when you go to register, watch out and don't let the registrars issue you a bogus receipt as they have done in some instances in their recent rounds. Prepare now to play a citizen's part, lest you be sorry for not doing so later.

Taking City Census

By order of the City Council, a program has recently been organized and put into operation to take the official census of the City of Clanton. For the work of going to the home of every family in Clanton and enumerating the population, Mr. M. M. Biles has been employed by the Council. A set of index cards have been printed, one of which will be made out for each person living within the corporate limits of the city. Various information will be gathered of each individual and entered on this card. As soon as the enumeration is completed a report of same will be published.

Will Gladly Correct

Owing to the fact that some Jefferson County Registration certificates got mixed with our supply of Chilton County certificates, the clerk inadvertantly filled out a few of these by mistake.

Of course the Registration books will show the correct registration, but if anyone finds that they have a Jefferson County certificate we will be glad to replace it with the proper certificate.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE,
Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THE UNION-BANNER $1.50 YEAR

For the benefit of those who are under the impression that we are selling The Union-Banner now at the club rate of $1 each for three or more subscriptions, will say that this special rate closed on January 1st. The regular price of $1.50 now prevails, and everybody will be charged at this rate. Hereafter when only one dollar is sent in, your subscription will be extended for only eight months, which is at the regular rate.

We made the special club rate from December 1st to January 1st to give those a chance to get the paper for one dollar, but that rate closed on January 1st. So, please don't come here expecting to get the paper at a reduced rate now, because we cannot sell it that way. You had the chance while the club rate was on, so you should have taken advantage of it at that time. Please remember that no more subscriptions will be taken at the club rate of three for $1 each, and this applies to everybody.

Explosion in Room of Commissioners

A very peculiar and mysterious explosion occurred Tuesday afternoon about 4:00 o'clock in the Commissioners Court Room of the courthouse in Clanton. The Commissioners Court had been in session in the room all day, and had just finished their work and adjourned. Miss Delene Burnett, Chief Clerk for the Probate Judge was sitting at the desk writing out some papers. Judge L. H. Reynolds, Mr. J. M. Mims and Judge A. L. Driver of Randolph County were in the room. Everything in the room was perfectly quiet when an explosion of some sort went off in the drawer of the desk where Miss Burnett was sitting, which made about the fuss of the shot of a .32 pistol.

The explosion was powerful enough to severely shock the hand of Miss Burnett and split a crack in the top of the desk about four feet long in a plank an inch thick. There was nothing in the drawer of any importance, just a few pieces of scrap paper. After the explosion no sign could be found in the drawer except some small bits of something that resembled burnt tissue paper and a small bit of burnt powder. The drawer or the desk was not moved in any way to have caused anything in the drawer to explode.

Due to the fact that the Commissioners Court had been in session in the room all day and that no children had been in the room or any kind of fire works been handled around there, the explosion has baffled every one who was present and all who have investigated the incident. No reason can be assigned for such occurrence whatever.

Mr. W. M. Wyatt, of The Republican, at Fort Payne, Ala., was in Clanton the latter part of last week attending to business matters.

Alabama Preference Primary Law Held Unconstitutional

Presidential Selection Is Held Invalid

Attorney Gen. Gives Opinion At Request of Examiner of Public Accounts.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 19.—Act of the legislature, providing for the holding of a presidential preferential primary election in Alabama, is held by Attorney General Harwell G. Davis to be unconstitutional and void.

Under this ruling handed down in a formal opinion rendered by Attorney General Davis, Saturday, at the request of Judge Charles E. McCall, chief examiner of public accounts, the attorney general holds that the conties will not be authorized to incur the expense of the holding of the election which is provided for in the presidential preferential primary act.

Judge McCall's request for the opinion was based upon queries received by him from probate judges, asking whether the counties can legally pay the expenses of the election for which provision is made in the act in question.

Attorney General Davis, in his opinion, calls attention to the following provision of the Alabama constitution: "The legislature shall also make provision by law, not inconsistent with this article, for the regulation of primary elections, and for pnishing trades at the same, but shall not make primary elections compulsory."

Act Compulsory.

He holds that the presidential preferential primary act makes the holding of a presential preferential primary election compulsory, and is, therefore, in direct conflict with and violative of the constitutional provision quoted.

In his conclusion, the attorney general, referring to the presidential preferential primary law, declares that the fact "that one of the political parties through its governing authority" has called such a primary on the date named in the act "will not serve to authorize the payment of the expenses of such primary election by the counties, inasmuch as the general primary law requires that primary elections held at the expense of the state and counties by political parties shall be held on the second

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Notice To Teachers

I am authorized to announce that those teachers taking the Normal Course in English Three who have missed two meetings may yet get credit for the course by meeting an extra hour from 8 to 9 A. M., January 26, provided they lose no more time in attendance.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT
of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

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Pletcher On The Boom

Editor Union-Banner:

This is to let you and the readers of our good paper know how we are getting along.

Every thing is running in the same direction, the two main streets are running north and south, the R. R. is running the same way, all running in a prosperous way, or at least it seems that way to us. Nothing like a failure now.

Pletcher is on the M. & O. R. R. We have a new garage in the town, another new store, a gasoline mill, also a steam mill and gin. You bet this is coming. Though this wave don't addle us much as we see it all the time, but other folks seem so bewildered when they come here to register. The Registrators came Saturday for the purpose of registering the people who had become 21 years of age since they were here, that they might vote.

When they dismounted they looked as though they were partly aroused from a long nap, looking around, rubing their eyes, scratching their heads like they were lost.

Some were here to register and behold, the men registered them in Jefferson county. Some boys forget some times where they are on account of hard drink, but oh, my, there is something in the air that is more intoxicating than anything made. It is wonderful to make men think they are in Birmingham. I imagine they thought they were on 20th Street in the great city.

Well, men, look at your standing in this county. Some of you professors know lots but not all. I am sure you will right the wrong with shame faces.

G. A. KEEN.

Mr. J. P. Gore Makes Big Trip

Mr. J. P. Gore asks us to tell his friends that he has actually been away from Clanton, even out of Chilton County. He left Friday, January 11th for Birmingham. From there he went by railroad to Vicksburg, Miss. He crossed the Mississippi River at Vicksburg and made his way down through Louisiana. His trip, which was made in search of an escaped criminal, terminated in New Orleans, La. Although Mr. Gore did not find the man he was looking for, he reports that he had a mighty enjoyable trip and got to ride on the train to his complete satisfaction. He returned to Clanton the following Monday.

CATARRH

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Clanton, Ala.

Uncle Dock Wells Does More Work For Dan Cupid

Uncle Dock Wells was in our office Monday morning by a little after sun-up to impart to us for publication the good work which he had done for his little friend, Dan Cupid, during the previous week-end.

On Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock at his home in Clanton Uncle Dock performed the ceremony that united with the holy bonds of wedlock the happy young lives of W. Henry Hand and Miss Velma Hawk. Uncle Dock says he is especially proud of having had the honor of performing this ceremony as by doing same he eliminated a "Hawk", which fowl is the preacher's avowed enemy since they catch so many chickens. You know, preachers are fond of chickens the same as hawks are.

On Sunday morning Uncle Dock was called out to the home of Mr. Robert Hand to perform another similar ceremony. This time the contracting parties were Albert Dewey Huett and Miss Effie Mae Hand. Uncle Dock says this occasion is what he calls a real good old fashioned homely wedding. The couple was married at 11:00 o'clock before quite a crowd of rejoicing friends, and just as soon as the knot was tied all those present were invited into the dining room to partake of the bounteous dinner which had been prepared for the occasion. And Uncle Dock says, just such a dinner he had never before put his two feet under. So, we leave you to guess what happened during the next hour.

In the afternoon the gathering was so complete and everyone seemed to be feeling so good that Uncle Dock was asked to preach to them. The good old soul never refuses to do his bidding for the cause of his Master, so he preached a sermon that was thoroughly enjoyed. Also a short prayer service was indulged in which Uncle Dock says was made very appropriate for the occasion. So, after the whole story was related to us, we concluded as Uncle Dock had said, that it was really and truly a good, old-fashioned, old-timely wedding.

Both Henry and Effie Mae being the children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hand, these make the fourth of their children that have married during the past two years. Mr. and Mrs. Hand have only one left, a bright little girl of 11 years. Uncle Dock says that in about five or six years he hopes to make the job complete by transporting this last member over the sea of matrimony.

Mr. Dewey Huett is the promising young son of Mr. C. B. Huett of Bethsalem, who with his young bride, will make their home in that community. Miss Hawk, who was married to Mr. Henry Hand, is the daughter of Mr. S. L. Hawk, former night police of Clanton. They will make their home for the present at the home of Mr. Robert Hand, the father of the groom.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Walker Spairs, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton county for murder on December 8, 1916, and was given a life sentence, will make application before the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

1-3-3t pd. WALKER SPARIS.

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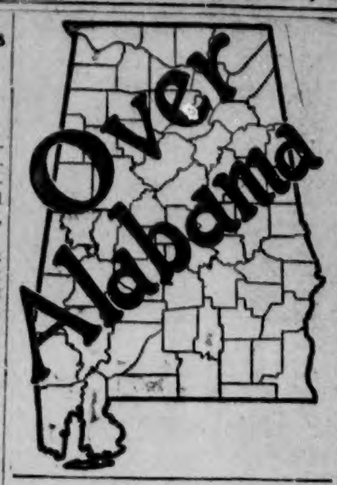


ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Delegates to the Southern Forestry congress to be held at Savannah, Ga., Jan. 28-30, inclusive, have been appointed by Governor Brandon as follows; M. A. George, Florala; J. H. Henley, Lockhart; J. T. Carlton, Prentice; S. M. Dunwoody, Columbia; F. E. St. John, Cullman; J. F. Eddy, Birmingham; L. Sevier, Birmingham; Peter Vredenburg, Jr., Vredenburg; R. B. Evins, Birmingham; C. A. O'Neal, Andalusia; S. E. Deal, Tuscaloosa; J. T. Horne, Tuscaloosa; J. G. McGowan, Chapman; J. F. Alston, Tuscaloosa; F. J. Crampton, Montgomery; B. G. Betty, Montgomery; Walter L. Shepherd, Montgomery; I. T. Quinn, Montgomery and Page S. Bunker, state forester for Alabama.

The farmers of Madison county have sustained considerable losses as a result of the continued cold weather, according to reports that are coming in from the rural precincts. Rye, barley, oats and winter grasses have been killed and it is claimed that the only crops that escaped zero weather were those on the lee of hills where they were protected from the cold winds. Some estimates places the loss in the county as high as $15,000.

The Alabama Power Company and the L. & N. Railroad are interested in the location of new industries in Oneonta. Charles S. Chase, industrial agent of the L. & N. railroad, and T. D. Johnston, commercial engineer of the Alabama Power company, spent one day last week in Oneonta looking over the town and investigating local conditions.

Knocking a pistol out of his hands and shoving him in a ditch, Miss Ellen Lairmore, a young girl, prevented Joe M. Cushman, a miner, from doing further harm after he had slain his wife, probably fatally wounded his sister-in-law, and started out to shoot up the whole town of Rock Slope, a small town in Jefferson county.

Filling of an order for 150,000 stamps placed by the Anniston office of the Southern railway was one of the first acts of the new postmaster at Anniston. Sixty thousand of the stamps were one-cent and the remaining 900,000 two-cent. The postmaster has received a voucher from the railway company for $2,400 in payment.

Judging from large orders being placed and the heavy tonnage of commercial fertilizer arriving the record for its use among the farmers at Fort Deposit will be broken this year. This increase is due to the fact that the majority of the farmers will have a marked increase in the cotton acreage over last season.

J. E. Moses is ready to start his 5,000 egg incubator recently purchased by the Pike County Poultry Association and installed at the Baptist orphanage at Troy. Negotiations are under way for brooders to take care of the chicks as they are removed from the incubator.

The Davis-Allcott hosiery mill in one day produced 967 dozen pairs of hose, breaking all records for the factory and, it is believed, breaking all records for such manufacture. Several weeks ago the plant, with 7[illegible] girls at work, turned out 934 dozen pairs.

Territory included in the tick eradication program for 1924 will be about half that of 1923, and within a comparatively short time after the beginning of the work it is hoped to reduce the area at least one-half, according to tentative plans which have been announced.

Work has continued on the Montgomery highway in spite of the recent cold weather. The trucks are working like bees on the Montgomery end of the project, conveying the gravel from the pits near Chehaw, while the trains are hauling it on the Montgomery end from the pits at Millstead.

The Birmingham Age-Herald has moved into its new home, a 27-story building located in the center of the business district of Birmingham at Second Ave. and Twenty-first St. Frederick I. Thompson, the president of the Age-Herald company announced that entire new and modern mercantile equipment has been installed.

At a recent meeting of the Marshall Klan No. 17, Knights of Ku Klux Klan of Guntersville, a resolution providing for a contribution of $1,000 toward the erection of a new city school building, was adopted.

Omaha Bee—The Bok plan was intended to bring sweet peace, and just look what a row it has cooked up already.

John S. Dennis Writes

Clanton, Ala., Jan. 23, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Well, Mr. Editor, what about the contest? You know I have been here a long time and I have been doing a good deal of thinking lately. I have come to the conclusion that this contest is nothing but a piece of political persecution hatched out by a few would-be political bosses whose desire is to ruin if they can't rule. They have been having a lot to say about fraud and corruption, and this causes me to rise up and ask if they are without sin themselves.

Now, Mr. Editor, I have heard it said that a large sum of money was contributed to the Democrats in the last campaign, and that the Democratic State Committee gave them a thousand dollars, and I have heard it is said that the Democratic candidates have filed a statement of their campaign receipts and expenditures and sworn to them and that they are in the office of the Judge of Probate. I have heard it said that there are a number of Democratic merchants in the County who contributed large sums of money to the Democratic campaign fund.

Now, Mr. Editor, I want you to investigate the records and let the people know through your paper just what these Democrat howlers have sworn to in their statement, and let us know what they have included in the statements which it is said they received.

We know it to be a fact that Howard Foshee published letter after letter in the Chilton County News attacking Reynolds, and which, of course, was intended to benefit Messer, and it was carried as paid political advertisements. Now I want you to see if that was included in the expense account of these Democratic howlers. It was reported that Howard Foshee sent out hundreds and hundreds of letters attacking Reynolds and in the interest of Messer, and I want you to see if the postage stamps and stationery is included in the expense account of these Democratic howlers.

Furthermore, the people want to know just who it is that is up behind these political persecutors in an effort to turn Reynolds out of office after he has been honestly elected by the people. You are in position to know and we want you to call names and publish the names and business and post office address of each and every one of these fellows. We want it in black and white so we can put them on the list to which they belong, and hereafter, we will know how to tend to them.

The Republicans of Chilton County are honest people, and there are a great many honest Democrats in the County who are sick and tired of this political persecution and who are disgusted with the conduct of these persecutors. It has been a long time since the Republicans of this County have been stirred up as they are now, and we are determined to have our rights. Wasn't it a shame the way that fellow from Jemison insulted those two girls in the Probate Judge's office? And didn't that fellow Fritz Thompson, the lawyer from Birmingham, make a pretty mess of himself by making two statements which contradicted each other?

Now, Mr. Editor, turn on the search light and lets have the truth about this matter. We Republicans have been spit on long enough and we mean business.

Yours for the right,
JOHN S. DENNIS.

CEDAR GROVE

Health of this community is good at present, except colds.

There will be preaching at this place next Saturday night and Sunday. We will also organize Sunday school next Sunday morning. We invite everybody that will to come and help out. The conference at this place last Saturday was good. We had several visitors with us, who we were glad to see. Bro. McDonald preached a very interesting sermon for us at eleven o'clock, which everyone seemed to enjoy.

Mr. J. P. Barrett spent a while Saturday night with Mr. J. N. Littlejohn.

Miss Myrtle Littlejohn spent the night with Miss Flora Hayes Saturday night.

Miss Tressie Barrett went to Thorsby shopping Saturday afternoon.

Misses Flora and Gertie Mae Hayes spent last Sunday afternoon with Misses Bonnie and Myrtle Littlejohn. The preaching days at this place will be the third Saturday and Sunday after this month.

Next Sunday afternoo nis our regular singing evening. We invite everybody to come and bring their 1924 song books.

ENTERPRISE NEWS

I am glad indeed that health of this community is still very good.

We are still having some cold weather. I guess everybody is just about through killing hogs.

Mr. J. A. Rains and Mr. S. D. Deloach were the dinner gests Sunday of Mr. T. E. Neeley and family.

The weather was so disagreeable we did not get to have any services Sunday. Maybe it will be better next time.

Miss Mary Huett spent Saturday night with her friend, Miss Jewell Deloach, and reported a nice time, for it would be something unusual if you go there and don't have a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams, Misses Jewell Deloach, Mary Huett went over to Mr. Omar Gray's to hear the graphaphone. Of course they got cold going and coming but they sure did enjoy themselves while there.

Mr. Rains and Mr. Lon Cagle spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. S. D. Deloach.

Misses Agnes Neeley and Idona Neeley spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams.

Mr. T. E. Neeley and family spent Friday night with Mr. Lorenza Williams and family.

Mr. Floyd Deloach, Aubrey Neeley and Elzie Deloach went hunting Saturday but happened to bad luck for they didn't kil lanything.

I hope Mr. Dewey Huett a long happy life.

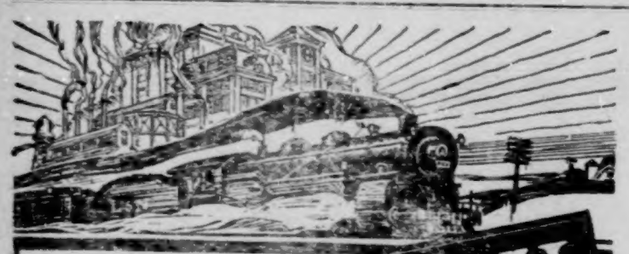
Mr. S. D. Deloach motored up to Clanton Saturday afternoon to attend to some business.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

D. D. Easterling, Prop.



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Because of its enviable record for passenger trains run on schedule time and freight deliveries made promptly; all with remarkable freedom from preventable accidents involving loss of life to passengers or employees.

These things which the L. & N. has done—and is doing—constitute the "WHY" as to "The Old Reliable", the familiar characterization which is one of both satisfaction and inspiration to its management and its more than fifty thousand individual employees.

Fact No. 29

Fertilizer must be "cured"

Great bins of Royster Fertilizer "cure," or "age," for months so that your results from its use will swell the earnings from your land.

PERHAPS you didn't know that fertilizer should be "cured" or "aged" in order that the food for soil can be more readily available when that food is needed.

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To keep vast quantities of fertilizer for months represents an enormous supply and a tremendous capital. Therefore, only a large company like Royster's can offer this more effective "cured" fertilizer.

Rid yourself of the idea that all fertilizer is alike. This is no more true than that all land is alike.

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Use Royster's this year. Give it a fair test—and don't guess about fertilizer any more.

Grow better and larger crops by using fertilizer that has been "cured"—that is free from lumps—that has been proven chemically correct by forty chemists—and that has established a record for good works over a long period of years. Look for the name "ROYSTER" on the bags.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Thought For the Day:

Duty is the sublimest word in our language.

Do your duty in all things, you can not do more, you should never be willing to do less.

I never take pay for services I do not render.

My name is not for sale, sir.

Occupy yourself in aiding those more helpless than yourself.

Frankness is the child of honesty and courage.

—Quotations from Robert E. Lee.

Rucker Sims and sister, Miss Mary Bess from Alex. City, were visitors to Clanton this week.

Miss Una Belle Mahan from Alexander City is spending this week with friends here.

Joe Mullins from the University, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

Mrs. Tom Thompson and son, Tom, Jr., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gore is Clanton.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie spent Saturday and Sunday in Jasper, where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. John Hastings. Mrs. Hastings will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Elizabeth Luckie.

Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn returned to her home in Montgomery Tuesday, after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Luckie.

Mr. Joe Gore spent Sunday in Calera.

Leo Alred from Cherokee Bluffs spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Alred.

Mrs. Geo. Polk and Mrs. M. B. Arant were visitors to Birmingham a couple of days this week.

Messrs. Guy Roberts and Percy Pitts are spending a few days on a hunt with Mr. Ruben Reynolds this week. Mrs. Pitts and children are visiting Mrs. Reynolds in Montgomery also.

Miss Lona Davenport from Mulberry was a visitor to Clanton last week.

Mr. Clyde Davis from Montgomery spent a few days in Clanton this week.

Messrs. Hugh and Dudley Thompson from Cherokee Bluffs were visitors to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. Green Retherford made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

The friends of Mr. D. C. Alred will regret to learn that he is on the sick list this week with an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Mack Wyatt from Fort Payne was in Clanton on business the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jones were visitors to the Magic City Monday.

Mr. Joe Maddox visited his wife in Birmingham this week. We are pleased to learn her condition is improved.

Rev. and Mrs. Wilkerson have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Petrey, from Petrey, Ala. Clanton will welcome this charming young couple to their city. They will have rooms with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Chandler. Mr. Petrey will open up a lovely Jewelry Store in our city about March 1st.

Mrs. Willie Holmes has returned to her home in Dothan after a visit to relatives here.

Mr. R. C. McDavid returned Saturday from a visit to relatives in Georgia and Florida.

Mr. D. A. Wingard has returned home from a recent visit to relatives in Shelby.

Mr. Elbert Littlejohn left Tuesday night for San Antonio, Texas, where he expects to spend some time in the W. O. W. hospital recuperating.

Mr. Claud Reynolds spent the week-end in Clanton with his family.

Mrs. Guy Roberts and Mrs. Mattie Wooley are shopping in Birmingham a couple of days this week.

Mr. W. A. Reynolds has had as her recent guest her father, Mr. Ware.

Mr. W. A. Reynolds is visiting his "saw mill" this week.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds has returned home from a visit to Selma and Pine Hill.

Miss Callie Watts Leaves.

Miss Callie Watts left Tuesday for Jacksonville, Ala., where she will open an up-to-date ready-to-wear store for ladies. Her firm will be known as the Watts Hat Shop.

Mrs. Watts Moore Hostess.

The members of the sewing club enjoyed a delightful afternoon with Mrs. Watts Moore last Wednesday. Fancy sewing was done and late in the afternoon a tempting salad plate with hot coffee was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mrs. Luckie. The guests of the club were: Mesdames H. F. Chandler, Hugh Jones and S. A. Goodwyn of Montgomery.

Card Club Meets.

Mrs. Grady Reynolds was a charming hostess to the members of her card club on last Wednesday afternoon. Tables for the game of Bridge were arranged in the spacious living room. After a series of games the top score was held by Mrs. N. S. Johnson, who was presented a dainty hand made Handkerchief. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Victor Heard, served an elaborate salad plate. Mrs. John VanDerveer was the guest of the club for the afternoon.

Spend-The-Day Party Given.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie was hostess on last Friday to a number of her friends at a spend-the-day sewing party. Lovely Florida poinsettas brightened the apartments. Two machines were kept on the go all day. At the noon hour a delightful repast was enjoyed. Covers were laid for Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn, Mrs. T. C. McSwain, Mrs. M. A. Gore, Mrs. Macy Jones, Mrs. Mallie White, Mrs. John Armstrong, Mrs. Hugh Simpson and Mrs. Watts Moore.

Anniversary Celebrated By Mrs. Hugh Simpson.

The hospitable home of Mrs. Hugh Simpson was thrown open to a number of friends on last Thursday, when she celebrated her 16th wedding anniversary. The color tone of pink and white were employed in the decoration of the home. In the dining room the table handsomely appointed was adorned with a basket of pink and white carnations tied with pink tullee. Burning tapers held in chystal candlestick holders surrounded the center piece. The place cards were miniature brides and the favors were tiny pink rose baskets with suspended bells filled with mints. An elaborate five course menu was served. Covers were laid for Mesdames Arthur Johnson, N. S. Johnson, Frank Callen, Hance Alred, John Browder, Victor Heard, Grady Reynolds, Willis Lyman, John aVnDerveer, Guy Roberts, Oscar Jones, Lawrence Gerald, and Miss Kathleen Mullins. After this lovely repast tables were arranged for auction bridge. Mints and bon bons were served during the game. At the close of the game Mrs. Hugh Jones held high score and was presented a box of candy. The consolation, a bunch of carnations, was cut by Mrs. Grady Reynolds. Others invited to assist the hostess were: Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn, Mrs. M. A. Gore, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. McSwain and Mrs. Luckie.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I will make application for a parole for Bully Hubbard at the next regular meeting of the Board of Pardons. Hubbard was convicted of murder and given a life sentence in Chilton County on December 14th, 1894.

W. A. GIBSON.

Weak Back

Mrs. Mildred Pipkin, of R. F. D. 8, Columbia, Tenn., says: "My experience with Cardui has covered a number of years. Nineteen years ago . . . I got down with weak back. I was run-down and so weak and nervous I had to stay in bed. I read of

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The Woman's Tonic

and sent for it. I took only one bottle at that time, and it helped me; seemed to strengthen and build me right up. So that is how I first knew of Cardui. After that, . . . when I began to get weak and 'no account', I sent right for Cardui, and it never failed to help me."

If you are weak and suffering from womanly ailments, Cardui may be just what you need. Take Cardui. It has helped thousands, and ought to help you.

At all druggists' and dealers'.

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NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court of Chilton County.—In Equity.

Grace Downs, Complainant, vs. Arthur D. Downs, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. O. Middleton that the defendant, Arthur D. Downs, is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address are unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Arthur D. Downs, to plead, answer, or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 18th day of February, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office at Clanton, Alabama, this 16th day of January, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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Uncle John and Aunt Emma Patterson of Poplar Springs were in Clanton Wednesday doing a little trading. While here they came around to The Union-Banner office and watched us print some Union-Banners. It was all quite a show to Aunt Emma as she had never seen any printing going on before.

Actually Heard Them Rustling Over Floor!

Mrs. Jamieson writes, "The night we returned to our house, the roaches were so thick in our kitchen and pantry, we actually heard them rustling over the floor when we turned the light on. Thanks to Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder, we got rid of them quickly!" Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drg Co., Cooper, Ala.

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is offering some special bargains in bed room, living room and dining room suites. With each $100.00 worth of furniture I will give one 42-piece dinner set free. So, come and see for yourself.

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Huckleberries

Grow your own berries and make from $500.00 to $,1000.00 per acre, plant in garden or field, they will bear this year, and as large as common cherries, large package of seed sent post paid for $2.50. Old Indian peach trees, the best to plant, 1 dozen trees for $5.00 prepaid. Order at once.—Reference Bank of Woodlawn.

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If you can't come in yourself—phone or send your order in by mail, and we will deliver it by parcel post.

We take extreme care of the orders we receive by mail or phone, selecting what we know will please our customers. This is why we have many satisfied customers who send for things, knowing they will get just as good service as if they came themselves. Send in your orders today.

WE SELL GOOD GOODS—WE PRICE THEM RIGHT.

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CLANTON, ALABAMA

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THE ONLY BRICK BUILDING IN COOPER.

We will handle Funeral Supplies, Feeds, Ballord's Flour, and General Line of Plow Tools and Farming Implements.

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THE UNION-BANNER

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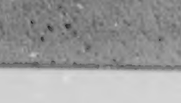

McAdoo was shrewd enough to have one man as the avowed manager of his campaign while another, with far more political sagacity has long been engaged in rounding up the delegates. It takes a shrewd man to lead the Democratic donkey around without the donkey knowing it is being led.

The Chilton County News makes it a universal practice to sfde-track the main vital issues of the day and try to cram down the throats of the people their "black and tan" negro propaganda. The poor old negro has got nothing to do with politics in this country, so, why in the world do the Democrats continue to holler "nigger?" Why don't they discuss the real commercial and industrial advantages of the two parties instead of wasting all their breath on an old stale worn out issue that has been dead forty years.

The cherished pet of the Alabama Democratic machine known as the presidential preferential primary, hatched out by the last State Legislature has been somewhat crippled by the recent decision of Attorney General Davis. Mr. Davis ruled that the act was unconstitutional in that the primary was made compulsory. The fact that this special law is held invalid will somewhat interfere with the plans of Alabama's so-called presidential aspirants. Maybe the Democrats will learn some day that such pet jokes as the preferential primary can't be forced upon the people even if they are branded as legal by the majestic Democratic Legislature.

There is one thing that we especially admire about the Seventh Day Adventists, and that is they advocate a strict separation of church and state. The Roman Catholics believe in uniting the government with the church, but this one thing has directly caused more blood-shed in the human race than any other one thing The church has no business messing with the government's affairs and the government has no business messing with the church's affairs. And every single instance where this plan has been ignored there has resulted more or less trouble. These two things were never intended to work together and never will work together. So, we whole-heartedly commend the Adventists for their firm stand on this punching.

Due to some cause or other, the Board of Registrars of Chilton County in their recent rounds over the county issued some registration certificates to voters that bore the caption, "The State of Alabama, Jefferson County." The Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County, which was in session Monday of this week, took up the matter and appointed a sub-committee to go before the Board and call their attention to the matter. The committee went before the Board and the latter assured them that it was all a mistake and that they would gladly correct same. The Board, in a statement in this week's paper, says that the issuing of those faulty certificates was merely an oversight of theirs. We are not going to say that they had any ill intentions in issuing this kind of certificates, but we will say that they ought to be more careful and ought to know more about what they are issuing than this. The words "Jefferson County" were printed in big glaring letters on the top of the certificates, and one glance at them ought to have revealed the invalidity of the document. If the members of the Board overlook such an important detail as this, they are liable to let something go through unnoticed that will disqualify a number of the voters of the county. Mistakes, although they are made honestly, sometimes cost a whole lot.

The Miracle Man

Mr. McAdoo ought not to be seeking a cheap job like that of President of the United States, which pays only $75,000 a year. He says that the Government can pay a bonus and reduce taxes at the same time. The man who can show how to do that is worth more than $75,000 a year. The big movie concerns have recently suspended operations because of the high salaries they had to pay performers. Mr. McAdoo could show them how to pay larger salaries and still have a larger net profit. He ought to be worth twice $75,000 to the movies.

DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

Sea - Minded In The British Isles

A mother in Glasgow, Scotland, wrote a letter recently to her son in Washington, D. C., who has become an American citizen. The letter opened as follows:

"I was so busy last week that I failed to get a letter off to you on the S. S. CEDRIC, but I am writing this now so that it will leave on the S. S. ADRIATIC, sailing from Liverpool the ...th instant."

That tells a story. Glasgow is about 150 miles from Liverpool, yet the writer of the letter was familiar with the sailing dates of vessels clearing from the British port. There is nothing odd about that in the British Isles—nothing to induce comment. Practically every intelligent person there is either acquainted with sailing dates, or, if in doubt, they are looked up. The youngsters can stand on the docks of any of the ports of the United Kingdom and pointing to any British vessel in port can tell you its tonnage, speed, engine equipment, and to what company it belongs.

The same thing used to be true along the New England coast and in Baltimore, when American people were more acutely interested in the American merchant marine. Sherman Burroughs, Representative from New Hampshire, who died recently, and who was an ardent champion of an American merchant marine, declared in his last address to Congress that until the American people became "sea-minded" the task of building up and perpetuating a merchant marine would be well-nigh insuperable. The British are sea-minded. Thousands of them, from the merchant prince to the charwoman, hold stocks and bonds in British shipping concerns. The whole nation is back of its marine. And when the whole American nation gets back of the American merchant marine there will be no question about our having one.

It has been said that the shipping industry is our one unprotected industry. The great majority of Americans are in favor of a protective tariff, and that has come to be regarded as a national policy—when the Republicans are in power. Thus far the Democrats have prevented protection to the shipping industry, ably seconded by some of the radicals in Congress, and much of the propaganda subversive of an American merchant marine is financed by British interests. That fact has been brought out on the Floors of Congress. The sea-mindedness of such organizations as the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and the American Bar Association—the executive committee, at least—consists in booking passage for Europe on British boats. It is a tough job to convince Mr. Average Citizen that he should support American lines, when leading citizens refuse to do so.

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No Official Connection

It is said to be regarded on all sides in Paris that the participation of two American citizens in the special investigation into the reparations muddle marks the reentrance of the United States into European affairs. Apparently the wish of Europeans is father to their thoughts. Secretary of State Hughes has explicitly stated on several occasions that the American Government had no official connection with the American delegates. There was no intimation of such a connection when Mr. Hughes first proposed the meeting over a year ago. There is nothing clearer in the present state of our foreign relations than that the American business men in Paris are acting solely on their own initiative, and that nothing they may do or say will have any binding effect whatever on their home government.

After their experiences with President Wilson in 1919, one would think that European statesmen would investigate the circumstances attending the appointment of American delegates to European conferences. Mr. Wilson let the impression get abroad that he was the American Government, and the deluded people of Europe seemed to think that his word was law to the American Nation. They have since been enlightened. If a President of the United States could not bind his Government, how do they think two private citizens without credentials of any kind from the United States, could influence its action? Europeans are a credulous people indeed.

What Is a Sheik?

Whether it is a disease or something good to eat we don't know, and neither does our dictionary give any light on the subject. So, we are going to ask our readers what their rendition of the peculiar word is. You see it on every other page of the daily papers and the magazines display it in big headlines. So, we want to know what in the duce does the word "Sheik" mean? Mail us your answer.

Dangerous COUGHS

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Purchases Interest in Union-Banner

On last Saturday a deal was perfected whereby Mr. E. C. Powell purchased of W. M. Wyatt the latter's half-interest in The Union-Banner. However, the interest of W. M. Wyatt in the Union-Banner building was sold to T. E. Wyatt, who already owned a half interest in the whole outfit. As it now stands, T. E. Wyatt owns the building and half interest in the business, and E. C. Powell owns half interest in the business.

Mr. Powell is well known in Clanton and needs little introduction over the entire county. He has at different times been connected in some capacity with this paper for the past twelve or fifteen years. He worked out his apprenticeship as "devil" under Editor Chrichton and stuck to the job for about four years. He then left Clanton and went to Caruthersville, Mo., where he worked in the same business for two years. When W. M. Wyatt and T. E. Wyatt had to leave the business and go to the army in 1918, the paper was left entirely in Mr. Powell's charge. He managed the business very satisfactorily until the Wyatt brothers were discharged, when he left Clanton again and went to Tuscaloosa. He worked in the newspaper business in that city until a year ago, when he came back to his old job with The Banner. He has been working here ever since as foreman of the shop.

It can be readily seen from the varied experience that Mr. Powell has had in the business that he is no novice at the game. The printing office is to him just what a brier patch is to a rabbit. When he is there he is altogether at home. It is indeed to be regretted that W. M. Wyatt saw fit to leave the business and finally to dispose of his interest in same, but at the same time, it is very fortunate that it has fallen into the hands of a man with Mr. Powell's experience. And there is one thing we were about to forget—and that is that Mr. Powell is a dyed-in-the-wool Republican. So, don't get it in your head that The Union-Banner will be changed politically by this transaction, for it will not. The present owners will continue to fight the battles of the Republican party of Chilton just as hard, and if possible a little harder, than we ever have before.

MY DECISION IN LOCATING IN CLANTON PERMANENTLY

Having learned by actual experience the truth in the old adage that "A rolling stone gathers no moss," I am pleased to announce my acquisition of an interest in The Union-Banner. I have worked at the printing business in several places over the country and have had quite a broad experience in the trade, but I have decided that Clanton is the best place I have ever found to live in, so I have pitched my tent here to stay.

I wish to say to the people of the county that all the relations I have had with you in the past through the different positions I have held with The Union-Banner have been pleasant and agreeable beyond estimation, and I only hope that my present relation as half owner of the paper will prove to be the same. It will be my greatest pleasure to have my friends do business with me here and I assure you that I am going to do all in my power to serve the public just as unselfishly as possible. So, again I will say that I am glad to be located in Clanton permanently and hope that I may succeed in what I have undertaken and at the same time do my bit toward making Clanton and Chilton County a still better place to live in.

Atlanta Constitution (Dem.)—The country demands tax reduction, and it demands that it be handled as an economic and not a political or party issue.

Editorial Aphorisms

Portland Oregonian—Pacifists and little navy men are so prejudiced against armament of any kind that they do not take the touble to inform themselves as to what constitutes a navy equal to that of Great Britain. The gun range of one-third of our capital ships is two miles less than that of all the Bitish capital ships. Equality will not have been reached until our capital ships are equal to the British in speed, range of guns, defensive strength and crew.

Houston Post (Dem.)—inherently, the Mellon tax reduction plan is described because it releives the small earner of a considerable share of his burden and at the same time encourages wealth to enter productive development and stimulate the commerce and industry of the whole Nation, to the benefit of all, and in so doing materially increases the Government's revenues from the larger incomes.

Philadelphia Ledger—Mr. McAdoo has come to be one of the most noteworthy of the Democratic witch-doctors. He is a well-known railroad baiter, a Government-ownership apostle, a soldier-bonusite, and he wishes to extend special pivileges to the farmers as a special class. Mr. Coolidge is opposed to almost everything Mr. McAdoo favors.

Chicago Tribune — Mr. Mellon wants to stimulate business by relieving tax burdens so that prosperity will be general and what taxes are needed will be easy to pay. Mr. Garner wants to gather votes by relieving taxation for the voters, regardless of any effect upon prosperity.

Troy Times—The 7,000,000 or more income tax payers and 100,000,000 others who will indirectly profit by the tax reduction demand the Mellon plan, and will refuse to accept a substitute, for they are satisfied that there is nothing "just as good."

New York Times—The country has waked up to the indispensable necessity of relief from overpowering Federal taxation. It has got to wake up to the indispensable necessity of the reduction of State and local taxation.

Marion Star—We want none of sovietism in America, and we do not purpose to deal in a governmental capacity with soviets in Russia until they see the light and change their ways.

Kennebec Journal—We feel perfectly safe in denying any rumor to the effect that Senator Reed of Missouri wrote the Bok peace plan.

Pleasant Hill (Mo.) Times—None of the pictures of Calvin Coolidge has shown him with his mouth open.

Soggy Biscuits and Indigestion

From time immemorial, leavening gas has made the "touch" which made the paste of flour and water a digestible food—the staff of life. A flat and soggy loaf or biscuit is an unleavened food. So it is that leavening agents such as yeast or baking powder are employed.

To insure to the American housewife complete leavening of her biscuits, cakes, muffins, etc., which is so important to perfect digestion, the pure food authorities found it wise to require a certain standard of leavening strength in baking powder.

To maintain this guaranty of digestibility—to insure minimum deterioration of leavening strength, baking powder is packed in tin. This prevents absorption of atmospheric moisture. Dampness produces premature reaction in the can—results in loss of leavening gas.

The food official, would properly condemn baking powder if packed in cheap sacks.

But what about self rising flour? It comes to the southern housewife from remote northern mills packed in porous bags. What happens to this mixture of baking materials and flour?

Chemical analysis shows that much of it has lost its leavening strength before it reaches the consumer.

Breadstuffs made with such self-rising flours cannot rise properly—they come to the table heavy, flat, and soggy.

Why don't the pure food officials demand that self-rising flours contain 0.5% leavening gas, the equivalent to the 12% required of baking powder?

Calumet Baking Powder is scientifically and legally correct—the last spoonful is as pure and sure as the first.

Packed in tin—keeps the strength in

POOR ORI

Good Roads Influence Seen in Motor Values

Better Highways Have Produced Better Cars.

A statistical summary of the various values possible to obtain today by the expenditure of a dollar as compared with ten years ago has been made by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. This chart shows an increase in value for both cars and tires, as opposed to a great decrease in value of such commodities as clothing, shoes, food, furniture, and house furnishings, building, crops, and live stock, and such intangibles as the cost of living and rents.

According to this summary, a dollar in 1913 purchased a dollar's worth of motor car; in 1923 it purchased $1.11 worth of motor car, whereas the dollar which brought a dollar's worth of food in 1913, today buys 68.5 cents worth of food.

A dollar's worth of tires in 1913 cost a dollar. For the same dollar in 1923 one buys $1.23 worth of tires, whereas the dollar one spent for clothes in 1913 will buy today but 51.8 cents worth of suit or overcoat.

It is not a matter of argument that one of the great factors which have raised the relative value of motors per dollar expended, is the large increase in good highways. These have been a predetermining cause in the purchase of a large amount of motor vehicles, and it is quantity production which has lowered the cost or increased the value, as you please, of the 1913 "dollar unit" of value.

The statistics are based on reports from such authorities as the National Industrial Conference Board, the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, the Cleveland Trust Company, the Department of Agriculture, and the Federal Reserve Board.

Buys Interest In Johnson Drug Co.

Dr. Arthur Johnson authorizes us to announce to the public that he has sold to Mr. A. L. Farley a part interest in the Johnson Drug Company. Since this company came into existence three years ago, Mr. Farley has been manager of the firm and is a licensed pharmacist. Mr. Farley, or rather Dr. Farley, is a hustling young man and is thoroughly familiar with the drug business. He has a disposition that is pleasing to the public and is always glad to have his friends come to see him.

LOOK OVER THE OLD SHOES

and see if we cannot save one or two pairs from the lot. Chances are we can—we are doing it every day for others, why not for you? Our shoe repair methods insures not only perfect repairs but shapeliness and service.

BEST SHOE SHOP
B. H. WOLFE, Prop.
CLANTON, ALA.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN
CLANTON, ALA.

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4 at Clanton on Jan. 21 to Feb. 2, inc've, 1924
Precinct No. 14 at Macedonia February 4, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Mars Hill on February 5, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Providence on February 6, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.
Dec. 14, 1923.

No one can register except in his own precinct and at the Court House.

Big Gains Made In Poultry Work

Club Members Make Gain of $187,737.00 In 1923 Over 1922.

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 21.—An increase of $182,737 in the value of products produced by poultry club members of Alabama during 1922 is reported by Miss Agnes Ellen Harris, State Home Demonstration Agent. The total vale of the 1923 products was $590,524.00 compared with $407,787.00 in 1922.

Going back five years Miss Harris shows that the value of the products produced by poultry club members in 1918 was $98,899.00, and that the value of 1920 products was $248,639.00. Those of 1919 were worth much more than those of 1918 and those of 1921 greatly exceeded those of 1920, showing that poultry club work has made substantial gains from its beginning in Alabama.

This work was conducted last year in each of the thirty-five counties having a home demonstration agent. The average value per county was $16,872.00. In addition to this direct addition to the value of Alabama's agricultural wealth, poultry club work, under the direction of the home demonstration agents, prepared the way for a bigger and more profitable poultry industry in the State, by bringing in a large number of purebred eggs and purebred chickens, and by introducing improved methods of feeding, culling, and management.

Plans for improvement in all lines of poultry work in 1924 have been prepared by John E. Ivey, who became poultry specialist for the Extension Service during the summer of 1923.

Commissioner Walker Answers Mr. Scott

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to write just this time in regard to Mr. J. N. Scott's criticism of the road law and then I am done. Mr. Scott says he fails to see where it is right to tax lumber and log trucks and not tax wagons to keep up the roads. Well, Mr. Scott, I am not surprised at you not seeing something that has never come to pass.

You say you fail ot see where it is better to cut the road hands from 10 days to 7 days. That is very easily answered, because the hands had rather work 7 days than 10 days, and then we had rather have their $5.50 than to have even the 10 days the old way of working the roads. You say why not tax the men with trucks and wagons as well as the road hands. That is easy to answer. The trucks have already been taxed enough I think. You say you fail to see where we can get more done with $5.50 than 10 days working the old way. Now, Mr. Scott, if you will come over here I will show you where the road machine and three men did more work in one day than 20 men will do in the same time the old way. If you will come over I will meet you at the depot, give you your dinner and carry you back to the train. Now, I would not advise you to come in your car because the old system of working the roads has got the roads in such bad fix I don't think you could get here in your car.

You say that no man ought to object to working the road he travels over. Now, Mr. Scott, I do not object to men working the roads, but I do object to men going out on the roads for that purpose and smoke cigaretts and tell yarns all day instead of doing honest work on the roads.

Mr. Scott, I do not know how much tax you pay, but you remind me of a man I heard not long ago kicking about high taxes, and after investigating a little I found that he did not even pay a poll tax and he was the father of a bunch of little children. You say Mr. Scott that you would like to tell me all about this road proposition. Now, here is one thing I fail to see, and that is how you are going to tell me about what we are going to do with the new road proposition.

Now, Mr. Scott, my conscience and doctor tell me that your ignorance drops will not build roads. With all due respect to you, it is not my intention to argue the road law question with you any more. When I am convinced that this new road law is a failure, I will work as hard to make a change as I did to get it.

Yours for good roads,
C. T. WALKER.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF GUARDIAN

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Cassie Thomas as guardian of Willie Mae Thomas and Matalie Thomas, minors, has filed her resignation of guardianship of the above named minors in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama and also vouchers, receipts and disbursements accompanying the same and that the same is set for hearing on Saturday, Feb. 2, 1924, at the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at which time all parties interested may appear and contest same if they desire.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-10-3tc Judge Of Probate.

QUARTERLY MEETING YOUNG PEOPLE'S COUNCIL

The first quarterly meeting of Young People's Council of the Unity Association will meet with Marbury Saturday, January 26th. All Sunbeams, G. A. R. A. and Y. W. A. are urged to attend.

Big Bargain

SALE

BEGINNING JAN. 19
and lasts for only two weeks

OVERALLS

$2.00 Jumpers	$1.59
2.00 Overalls	1.57
1.50 Overalls	1.29
1.35 Overalls	1.19
1.25 Overalls	.99

WORK PANTS

$3.00 Pants	$2.49
2.50 Pants	2.19

SHIRTS

$1.00 Work Shirts	$ .89
3.00 Wool Shirts	2.59
2.50 Wool Shirts	2.19
2.00 Dress Shirts	1.59

UNION SUITS

$1.00 Union Suits	$ .79
1.25 Union Suits	.89
1.50 Union Suits	1.19
.50 Infants Vests	.36

HEADWEAR

$1.00 Fine Knitted Caps	86c
.50 Caps	39c

DRESS GOODS

Pamella Flannel	17½c yd.
Griffin Flannel	19c yd.
30c Dress Ginghams	23c yd.
25c Dress Ginghams	19c yd.

GROCERIES

Arm & Hammer Soda, 7 boxes	25c
Hammer Soap, 8 bars	25c
Washing Powders, 7 boxes	25c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans	25c
Sledge Hammer Lye, 7 cans	50c
Red Seal Lye, 2 cans	15c
Morning Joy Coffee, 1 lb can	40c
Matches, 6 boxes	25c
Pet Milk, 4 cans	25c
Good Flour, 1 barrel	$7.00
Sugar (Saturday only) 10 lbs.	$1.00

We have just received our line of Spring Shoes. Don't forget we will give you a special bargain. Every pair guaranteed.

We also carry a stock of the best Horse, Dairy and Poultry Feeds that money can buy.

Don't forget that this sale only lasts two weeks, beginning Jan. 19. With each $10.00 cash sale we will give $1.00 in trade.

Clanton Mill & Gin Co.

J. A. MADDOX, Manager. CLANTON, ALA.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Now that Thorsby Light Plant is fairly installed in its new home at Thorsby Warehouse and Gin Co., all patrons are delighted with the improvement in the quality of light furnished. There was some thought by Mr. Goodgame, the manager, to give service a few hours in the morning, but a trial has convinced him that for the present this would not be practicable and he will give immediate attention to further improvement of the machinery and equipment where it is possible.

Mr. C. W. Wade has about completed construction work in and on his Thorsby Theatre, and we think the people of Thorsby and vicinity are to be congratulated that so much care has been given to provide a sure-enough playhouse. Although necessarily small it seems to be completed in all its appointments and we understand that he will attempt to give only such productions as are worthy of patronage by lovers of clean entertainment.

On account of delay in getting an important part of his equipment the moving picture advertised for Friday night of this week will be postponed one week.

The entertainment given by "Queen Esther Class," Miss Jenkins teacher, given at Bates Hall last Saturday night, was interesting from start to finish. The first number was a processional in which all the members of the class, uniformly dressed, marched in, singing "Rejoice Ye Pure In Heart." Ariving at the rostrum they sang, "Onward Christian Soldiers" to a tune not familiar, but well adapted to the words. After the singing, Miss Cola Ruffin gave a reading entitled, "The Step Mother." Then Living Pictures were presented by Miss James. The pictures were living representations of paintings by noted artists. First group, three pictures by Sir Joshua Reynolds, "The Age of Innocense," represented by Geraldine Dobson; "Angels Heads," Ida Mae Leslie, Pearl Steiner, Meaoma Steiner, Beulah Johnson; "Lavinia, Countess of Spencer," Lois Primm. Second group, "Madonna and Child," by Dagnan-Bouvert; "April," by Rosina Emmett Sherwood, Nora Lee Lessley; "The Broken Pitcher," by Greuze, Lorena Primm. Third group, "The Little Scholar," by Bouereau, Margaret Butler; "The Death of Mignon," Adrien Potting, Ruth Turner; "Nidia, The Blind Girl," Boona Lee Wood.

Between representations of the pictures, Miss Lillian McKee gave violin solos with Miss Cola Ruffin as accompanist. The last number on the program was a one act comedy entitled "That Love of a Bonnet." The cast of characters were Mrs. Dipper, Willie Littlejohn; her daughter Kitty, Geraldine Dobson; Aunt Jemima Hopkins, Lillian McKee; Mrs. Fastone, Bernice Wood; her daughter Dora, Betty Lakeman; an Irish girl, Bernice Rogers.

The Ladies Guild Social will be held Thursday afternoon, January 24th, at the home of Mrs. John Johnson. Everyone cordially invited.

Miss Anna Werness of Birmingham spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Mrs. Martha B. Hunter was the recipient of a fruit shower from the girls of her 8th grade class Saturday, January 19th. A delightful time was reported.

Mr. Willie Fretwell, with his wife and baby visited Thorsby Institute one day last week. Both Mr. Fretwell and his wife, who was Mary Stubbs, were formerly T. I. students.

Mrs. H. V. Thompson spent last week-end in Thorsby. Mrs. Thompson is employed temporarily in Birmingham.

In the basket ball game last Friday between Clanton and Thorsby the game closed with a score of 14 to 11 in favor of Thorsby. Next Friday afternoon, January 25th, Thorsby Institute team will play the Marbury High School team on the Institute campus. Everybody come and see a lively game.

It was the privilege of the writer to see Coach Lefstead putting T. I. boys through a grilling exercise. If training will help Thorsby boys to win in contests with others, it would seem that any team who beats 'em would need to be up and dusted.

Saturday night, January 26th, at 7:30 o'clock the Helen Keller will hold their regular meeting (not open to the public) in Bates Hall.

The fourth number of Thorsby Institute Lyceum course, will be given Friday night, Febrary 1st, when Bob-of-the Northland and Billy Miller (a woman) both impersonators, will give a varied program. They say "If you can't laugh, don't come."

At the Christian Endeavor meeting last Sunday night, conducted by the Missionary Committee, Mrs. E. W. Butler and Ethel Peterson were leaders, the subject was, "Japan's Triumph." The Society gave an interesting program on "The Gospel of Japan." Mr. Cody Bell gave an excellent talk on the work of one of Japan's noted religious leaders. Others gave short talks on different topics about Japan.

It is interesting to note the progress The Christian Endeavor Society of Thorsby is making, but the best thing about it is that they will tell you something new every Sunday if you only will attend the meetings.

"Boston Transcript—Evidently Mr. Bok came not to bring peace, but a sword.

Mr. J. R. Short of Pletcher was in Clanton Wednesday. If he had any turnips with him we didn't hear him say anything about it.

Mr. W. S. Bowles of Bethsalem was in town Wednesday attending to business matters.

S.S.S. keeps away Pimples

THERE are thousands of women who wonder why their complexions do not improve in spite of all the face treatments they use. They should not continue to wonder. Eruptions come from blood impurities and a lack of rich blood-cells. S.S.S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood cleansers known. S.S.S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S. S. S. routs out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. S. S. S. is a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pep."

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

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This is the greatest and most accurate Seed Book ever published for the South. 100 pages, full of actual photographic pictures, handsome cover pages in full colors, accurate descriptions, valuable culture directions and the most useful Seed Book there is.

It is absolutely free, and we want you to have it in your home. Hastings' Seeds, "The Standard of the South," are, as always, the best seeds grown. Garden, field and flower seeds, plants and bulbs that do well in South are all fully described with 1924 attractive prices, the lowest we can possibly sell good seeds, plants and bulbs. All our 1924 customers will get 5 seed packets of beautiful flowers absolutely free. The big new 1924 Seed Book tells all about it. Write for it today.

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YOU CAN HELP!

Among the necessities of present day civilization, is a Bank worthy of the confidence of the people, because it is under conservative and successful management. If you believe Thorsby has such a Bank, tell it to others and recommend that they do business with—

THE BANK OF THORSBY
THORSBY, ALABAMA

National Thrift Week

During the past week the attention of every man, woman and child in the United States has been directed to the wisdom of saving. It is a most opportune time to consider as an investment that which offers distinctive features for savings—

Cumulative Preferred Stock of Alabama Power Company

This stock yields 7.14 per cent, is free of state, county and city taxes and the present Normal Federal Income Tax. It sells at $98.00 and accrued dividend per share. It may be purchased for cash or upon our

Easy Payment Special Savings Plan

Ask any employe, or apply direct to Investment Department

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And mail to INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT, Alabama Power oC., Birmingham, Ala., and full details of our stock and selling plans will be sent you. Also a free booklet on "How to Put Money to Work."

Name .....

Address .....

SMALL DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. ROBT. EDWARDS BADLY BURNED TUESDAY

The 2-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Edwards of Fairview community was seriously, if not fatally, burned on last Tuesday evening at their home. Information reaching us as we go to press states that the little child was putting some splinters on the fire when its clothing caught on fire and was seriously burned before it could be extinguished.

ELBERT LITTLEJOHN LEFT

Mr. Elbert Littlejohn, who has been in rather bad health for the past several weeks left Tuesday for San Antonio, Texas, where he will take treatment in the W. O. W. hospital. It is certainly regrettable that Mr. Littlejohn was compelled to leave his home and people here, but is is hoped that he will soon regain his health and can return home sound and well.

BOX SUPPER AT PINE DALE

There will be a box supper at Pine Dale Friday night, January 25th. Everybody come and have a nice time. There will also ba a cake guessing and a cake for the prettiest girl. Boys come and bring your money, and girls bring boxes.

MISS LENA GLASS, Principal.
MISS LONA THOMPSON, Assistant..

MULES RUN AWAY

The two fine mules of Mr. Rennie Robinson of Refuge were left hitched to the wagon near the Lime-Cola Bottling plant in Clanton last Wednesday about noon. The mules became frightened and both ran full speed toward the Baptist Church. They tried to separate in front of the church and one go on each side of the big oak tree, the result being that one of the mules was badly bruised up. The last news we had from it the mule was still alive but was uiable to stand up. It was not expected to live. No one was in the wagon and the other mule was not hurt at all.

CLANTON LOSES A USEFUL CITIZEN

Miss Callie Watts has severed her relation with Elmore's and has gone to Jacksonville, Ala., where she will open a full line of ladies furnishings. Miss Callie has been identified with the mercantile interests of Clanton so long and is such a competent business woman, that we predict for her great success in her new field. While Clanton, the business, social and church interests, lose one of our most useful members we commend her to the good people of Jacksonville.

MOTHERS—
Why allow "snuffles" and stuffy, wheezy breathing to torment your Babies when quick relief follows the use of

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY
No Narcotics

Rosemary Funeral Directors

H. G. JEFFERIES
MANAGER

JEMISON, ALA.

Mrs. Arrie Sharpe

Nervous? Run Down?

Read What Mrs. Sharpe Says:

Dozier, Ala.—"I cannot fully express my thanks for the good Dr. Pierce's medicines have done me. My whole nervous system was rundown. I felt like something would happen to me, I would tremble at times. Sometimes I had sick-headaches twice a week. I suffered from feminine trouble and irritation of the bladder, but I am thankful to say I have none of these symptoms since taking Dr. Pierce's medicines. I took a few bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription', one of the 'Golden Medical Discovery', two of the Anuric (kidney and backache) Tablets, and I can truthfully say I feel better than I have for many years, and weigh more." Mrs. Arrie Sharpe, Route 1.

What "Favorite Prescription" has done for others it should do for you. Get it today, in tablets or liquid, or send 10c for trial package, to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

CLASSIFIED ADS

IF ITS STOVE WOOD you want, phone F. A. Ellison, Clanton Route 1. 1-17-4tpd.

FOR SALE—300 White Leghorn hens; young pullets sell cheap.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala. 1-24-3p

FOR SALE—10 acres of land with dwelling house. All that part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14, East of L. & N. R. R., Chilton County, Ala. See Victor J. Heard. 1-24-2tc

COTTON SEED FOR SALE.—Pure Half and Half Seed, limited quantity, $1.50 per bushel. Walter G. Vinson, Clanton Route 6. 1-17-4t pd.

ONE-HORSE FARM FOR RENT.—Located three miles west of Clanton, near Baker School House, will rent for fourth. Apply to Miss Monnie Baker, Clanton Route 7. 1172t pd.

MONUMENTS.—For right prices and guaranteed materia and workmanship in Mounments, see or write G. B. Golden, Clanton, Ala., Route 5. 1-10-4t ch.

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. E. D. Hand, 5 miles south of Clanton on the B. & M. Highway, desires your patronage in dressmaking. She is a student from the Woman's Institute and is competent to do the work. 1-10-4t pd.

STRAYED MULE.—Owner may call and get a black mare mule with brown nose, about 6 or 7 years old, weighs about 950 pounds, that came to my house last Friday, by paying for trouble and this advertisement.—Tommie Gray, Verbena, Ala., Route one, at Enterprise School House. 1-10-4t pd.

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON
Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

Poultry Feeds and Supplies

INCUBATORS AND BROODERS
S. C. WHITE LEGHORN

BABY CHICKS—HATCHIN GEGGS

Tell US what you need. If we don't have it we will get it for you. Now is the time to plan for the coming year.

"ANYTHING FOR CHICKS"

Mastin Brothers

THORSBY, ALA.

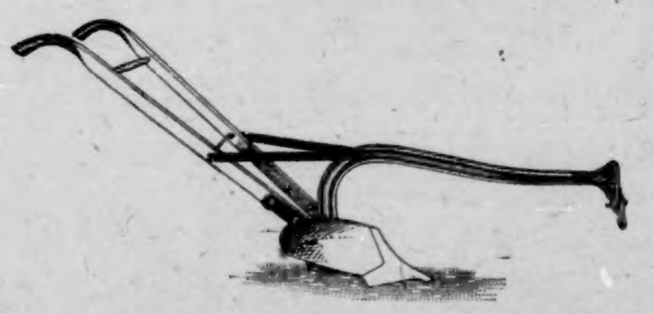
FERTILIZER

We have bought a large quantity of Nitrate of Soda and Phosphate and can give you cheapest prices on them. We have Soda in ware house now, and will have complete of Fertilizers later. See us for best prices.

BEAN BROS.

CLANTON, ALA.

For Fall and Winter
PREPARATION



GET GENUINE B. F. AVERY & SONS PLOWS, STALK CUTTERS, DRAG HARROWS. WE HAVE CAR OF ALL SIZES AND PARTS. GET THE BEST—WE HAVE IT. ALSO ALL KINDS ROOFING, BARB WIRE, FENCING, ETC.

MULLINS & MOORE

CLANTON, ALABAMA

POOR OR

AROUND CALERA

(Last week's letter.)

May we again this week have space to tell a few of the happenings of the community?

We regret to say that Mr. John Broadhead and family are moving away from the community. They are going to make their home in Calera where Mr. Broadhead is now employed.

Misses Mamye and Cathrine Clark were the visitors of Miss Marie Hughes last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin and children enjoyed a "spend-the-day" with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Busby.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham was visiting relatives in South Calera Sunday, returning to Birmingham Sunday night where he holds a position.

Mrs. Jessie Cox was the guest of Mrs. Julius Pilgreen of Calera last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma, formerly of South Calera, spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mr. Homer Martin left last Sunday night for Chetoka where he will take a position with the Railroad.

We are very sorry to learn that Mr. Tob Martin has been sick for the past few days.

Miss Marie Hughes spent last Saturday night with Miss Mamie Clark.

Miss Dora Campbell of South Calera is visiting relatives in Montgomery this week.

Mr. Elwood Armstrong of Calera was in South Calera Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Burgess and Mr. Holen Crim motored to Columbiana Sunday.

Mr. W. J. Clark is now spending a few days in the "Land of Flowers," Florida. He left Wednesday to be gone an indefinite time. Mr. McRay from Calera accompanied him and learn they are trying to locate in Florida.

Mr. Melvin Walker left South Calera last Monday for Birmingham where the family is moving.

Miss Ruth Mooney came back from Columbiana Sunday.

Mr. Reynolds Chism and family from Pennsylvania, who have been spending a few weeks with the former's parents near Calera, left last Monday by automobile to return to Pennsylvania.

Miss Mexa Tate and Miss Lutie Jones attended a quarterly meeting of the W. M. U. in Calera last Tuesday.

Misses Mayme and Cathrine Clark attended teacher's meeting in Clanton last Saturday.

Miss Lillie Walker went to the Magic City last Tuesday.

(This week's letter.)

May we again this week have space in the Union-Banner to tell of a few of the happenings around home?

Health of the community is good with the exception of Mr. Tob Martin who has been on the sick list for quite awhile, but we hear he is improving.

Mr. W. J. Clark went to Birmingham Monday.

Mr. Amie Boswell from Pelham came down to South Calera Saturday night, remaining over until Monday morning when he left for Cooper to visit his home folks.

Mr. Elwood Armstrong from Calera was visiting in South Calera Sunday.

Mr. Tom Walker, who owns a place near South Calera, was down Saturday looking after some business and his place.

Mr. Alzie Martin and Miss Lutie Jones were entertained for a while last Saturday night at Miss Mexa Tate's.

Did you know that next Sunday is the regular preaching day at Shiloh Church?

Mr. Homer Martin was home for the week-end. Mr. Martin is now employed by the Railroad and is located at Chetopa, Ala.

Miss Ruth Mooney went to Columbiana Friday night to spend the week-end with her mother.

After returning from Florida last week, Mr. W. J. Clark reports that he finds a very suitable location at Graceville, where he is planning to move in a few weeks. We regret to see the family leave very much.

Mrs. Henry Anderson, who has been visiting in Birmingham for quite a while returned home last week.

Baby arrived safely. Mother's Friend *praised!*

"I WANT to express my appreciation of 'Mother's Friend.'" says Mrs. Laura Hendrix, Gracemont, Okla. "I am the mother of six children. I used 'Mother's Friend' with every one of my babies. I think it is the grandest help that has ever been discovered for the expectant mother. I can't do without it. I recommend it to all expectant mothers. I can't say too much for it."

"Mother's Friend" was originated by an eminent physician. It has saved thousands of expectant mothers from useless suffering. It is externally applied; aids the muscles and tissues to relax easily and readjust themselves to the changes during expectancy and up to the moment baby arrives.

"Mother's Friend" is safe and beneficial, and contains no narcotics or harmful drugs. Avoid mere greases and useless substitutes.

Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-74, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book, containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores.

GOLDEN RIDGE

The weather seems rather cold and the people enjoy a view of the fire.

Misses Bertha and Pluma Stough and Eloise Smith spent Saturday night with their friend Miss Mary Lee Smitherman.

A large crowd enjoyed the dance at Miss Thelma Scott's Thursday night.

Mrs. Carrie Ferguson and children visited relatives near Randolph Saturday night.

Miss Bertha Ratliff spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Thelma Scott.

A large crowd attended the dance at Miss Jennie Arther's near Randolph Saturday night. All reported a nice time.

Mr. Hugh Morgan was the guest of Mr. Lum Ratliff Sunday P. M.

Cheer up Hampton, if Bethany and none of those care to visit you, we will make a visit, if you all can put up with all of us..

FOR SALE

I have an Incubator, 175 egg capacity, that I will sell for $25.00. I also have two Brooders I will sell for $5.00 each. These can be seen at Mrs. J. M. Potts' in Clanton.

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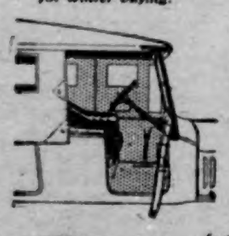

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BETHANY NEWS

We are very glad indeed to state that the health of this community is very good at present except a few bad colds.

Mrs. Willie Dykes and Mrs. Martha Vinson visited Mrs. C. C. Gray Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jacks and little son, Wesley, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray and family Saturday night and reported a nice time of course.

Mrs. Martha Vinson spent a few days with her niece, Mrs. Willie Dykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dykes Friday night.

Mrs. C. C. Gray and daughter, Verbie, visited Mrs. Otis Jacks Friday.

Miss Virbie Gray spent a few enjoyable hours with Mrs. Ruby Dykes Thursday afternoon and reported a delightful time.

Mrs. C. C. Gray visited Mrs. Roma Chandler Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. John Moore visited her sister, Mrs. Nellie Hathcock, of near Clanton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jacks and little son visited Mrs. A. J. Gray and family Thursday night.

Mrs. Andrew Bone and little daughters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray and family Thursday night.

Mrs. C. C. Gray and daughter, Verbie, visited Mrs. W. D. Dykes Monday afternoon. Am sure they were welcomed for they went to help quilt. Mrs. Dykes is expecting to return the favor in a short while.

Mrs. Willie Bone of Augustaville visited her sisters, Mrs. John Moore and Mrs. Roma Chandler Monday and Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilile Bone visited Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes visited Mrs. Martha Vinson Wednesday night.

Mrs. Willie Dykes visited Mrs. C. C. Gray and family Tuesday afternoon.

Embroidering, quilting and chrocketing has been all the go with Misses Verbie and Vesta Gray and Mrs. Ruby Dykes for the last month.

Mrs. Ada Jacks visited Mrs. Otis Jacks Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lela Scott and family visited her mother, Mrs. A. J. Gray and family, Thursday.

A large crowd from around here went to the singing at the home of Miss Ray Saturday night.

Misses Mary Gray and Eunice Jones visited Mrs. W. D. Dykes Friday morning.

Mr. Tommie Henter and Mr. Johnnie Lee of Selma were visitors to this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Little Wesley Jacks visited his grand-father and grand-mother Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Presley.

Miss Mary Gray visited her cousins, Misses Verbie and Vesta Gray Saturday night and reported an enjoyable time of course.

Misses Verbie, Verta, Esther and Mary Gray visited Mrs. Ruby Dykes Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dykes visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray and family Saturday night.

Miss Eunice Jones visited Miss Maggie Bookholdt Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clent Chandler visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor Saturday night and Sunday.

Messrs. Omer Gray and Sam Williams were visitors to Plantersville Saturday night and Sunday.

Every fourth Sunday afternoon is our regular singing evenings. Everybody is invited to come and bring some one with you.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

Owing to the length of the school term this year I am requested by Prof. C. R. Wood, Director of Extension of the State Normal at Jacksonville, to announce to those teachers taking the Normal Extension Work that the dates for the meeting of this course has been changed so that the remaining meetings will come on the dates mentioned below: Jan. 12th and 26th, and Feb. 2nd.

Teachers will please take note of this change and be present at the meetings.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Co. Supt. Education.

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For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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SARDIS NOTES

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please give me a small space in your dear old Banner to say a few words about this place?

Health of this community is very good at present, except bad colds.

Well, we are all glad to see the sun shining again at last.

The singing at Miss Anthel Ratliff's the 13th was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Lela Hayes and Miss Era Headley visited Miss Melvie Roebuck Saturday afternoon and reported a nice time of course.

Well, the weather was so bad Sunday we all got disappointed about going to Sunday School and also prayer meeting, but we hope next Sunday will be a pretty day.

Folks next Sunday afternoon there will be Sunday School and prayer service at Sardis and everybody is invited to come and bring some one with you.

NOTICE OF WRIT OF ATTACHMENT AND LEVY

To G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson, Non-Residents of the State of Alabama:

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama, Greeting:

Whereas, W. C. Burnett, has complained on oath to me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, that G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson are justly indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of Two Hundred Ten and no-100 Dollars, and the plaintiff having made affidavit and given bond as required by law in such cases, you are hereby commanded to attach so much of the estate of said G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson as will be of value to satisfy said debt and costs, according to the complaint, unless repleved, so to secure that the same may be liable to further proceedings thereon to be had at the next term of the Circuit Court for the County of Chilton, to be holden at the Court House thereof within 30 days from the service of this writ, when and where you must make known how you have executed this Writ.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff filed in this cause that the defendants have waived their right to claim as exempt to them any personal property as against the debt upon which this suit is based, this Writ is not subject to any claim of exemptions as to personal property.

This the 31st day of Dec. 1923.

J. Z. MIMS, Clerk.

I have executed the within Writ this 9th day of Jan. 1924, by Attaching one saw mill complete, including one husk frame, carriage, belts and pulleys.

T. J. LITTLEJORN,
1-17-3t Sheriff.

How Soldier Dispersed Attacks

"For two years my stomach trouble was very bad, my doctor had to inject morphine on several occasions when I was stricken with these attacks. Since taking 4 bottles of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy I have been entirely well and am serving in the artillery, having been pronounced in perfect health by government physicians." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Alred Drug Co., and druggist everywhere.

ADAMS NEWS

Health of this place is very good at present.

Mr. J. O. Chambers has been sick a few days, but is better now.

Messrs. Bob and Monroe Roebuck were in Clanton Saturday.

Several from this place attended the candy breaking at Mr. Bert Smith's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dyer, Misses Lennie and Willie Foshee and Mr. Harmon Broadhead motored to Clanton Saturday night to the "Darkey Players," and then attended the picture show.

The infant baby of Mr. and Mrs. Fuller was buried at Mt. Carmel Saturday afternoon.

A truck load of young folks from arond this place went to the wedding Snday afternoon.

The tacky party in Stanton Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Well, I'll be going. Will come again soon. Wishing the Banner good luck.

Letter From Miss Icelo Williams

Duncanville, Ala., Jan. 21, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Enclosed you find a money order for $1.50 with which please renew my subscription to "The Union-Banner" for one year beginning with next week's issue.

Perhaps you remember me as I had charge of the primary work in your Grammar School for four years. I enjoyed my work in Clanton both in school and Sunday School very much and I remember the people of Clanton with much interest.

Since I left Clanton I have had two very successful years as primary teacher and still enjoy my work thoroughly.

I enjoy reading your paper very much.

With best wishes to "The Union-Banner," I am,

Yours truly,
(Miss) ICELO WILLIAMS.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

The Executive Board of the Unity Association met at the home of Mrs. Grady Broadhead on January 16th at 10:30 A. M.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. S. J. Ezell with reading a part of the 16 chapter of John.

The Association Standard of excellence was discussed and sentence prayers were affered for the different Association needs.

Plans for the New Years work were made and also the program for the first quarterly meeting to be held with the Samaria W. M. S. on January 29, was arranged.

A delightful four course dinner were served to the following: Mesdames S. J. Ezell, J. A. Hester, J. E. Gowan, E. E. Upchurch, J. P. Hayes, G. C. Harris and L. F. Gerald.

Night coughing—

exhausts you so that you are more tired in the morning than when you went to bed. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing by gently stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has an agreeable taste. All druggists.

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Men's $1.00 triple stitch Work Shirts, sizes 14½ to 17, only 69c	Best Grade Overalls, all sizes, sell everywhere $1.75, special for Saturday $1.35	1 lot Ginghams, ust a few bolts, while it lasts per yard 10c
65c Ladies' Silk Hose, every color that is worn with full seam, special 29c	Coats, 150 yard spool thread, all sizes, per spool 4c	1 lot of Hand Towels, while they last, special 9c

Don't Forget Our New Line of Men's and Boys' Suits

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THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE

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Three Sermons Sunday At S. D. A. Tabernacle

Pastor W. P. McLennan of Birmingham spoke three times Sunday at the Adventist Tabernacle. At the first service he used as his text Mark 2:27-28 and said in part:

"According to these verses we learn that the Sabbath institution is of divine origin, and that it was made for man, using that word without a qualifying adjective, and hence, in its broadest or generic sense, including all mankind.

"There are four things true of everything, that is made. First, it has a maker; second, it is made at some time; thrid, it is made of something; fourth, it is made for a specific purpose.

"That Jesus Christ made the Sabbath is abundantly proved in the scriptures. It was Christ who brought this world into existence in six days and peopled it with human beings, and after doing this, rested on the seventh day, blessed and sanctified it. In proof of this statement I will read to you Eph. 3:9; Col. 1:18-17; Heb. 1:1-2; Jno. 1:1-3, 10, 14. In speaking to His Son, God said: 'Thou, Lord, in the beginning has laid the foundation of the earth; and the heavens are the works of thy hands.' Heb. 1:10. Thus God the Son was the active agent in the creation.

"As to the time of making of the institution there should be no doubt. The first word of the fourth commandment reveals the fact that it was made prior to the giving of the law, and Gen. 2:2-3, that it was made at the end of creation week. Being a memorial of creation, it became necessary as soon as creation week ended.

"It is important now, to discover out of what the Sabbath was made. From Gen. 2:2-3 and Ex. 20:10 we learn that God rested on 'the seventh day' He 'blessed the seventh day.' He sanctified 'the seventh day.' He took a day and made the Sabbath out of it, and the day He used was the seventh day. Some would have the commandment read: 'Remember the Sabbath institution to keep it holy' as if the blessing were placed upon the institution apart from the day. The command says: 'Remember the Sabbath day to keep it (the day) holy.'

"The Sabbath institution is not a movable institution that was placed on one day, which can be changed and transferred to some other day, as many seem t think. It is the day itself which is the Sabbath institution God ordained that 'the seventh day' should be set apart to a sacred use; and this, not to make it a rest day, but because it was His rest day, not dependent at all on our action. Some folks think they can make their own Sabbath. We will grant this if they will first make a world in six days. The commandment requires us to keep, not our rest day, nor the Jews' rest day, nor the Christians' rest day, but the Lord's rest day. And He says His est day is the seventh day.

"It is folly to assert that the phrase 'the seventh day,' simply means a seventh part of time. It must be admitted that commandments or laws, as they impose obligation, should be most definitely and clearly stated. Any ambiguity or vagueness of expression in a law is inexcusable, leading to confusion and injstice. God's law means what it says.

"Now the seventh day, according to all calendars, dictionaries and encyclopedias, is Saturday. This is further proved by the Jewish people who have manifested great zeal for the Sabbath, and they universally agree that the seventh day is the day we call Saturday. Furthermore, the Christian churches agree that Christ was rescurrected on Snday, according to this acknowledgement, Satrday must be the seventh day of the week. Mark 16:9.

"It must certainly be evident to all that the Christian Sabbath must be the day that our blessed Saviour has made the Sabbath and according to the Scriptre, which I have read, He made the Sabbath out of the seventh day and there is but one conclusion for us to come to and that is that the Christian Sabbath is the day we commonly call Satrday.

"I beseech of you my dea rhearers, that you consider this matter earnestly and prayerfully."

At the afternoon service the subject was "The Work of the Little Horn of Daniel, 7:24-25. After reading the first three verses of the chapter the minister said:

"The first verse is easily understood as it is simply a sttaement of historical facts, but the language of verses two and three must be other than literal for they would mean nothing if taken literally. Verse seventeen reveals that they are symbolic and that the four beasts he saw represented four kingdoms. What four? Verse twenty-three informs us that the fourth beast was symbolic of the fourth kingdom of Daniel's time which was Rome. If the fourth beast represents Rome the third beast would stand for the third kingdom which was Greece, the second beast the second kingdom or medo-Persia and the first beast Babylon. The ten horns of the last beast are said to represent ten kingdoms, verse twenty-four. This was fulfilled in the establishment of the kingdom of Allemanni, the Franks, the Suevi, the Burgundians, the Vandals, the Anglo-Saxions, the Visigoths, the Ostrogeths, tht Heruli and the Lombards. According to verse eight another power was to arise in the territory of Rome causing the fall of three of the ten kingdoms. Nearly all Protestant commentators are agreed that this horn symbol refers to the papacy, or Roman Catholic Church. Verse twenty-four foretells what that power would do and one of the things was to think to change God's law. Has it thought to do this? It was the Roman Church which substituted the observance of Sunday for the observance of the Sabbath of the Lord, which is the seventh day. Ex. 20:8-11. Luke 23:55-56. The first day has now taken the place of the seventh day in the minds of the majority of Christians, but the only authority for the observance of the first day is the authority of the Roman Church. The Catholic Chure acknowdedges having done this very thing. I quote the following from their Doctrinal Catechism: Question —Have you any other way of proving that the church has power to substitute festivals of precept? Answer —Had she not such power she could not have done that in which al modern religionists agree with her—she could not have substituted the observance of Sunday, the first day of the week, for the observance of Saturday, the seventh day, a change for which there is no Scriptural authority. In harmony with this Dr. Edward T. Hicox, the author of a Baptist Church Manual said the following:

" 'There was and is a commandment to keep holy the Sabbath day, but that Sabbath day was not Sunday. It will be said, however, and with some show of triumph that the Sabbath was transferred from the Seventh to the first day of the week. There is no Scriptural evidence of the change of the Sabbath institution from the seventh day to the first day of the week. Of course I quite well know that Sunday did come unto use in early Christian history as a religios day, as we learn from the Christian fathers and other sources. But what a pity it comes branded with the mark of paganism and christened with the name of Sun-god when adopted and sanctioned by the papal apostsy.' D. Bainney, Methodist, says: 'It is true there is no positive command for infant baptism; nor is there any for keeping holy the first day of the week.'

"My dear hearers, let us stand firm upon the Protestant platform in the consideration of this question, which is the bible and bible only as a guide of faith."

At the night service Mr. McLennan spoke upon the subject: "The Mark of the Beast." After reading Rev. 14:9-15 he said in part:

"This is the most solemn warning ever given to the sons of men. It is the most terrific threatening of divine wrath found in all the bible. He compared the characteristics of the beast power of Rev. 13 with those of the little horn power of Dan. 7:25 to show that both scriptures had reference to the same power, namely the papacy. Continuing he said: 'This message warns men not to receive the mark of the beast, lest the seven last plagues come upon them. Rev. 14:10; 15:1.' Such a message as this can be applicable only to the peopeople who live in the last days, when these plagues are about to be poured out.

"What is this mark? It is not some literal mark, but a symbol of worship or service. The Prophecy would not couple together a symbolic beast and a literal mark of that beast. In reply to a letter of Oct. 28, 1895, to Cardinal Gibbons, asking if the church claimed the change of the Sabbath as her mark, the fololwing was received: 'Of course, the Catholic Church claims that the cange was her act. . . And the act is a mark of her echlesiastilal power and authority in religious matters.'

"As that system is the counterfiet of the true, so its mark is the very opposite of that which distinguishes the true God. Creative power distinguishes the true God. Ps. 96:5; Jer. 10:11 and Acts 14:15. Now what has God given us by which to ever keep in mind His creative power? The Sabbath. Ex. 20:8-11. Thus the keeping of Sunday will be the sign of allegiance to the beast power, while Sabbath keeping is the sign of allegiance to Jehovah. Eze. 20:12. 'Let us gain the victory and be numbered among those described in Rev. 14:12 and 15:2-3."

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Gasoline Advances

Mr. John T. Ellis informs us that early this week the notice was received by the retailers of all kinds of gasoline from the refineries that an advance of 2 cents on the gallon was declared. Woco-Pep advanced two cents last week, so the advance of the other products makes all gasoline now retail at 23c. Another advance is expected within a few days.

To Stock Holders of U. F. of A. Canning Co.

A meeting of the stockholders of the United Farmers Canning Company is hereby called, at the court house in Clanton on Saturday, Feb. 2. The purpose is to investigate the indebtedness of said company. All stockholders be present at 11 o'clock on above date.

J. W. BICE.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by the Honorable J. F. Posey, Judge of the Probate Court of Autauga County, Alabama, on the 7th day of January, 1924, I, G. C. Donovan, administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, deceased, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door on Factory Street in the City of Prattville, Autauga County, Alabama, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The west half of the south-west quarter of section 19, township 20, range 14, containing 80 acres, more or less, also the following land situated in Chilton County, Alabama, beginning 338 yards west of the south-east corner of section 36, township 20, range 13, thence running north 70 yards, thence west 120 yards, thence south 70 yards, thence east 120 yards to the point of beginning, contaning 1 and one-half acres, more or less; also the following parcel of land situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the north-west corner of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section 1, township 19, range 13, thence west 25 yards, thence south-east 140 and 11-12 yards, thence east 80 yards, thence north 23 and 1-2 yards, thence west 87 and 1-2 yards to the point of beginning, containing one and 627-1000 acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of making a division of the proceeds of said sale among the heirs and distributees of said estate.

Witness my hand, this, the 7th day of January, 1924.

G. C. DONOVAN,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, Deceased.
Gipson & Booth, Attorneys,
Prattville, Alabama.

SAXON & PITTS
Lawyers
Office in Johnson Bldg.
CLANTON, ALA.

The Bill Poster Evil

The women of Glens Falls, New York, recently called upon a number of local merchants who were maintaining large and unsightly bill poster boards and urged upon their consideration the injury done to the community by this marring of the scenery. All but one or two of the merchants agreed to cease using the bill boards. Although the ladies did not even hint such a policy, they were so earnest in their arguments that the merchants got the impression that continued use of the billboards would lose them much more business than it would again.

The American people do not like a boycott as a means of accomplishing even good ends, bt there would be few to complain if a boycott were restored to in a case like this. Each community has an interest in the beauty of its surroundings. An injury to the beauty of the scenery is an injury and an affront to the whole community. People who will not resent such an injury, and make their resentment felt, are certainly lacking in both courage and resourcefulness.

QUARTERLY MEETING W. M. U.

The first quarterly meeting of the Unity Association will meet with the Samaria W. M. S. Tuesday, Januury 29th, 1924.

Conveyance will be provided for those coming on the morning trains to Clanton.

Alabama Preference Primary Law Held Unconstitutional

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Tuesday in May of every presidential election year."

The opinion of the attorney general will probably have the effect of bringing the several campaigns involved in anticipation of the holding of a presidental prefereutial primary in this state, for the presential nomination, to an abrupt close, unless the validity of the act in question should be otherwise construed by the Alabama Supreme Court.

Opinion May Be Sought.

Under an act of the legislature authorizing the chief executive of the state to ask for and obtain from the Alabama Supreme Court or a majority thereof, advisory opinions on matters of great public moment, Governor Brandon may request such an advisory opinion from that tribunal as to the Alabama presidential preferential primary law, and it is believed very probable that he will do so.

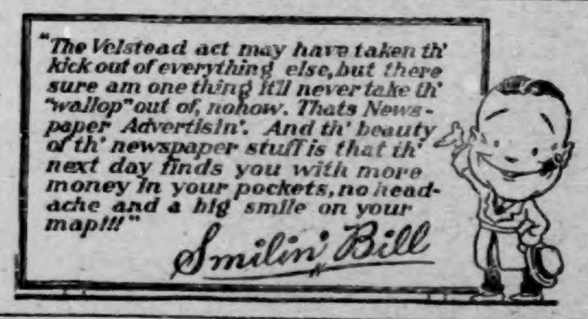
Until such action is taken, if it is taken, campaigns for the presidential nomination will probably be suspended as a result of the attorney general's opinion.

Five candidates, three Democrats and two Republicans, have already qualified for participation in the prospective presidential primary in Alabama. The Democratic candidates for the nomination are Senator Oscar W. Underwood; M. A. Dinsmore, of Birmingham, and L. B. Musgrove, of Jasper. The Republican participants are Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, and W. L. Chenault of Russellville, Ala.

The opinion of Attorney General Davis does not affect in any way candidates for congressional offices, nor does it affect any other primary election law on the statute books of the state.

Church Notice

Pastor W. P. McLennan of Birmingham who has been preaching at the Adventist Tabernacle will return to Clanton for Sunday shervices. He will speak at the following hours next Sunday at the Tabernacle: 11 A. M., 3 P. M., and 7:30 P. M. The subjects will be as follows: "Where are the Dead?" "Are the Wicked Now in Hell?" and "The Unpardonable Sin." All are urged to hear these subjects.



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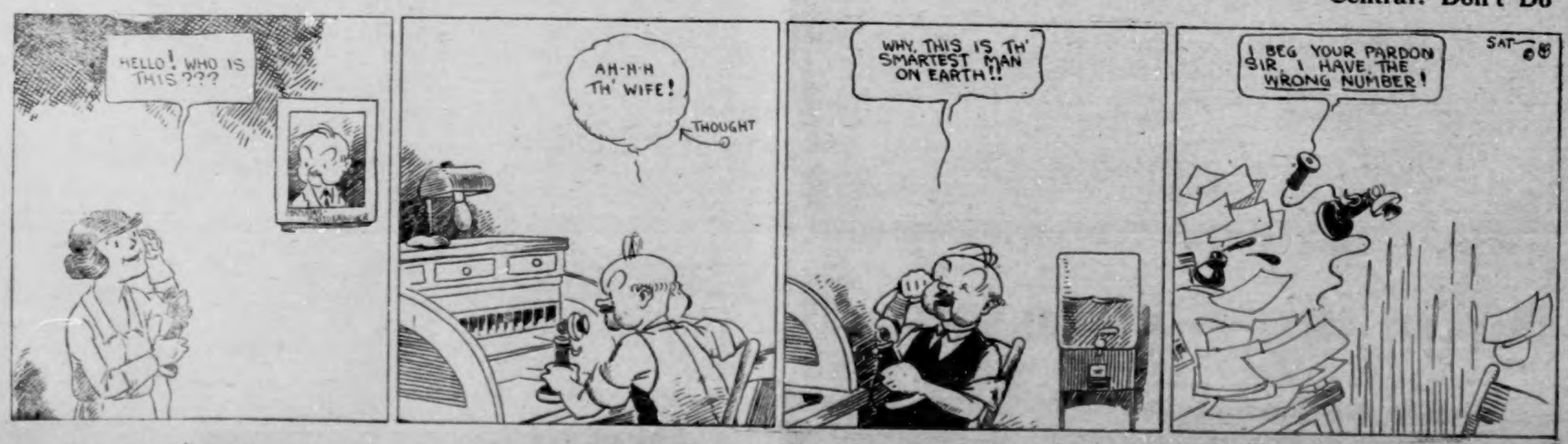

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

EVERYTHING IN READINESS FOR JUDGE CONTEST

Messer Challenges 791 Votes and Judge Reynolds Challenges 1,147 Votes.

Both C. D. Messer and L. H. Reynolds express themselves as being ready for the contest of the probate judge election which was held in Chilton county two years ago. Quite a bit of preliminary work has been gone through with since the contest was filed shortly after the election, but the date for the actual trial to begin is Monday, February 11th, the date having been set up one week at the request of Messer's attorneys. So as it now stands, the trial will begin on the 11th instead of the 4th, which date was formerly agreed upon. Both parties in the case say that they have their data together and are ready for the grinding to begin.

Last Tursday afternoon Mr. Messer presented to Judge Reynolds in person the list of votes which he wished to challenge, which in number was 791. A short while later Judge Reynolds presented to Mr. Messer the list of voters which he wished to challenge, which in number were 1,147. When the presentations took place both Mr. Messer and Judge Reynolds were in a very friendly mood, pulling off a joke or two in the midst of the legal transaction. Judge Reynolds told Mr. Messer that years ago when the two used to trade horses sometimes one would give boot and sometimes the other, so the Judge told him that he would give him some boot in that trade of challenge lists since the Judge was challenging some 350 more votes than Messer.

So, everything so far as we know, is now in readiness for the actual work of sorting out, as it were, the grain from the chaff, and determining exactly who received the most bona fide legal votes in the last election. It has been agreed upon between the attorneys for both parties in the case that 150 of the voters which Messer challenged be summoned for the first day of the trial and 75 be summoned to appear each day following. This plan is to be followed until all of Messer's challenged votes are thrashed out and then the list which Reynolds has challenged will be taken up and gone through in the same manner.

Judge Denson will Try Case.

Chief Justice Anderson has announced the apointment of Judge N. B. Denson of Opelika to come to Clanton to try the contest case. Judge Denson is a well known jurist in Alabama and even in Chilton County, he havnig served as Circuit Judge in this district several years some fifteen or twenty years ago. Although it was felt sure by everybody that Judge Smoot would give perfect satisfaction to all parties concerned, yet both Reynolds and Messer are perfectly satisfied for Judge Denson to try the case. During all the time Judge Denson served on the bench here, and it was during the old Populist days, no one saw fit to criticise his actions in the least.

As a matter of news and for the benefit of the parties concerned, we are publishing on another page of this paper a list of all the names which Mr. Messer challenges. It will be well for all who find their names on this list to get together all their back poll tax receipts and registration certificates and come in to the court house as early as posible and find out whether or not the records agree with your receipts and get any error corrected which might appear in your name, initials or anything else that might be the matter with your record as a voter. So, look over this list and see if your name appears on it.

EX-GOV. COMER TO BE MARRIED SOON

Bride, Miss Mary Carr Gibson, of Distinguished Southern Family Verbena, Alabama.

Formal announcement was made Saturday of the engagement and approaching marriage of Gov. Braxton Bragg Comer of Birmingham and Miss Mary Carr Gibson of Verbena, Ala. The ceremony is to take place at noon Thursday, February 7, at the home of Miss Gibson's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lanier Gibson, "Oakdale," Verbena, Ala.

News of the aproaching event will be read with interest all over Alabama, not only on account of Governor Comer's prominence for many years in the state's life, but also on account of the late Maj. Carr Gibson, who served as major through the war in Ashby's Virginia cavalry. Soon after the war he moved to Montgomery, Ala., where for a time he was owner of the Montgomery Daily Mail. He was also former owner of the old Battle House in Mobile. He married Gertrude Lanier of Macon, Ga., sister of the famous southern poet, Sidney Lanier, and for approximately 50 years made his home at Verbena. His daughter, Miss Mary Gibson, attended school at Wesleyan Female college at Macon, where she was a schoolmate of Mrs. Frank H. Lathrop, daughter of Governor Comer, and the two families have been friends for many years.

Studying Bids For Muscle Shoals

Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 28, 1924. —Chattanoogans are today studying for the first time a "close-up" of the Muscle Shoals bids, a statement containing a "deadly parallel" of the principal bids having been issued here by the Tennessee Electric Power Company, one of the nine large power concerns interested in the so-called "interconnected power bid." The comparison reveals some most interesting facts, foremost among which is that under the Ford bid, the government would receive in cash and maintenance costs over a period of one hundred years, $229,000,000, as against $316,000,000 from the power companies, a saving to the government for 100 years, $66,605,876.

The comparison shows also that the Ford bid requires the government to expend $28,500,000, while the power companies require no additional expenditures on the part of the government.

Under the conditions of the power bid, the State Public Service Commissions and the Federal Water Power Commission will regulate rate, etc., while Mr. Ford would make his own rates and be wholly outside the jurisdiction of these two regulatory bodies.

Both sides offer power at cost for fertilizer manufacture.

Mr. A. Z. Giles of Maplesville, R. 2, came in Tuesday and had us send him The Union-Banner. Mr. Giles moved to this county from Tuscaloosa county two years ago, where he had been for several years, however, he was reared in Chilton. He is a brother to our Mr. John Giles of Clanton.

Contract for New Road To Be Let in Short Time

GOOD NEWS IN REGARD TO THE NEW HIGHWAY

State Department Has Sent Deeds to Right-of-Way to Probate Judge L. H. Reynolds.

Ever since the election for the $25,000,000 highway bond issue in Alabama three years ago, there have been reports upon reports issued regarding the work on the State Highway through Chilton county, but heretofore nothing definite or direct has been issued. But it seems from the letter received by Probate Judge L. H. Reynolds from the Division Engineer that very likely some definite steps are going to be taken in the near future leading up to the actual work on this section of the big project. Below we publish the letter in full:

"Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 26, 1924.
Judge of Probate, Chilton County,
Clanton, Alabama.
Re; Right of Way Deeds.
Dear Sir:

"We are sending you under separate cover the deeds of the property owners through which land our road will pass.

"Please get these signed up as quickly as you can as this job is going to be let soon.

Very truly yours,
MARVIN TAYLOR,
Asst. Div. Engr, Second Div."

In regard to the request made to the county in getting the deeds to this land signed up properly, Judge Reynolds says that he will push his part of the work forward just as rapidly as possible. Just as soon as the signatures of the landowners can be gotten to the deeds, the papers will be returned to the State Highway Department and they can proceed with the plans of the undertaking.

The information was sent out about a month ago that the department would ask for a bid on the road thru Chilton county north of Lomax some time this month. We do not know whether the plans now under way cover any part of the county other than this portion, but it is hoped that the contract for the whole county will be let at once. However, the information brought out in this letter published above will be welcome news to the citizens of the county.

Several Pay Poll Tax During Last Few Days

Up to Tuesday at noon there had been issued by the Tax Collector of Chilton county 1,648 poll tax receipts for 1923 poll taxes and 150 receipts for back poll taxes. This number is comparatively small as compared with the poll taxes paid last year which totaled around 2,200. However, there are three more days in which to pay after these figures were procured, and it is supposed that several more will pay during that time.

Seventh Grade Examination

The regular County Seventh Grade Examination will be held at the following points in the count, on March 28 and 29, 1924.

Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Maplesville, Stanton, Isabella, Fairview, and at any other point in the county where a sufficient number of applicants may request same, provided, this request is made in time to make necessary arrangements for conducting the examination.

The subjects on which this examination will be based will be:

Arithmetic, English Grammar, U. S. History, Agriculture, Geography and Spelling.

The standards to be followed in making the questions for this examination will be the same as last year and any one desiring a list of these requirements may secure same from my office.

This examination is being held earlier than heretofore through courtesy to the short term schools and any pupil attending a school which runs for nine months will not necessarily have to take this examination as another will be given the latter part of August for any who may not take at this time.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
31-2t. County Supt. Education.

CANNING FACTORY MEETING

Don't forget to come to the canning factory meeting Saturday, Feb. 2nd, at the court house. We want to investigate the condition the business is in and the fraud that is practiced or been practiced in this matter.

I. W. BICE.

REED ENTERS THE RACE FOR PRESIDENT U.S.

Missouri Senator Favors Soldiers' Bonus and Reduced Taxation If Nominated.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 28.—Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, yesterday announced his candidacy for the democratic nomination for the presidency and solicited the endorsement of the democratic state convention, which will elect the Missouri delegate to the nation. His decision to run followed a conference with more than 150 of his followers representing nearly every community in the state here Saturday. Plans for Reed's entrance into the race for the presidency were laid shortly before former Governor Frederick D. Gardner of St. Louis withdrew his name from consideration for the Missouri delegation.

Edward A. Glenn, of Louisiana, who managed the campaign of the late Champ Clark for the presidescy, and who was in charge of Reed's senatorial campaign in Missouri in 1922, will take charge of Reed's headquarters. Former Congressman W. I. Igoe will assist Glenn.

In connection with his formal announcement, Reed outlined his views upon national problems. He declared for reduced taxes chiefly upon moderate incomes, for the soldiers' bonus, improvement of the waterways, abolition of useless boards and bureaus, less interference with business and a readjustment of railroad rates as a benefit to the agricultural classes.

VALUE GOOD SEED IS SHOWN BY TESTS

Difference of as Much as $52.80 per Acree Between High and Low Yielding Varieties of Cotton Shown.

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 28.—It pays to use good seed of high yielding varieties of different crops. This is well illustrated in cotton variety tests conducted in 1923 by the Alabama Experiment Station.

These tests were made in different sections of the State. In north Alabama a difference in yield between the lowest and the highest yielding varieties was worth $37.50 an acre with lint cotton at 30 cents a pound.

Results in south Alabama were almost as great. Here the value of the difference between the highest and the lowest yielding varieties was worth $35.10 an acre.

A wider margin was shown on the Experiment Station at Auburn where the difference was $52.80 an acre with lint cotton at 30 cents a pound.

In analyzing these tests J. T. Williamson, of the Experiment Station, said that similar variations in the yields of different varieties of cotton occur every year. By using "good seed of the highest yielding varieties," said Mr. Williamson, "Alabama farmers can add several million dollars to the value of their cotton crop each year."

Information reaching Auburn is to the effect that county agents and county farm bureaus will make a specialty of "good seed of highest yielding varieties" this year.

Notice of Road Laws

No tax is required of any person for hauling over the public roads of the county with a wagon.

A tax or license is required for trucks hauling timber, lumber or minerals equal to one-half of the tax levied by the State. This tax was due Jan. 15th and will be delinquent Feb. 15th, 1924.

Any person subject to road duty may be exempt for the year by paying $5.50 on or before March 1st.

All of the above licenses and fees are payable at the Probate Office and any person subject to same may be prosecuted for a violation thereof, except that person subject to road duty may work seven days of ten hours in lieu of payment.

This the 28th day of Jan., 1924.
L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-31-mch. 1. Judge of Probate.

BUYS CITY BAKERY

A few days ago Mr. J. D. Wells bought of Mr. Vinson the establishment in Clanton known as the City Bakery. Mr. Wells says that he is going to fix up the bakery so that he can serve the public with nice sanitary fresh bread and hot lunches.

MR. E. E. BEDFORD HERE

Mr. E. E. Bedford of the Agricultural Extension Department at Auburn, was in Clanton Tuesday of this week. Mr. Bedford was here getting up all the information obtainable regarding agricultural progress in Chilton county.

CHEAP FERTILIZER PROMISED FARMER

Birmingham Company is One of the Parties Seeking to Operate Muscle Shoals.

Wahington, Jan. 25.—A proposal for manufacture of fertilizers at Muscle Shoals, Ala., under processes designed to reduce its cost to farmers to "less than half" the present prices has been worked out by three experts in fixed nitrogen production in association with the three Southern power companies which have offered $100,000,000 for a 50-year lease on the government's war-time project.

The proposal, prepared for submission to Secretary Weeks Friday as a supplement to the lease offer, contemplates formation of a $5,000,000 corporation to manufacture up to 50,000 tons of fertilider annually at Nitrate Plant No. 1, the rental for which will be fixed by Congress and included by the company in the production cost. Weeks is expected to forward the proposal to the House for consideration, along with the offers of Henry Ford and others, already submitted, by the military affairs committee.

Swann Nitrogen Expert

In addition to the lease of Nitrate Plant No. 1 for 50 years the new proposal calls for the maintenance of Plant No. 2 in condition for emergency operation by the government, and relinquishment of Plant No. 1 on five days' notice if needed for national defense. The fertilizer factory would be furnished power at cost to the extent of 100,000 horsepower and the output wold be sold to farmers at cost plus 8 per cent.

The power companies participating in the new offer are the Tennessee Electric Power Company, the Memphis Power & Light Company and the Alabama Power Company, and the fixed nitrogen experts are Theodore Swann, president of the Federal Phosphorus Company of Birmingham, Ala., Dr. Raymond F. Bacon, of New York, chief of the technical division of the American Expeditionary Forces during the war, and former director of the Mellon Institute for Industrial Research, and Dr. Louis C. Jones, of Syracuse, a member of the advisory board of the chemical warfare division of the army.

Mr. Abbott Writes On Working Roads

Editor Union-Banner:

I want to say a few words in regard to working public roads in Beat 15. I understand there is a petition circulating around Pletcher to go before the Commissioners Court to get me out of the job as overseer, and I want to say that I got this job fair and honest. Mr. C. T. Walker, our county commissioner, left it to a vote and I got the majority of votes, and I want to say, whenever Mr. C. T. Walker thinks that I am not doing my duty on the roads he will make the change. I am sure he will not let a few people make the change. I expect to treat the people right and I also expect to treat the county just as near right as I know how.

I intend to work the roads just as cheaply as possible and I think the people should co-operate with the county commissioners and let's make good roads for old Chilton county.

Respectfully,
J. T. ABBOTT.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE GETS TREAT

45 of Leading Business Men of Clanton Meet in Banquet and Hear Excellent Speaking.

If those who are so pessimistic as to believe that the mass of the business men of Clanton are all divided and split up when it comes to boosting our town and county had been present at the banquet given by the local Chamber of Commerce at the Exchange Hotel Tuesday night, their idea of foreboding hopelessness would surely have been shattered to pieces, because we feel sure that a more unified and enthusiastic meeting has never been held in our prosperous little city. In response to an invitation issued by the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce to all members and their friends to be present on this occasion, 45 of the leading business men in Clanton came out to express the interest which they had in the common welfare of our municipality.

At 8:00 o'clock the spaceous dining room of this splendid Exchange Hotel was thrown open and all present marched in and took their places around the three long tables which had been so abundantly prepared for them. The toastmaster for the occasion, Hon. J. O. Middleton, who filled this capacity very fittingly, after a few choice remarks called upon Col. J. B. Atkinson to return thanks, which the latter did in a very impressive manner. After this the men were all seated and began to make use of the bounteous and luscious edibles which were placed before them.

After supper was over the toastmaster arose, and with a few select and pointed remarks, introduced the first speaker who was Dr. V. J. Gragg, the president of the Chamber of Commerce and Mayor of the Town of Clanton. In a very striking and impresive manner Dr. Gragg brought to the attention of those present some of the wonderful posibilities of our town and county, and also pointed out a very sensible and practicable way in which these posibilities might be transformed into realities. As president of the Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Gragg spoke very encouragingly of the future posibilities of the organization and very feelingly urged all the citizens of Clanton to get behind the organization and stay behind it, never ceasing to work together until our ideals were accomplished.

The next speaker introduced was Col. Victor J. Heard, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Heard, in a short but pointed talk, pointed out the object of the meeting and urged that all the business men cooperate together and work in common for the interest of the town. In his speech Mr. Heard stated he thought it best that a new Board of Directors of the Chamber be selected and stated that a meetnig for this purpose would be called in the near future. Mr. Heard pointed out very strikingly the necessity of cooperation to the success of the organization and the ultimate building up of the town and community.

Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church, was asked to speak and he responded with a talk that was splendid indeed. Bro. Ezell although a very able and efficient preacher, knows something about how

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT
of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

Total Resources—One Half Million Dollars.

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MAPLESVILLE DOTS

Editor Union-Banner:

Will yo allow me space in the dear old Banner to let you hear from Maplesville once more? We haven't seen anyhting in the paper from here in a long time, but we all are still alive and progressing nicely.

Our high school will be completed Tuesday, January 29th, which makes the people rejoice to know that their prayers have been answered, as we have all been praying to see our new school completed.

Mr. T. R. Williams is having a cafe built, from which we hope he has much success.

Mr. Ranger of Tennessee has a cafe in the Mitchell store by the barber shop.

Mr. Oliver Culp of Burnsville has put in a printing shop near the post office, which we are very proud of.

Dr. C. N. Parnell has his old store remodeled for a hospital, where he intends to perform minor operations.

Mr. F. H. Brown is doing good business in his new store, which we are glad to know.

Mr. J. C. Merchant has sold his store and home to Mr. Clint Cobern and has moved to Centerville. We are very sorry to see him and his wife leave as they had been here so long. But we are hoping for Mr. Cobern much success.

Mr. Bert Coleman and wife of Birmingham have returned home to work with his father, Mr. G. C. Coleman.

Mrs. J. J. Hicks of Lawley spent the week end with her daughter Mrs. Ed Smitherman.

Mrs. P. C. Pullian and children spent Saturday night in Brent with her friends up there.

Mrs. Charlie Jeffcoat has returned home after a few weeks visit.

Mr. Pervis Hicks of Lawley spent the week end with Mr. Cleveland McGee.

Miss Lorene Sewell of Montgomery is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sewell.

Miss Elva Seals spent Saturday night with Miss Stella McGee.

Miss Malnie Ratliff dined with Miss Alma Sexton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seals.

Mrs. Wheeler Walker, Mrs. Brady McAfee and Mrs. R. R. Seals were entertained by Mrs. Homer Sewell Sunday.

Misses Altie and Luck Walker and Mrs. Sam Shoults of Shoults were visiting here Sunday p.m.

Messrs. Monroe Ramsey and Paul Cobern, Misses Annie Spivey, Mary Belle Cass and Thelma Right motored to Tyler to the B. Y. P. U. social.

Mrs. Aubrey Shanks and Mrs. John Foshee were delightfully entertained by Mrs. H. M. Nix Sunday p.m.

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BETHANY NEWS

We are very glad indeed to state thta health of this community is good at present, of course it isn't perfect.

Guess the farmers are glad to see this cold weather. Perhaps it will kill some of the boll weevils and there will be a better cottor crop made this year.

Rev. B. F. Dykes of Birmingham was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dykes Tuesday night and Wednesday, and we are sorry to state that on returning home he was taken with appendicitis. He is in the hospital now and is seriously sick. But we wish him a speedy recovery and the best of health.

Miss Mary Gray spent Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. Willie Dykes.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jacks and little son, Wesley, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray and family Wednesday night.

Miss Verbie Gray was the honorable guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Gray Sunday.

Mr. C. C. Gray and daughter, Vesta, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gray motored to Burnsville Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Dykes visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray and family Sunday.

On account of the illness of Rev. B. T. Dykes, Mr. Willie Dykes was called to Birmingham Saturday afternoon for several days.

Messrs. Russell and Clarence Gray visited Mrs. Willie Dykes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone and little daughters, Louise and Louvern visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray and family Sunday.

Misses Verbie and Mary Gray visited Mrs. Tommie Gray a short while Sunday p.m.

Mrs. Willie Dykes visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray and family Sunday night.

Mrs. Mary E. Summerlin of Burnsville has moved with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Gray to make it her future home.

Sunday afternoon was our regular singing evening at Bethany. We had a good singing and a good attendance and everybody is invited to come any time they will. We will be glad to have you.

Mrs. C. C. Gray and little daughter, Esther, visited Mrs. A. Z. Gray Sunday.

BETHSALEM

Cheer up, all you people who have been worrying about Bethsalem. We are still kicking but not very high.

Some folks always say they haven't anything. Thank Goodness, we have somethnig down our way—mudholes. If you doubt our word, ask Mr. Bookholdt.

The Misses Dennis were gests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Sunday for lunch. After lunch they, together with Misses Eunice and Mary Francis Boyd and Mr. Carl Boockholdt motored to Bethany to a singing.

We are glad to say Mrs. Docie Vinson who has been ill is rapidly improving.

The Bethsalem School has an honor roll for the fifth grade, who had a perfect lesson for three days in succession. Those in the honor roll for last week are as follows: Arnold Pierce, Grady Friday, Mary Francis Boyd, Eunice Vinson, Mary Hill, Zethie Mims and Harvey Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dennis were guests of the Misses Dennis last Sunday week. They have boght a new car and since the roads were in such splendid condition they thought they would try it out.

ENTERPRISE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gray spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Mrs. Martha Vinson spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gray.

Misses Verbie and Vesta Gray spent a few happy hours with their aunt, Mrs. G. W. Gray Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. O. D. Bone and son, Willie, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone Wednesday night.

Mrs. Georgia Jones and daughter, Eunice, spent Thursday and Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Scott.

Miss Mary Gray was a welcome visitor to her sister, Mrs. W. D. Dykes, Thursday night.

Mrs. M. M. Gray visited her sister, Mrs. T. E. Gray Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Summerlin spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jacks.

Miss Mary Gray visited her sister, Mrs. A. W. Bone Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dennis of near Cooper Friday night.

Mrs. C. W. Gray and children spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Mr. W. D. Dykes was called to the bedside of his brother, Rev. B. F. Dykes of Birmingham Saturday afternoon, who is ill with appendicitis.

Mrs. W. D. Dykes spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Master Russel and Clarence Gray were the dinner guests of Mrs. W. D. Dykes Sunday.

Miss Verbie Gray spent Sunday with her sousin, Miss Mary Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone and little daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray Sunday.

Mr. Lee Gray spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gray.

Mrs. C. C. Gray and little daughter, Esther Dee, visited Mrs. A. J. Gray and family Sunday.

Misses Verbie and Mary Gray spent a few happy hours with Mrs. T. E. Gray Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. D. Dykes spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gray Sunday night.

LIBERTY HILL

Health of this community is good except colds.

The choir met Sunday p.m. and practiced in the new Church song books.

Mr. Jim Whalan of Holt visited Mr. Ed. Culpepper last week.

Mr. Ed. Wood from Birmingham, Mr. R. E. L. Ward from Lomax, and Mr. R. W. Ward visited Mr. N. G. Ward Sunday.

Mrs. Goddard and Miss Olean Mims of Thorsby visited Mr. J. M. Mims Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Verbie D. Williams was the guest of Miss Delean Maddox Sunday.

Mr. Walker Vance of Birmingham visited relatives and friends here last Sunday.

Miss Meadie Sansom was the guest of Miss Francis Lowery Sunday.

Miss Lucile Lowery visited Mrs. D. W. Ward Wednesday night.

Miss Senara Culp visited Miss Delean Maddox Saturday p.m.

Mrs. Dolphus Baker visited Mrs. Comodore Messer Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Jim Dunlap of Birmingham visited his father, Mr. W. D. Dunlap Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams visited Mr. J. W. Chambers Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Foshee of Thorsby visited relatives here Sunday.

Next Sunday p.m. is our regular singing evening. Every one has a special invitation to come.

HAMPTON NEWS

Mrs. W. F. Parson and family have moved. We are all lonesome without them and Mr. K. D. Scott's folks; especially one little girlie near Hampton.

Mrs. O. H. Driver, Mrs. R. Jones, Miss Ida Scott, and Mr. W. F. Patterson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howell Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Scott was the guest of Mrs. S. E. Howell Tuesday afternoon.

The young folks of this community attended the "Womanless Wedding" at White City Friday night, Jan. 25. All reported a nice time.

Miss Laura Howell spent Friday night with her friend, Miss Emma Deane Ellington.

Golden Ridge, we will be glad to have you any time you should care to visit us. We will show you, if possible, that we love you all, and that we want you to come.

Says a Sheik Is An Arab Chief

Jemison, Ala., Jan. 25, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

The word shiek that you asked about means "Arab Chief."

Respectfully,
(Miss) FRANLEIN COBB,
Jemison High School,

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
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Colored Training School for Chilton

Another link in the educational chain of Chilton county was forged Friday, January 25th, when the Co. Board of Education favorably considered the plea of the principal of the Center Point Colored School and others who were interested, and voted unanimously for the immediate building of a county training school. Thus with one stroke of the pen two small schools were consolidated and the big new school was created. The training school will be built near midway between the Center Point and Barbour Schools, which were consolidated.

This great and noble action on the part of the County Superintendent, Howard L. Foshee and the County Board of Education, is in line with the new sentiment and kindly feeling everywhere demonstrated in the South, when the southern white people have an oportunity to show to the world that they are really and truly friends to the colored people. Besides this, we have more tangible and concrete proof of generous and liberal qualities of our white people, Messrs. Walter and Pate Popwell, who have each given one hundred dollars toward our building fund. Others have and will give more. Our committee will be around to see you and everyone who is interested in negro schools will have a chance to give.

Mrs. W. D. Dykes spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Schools of this type will do much to satisfy the colored peoples' educational and industrial needs. They will produce an efficient and agriculturally trained head, heart and hands who will stay, and this will in a large measure answer the great question why Ed Knight and A. Holyfield, col., gave valuable asistance in bringing about the consolidation of the said two schools.

The principal and the colored Board of Trustees take this method to thank County Superintendent Howard L. Foshee and the County Board of Education for their loyal and hearty co-operation, and the unselfish service and liberal cash gifts from Messrs Popwell and Popwell, Kemp, Mullins and others.

We shall keep the public informed about our progress from time to time through the colmns of the conty paper.

Respectfily,
Gus Gordon, Archie Hall and Ben Brown, Trustees.
R. A. TYSON, Principal.

Uncle Dock to Preach

Uncle Dock Wells asks us to announce that he will preach at Jackson's Chapel next Sunday at 11:00 o'clock and at the county Poor House in the afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. He invites everyone who can to come out to these places and hear him.

F. A. Ellison Gets His Hand Hurt

Mr. F. A. Ellison, who lives just a short distance north of town, was in our office this week and explained to us how he happened to the bad accident of getting his hand mashed up last week.

On Monday of last week Mr. Ellison was sawing wood with a cut-off saw pulled by a gasoline engine. After finishing his work he went to the engine and cut off the gas, but as an engine of this kind has a big heavy fly-wheel, the engine kept running some time after the gas was cut off. Mr. Ellison had on gloves, so some how or other he got the glove on his right hand caught in the cog wheels that run the governor on the engine and of course that pulled his hand on into the cogs. Seeing that his whole hand would be drawn into the cogs, Mr. Ellison gave a strong jerk and pulled off the fore-finger on his right hand, leaving it in the cogs. In the accident all the fingers on his right hand were badly mashed and bruised up, most of the flesh being torn from the bone of his thumb and one other finger.

Mr. Ellison was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital where his hand was operated on and dressed. He remained in the hosptial until the next day.

Mr. Ellison asks us to publicly thank Mr. Ed Bruce for his kind assistance in bringing him to the hospital, and all other of his neighbors who have administered aid to him since he was the victim of this sad accident.

Uncle Tom Brings Chautauqua Here

The colored people of Clanton as well as all white people who wanted to go were treated with quite a unique and attractive entertainment at the Friendship Colored Baptist church in West End last Friday night. Uncle Tom Powell's Negro Chautauqua was there and put on a program. There were present at this occasion nearly a house full of negroes and some half a dozen white people. The entertainment consisted of singing and lecturing. Uncle Tom lectured and illustrated his points with stereopticon views, which proved to be real entertaining as well as instructive. The lecture dealt principally with the educational, civil and moral advancement of the colored race, and some very strong points were made in this direction. Uncle Tom's Chautauqua is doing a great work for the negro race and it was lucky that the colored people of Clanton succeeded in getting him to put on his program here.

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D. D. Easterling, Prop.

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4 at Clanton on Jan. 21 to Feb. 2, inc've, 1924
Precinct No. 14 at Macedonia February 4, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Mars Hill on February 5, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Providence on February 6, 1924.
Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

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Announcement

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ANSWER TO JOHN S. DENNIS' LETTER OF LAST WEEK

Mr. John S. Dennis, Clanton, Ala:

In reply to your letter which was printed in The Union-Banner under date of January 24th, we will attempt to the best of our ability and information to answer the questions which you requested us to. In the first place, as we understand your letter, there are about three things which you desire to know. One of these is "Who is it that is behind these political persecutions in an effort to turn Reynolds out of office after he has been honestly elected by the people." and further you ask us to publish the names and business and post office address of each and every one of them.

We agree with you Mr. Dennis, that in every just and righteous cause the public is entitled to know the facts. If the contest case is a just and righteous cause and if it is endorsed by the Democratic party of Chilton County, then the instigators and proponents of the case, whose names we print below, cannot feel personally offended but they should feel honored as being behind the contest. And they should feel grateful for the public to know that they are behind the contest case. In some aspects of your letter, Mr. Dennis, your questions are rather hard to answer, but feeling it our duty to give news to the public and to serve the people of this good county, we have investigated to the best of our ability and have discussed the matter with impartiality and are now prepared to furnish you the list you request. We will say in justice to the names printed below that if any of these men are not behind the contest and are not in favor of the methods that are being used against Reynolds, then if such gentlemen will come to us we will gladly retract their names and publish an explanation of the same in the next issue of this paper. Of course we have omitted some names of Democrats who are behind this contest, but we presume, Mr. Dennis, that you wanted to know some of the most conspicuous. But if such men whom we have omitted will come to us and tell us that they are behind the contest against Judge Reynolds then we will also print their names next week in as prominent a place as we have these.

The list which we have to furnish is as follows: J. H. Gulledge and W. A. Gulledge, both merchants of Verbena, Alabama, H. B. Oliver, banker of Verbena, Ala., T. J. Allen and Hardy Allen of Cooper, Ala., John M. Robinson, lumberman, G. C. Armstrong, merchant, Dr. Arthur Johnson, medical doctor, Dr. N. S. Johnson, medical doctor and director in the Peoples Savings Bank, J. Hance Alred, druggist and director in the Peoples Savings Bank, T. H. Neighbors, druggist, T. C. McSwain, lumberman, O. O. Roper, all of Clanton, Ala., and W. T. Hand, Jemison, Ala.

You also requested of us, Mr. Dennis, to publish the sworn statements of the Democratic candidates in the last election and what they included in the statements. As you are probably aware, the law requires candidates within five days after the announcement of his candidacy, to file with the Judge of Probate of Chilton County the name of the person or persons selected to receive and disburse all moneys donated or subscribed. The law further requires such person or persons designated by such candidate to file statements giving an itemized form including names, items and detail amounts covering all expenditures made directly or indirectly, including the names of all contributors of amounts in excess of $10 with amount given by each and a list of all the contributions made. It further provides that said statement should be filed in the office of the Judge of Probate not more than ten days nor less than five days prior to the election, and also a like statement should be filed within ten days after the day of the election. The law further provides that such information shall be submitted under oath of the candidate.

Our information in regard to this which is printed below was secured from the probate office of Chilton County, said statements being open for public inspection, and we find the results to be as follows:

C. D. Messer as nominee for the office of Probate Judge designated himself as a person to receive and disburse all moneys contributed and his sworn statement as to expenditures was, to Vernon Jones, car hire, and meals with various parties, $79.50, and his contributions were as we have stated, none over $10, and the total being $104.00. His sworn statement after the election was for expenditures to William Vance for taxi service, $8.00 and contributions $15. Thomas M. Parrish, nominee for the office of Circuit Clerk designated himself and his expenditures according to his statement $34.20 and no contributions. Mrs. C. N. Parnell, nominee for the office of member of County Board of Education designated herself as a person to receive and expend all money and her statement was, no expenditures had been made and no contributions. B. L. Jones, nominee for office of Sheriff designated himself to receive and disburse all moneys, and his expenditures were to Vernon Jones for hire of car, $72, same, $9 and no contributions. H. E. Robinson, nominee for the office of County Commissioner designated himself as a person to receive and disburse all moneys, and his statement as to expenditures were, Vernon Jones for taxi hire, $7, and no contributions. Mrs. Beverly Hester, nominee for the office of member of County Board of Education, her statement as to expenditures was none and contributions none. J. L. Johnson, designated himself as a person to receive and disburse all moneys, and his statement as to expenditures were, taxi hire, $20.00, contributions none. S. M. Adams, designated himself as a person to receive and disburse all moneys, and his statement as to contributions were $8.70 by S. M. Adams and expenditures were, railroad fare $5.20, hotel bill $3.50, stamps and postage, 24c, making a total of $8.94. Will B. Clements, nominee for office of County Commissioner, designated himself as a person to receive and disburse all moneys, and his statements were, expenditures none, contributions none.

Now, Mr. Dennis, this is the information which you requested, and by the simple process of addition it can be readily seen that the total expenditures of all the Democratic candidates in Chilton County was $238.54 and the total contributions was $119. These are the amounts that the several candidates have filed under their oaths in the office of the Probate Judge, in which it is further stated that not a single contribution of over $10 was made to any candidate.

For your information, Mr. Dennis, and for that of the public, we will ask the Chilton County News to tell us if it is not a fact that the State Democratic Committee donated about $1,000 toward the campaign in this county and that if your Mr. W. B. Corley was not promised the $1,000 and if another party in Clanton did not get the money. We would also like for them to tell us if Mr. Lamar Jeffers, congressman from our district, donated any money to the Democratic party in Chilton County, and if so how much.

Does it seem reasonable that a campaign was carried on of the several Democratic candidates, and according to the sworn statements made by these cendidates only $119 was contributed to the entire campaign to all the candidates and only $238.14 was spent by all the candidates throughout the entire campaign. We would like to know what became of the donations made by several prominent Democrats in this county and also the other donations mentioned above. You know this is a very serious matter and the corrupt practice act is very stringent in this regard.

As to your other request concerning Howard L. Foshee, asking if he had not published letter after letter in the Chilton County News attacking Judge Reynolds and if it was not carried as paid political advertisements. As we remember, Mr. Foshee did print a series of letters as stated above, the cost of advertising of which is not reported in the statement sworn to by C. D. Messer. As to the letters that Mr. Foshee sent out attacking Judge Reynolds in the interest of Rev. Messer, you can also see from the above statement that the cost of the postage and stationery was not included in the expense account of C. D. Messer.

In conclusion, will say that we heartily agree with you that the search light of truth should always be turned upon any political party and upon the members of that party in all their political acts as they are seeking to represent and officiate for the people and the people are entitled to the information.

The Republican party of this county is banded together as never before; the members, men and women, are rallying to its cause and to its fights. It is a party of red-blooded and true men and women, and as long as it continues so and stands upon its high principles, Chilton county will continue to be Republican.

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AN OLD CORRESPONDENT

Quincey, Fla., Jan. 28, 1923.

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please publish a letter from an old correspondent, fromerly of Lawley, Ala., now living in Florida?

Several at Lawley and Shoults community asked me to write to The Union-Banner, as soon as we got moved. We have only been here a short time and had so much rain that we have been unable to see much of the country. But tobacco seems to be the main money crop here.

Quincey, Fla., is a very nice little town, always kept clean and brushed daily the paved streets and sidewalks. We do not know just how many inhabitants Quincey has. The roads here are almost perfect; convicts are kept on the roads all the time, keeping them in good condition. The road tax here is only $4.00 a year. We can't see why other places cannot have good roads as they do here.

There are several here from Chilton County and Bibb County. Mr. T. Holmes from Lawley, Ala., who is superintendent of a big saw mill here, fell last week and bruised his ankle. He has not been able to be out any since.

Mr. Milford Thompson of Shoults community is so home-sick for Chilton County; he says he is going back soon.

The ladies here have organized a sewing circle meeting which meets every Thursday afternoon, and it is a very pleasant meeting. A lot of fancy work is done, after which refreshments are served.

Almost every one here owns a car, all are large ones, very few Fords.

If this is printed I will write again. Wishing the people of Chilton County and the Union-Banner success.

MRS. W. P. HICKS.

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The spirit manifest in the meeting of the Clanton Chamber of Commerce held at the Exchange Hotel Tuesday night of this week is worthy of consideration by all of us. If we would spend more time and effort in trying to cooperate and build up our town and county instead of back-biting and knocking our fellow men we would get along a whole lot better and have a more peaceable and prosperous place to live in. Let's all push the Chamber of Commerce.

The Chilton County News attempts to shove off on the Republicans of Chilton county and The Union-Banner the charge that we are opposed to having a contest and eliminating all fraud from the ballot boxes of the county. We have never opposed an honest, straightforward contest, on the contrary, we believe that it would be a splendid thing for both parties since we believe there were illegal votes cast on both sides, and we believe that there has scarcely ever been an election when some illegal votes were not cast. What we have contended for is that the thing be gone at right and for everybody, both Republicans and Democrats, be treated fair. Just because Judge Reynolds is a Republican is no reason that he should be the recipient of all kinds of abuse and ill-treatment. As for the Republicans being ready for a contest, will say that their side of the matter has been sufficiently worked up and that we are ready for a thorough investigation of every voter the legality of whom there is any doubt. Yes, Brother News, we say now as we did in the outset, let her come, and while we are doing it let's do it up right.

Tutoring An Editor

Editor Corley of the Chilton County News a few weeks ago instituted a special campaign wherein he takes it upon himself to enlighten the "green" and "inexperienced" editor of The Union-Banner along the lines of running a newspaper. He accuses us of being "narrow" and "bigoted" and weighted down with the "yoke of prejudice and partisanism" and the Lord only knows what all else. However, The News is so interested in the welfare of The Union-Banner that it allows us the advantage of the fact that "When he grows older and widens his vision beyond the confines of Chilton county, he will be astonished to learn that in some localities at least people are looked upon as free and equal and have the inalienable rights of free speech, free thought and free action."

Yes, Brother Corley, using you as the criterion by which to judge people, the editor of The Union-Banner is narrow and bigoted in the superlative degree. We admit frankly that you are very able when it comes to showing your readers how a blue object looks red and how a mountain looks like a mole hill, and I am rather afraid the editor of The Union-Banner will never grow old enogh and broad enough to any ways approach your ability along this particular line. We hate to drop any discouragement in the path of your bright and promising ideals of bringing the editor of The Union-Banner out from the depths of "diabolical sacrilege and damnable affontery" and elevate us up to your ideal of a "better and a higher plane of living," but we are afraid Brother Corley, that we are a hopeless case. We have been administered the same old medicine which you prescribe all our life, and the more of it that is brought to our sight the sicker we get. Since you are so sincere in trying to "enlighten" us and cause us to know right from wrong, it pains us sorely to tell you that your treatment is not doing us any good, but we are forced to break the news to you any way.

Yes, Brother Corley, we agree with you that we all should strive to build up our government and try to make the country a better and more decent place to live in, but we can't see that turning it over into the hands of the Democratic party will be any advance step toward this end. If the Democratic party were over in Europe or away off somewhere else, you might "enlighten" us and cause us to believe your vain assertions that she is clean and pure and free from any "scintilla of corruption," but your party is in power all around us and has in the past had control of the affairs of our own county; so we are perfectly familiar with the workings of your lilly-white Democratic party.

BUSINESS IS PROMISING

Criticising Republicans

Last week's Chilton County News consumed about half of its front page in lambasting the "imaginary minded" editor of The Union-Banner, giving us "Hail Columbia" for charging that the promoters of the election contest have transformed the affair into a "persecution" against Judge Reynolds. They begin with the argument that we were obscure in our assertions against the methods that have been resorted to in leading up to the contest over the probate judgeship of Chilton County. We do not exactly understand what they refer to when they say that we do not make ourselves plain in infering that certain unfair methods have been resorted to, and they ask us to explain what kind of "fraud" we know of that has been practiced. It seems to us that our editorial to which they refer is absolutely open and everything refered to is fully explained.

Yes, indeed, we do say that Reynolds has not been treated any ways right in the methods that some of the promoters of the contest have used against him. The methods that we refer to are the actions of Mr. Hand in persistently talking about Judge Reynolds to his back and charging that he and all the folks who were on his side were crooks and thieves, also the fact that he went into the probate office while Judge Reynolds was absent and said things to the lady stenographers that were not at all becoming. The way in which Mr. J. F. Thompson virtually made the girls out as grossly misstating the facts is another method that we don't endorse at all. According to the affidavit of Mr. A. J. Jones, Mr. Thompson stated in substance that he did not blame Judge Reynolds for his action in slapping Tom Hand, and in his own affidavit published in the Chilton County News Mr. Thompson says that Mr. Hand did nothing at all that was unbecoming, which is to say that Judge Reynolds had no cause to slap him. These contradictory statements are another method that we don't approve of. And if you will read the editorial again which we published on January 17th you will see that these "methods" are brought out very clearly. We referred to nothing which we left unexplained.

What The News is doing now and has been doing all the while is to try to make the public believe that the Republicans carried on something rotten in the last election and that we do not want it to be brought out in a contest. This is not the case, and when the contest is over, we are sure that this phenomenal nightmare which The News is possessed of which causes it to see all kinds of corruption and crooked manipulations by Republicans in the last election, will prove to be more of a dream than a reality. Of course we don't say now and never have said that none voted for Reynolds who were not qualified, because we feel sure that there were some such votes cast. We don't say now and never have said that we were opposed to an honest, straight-forward thrashing out of the illegal votes cast in the last election, and we are not opposed to it. But we do oppose a contest being turned into a persecution as this one seems to have been done. We believe that the whole thing was originated and has been pursued more for the purpose of harassing and humiliating Judge Reynolds than for the purpose of cleaning out the ballot boxes. Now, Brother Corley, you may clip out thi paragraph and pin it in your little day book for future reference. It may probably be of interest to you in days to come.

The way in which Mr. Corley refers to "the other Republican officers of Chilton County" is a shrewd little piece of trickery indeed. He figures that he has got us sewed up at both ends on this proposition, and we will say that to people who are not acquainted with conditions it does look like his intentions are good and that he is fair to those who oppose him politically the same as to those who are in line with him. But upon careful investigation to this little appeal to "unselfishness" you will find that although apparently in good faith and absolutely harmless, the thing is loaded with nitro-glycerine at both ends and all that it takes to explode it is to just touch it off. Now, let's see if this is not true.

Speaking in regard to Mr. Rockett, Mr. Pate, Mr. Mims and Mr. Littlejohn, The News says: "We do not for one moment doubt that they are good Republicans, in the Judge's eyes, that some of them are violent partisans of his, but the fact that they can move in harmony with their fellow men in the midst of the turmoil that constantly exists between the Judge and his few enemies is something for thought." In the next two paragraphs Mr. Corley takes up the names of Mr. Howard L. Foshee and Mr. J. B. Atkinson, and very unselfishly praises them for the work they have done for the Republican party and for Chilton County and Clanton. Now, here is where the thing is loaded: On the one hand they are commending all the Republican officials in the court house except Judge Reynolds. Why? Not for the purpose of edifying the other officials but for the purpose of humiliating Reynolds. Then why do they give a whole paragraph each to praising the works of Howard L. Foshee and J. B. Atkinson? Now, this is what The News has been trying to get to all the time, and they used the names of the other Republican officials at the court house only to give color to this argument. The News knows that Mr. Foshee and Mr. Atkinson are out of line with the Republican organizations of the county, state and nation, and it also knows that these men used their whole influence to defeat the Republican ticket in the last election and that they are still out of line with the Republican party. So it was for the purpose of knocking Judge Reynolds, who is and has always been a true Republican, and at the same time to edify and praise Howard L. Foshee and J. B. Atkinson, who for the past few years have worked against the Republican party and in favor of the Democrats, that the names of the other county officers were brought into the argument. Yes, Brother Corley, this trick was a slick one, but when it is analyzed, it is the same old stuff that you always try to pull, namely deception.

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How They Pass It

How high surtaxes are passed on by men of wealth in the shape of high prices to the consumer is convincingly shown by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon in reply to one of the critics of the Mellon tax reduction program. In 1913, before the days of the surtax, if a man wished to receive 8 per cent net return on a $100,000 investment in an apartment building, he would adjust his rents so as to give him net $8,000 a year. Today the same apartment building would cost $200,000, and to provide enough for surtaxes and an 8 per cent return, the investor would require $38,000 in annual rentals. But Mr. Mellon points out that he would also wish to amortize the abnormal cost of building, and would probably demand net rents of about $48,000. "We have," says Secretary Mellon, "either the failure to make investment because of the unlikelihood of adequate return or a gouging of the tenants."

In the case cited, the man of wealth has suffered no loss in his net income, but his tenant is compelled to pay six times as much for exactly the same accommodations now as in 1913. Part of the increase represents interest on the larger investment, presumably compensated by a corresponding increase in the wages or other income of the tenant, but most of the additional rent must be charged to surtaxes and is a complete loss to the tenant.

If the man who desires to invest in new housing properties dislikes the "gouging" of tenants, he can put his money into tax exempt bonds and wait for a lowering of the surtax rates before building. But by his very inaction he is contributing to high rents, because there is a big shortage in the housing supply and there will be a tendency toward high rents until the supply approximately equals the demand. Any way you look at it, the inflated rent schedules with which our cities and towns are afflicted are due more to unjust surtaxes than to any other single cause.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Powell and daughter, Kathleen, returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Mobile.

Children's coughs often become dangerous when neglected. Give Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey at once. It contains just the medicines your doctor prescribes to break up a cough, combined with the good old-time remedy—pine-tar honey. It loosens hard-packed phlegm, stops coughing and reduces inflammation. Children love the taste.

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The Panamaneuvers

Seldom has the Navy been engaged in a more instructive task than the maneuvers in the vicinity of the Panama Canal. The action is instructive not only to the Navy itself, but is highly educational to citizens generally. The Canal is so far removed from the center of our activities that it is easy to minimize its importance to our national life. As a matter of fact, there is no piece of American territory so necessary to defend as the Canal Zone. Destruction or capture of the Canal by an enemy means the paralyzing of a part or all of our fleet, with consequent easy capture of coast cities and successful inland raiding expeditions. The maneuvers have remonstrated that the Canal must be possessed of the means of defending itself, rather than compelled to call the fleet away from other duties. If Congress and the country can be convinced of that fact a great object will have been achieved.

Purely Unofficial

The White House has again made it plain that the United States is not directly or indirectly responsible for anything that Gen. Dawes may do or say. This country is not paying a dollar toward the expenses of the American delegates to the reparations meeting, and is making no suggestions whatever as to their course of action. This does not mean that the administration will not follow the proceedings at Paris with interest. Inasmuch as Secretary Hughes is the originator of the plan that has been put into operation, he has more than a passing concern for its success. But that concern is purely unofficial, and will have no effect whatever on American international policy. The men are serving in response to invitations from European nations.

Move On!

While Philadelphia is driving out her vicious element, it will be well for the rest of the country to guard against an influx of the Quaker City exodus. The whole United States, particularly the cities, has been made the dumping ground of the undesirable who were driven out of Europe, and it will profit us little as a nation if we now drive them from city to city. Of course the vicious immigrants we have received are a very small part of the total, but it is much larger than it should have been. The vicious element that is now emigrating from Philadelphia is a small portion of the total pupulation, but it is large enough to be undesirable in any other city. Life must be made miserable for people who try to live by dishonorable means in any city.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF GUARDIAN

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Cassie Thomas as guardian of Willie Mae Thomas and Matalie Thomas, minors, has filed her resignation of guardianship of the above named minors in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama and also vouchers, receipts and disbursements accompanying the same and that the same is set for hearing on Saturday, Feb. 2, 1924, at the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at which time all parties interested may appear and contest same if they desire.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-10-3tc Judge Of Probate.

Around the Bok Bier

Chicago Herald-Examiner. — For nine months American newspapers have been filled with the details of Edward W. Bok's effort to give $100,000 for an effective peace plan. Now the prize jury has made the award. . . But there is nothing in the scheme that is either original, valuable or practicable. Out of the mountains of publicity comes this $100,000 mouse!

Houston Post.—Now the 22,164 contestants for the Bok award declare the jury did not read their plans and they are threatening court action to compel a reopening of the contest. And, honestly, it looks to us as if the jury must not have read the unsuccessful plans. Surely all of them could not have been so mushy as No. 1469.

Hoquiam (Wash.) Washingtonian. —The approval by the committee making the award in the $100,000 peace plan of Edward W. Bok, which is being voted upon throughout the Nation, looks very much like our old friend—the League of Nations—dressed up in new clothes and otherwise camouflaged a bit to hide its real identity.

Cincinnati Enquirer.—The losers in the Bok peace price contest will fight the decision of the committee. Right here we have the fundamental reason why there can be no peace, international, domestic or individual, until human nature is revamped and made over.

Chicago Tribune.—The whole Bok scheme is a sham. It is an attempt by sophistry and polite demagogy to trick the American people into accepting measures that would presently fasten us inextricably in the League of Nations' system.

Easton (Pa.) Press.—A popular vote on the Bok plan would be a dangerous way of deciding our diplomatic actions, especially in so important a matter as anything likely to drag us into entangling alliances abroad.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—Blessed are the peace-makers; and still more blessed (materially speaking) is the bird who, sensing the sentiment of a well-packed jury, gets up a "winning plan."

Janesville (Wis.) Gazette.—After one reads the document, there is a feeling of deep regret that the author went to the morgue for his inspiration for the Bok prize peace plan.

Boston Transcript. — Efforts to make the jury in the Bok case read all the 22,000 manuscripts appears to be the latest endeavor to have the punishment fit the crime.

Auburn (N. Y.) Journal.—The press of the United States has not yet decided whether the author of the winning Bok peace plan should be crowned or assassinated.

Nashville Southern Lumberman.—Mr. Edward Bok ought to arrange to use Mexico as a laboratory to experiment with his world peace plans.

Providence Journal.—A prize is in order for the best method of subduing the row about the Bok peace prize.

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Buick Motor Co.
FLINT, MICH,

August 19, 1920.

Mr. C. H. Armstrong,
Birmingham, Ala.

Dear Sir:—In reply to your letter of August 16th, wish to advise that the mixture of Gasoline and Benzol would be alright for use in your motor. It would not be at all injurious to the car.

Respectfully, BUICK MOTOR CO.
P. R. Keating, Service Division.

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Local Distributors
CLANTON, ALA.

POOR OR

UNDERWOOD FORSAKES MASONIC TIES

Senator Abandons Masonic and Protestant Ideals to Obtain Support of Catholic "Wets" For President

Ryan, Murphy and Belmont--Catholics, Financed 1912 Campaign and Now

(Note: The following story by Hon. George Flemming Moore, for many years editor of the New Age Magazine, official organ of Southern Jurisdiction Scottish Rite Masons, to which office he was elected for life, and which he resigned to become editor-in-chief of the Fellowship Forum, today recognized as the greatest and most influential Masonic and fraternal paper in the world, tells its own story. Mr. Moore is probably the best known living Mason, and what he says is generally received by people everywhere as authoritative.)

Oscar W. Underwood, given the highest political office in the power of the people of Alabama (a seat in the United States Senate) by the patriotic Protestants of that state and given the highest honor that Masonry has to bestow (the thirty-third degree) has forsaken the ideals of Protestantism for Roman support and has repudiated the Militant Masonic principles of the founders of this country in a bid for Catholic votes.

The reason for this switch was that Senator Underwood coveted the Democratic nomination for the Presidency of the United States and believed that the support of the Roman Catholic church and the "wets" of the country would give him the nomination. Senator Underwood also decided that the votes of these evil forces, aided and abetted by the Jewish support, would be sufficient to land him the coveted White House prize.

Senator Underwood came out early with an official announcement of his candidacy for the Democratic nomination and got a long start on the big field of presidential aspirants of both major parties. He took his campaign to Texas, where he made his unfortunate bid for Roman Catholic support with a mild denunciation of "masked organizations." Although he did not mention the Ku Klux Klan, patriotic Protestants far and wide were quick to accept his challenge to Protestantism and the die was cast.

"Yellow Dog Days" Gone.

Undoubtedly Mr. Underwood thought that the "Solid South" would stand by him, regardless of his mild denunciation of the Klan. This thought was evidently brought about by Mr. Underwood's long political carreer and observation of elections over many years in all parts of the solid south, which in the past justifies the assertion: "Nominate a yellow dog on the Democratic ticket in the south and he's sure to be elected."

But "them days are gone forever." With the coming of the Ku Klux Klan, which has caused a wave of patriotism and Protestantism to sweep, not only the solid south, but the entire nation, patriots have awakened to the fact that only the best men must be elected to public office, and these same Protestants are voting for the best man in each race, regardless of his party affiliations.

The "yellow dog" days are over, so far as the nation as a whole is concerned. True there are certain exceptions, for instance New York City, where the support of Tammany Hall has been strong enough to elect many a "yellow dog" to high office. The same ward bossism, controlled by Catholics who had not been in this country long enough to speak English controlled politics in Chicago for many years, but the recent off year elections showed that the patriotic fever had invaded Catholic Chicago and that many candidates who drew the united opposition of the un-American forces were elected with big majorities.

Forum Writes Underwood.

Illinois and Ohio, long controlled by Roman bigoted politicians, also joined the patriotic ranks. Some parts of New York and even Catholic New Jersey elected patriotic Protestants to office over Catholics and Roman-endorsed Jews and "broad-minded" Protestants, who had the clerical support.

The Fellowship Forum did not give very much credence to the first newspaper reports of Mr. Underwood's denunciation of "masked organizations" and knowing that Catholic controlled papers had spread many such reports about other candidates in the past that later turned out to be false, it gave the Alabama Senator benefit of the doubt. But when "Our Sunday Visitor," a radical Jesuit weekly, printed the copies of a letter to Mr. Underwood, asking him about his ownership of a share of The Fellowship Forum's stock Mr. Underwood's reply in which he apologized to the Catholics and stated that he had forgotten his subscription The Fellowship Forum and George Fleming Moore, its editor-in-chief, then called Mr. Underwood's attention to the letters printed in the Roman weekly.

The Fellowship Forum informed Mr. Underwood that if his ownership of the share of stock had embarrassed him that it would be glad to buy back the share and relieve him of further embarrassment. Mr. Underwood, in his reply, admitted his animosity to the patriotic organization and returned his share of stock, money for which The Fellowship Forum gladly refunded.

Denounces Klan.

Judging from the mild denunciations carried in Mr. Underwood's campaign speeches, which even the editor of "Our Sunday Visitor" took the Senator to task for his failure to denounce the Klan by name, Mr. Underwood has evidently felt the reaction from his unpatriotic utterances and realizes that the Protestant fraternal support of the nation has been lost to him for his foolish utterances. At any rate the letter to Mr. Moore had the following paragraph, which shows that Mr. Underwood has at last realized that he has made his bed and now must lie in it, for he comes out stronger than ever against the Klan and calls it by name:

"At the time I subscribed to the stock I thought The Forum would be conducted entirely along fraternal lines, but the leaning of the paper toward the Ku Klux Klan does not meet with my approval."

Before Mr. Underwood made his speech in Houston, Tex., in which he denounced "masked organizations" and said that he was not a member of the Klan, he appeared on the political horizon as the strongest candidate that the Democratic party had to offer. It is strange what a few misguided words can do to the political fortunes of public men! One word can make a candidate or break him. Unfortunately the Alabama Senator chose the words that will break him.

Faces Home Opposition.

His unpatriotic utterances will not only defeat his fondest political hopes, but have already aroused the patriotic citizens of his home state to come out openly and repudiate him by selecting a candidate—L. B. Musgrove—who has the strong support of William Jennings Bryan, to run against Mr. Underwood in the state's preferential primary.

Leading political observers of Alabama declare that the patriotic support of the Protestants of that state will send the Alabama delegation to the Democratic convention instructed to vote against Underwood.

Mr. Underwood will have the combined opposition of Protestants, patriotic fraternalists, prohibitionists and strong body of patriotic, sober-thinking women voters of the country.

Mr. Underwood's record in the Senate shows that he voted for rum and against the Eighteenth Amendment and against woman suffrage.

The full text of the Catholic editor's letter to Mr. Underwood, his reply, and the correspondence of The Fellowship Forum with Mr. Underwood are printed below. The Catholic editor's letter follows:

Our Sunday Visitor.

Huntington, Ind.
November 5, 1923.

Hon. Oscar W. Underwood,
U. S. Senator from Alabama,
Washington, D. C.

Honorable and Dear Sir:

We have read the report of your speech at Houston, Tex. on October 27, wherein you are quoted as follows:

"When men have secret organizations for the purpose of governing they are striking at the very principles of government," tc.

We realize also what impressions are bound to be made on the minds of the people of the United States when it is seen that you have gone on record concerning such vital issues.

A correspondent has just pointed out to us that your name is included in the list of stockholders of "The Independent Publishing Company, 219 G Street N. W., Washington, D. C./ the company which issues the pro-Klan and rabidly anti-Catholic weekly known as "The Fellowship Forum." List of stockholders is published in the October 20, 1923, issue of this paper one George Fleming Moore being editor thereof.

Possibly this is a mistake, inasmuch as this "Forum" previously informed its readers that the late President Harding and Gen. Pershing had endorsed it. Inquiries made brought the prompt reply from both that neither had done so, the President informing this Mr. Moore that he should at once discontinue using his name.

Realizing that you possibly may not know the character of the sheet published by this "Independent Publishing Company," in which you are said to own stock, we are enclosing herewith a few clippings from "Our Sunday Visitor," which show just what are the tactics resorted to by this "Forum" in libeling the Catholic church. This paper was one of the anti-Catholic sheets which originated the story that the late President Harding had likely been poisoned by Catholics.

Surely you cannot endorse the career which "The Fellowshop Forum" is pursuing, and you must realize that it is reflecting nothing but harm to the Masonic order, the representative of which it has claimed to be at the national capital. * * *

We would appreciate a personal reply from you concerning this alleged connection of yourself, as a stockholder, with "The Independent Publishing Company" of Washington. D. C., which issues this "Fellowship Forum."

Very truly and sincerely yours
ROBERT R. HULL,
Associate Editor.

Mr. Underwood's reply to the above letter follows:

United States Senate,
Conference of the Minority.

Tate Springs Tenn.,
November 17, 1923.

Mr. Robert R. Hull.
Huntington, Ind.

My Dear Mr. Hull:

I am in receipt of your letter of the 5th instant with enclosures.

First let me say that my speech at Houston, Tex., and also my speech at Boston, Mass., was intended to express a firm conviction on my part that the guarantees of the Constitution of the United States should be maintained and enforced. That the principles set forth in the first 10 amendments to the amendments to the Constitution known as the Bill of Rights should be recognized by our government and our people alike as the fundamental and living principles of our Constitution. That no citizen of the United States should be challenged in his citizenship or the privileges he may derive therefrom by reason of the place of his birth or his religious belief. That no man should be punished for crime unless he has the opportunity of a fair trial before a court of justic organized by the law of the land. That the personal liberty of every citizen of the United States should be questioned by no person, society, or organization, but only by the courts of the land when he is charged with violating the laws of his country.

In my Houston speech and also in my Boston speech I did not mention any organization, but the newspapers have construed my speeches to be an attack on the Ku Klux Klan. I intended them to apply it to the Ku Klux Klan and all other organizations that challenge in any way the integrity of the principles set forth in the Bill of Rights.

As to my owning stock in "The Fellowship Forum," or its publisher "The Independent Publishing Company," the facts are these: I am a member of the Masonic order, and have been since I was a boy. Some years ago some of my brother Masons in Washington came to me and stated that they were going to organize and publish a Masonic paper to give the fraternal news of the order. I did not understand that this paper would be anti-Catholic, pro-Klan, or a paper organized to proclaim religious belief of any kind. My understanding was that it was solely a fraternal paper to convey the news of the Masonic order. I subscribed to one share of stock, $100, really intended as a gift to those who were starting the paper and really had forgotten entirely that I had done so or that I was the owner of a share of stock until it was called to my attention after my Houston speech. I have no control over the paper whatever and no interest in it other than what I have stated above.

Yours very sincerely,
O. W. UNDERWOOD

The Forum's letter to Mr. Underwood follows:

The Fellowship Forum,

Washington, D. C.,
December 20, 1923.

Hon. Oscar W. Underwood,
Senate Office Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Brother Underwood:

Some of my Masonic brethren have called to my attention a letter printed in "Our Sunday Visitor," a Roman Catholic publication, purporting to have been written by you to Mr. Robert R. Hull, associate editor.

In this letter you refer to your connection with The Fellowship Forum as a stockholder and endeavor to explain this connection by stating that your subscription to stock in the Independent Publishnig Company was intended merely as a gift, and that you had really forgotten that you owned one share.

The whole tone of this part of your letter to Mr. Hull is so apologetic that I am led to believe that you are embarrassed on account of this connection.

When The Fellowship Forum was launched your name naturally presented itself to me and my associates in this enterprise as an outstanding figure in Masonic and civil life who would take an interest in promoting the cause of fraternal Americanism. Your subscription to stock confirmed me in this belief.

I will appreciate a letter from you advising me if the letter to "Our Sunday Visitor" referred to it a true copy of a letter written by you, and if it clearly expresses your attitude with regard to your holding stock in the Independent Publishing Company.

If your reply is in the affirmative, I will be only too glad to take up your share of stock and relieve you of such source of embarrassment in your political ambitions.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,
GEORGE F. MOORE.

Judge Moore's letter follows:

The Fellowship Forum,

Washington, D. C.,
December 21, 1923.

Honorable Oscar W. Underwood,
Office, Capitol of the U. S.,
Washington, D. C.

The letter sent you herewith is the result of a conference with my associates in the publication of The Fellowship Forum. My admiration for you and my personal friendship for you, which have lasted through many years, prompts me to write this additional personal letter.

My friends in Alabama have claimed for me that it was largely due to my zealous aid in your latest campaign for Senator that you now occupy a seat in the Senate of the United States.

I have not made (nor do I make) any such claim. I mention the matter simply to remind you that in the past I have never hesitated to do all I could to further your advencement in any way possible.

But, if the statements said to have emanated from you in your published speeches made recently in Dallas, Tex., and Boston, Mass., are correctly printed, and if your recent letter about The Fellowship Forum, printed in the paper (Our Sunday Visitor), represent your views correctly, I find myself at the parting of the ways.

I have just returned from Alabama and the South, where my friends asked me about your views as expressed in your speeches. I have always replied, "Until I know that Senator Underwood has been correctly reported, I cannot say anything. I have been his friend and supporter for many years, and I am not willing to accept newspaper reports of his opinion."

On this basis, I write to ask you to please read the following and write me (not for publication in The Fellowship Forum unless you desire it), an answer.

1. I wrote, and it was published under my name in the Scottish Rite Herald, of Dallas, Tex., an article in which I said as clearly as I could that The Fellowship Forum would be a newspaper; that it would not be under the control of any society or order of men; that it would be controlled only by the board of directors of the Independent Publishing Company, who own and publish it, and is a regularly incorporated body under the laws.

2. The Fellowship Forum is, I repeat, a weekly newspaper. It is owned and published by the Independent Publishing Co. It is devoted first to printing the news (if it learns that such news is true), especially such news as is of interest to the people of the United States who love their country—who desire to see American ideals and institutions maintained as they are now described in the Constitution of the United States, and the laws passed by Congress, as well, as in the Constitution of the United States and the laws adopted by the states in accordance with their respective constitutions. It particularly desires to print the news of the activities and doings of the different fraternal and patriotic societies of the various states or sections of the United States.

3. The policy of The Fellowship Forum is to advocate, what seems to those who conduct it, the true American democracy (or representative republicanism), without domination of our people, or any of them, in their conduct towards our federal or state government. Our paper is controlled by men who are members of Protestant Christian churches, but religious freedom is the birthright of every American citizen. It is only when it appears that there is an ecclesiastical power attempting to usurp the functions of our civil government that we oppose any such society or so-called religious or ecclesiastical power.

Now, Senator, your declarations in speeches and through your letter to the Roman newspaper, "Our Sunday Visitor," have led me to believe that you are not in accord with the views I have tried to hastily outline in this letter.

If my belief is well founded there is nothing left for your friend, who writes this letter, than to say to you frankly and candidly that I am not in accord with your views, and cannot support you further nor advise my friends to support you in your future candidacy for office.

Please permit me to say, however, that I deeply regret this conclusion to which I feel compelled, coming from one who was your political, personal and fraternal friend, and that my admiration for you and your past services to your country has not abated.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,
GEORGE F. MOORE.
Pres. Independent Publishing Co.

Mr. Underwood's letter to Judge Moore follows:

United States Senate,

Washington, D. C.
December 26, 1923.

Mr. George F. Moore,
919 G Street N. W.
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Mr. Moore:

I received your letter of the 21st instant today in regard to my attitude as a shareholder in The Fellowship Forum.

When I subscribed to the share of stock, although I did not say so to you at the time, it was entirely due to my kindly feeling for you. I did not, of course, expect to get any return from the stock, and regarded it in my own mind as a gift. So much so that I am enclosing the certificate of stock that I hold, endorsed in blank, and will be glad to have you transfer it out of my name.

At the time that I subscribed to the stock I thought The Forum would be conducted entirely along fraternal lines, but the leaning of the paper toward the Ku Klux Klan does not meet with my approval. You and I have many times discussed this matter, and I am sure that you have always understood my attitude in regard to the great principles of the Masonic order, which I have always taken to be the bulwark of personal liberty and religious freedom.

In regard to my speech at Houston, and those at other places, there was nothing new or different in them from the speeches I made in Alabama, nor from one that I once made at a Masonic gathering at which you were present.

I am sure that you must recall that the last time you visited me at the Capitol you did so to explain to me that you expected to change the attitude of your paper from the policy it had pursued theretofore, and it is that change that has brought about the political difference that exists between us.

I regret, of course, that you withdraw your political support, but I want to assure you that I recognize fully your right to do so, and that it does not affect my personal kindly feeling for you.

Sincerely yours,
O. W. UNDERWOOD.

Judge Moore's reply to Mr. Underwood follows:

The Fellowship Forum,

Washington, D. C.,
January 5, 1924.

Hon. Oscar W. Underwood,
Senate Office Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Underwood:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 26, in which you return your certificate of stock in The Independent Publishing Company.

We are therefore refunding you the purchase price for same.

Enclosed find check for $100.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE F. MOORE.

ONE CATHOLIC ALONE GAVE UNDERWOOD $35,000 IN 1912

Ryan And Other Catholics Financing 1924 Campaign, Says Collier's Weekly.

(From Collier's Weekly, for Nov. 3, 1923.)

* * * Underwood's manager is Forney Johnston, a lawyer of Birmingham and Washington. Johnston is general counsel for the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, which explains his two habitats. He knows his South, and is supposed to have direct connections with New York financial leaders. Thomas Fortune Ryan, of Lynchburg, Va., and New York, tobacco and banking king, is supposed to be one of the financiers back of Underwood, whose appeal for support in the convention is to his fellow Democrats of the South and his fellow conservatives of the Democratic party in the East. Underwood's publicity, the first sheets of which were sent out recently from Birmingham, is in the hands of C. B. Huntress, a Washington publicity expert.

The Virginia delegation will nominally be for Senator Glass, but through Carlin, Scott and Ryan an effort is being made to pick delegates who will go to Underwood when Glass has been shown that he can not win. Through Mr. Ryan's and Mr. Johnston's New York connections, other helpers will be found to endeavor to get delegates for Underwood in the rich fields of the East.

The Underwood people are making a plain bid for the conservative support of the East **with the wets thrown in. Underwood, of course, has said nothing on the liquor question,** but his boosters are passing the word out among the Eastern States that the wets should support him because of his wet record. He opposed both the Eighteenth Amendment and also the Volstead Act. He has friends among Eastern financiers and manufacturers. His attitude throughout his national career has been friendly to business and property. Since the announcement of his candidacy, approval has come widely from such sources.

The Underwood scheme is to sit tight with the 200-odd delegates from the South, let McAdoo people clamor and shout, and as time goes on pick up one delegate after another from the Eastern states, finally getting the big block of 90 from New York when Smith has had his run. The East is opposed to McAdoo. To the extent that business is reflected in a Democratic national convention, that interest also opposes McAdoo, because business and bankers considered him hostile to them when he was in office.

(Charlotte, N. C. Herald)

Then his Wall Street friendship, his bourbon spirit, his stand on prohibition, and his boastful and boasted part in the enactment of the infamous Cummings-Esch railroad law, present an insurmountable obstacle to his presidential aspirations.

OBSTACLE

The Underwood leadership is ample reason for his removal. As the minority leader of the Senate Mr. Underwood has been a complete 100 per cent failure. Thanks to Mr. Underwood, the Democrats of the Senate are without a policy, without a program," without a purpose.—New York World, December 15, 1921.

(Paid Political Advertisement by Musgrove Campaign Committee, 412-416 North, 21st Street, Birmingham, Alabama.)

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BETHSALEM

As we haven't seen any news from this place in quite a while, we will drop in a few lines this cold morning.

Health of this community is very good at present, except Mrs. Doshie Vinson, who has been on the sick list for quite a while, but we hope she will soon recover.

Miss Mae Bowles spent Saturday night with her friend, Miss Alta Bell Vinson.

Mr. C. L. Wilkins and family spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Rilley Askins near Clanton.

Miss Alice Johnson spent last Wednesday night with her friend, Miss Josephine Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wilkins spent Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. Litt Cox.

Miss Jessie Mae Pierce spent Sunday with Miss Alta Bell Vinson and reported a nice time of course.

Messrs. Leon Brigance, Alvin Billingsley and Carl Boockholdt, Misses Mollie and Mattie Dennis, Dollie Pierce and Miss Mary were the guests of Misses Josephine and Alta Belle Vinson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fannie Pierce and son, Earnest, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Miss Agnes Askins was the guest of Misses Eunice and Mary Francis Boyd Wednesday night.

Miss Dollie Pierce spent Tuesday night with Misses Josephine and Alta Belle Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Gray last Friday.

Come on Enterprise and lets hear from you.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

ROCKY MOUNT

Dear Editor:

Please allow me just a small space in your valuable paper for just a few words of this place.

Health is very good at present time.

Last Thrsday, Jan. 17th, being the day set we finished the work on the cemetery at this place, put up the new wire, also enlarged the cemetery. we cannot express how thankful we are to see this work completed.

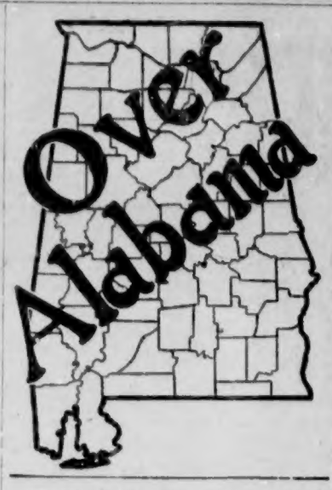
A very large number of friends and relatives enjoyed the singing at the home of Mrs. J. B. Northcutt last Friday night. Among the crowd was Prof. Ralph D. Grant, also Mr. Ira L. Grant. Of course we all were glad to have them with us. The singing was given to the surprise of her son, Mr. Buell Northcutt from Gorgas, who was spending last week with his mother. He returned to Gorgas, Ala., Sunday morning.

Mr. R. A. Burnett spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Miss Edna Robinson and Miss Eula Barnett spent Friday night with Mrs. J. B. Northcutt and reported a nice time.

Miss Josephine Allen of Montevallo spent last Saturday with Miss Eula Barnett.

If this escapes the waste basket we will call again.



ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Times have changed since the outraged youngster who was switched at school sought revenge in drawing a caricature of the teacher, who wielded the rod, on the corner fence, according to a report reecived by C. E. Johnson, state fire marshal. The substance of the report was that Mack and Jairus Norton, aged 13 and 11, respectively, have made an alleged confession implicating themselves as having applied the torch which destroyed the handsome town school building at Ariton as a protest against a whipping administered to them in connection with compulsory attendance at school.

Alabama will have the greatest game preserve and recreation ground in the whole South, and one of the notable forest parks of the entire United States, according to statements made by Game and Fish Commissioner I. T. Quinn. "I have practically concluded an agreement," said the commissioner, "with the National Forest Service officials by which the United States Forest Reserve of 105,000 acres located in Winston, Lawrence and Franklin counties, will be transformed into a great public game preserve for the benefit of the citizens of Alabama.

After a conference between Governor Brandon and members of the state highway commission, during which the commission's road building plans for the present year were discussed, it was announced that a meeting of the state bond commission will be held at the capitol on February 5. At this meeting the bond commission will determine whether or not additional good roads bonds will be issued to provide more funds for this year's road building program.

The Alabama Public Service commission has filed with the interstate commerce commission a petition asking for modification, suspension, vacation or annullment of the orders of the interstate commerce commission in the famous Meridian rate case. This case is one of the most noted in recent Alabama history, and it is charged that the decision of the interstate commerce commission in this case will seriously hamper the Alabama comission in revising Alabama intrastate rates.

Plans have been perfected for building a modern hotel at Shiloh military park, on the Tennessee River below Florence. The hotel will be named "Pine Rest," and it will have 22 rooms, equipped with all modern conveniences. It is the plan of those behind the enterprise to make Shiloh an attractive resort that will afford accommodations to tourists who annually visit the historic battle ground of Shiloh.

Following a thorough inspection of all war material assigned by the government to the state highway department for use in the building of roads in Alabama, the state highway commission, after consideration of the matter announced that 100 motor trucks will be retained for use in road maintenance throughout Alabama. These trucks will be worked out of Montgomery, and will be taken to various portions of the state.

Repeal of the preferential primary law passed by the legislature at its last session will be the object of the woman's department of the Alabama State Federation of Labor, which has just been organized with headquarters at 416 Twenty-first street, north, Birmingham. Mrs. Sallie Osborne Cooper is general chairman and Mrs. Florence P. Lewis, secretary of the new organization.

A whisky still, equipped with a whistle, the first one ever captured in Alabama, was seized near Glover's Bend. The still, with a capacity of 250 gallons, was made from a large boiler. Raiding officers said it was one of the most complete they had ever seen and cleverly concealed. Water from a nearby spring was supplied by a hose 400 feet long.

The Florence Chamber of Commerce has accepted the recommendation of the budget committee for the outline of the work for the coming year and allotted to the Tennessee River Improvement Association, $10,000.

J. Lindsay Pope former police official of Anniston, was perhaps fatally shot in the office of Chief of Police George W. Rutledge by Lee Fowler, garageman. Pope was shot through the abdomen. An arm was broken by another shot. Fowler was lodged in the county jail.

Henry Popwell of Route 6 was in Clanton Tuesday.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by the Honorable J. F. Posey, Judge of the Probate Court of Autauga County, Alabama, on the 7th day of January, 1924, I, G. C. Donovan, administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, deceased, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door on Factory Street in the City of Prattville, Autauga County, Alabama, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The west half of the south-west quarter of section 19, township 20, range 14, containing 80 acres, more or less, also the following land situated in Chilton County, Alabama, beginning 338 yards west of the south-east corner of section 36, township 20, range 13, thence running north 70 yards, thence west 120 yards, thence south 70 yards, thence east 120 yards to the point of beginning, containing 1 and one-half acres, more or less; also the following parcel of land situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the north-west corner of the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section 1, township 19, range 13, thence west 25 yards, thence south-east 140 and 11-12 yards, thence east 80 yards, thence north 23 and 1-2 yards, thence west 87 and 1-2 yards to the point of beginning, containing one and 627-1000 acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of making a division of the proceeds of said sale among the heirs and distributees of said estate.

Witness my hand, this, the 7th day of January, 1924.

G. C. DONOVAN,
Administrator of the estate of Daniel Donovan, Deceased.
Gipson & Booth, Attorneys,
Prattville, Alabama.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court of Chilton County.—In Equity.

Grace Downs, Complainant, vs. Arthur D. Downs, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. O. Middleton that the defendant, Arthur D. Downs, is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address are unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Arthur D. Downs, to plead, answer, or demur to the Bill of Complaint in this cause by the 18th day of February, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office at Clanton, Alabama, this 16th day of January, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
1-17-4t Register.

NOTICE OF WRIT OF ATTACHMENT AND LEVY

To G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson, Non-Residents of the State of Alabama:

To Any Sheriff of the State of Alabama, Greeting:

Whereas, W. C. Burnett, has complained on oath to me, J. Z. Mims, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, that G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson are justly indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of Two Hundred Ten and no-100 Dollars, and the plaintiff having made affidavit and given bond as required by law in such cases, you are hereby commanded to attach so much of the estate of said G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport-Vinson as will be of value to satisfy said debt and costs, according to the complaint, unless repleved, so to secure that the same may be liable to further proceedings thereon to be had at the next term of the Circuit Court for the County of Chilton, to be holden at the Court House thereof within 30 days from the service of this writ, when and where you must make known how you have executed this Writ.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff filed in this cause that the defendants have waived their right to claim as exempt to them any personal property as against the debt upon which this suit is based, this Writ is not subject to any claim of exemptions as to personal property.

This the 31st day of Dec. 1923.

J. Z. MIMS, Clerk.

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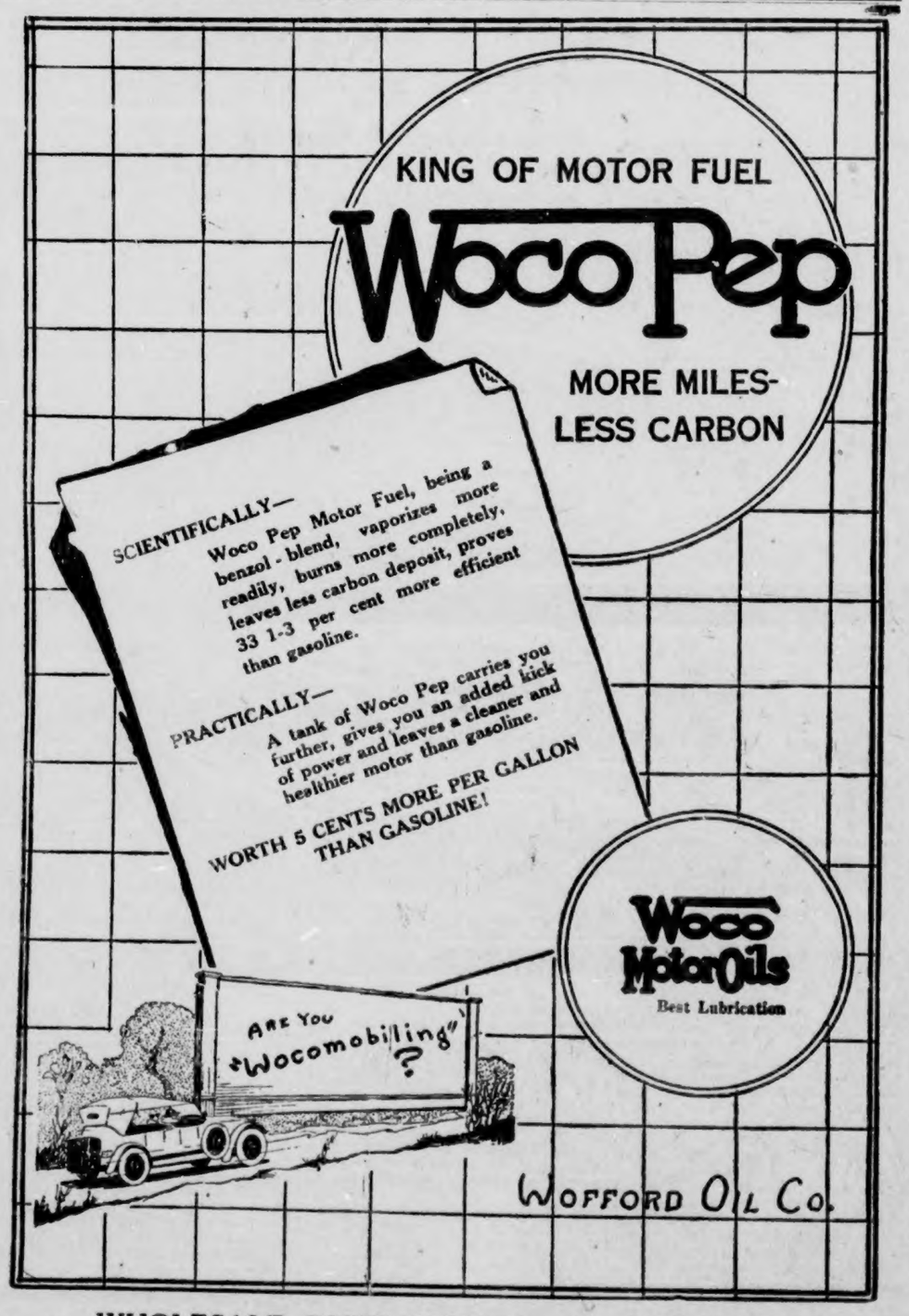

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Commissioner of Agriculture Tells School Children How Department Is Organized and How It Functions.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 25, 1924. —The organization and work of the Department of Agriculture and Industries of Alabama is now being explained by J. M. Moore, Commissioner, in answer to numerous requests reaching him from public and high school students throughout Alabama for information of this kind.

"Under the law the Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries is the chief executive officer and chairman of the State Board of Agriculture which represents the public and is responsible for proper execution of the law," says Mr. Moore. "This plan was created by the Agricultural Code which was passed by the recent legislature, and which is the best set of agricultural laws enacted by any state."

Naming specific laws in the Code, Mr. Moore referred to those pertaining to fertilizer, fruit trees, nursery stock, foods, feed, drugs, seed, insecticides, fungicides, eggs, and also those pertaining to containers for agricultural products. "It is the duty of Department, and of the State Board, to enforce these laws," added Mr. Moore.

In naming the advantages Mr. Moore said that the work of the Department affects not only farmers but the public. Producers, manufactrers, dealers, and consumers are all protected and benefitted by the Department, which comes in contact with all kinds of problems in its work which is essentially regulatory.

At present the Department is divided into four divisions and one subdivision. They are: Agricultural Chesmistry, Markets, Clerical and Records, and Plant Industry with a sub-division for citrus fruit.

WHAT A SHEIK IS

A correspondent answers our question of last week, saying that a sheik is an Arab Chief. We presume that answer is correct, but that being the case, we are forced to ask when did so many Arab Chiefs come to this country? Present day usage must have broadened out the term and caused it to cover a broader meaning than it was originally intended to cover.

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LIST OF VOTERS CHALLENGED BY C. D. MESSER IN CONTEST

The following is a list of the voters challenged by C. D. Messer as being illegal and disqualified and voting for Judge Reynolds.

All persons whose names are on this list and who voted for Judge Reynolds should immediately look up all their poll tax receipts and registration certificates and have them ready as you will no doubt be summoned to court and required to produce evidence of your qualifications as a votor. Please keep these poll tax receipts and registration certificates until you are summoned to court.

All persons whose names appear on this list but who cannot find their poll tax receipts and registration certificates should come to the Probate Office immediately and have the records investigated, in order that the records may be introduced in court to show for your lost receipts.

Also all parties whose names are printed below should be able to produce the proper day, month and year of your birth:

Precinct No. 1—(Mullins School House)
Bolton, Bud
Burnett, Willie
Ellison, Jno. M.
Hadnot, W. H.
House, W. L.
Jones, D. F.
Jones, J. T.
Littleton, W. L.
Miller, R. A.
Peters, Lawrence
Smitherman, Gene
Trawick, G. W.
Vanderslice, E. D.

Precinct No. 2, Box 1—(Jemison)
Allen, Miss Barbrie
Atkinson, Ernest M.
Barnett, W. A.
Beasley, Mrs. J. W.
Beasley, J. W.
Bratton, J. M.
Campbell, Jas. A.
Childress, J. T.
Cobb, U. T.
Cost, Edkar
Dykes, H. M.
Ellison, H. M.
Glascock, A. H.
Glasscock, Mrs. Julia
Glass, J. N.
Glass, J. O.
Hubbard, Clifford
Hubbard, Raymond
Langston, J. A.
Letcher, S. R.
Lawrence, Buford
Langston, C. W.
Martin, J. W.
Martin, Mrs. Bamer
Mims, James Heartley
Mims, E.
Martin, John
Reynolds, B. F.
Reynolds, Mrs. W. J.
Reynolds, C. W.
Scott, J. N.
Scott, Mrs. Levie
Scott, O. P.
Scott, J. A.
Stoudermire, F. M.
Scott, F. J.
Scott, J. N.
Scott, R. R.
Scott, Mrs. Nunnie
Shaw, W. H.
Shaw, Charlie
Thrash, M. E
Thomas, J. L.
Thrash, Mrs. Alice
Thrash, Mrs. Nettie
Thrash, Earnest
Wright, H. R.
Williams, J. W.
Wilson, C. P.

Precinct No. 2, Box 2—(Mars Hill)
Abbott, W. T.
Bradford, John H.
Cofer, L. W.
Cofer, Clare
Crumpton, J. C.
Erwin, M. N.
Gothard, E. N.
Gothard, H. W.
Gothard, Virgil G.
Gothard, C. J.
Harris, S. B.
Harris, J. C.
Langston, Barbra
Posey, N. B.
Posey, N. A.
Ray, Mrs. Rosana
Ray, T. S.
Smith, D. C.
Thomas, W. M.
Thomas, Dennis

Precinct No. 3—(Benson)
Bates, F. A.
Bates, Mrs. Sara
Cooper, W. B.
Cooper, G. H.
Cooper, Mrs. Nora
Culp, Mrs. Judie C.
Deshazo, W. F.
Deshazo, W. L.
Deshazo, J. C.
Manning, D. O.
Manning, A. B.
Peters, W. J.
Williams, R. A.

Precinct No. 4, Box 1—(Court House)
Adams, Hudson
Baker, S. L.
Bean, W. T.
Baker, T. M.
Baker, Lila
Baker, Joe
Baker, John R.
Culp, C.
Cagle, C. C.
Connell, Adline
Culver, Sallie
Cooper, J. M.
Cleckley, J. A.
Collins, Mattie E.
Connell, Jessie
Culver, A. J.
Dennis, Lizzie
Devaughn, S. M.
Driver, F. M.
Dykes, J. A.
Duke, C. D.
Devaughn, H. M.
Edwards, Anna
Easterling, C. E.
Easterling, W. J.
Easterling, B.
Easterling, Collie
Easterling, L. D.
Farley, N. J.
Fulmer, J. W.
Gore, Celia
Gilmore, C. L.
Grant, J. M.
Giles, Lomer
Gentry, Martha Jane
Gore, H. T.
Glenn, H. B.
Grant, E. F.
Gore, James A.
Heflin, R. W.
Headley, W. J.
Harris, H. A.
Hart, H. F.
Hawkins, T. F.
Herrod, H. A.
Hand, O. C.
Headley, Lee
Harris, G. F.
Johnson, T. S.
Johnson, Katie
Jones, J. T.
Kendrick, Elizabeth A.
Keith, Cuba
Keyton, P. L.
Lindsey, Vachel
McDowell, J. L.
Maddox, T. L.
Minor, Johnnie
Moates, Cabie
Moore, George
Mims, E. D.
Mims, Mary
Moates, J. A.
Mims, G. N.
Mims, E. M.
Mims, Minnie
Martin, L. P.
Marcus, P. G.
McDowell, J. E.
Minor, W. M.
Mims, Victoria
Mims, Eliza
Mims, G. T.
McDowell, W. D.
Mims, R. M.
Mims, Lonis
Mims, Monroe
Moates, Eli
Maddox, J. W.
Mims, Ola
Martin, Roper Sadinelle
McDowell, J. L.
McDowell, O. L.
McDowell, J. W.
Miller, Henry
Powell, J. R.
Pool, W. M.
Parrish, Charles C.
Plier, W. E.
Patterson, Henry
Powell, Laura
Plier, E. E.
Patterson, Tommie
Page, J. C.
Roberson, F. I.
Ribbins, G. H.
Robinson, Georgia
Riggins, G. H.
Robinson, J. M.
Sharhatt, T. C.
Sharbutt, T. C.
Scott, A. D.
Stonecipher, J. P.
Taylor, J. R.
Thompson, J. A.
Trawick, W. M.
Tippett, G. T.
Trawick, Mrs. J. H.
Teel, R. A.
Teel, Jessie E.
Vinson, E. J.
Wyatt, Rebecca Lee
Wyatt, W. B.
Wyatt, Mrs. Jennie
Wilson, J. M.
Wilson, Rhoda
Wyatt, T. G.
Wyatt, G. A.
Wyatt, J. E.
Wyatt, M. E.
Wells, J. D.
Wyatt, C. C.
Wagner, A. C.
Wyatt, T. E.

Precinct No. 4, Box 2—(West Side of Railroad)
Burnett, Charley
Baker, Marshall M.
Broadhead, Mrs. Alice
Bean, E. M.
Broadhead, Argie
Bridges, Winnie P.
Blalock, W. A.
Cowart, D. F.
Cotton, Ida
Cowart, Sam
Cowart, D. H.
Culpepper, W. F.
Culpepper, E. B.
Cox, Mrs. J. T.
Culver, H. E.
Childress, W. J.
Calloway, J.
Cowart, J. H.
Cowart, Charlie
Cowart, C. H.
Culp, J. L.
Culp, Mrs. J. L.
Carroll, Mrs. Ola
Childress, Nora
Calloway, Joseph N.
Culver, Roy
Duncan, Sallie
Duke, C. R.
Dunlap, Beulah
Dunlap, Mrs. A. C.
Duncan, Mrs. J. A.
Dunlap, Lucy
Dunlap, Lucinda
Easterling, D. D.
Foshee, Mrs. R. M.
Foshee, F. M.
Foshee, Mrs. R. J.
Greer, Amanda
Headley, Mrs. S. J.
Headley, S. J.
Hayes, Carrie
Hayes, K. M.
Hubbard, C. W.
Henley, J. W.
Hayes, Mrs. Lula
Headley, Albert
Headley, I. J.
Headley, Horace
Hayes, J. G.
Hayes, Mrs. H. K.
Hayes, Mrs. J. J.
Hayes, Hepey
Headley, G. J.
Hart, Henry F.
Henley, Mrs. Clarence J
Henley, C. J.
Henley, Fred R.
Hayes, Mrs. H. K.
Hayes, Lula
Jones, Katie
Jones, Willie
Kennedy, W. H.
King, Susie
Kennedy, W. A.
Lowery, Martha
Littlejohn, J. B
Littlejohn, E. P.
Lowery, Zack
Lowery, Mrs. M.
Lowery, Genie
Littlejohn, Mrs. Abbie
Littlejohn, Mrs. E. P.
Littlejohn, Mrs. Sallie
Lowery, Hubert
Littlejohn, L. L.
Lowery, J. W.
Lowery, Zan
Melton, G. W.
Mitchell, Mrs. J. R.
Marcus, A. W.
Morris, S. E.
Massey, B. F.
Mims, Mrs. Bertha
Mitchell, J. B.
Mims, Mrs. Lois
Mims, Mrs. J. M.
Mims, Joe
Morris, Mrs. Martha
Mims, Mrs. Bertha
Morris, W. J.
Melton, D. T.
Maddox, J. M.
Mims, W. A.
Nobles, H. C.
Nobles, H. T.
Norris, Marie
Nix, J. P.
Price, J. D.
Price, O. G.
Prim, Mrs. Effie
Popwell, Mrs. Lula
Popwell, Mrs. Claudie
Price, Holly
Powell, W. L.
Price, Tommie
Price, Mollie
Reynolds, Miss Lessie
Reynolds, Omar L.
Riggins, J. W.
Sanson, G. W.
Smith, J. B.
Turner, J. T.
Traywick, Delia
Traywick, Mary Ann
Tippett, J. H.
Trawick, Mrs. C. D.
Taylor, W. H.
Turner, Rufus T.
Tyes, Mrs. S. E.
Tippett, J. W.
Tyus, A. J.
Vickers, Mrs. Palestine
Vickers, Bertha E.
Wells, R. L.
Wyatt, Mrs. W. M.
Wells, C. D.
Walker, H. L.
White, Mrs. W. L.
Walker, Mrs. Eva
Wyatt, G. M.
Ward, W. T.
Ward, Hassie
Ward, Bessie
Williams, Mrs. Ocie
Wells, C. R.

Precinct No. 5, Box 1—(Verbena)
Bunett, J. A.
Boyd, G. L.
Boyd, E. W.
Boyd, W. R.
Campbell, W. A.
Calloway, W. A.
Clark, Miss Flora
Gulledge, J. C.
Hudmon, John
Jones, A. M.
Jones, C. P.
Jones, W. A.
Jones, Mrs. E. L.
Jones, Mrs. Rosa
Jones, P. M.
Nation, L. M.
Nation, Mrs. Roberta

Precinct No. 5, Box 2—(Mt. Creek)
Boyd, W. R.
Boyd, G. L.
Boyd, E. W.
Cooper, Chas.
Cooper, J. T.
Clark, W. S.
Clark, Miss Flora
Gulledge, T. J.
Gulledge, T. B.
Gulledge, J. C.
Jones, P. M.
Nation, L. M.
Nation, Mrs. Roberta
Taylor, J. W.
Womble, W. T.

Precinct 6, Box 1—(Kincheon)
Anderson, G. T.
Bolls, C. C.
Bowles, C. C.
Deavers, A. T.
Friday, J. W.
Keen, G. C.
Moates, C. W.
Moates, C. R.
Scott, G. C.
Shows, J. A.
Thomas, E. A.
Wilson, E. M.
Wyatt, J. M.
Williams, W. H.

Precinct 6, Box 2—(Enterprise)
Anderson, J. W.
Brigance, Mrs. Y. T.
Bryant, E. L.
Brigance, Sam
Cagle, Belle
Dennis, Mrs. Jessie
Dykes, W. D.
Edwards, E. E.
Huett, C. B.
Huett, J. D.
Hill, J. M.
Lowery, L. H.
Moore, Y. M.
Neeley, F. E.
Neeley, J. R.
Popwell, Sam
Pierce, Y. H.
Pierce, H. E.
Vinson, C. C.
Wilkins, N. B.
Wright, Jessie
Wilkins, C. L.
Waskeen, W. A.
Washum, W. A.

Precinct No. 7, Box 1—(Maplesville)
Carter, J. H.
Calloway, Ralph
Coburn, J. T.
Inabanett, Mack
Mabanett, Mack
McGee, Walter
Tucker, E. P.
Smitherman, F. G.

Precinct No. 7, Box 2—(Shoults)
Brosden, J. F.
Bearden, Lum
Bearden, G. W.
Brosden, Lum
Bearden, J. F.
Littlejohn, J. F.
Littlejohn, C. J.
Lowence, E. C.
Lawrence, E. C.
McGee, E.
Shoultz, Sam
Shults, Bush
Shoultz, Bush

Precinct No. 8—(Stanton)
Apperson, D. M.
Cole, D. T.
Herrod, W. T.
Herrod, H. G.
Herrod, Mrs. M. F.
Jones, A. B.
Jones, A. D.
Rucker, J. A.
Royster, C. R.
Rornsey, J. H.
Ramsey, J. H.
Walker, John T.
Woolley, J. C. C.

Precinct No. 9,—(Thorsby)
Adams, S. B.
Benson, J. W.
Boswell, J. A. M.
Bosworth, J. A. M.
Beasworth, J. A. M.
Benson, R. M.
Bean, Roberta
Bussey, P. N.
Burnett, Donie
Childress, R. D.
Collins, Grady
Childress, C. R.
Collins, J. H.
Collins, W. D.
Childress, Dorie
Deason, C. R.
Dahl, H. H.
Deason, J. Ben
Diefenderfer, L. E.
Davenport, Monroe
Dykes, B. F.
Davis, B. F.
Davenport, E. C.
Ekhold, K. O.
Ekbold, K. A.
Eiland, Felix
Eiland, C. N.
Eiland,E. N.
Freeman, D. W.
Gentry, Molly
Green, Andrew
Gronquist, Mrs. C. R.
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Gore, J. M.
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Gillespie, W. H.
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Hamilton,H. C.
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Jackson, O. L.
Jackson, W. L.
Langston, A. J.
Littlejohn, J. N.
Littleton, G. E.
Lawrence, J. E.
Littlejohn, John
Littlejohn, R. W.
Lowery, W. P.
Murray, Mrs. Sarah
Mims, A.
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Martin, T. J.
Monor, R. N.
Martin, W. F.
Madison, Hubbard
Martin, Lena
Mims, M. E.
Mims, A. M.
Martin, Ouilie
Price, J. C.
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Price, Marie
Pate, Lillie
Pate, Stephen
Prim, R. L.
Patterson, J. F.
Price, W. G.
Robinson, L. C.
Robinson, L. W.
Roper, J. C.
Smith, J. O.
Skinnes, Caroline S.
Scott, T. E.
Thomas, Mrs. B. F.
Vinzan, W. N.
Villadsen, A. P.
Watley, Sic
White, J. W. G.
Watkins, H. S.

Precinct No. 10—Cooper
Allen, W. N.
Bowles, Arsley
Burkhalter, A. J.
Bryant, Katie
Culver, J. .
Culp, W. M.
Clark, Mrs. S. E.
Culver, J. A.
Carroll, N. G.
Driver, J. M.
Downs, R. A.
Dennis, A. B.
Davis, Jessie A.
Davis, J. S.
Eiland, R. J.
Hughes, L. E.
Hughes, J. D.
Ingram, John
Johnson, R. L.
Jones, B.
Jones, C. P.
Jones, D. J. P.
Kelley, O. Z.
Martin, W. .
Mims, C. M.
Nation, A. L.
Nation, Zanie B.
Nation, H. L.
Nation, J. N.
Nation, S. M.
Patterson, T. J.
Patterson, C. J.
Rushing, J. P.
Robinson, D. S.
Vinson, H. B.
Vinson, A. P.
Wilson, W. M.
Yates, S. M., Sr.

Precinct No. 11—Cane Ck.
Burnett, Ollie
Cleckler, John
Cleckler, Elizabeth
Connell, Clint
Cleckler, J. H.
Cleckler, Sallie
Connell, Sam
Cleckler, H. A.
Cleckler, Lindsey
Dutton, J. T.
Giles, O. C.
Giles, W. M.
Giles, L. J.
Giles, Mrs. Georgia
Hennah, Henry S.
Heath, W. M.
Knox, J. H.
Littleton, Smitha
Littleton, Inez
Mims, Paten
Retherford, J. T.
Rutherford, Fannie
Roberson, W. M.
Robinson, Classie B.
Stevens, Mrs. Maggie
Stevens, W. S.
Tracy, Nancy
Vines, H. C.
Weldon, P. C.

Precinct No. 12, Box 1 Maieral Springs
Arledge, P. A.
Aycock, T. G.
Chandler, J. T. M.
Coker, J. A.
Cleckler, W. P.
Cleckler, Lonnie B.
Coker, J. M.
Collins, J. Monroe
Dorning, T. J.
Dorminey, J. T.
Dormniey, John
Ellion, Horace W.
Glasscock, Ada
Gore, J. M.
Glasscock, B. O.
Hamilton, G. L.
Littlefield, B. A.
Martin, Mrs. Lizzie
Martin, G. W.
Martin, F. L.
Martin, J. N.
Martin D. P.
Martin, J. C.
Plier, G. A.
Robinson, J. M.
Ray, S. L.
Ray, S. R.
Smith, U. G.
Thrash, J. P.
Vinzant, W. T.
Vinzant, J. A.
Varden, R. W.
Vinzant, Mrs. Bettie
Vinzant, F. H.
Vinzant, A. C.
Wilson, Horace W.

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Bowden, J. D.
Burnett, Grady
Campbell, J. A.
Campbell, W. N.
Campbell, G. W.
Collins, J. W.
Dorminey, S. G.
Dorminey, J. T.
Dorminey, W. Y.
Driver, F. M.
Ellison, J. M.
Glasscock, B. L.
Headley, Mazsal
Honicutt, Mrs. Hattie
Huckabee, F. F.
Igo, B.
Marlar, J. R.
Ray, S. L.
Spivey, Mrs. Elizabeth

Precinct 13—Providence
Brifield, John
Blackman, Anna
Busby, J. W.
Blackmon, James L.
Bailey, J. G. W.
Champion, S. F.
Collum, Mrs. Mary
Collum, J. W.
Collins, Mrs. Mary
Cooper, Mrs. J. P.
Dykes, J. P.
Garrett, J. P.
Garrett, Chester R.
Glass, H. G.
Honedritch, Mrs. Lizzie
Harrail, J. D.
Horton, Dock
Houldritch, Lizzie
Martin, W. P.
Virgin, H. F.
Wiggins, Seth

Precinct 14 — Macedonia
Crumpton, Robie
Childress, Clarence
Cofer, J. N.
Childress, Eddie
Glass, John
Hodgens, J. D.
Hodgens, Mrs. Edna
Hodgens, D. W.
Martin, L. F.
Pate, Mrs. Bertha
Posey, L. G.
Plive, J. H.
Waldrop, J. L.
Watkins, Walace
Waldrop, I. L.

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Adams, O. D
Abbott, S. R.
Adams, W. P.
Adams, W. W.
Abbott, M. A.
Adams, O. D.
Burnett, W. D.
Chandler, E. L.
Chandler, W. F.
Deavers, A. J.
Fischer, W. A.
Giles, Lou
Giles, Ada
Giles, A. W.
Hicks, A. E.
Hayes, W. E.
Hilton, Lawrence L.
Hill, Albert
Headley, Mrs. W. M.
Jacks, W. J.
Miller, L. P.
Mnier, Mrs. Beulah
Pool, J. A.
Poole, B. M.
Ratliff, S. B., Jr.
Rawlinson, J. F.
Rawlinson, Oscoe
Roper, W. M.
Ratliff, M. M.
Ratliff, L. B.
Rawlinson, Eugene
Ratliff, Mrs. M. L.
Smith, M. T.
Sims, S. E.
Smith, J. L.
Smith, W. D.
Turner, A. L.
Wilson, B. J.

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Broadhead, L. D.
Courtney, Mrs. L. C.
Courtney, J. C.
Christian, W. E.
Gilliland, J. F.
Hays, W. H.
Henley, W. H.
Henley, L. W.
Headley, J. B.
Hayes, J. L.
Milford, J. L.
Milford, M. L.
Mims, Mrs. Beulah
Mims, Mrs. W. A.
Mims, W. G.
Smith, C. O.
Scott, W. H.

Precinct 16 — Providence
Adams, Jane C.
Adams, W. S.
Adams, Camilla
Boswell, J. T.
Bates, J. L.
Bice, I. W.
Boswell, W. M.
Caton, J. A.
Calloway, F. R.
Easterling, J. L.
Johnson, A. R.
Mims, J. A. W.
Miner, Matthew
Miner, Blanchie May
Mims, E. N.
Mims, Minerva
Popwell, G. C.
Popwell, Thos. M.
Peters, Sallie
Patterson, Ulas A.
Robinson, W. H.
Robnison, Cora
Robinson, Lillian
Robinson, W. W.
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MASS MEETING

A mass meeting of the citizens of Thorsby and vicinity, under the auspices of Thorsby Parent-Teachers Association and the public school board will be held at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, February 14th at the Wadesonian Theatre in Thorsby. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a building committee, whose duty it shall be to devise plans and raise funds for the erection of a Public School Building in the Town of Thorsby. Members of the County Board of Education will be present and give some facts and figures of vital interest to every citizen of Thorsby. Also Rev. J. M. Graham will address the meeting at that time. Every citizen of the town and community who is interested in better school facilities and better financial conditions of the town in general ought to be present. The Thorsby orchestra will be present and furnish music for the occasion.

Thorsby Institute annexed two more Basket Ball games last week, On Friday they won from Montevallo 32 to 14, and Saturday they beat The Buck Creek Cotton Mill Team of Siluria by the decisive scores of 25 to 5. The secret of their success is team work, and there is but little indication of individual play. On Friday of this week they meet a worthy foe in Marbury and they are hard at practice this week that they may add another victory to their string.

Registration day for the second semester at Thorsby Institute was January 28th.

The new officers of The Helen Keller Literary Society were elected Jan. 26, Codie Bell, Pres; Fellie Stephens, Vice-President; Margaret Butler, Sec; Ben Brown, Custodian. Speeches were made in happy mood by each of the new officers.

The fourth number of Thorsby Institute Lyceum course, in which "Bob-of-the-Northland" and "Billy Miller" (a woman) impersonators, highly commended in press notices, will be the attraction. By a curious combination of circumstances the date chosen by the bureau in charge of the talent for these entertainments send these people to Thorsby Friday night, Feb. 1st, which is also the opening night for moving pictures at the Wadesonian Theatre, the new play house at Thorsby. Since there are a good many who will not want to miss either of these entertainments it has been arranged to present both attractions on the same night, (Friday, Feb. 1st) at the Wadesonian Theatre. The Lyceum number will not be given in Bates Hall as advertised, but at the theatre, beginning at 7:15 p.m. where season tickets will be honored, and single admissions for either or both shows may be obtained, prices on application. About 9 p.m. the moving picture performance will be put on and run complete. This will make a full evening of entertainment which can be enjoyed in full or in part as one may desire. One has but to see this new play house dressed in all its appointments to realize that the people of Thorsby are exceedingly fortunate in having so good a place for their entertainment.

Rev. Wilhelm Petterson, who has resigned as pastor of Thorsby Lutheran Church, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening. He has received, and accepted, an appointment as Field agent for a Minneapolis Old Peoples Home and will at once enter on his new duties. He will be greatly missed in Thorsby where he had made many friends.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society held their regular annual business meeting last Tuesday. The following were elected as officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. James Bosworth, president; Mrs. J. O. Johnson, vice-president; Mrs. A. E. Reagan, secretary, and Mrs. M. J. Soberg, treasurer.

Mrs. D. J. Flummer and daughter, Marie, are spending several days in Birmingham this week.

Miss Lena Franklin is again at her post as teacher in our public school, after substituting for two weeks at Jemison High, in place of one of their teachers who had an attack of Scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Karlson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Miss Agnes Leary has returned from a two weeks visit to Birmingham and vicinity, where she received many social attentions.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained by Mrs. J. E. Each at the Parsonage Thursday afternoon, Feb. 7th.

On Sunday night, Feb. 3rd, there will be another of those delightful praise services at the Congregational Church immediately following Christian Endeavor meeting, or at 7:30.

A very substantial improvement on a prominent corner has been quietly under way for some time, and is now attaining proportions that attract attention. Mr. Ben. Franklin, our genial rural mail carrier, is building at the northwest corner of Montgomery Road and Main Street a very substantial garage building. The structure is 30 x 60 feet and the material hollow concrete tile. When complete it will be a notable improvement of a prominent corner.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Quarterly Meeting of W. M. U. Held at Samaria.

The regular quarterly meeting of the W. M. U. was held at Samaria Church on Tuesday, with one of the most splendid meetings in the history of the society. A number of enjoyable three-minute addresses were given, among the most interesting being one by Mrs. S. J. Ezell on "Redeeming the Time," one by Mrs. Gilbert of Marbury in regard to the young peoples work. Mrs. Hester gave an interesting talk on the books that should be on our library table, and Mrs. Hughes of Billingsley gave a splendid demonstration on Mission study. The day being a most profitable one and also needs mention of a most delightful dinner served by the ladies of Samaria. The banner for attendance was awarded the Clanton Baptist Church.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. P. I. Hopkins will be glad to learn that their daughter, Miss Francis, is doing nicely after an operation for appendicitis in a Birmingham infirmary.

Mrs. E. E. Upchurch will be among the visitors to Birmingham for a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reynolds and Hoyt Reynolds from Hardaway are expected to be the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

The Friends of Mrs. Leonard Farley will regret to learn that she's on the sick list this week.

The friends of Mrs. Claud Jones will be sorry to learn that she is confined other room this week.

Mr. Wade is planning to move his picture show into the Woodward building next to Littlejohn's Grocery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds are expected to come up for a week-end visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynlods.

Miss Willideau Reynolds from Montevallo will be home for the week-end.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins from Montgomery, spent the week-end in Clanton.

Mr. Hugh Foshee spent Staurday in the Capital City.

Mrs. Barney Roberts spent Saturday in Birmingham where she is studying music under Mrs. Edna Gussen.

Mrs. Leonard Kemp and children from West Point, Ga., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kemp.

Luther Culpepper has as his guest his brother, Ensley Culpepper from Tuscaloosa.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Pastor W. P. McLennan of Birmingham will speak at the Adventist Tabernacle Sunday, February 2, at 11 o'clock a.m. and again at 3 o'clock p.m. In the morning his subject will be "The Unpardonable Sin." At the afternoon service the subject will be "Has Elijah Come." You are cordially invited to attend these services.

NOTICE CORRESPONDENTS

We very often receive correspondence that does not bear the name of the writer. Please sign your name to all correspondence, and if you do not want your name published just state so in the article and we will withhold it. In case of any kind of political letters, your name will have to be carried to the article.

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HOGS FOR SALE—One Duroc brood sow, 1½ years old, and several pigs about 3 months old. Will sell cheap or trade for ribbon cane syrup or fat beef cattle.—H. H. Hayes, Clanton, Ala., Route 4. 31-4t-pd.

LOST DOG—Red male hound, slender, with leather collar on bearing name of Dr. Moore, Birmingham, Ala. Left Chasteen's Store on Route 3 about three weeks ago. Reasonable reward will be paid for his return to Broadhead's Store, Clanton, Ala. 31-3t-pd.

LOST—A brown hand purse, leaving the highway at Allie Smith's, between there and the Widow Patterson place. There was one $20 bill and some change and a chain off of a scarf. The finder will leave it at The Union-Banner office and receive reward.—Laura M. Bialock. 1t-p

FOR SALE—300 White Leghorn hens; young pullets sell cheap.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala. 1-24-3p

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Reading Tests Given By Dept. of Education

Clanton, Ala., Jan. 28, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to say a little more relative to the reading tests which were given in the county by a representative of the State Dept. of Education before Christmas, as similar tests are to be given again this Spring and I want the people to become familiar not only with the results of these tests but of their significance.

Taknig the results of these tests for the 6th grade pupils in the different schools it was found that the following percentages in the different type schools were two years or more below the standard for 6th grade pupils:

1-teacher schools	50%
2-teacher schools	40%
3 and 4-teacher schools	30%
Consolidated schools	13%

These percentages show the advantages of consolidated schools; in other words, half of the children in the 1-teacher schools are two or more years behind what they should be, while less than one-eighth of those in consolidated scools are that far behind.

The following will show the percent of children in the 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th grades of different schools which are up to the standard of the grade in which they now are:

1-teacher schools	24%
2-teacher schools	29%
3 and 4-teacher schools	35%
Consolidated schools	45%

It will be seen from the above that only one-fourth of the children in 1-teacher schools are up to the standard while nearly one-half of those in the consolidated schools are up to standard for their respective grades.

These results can be accounted for in two ways; first, in the small schools, as a rule, inefficient teachers are employed. Second, very few of these Districts have a Dist. Tax to enable them to run longer than the county term, therefore, the children are not getting the advantages in these schools which they deserve, nor which those in the larger schools do get.

The day of the one-teacher school is past except in a very few communities where consolidation is not practical and where transportation cannot be furnished. There is no necessity in this county for more than 25 white schools and the sooner the people of the county become convinced of this, the sooner will their children receive the benefits from school that they deserve.

District taxes are also necessary the same as consolidation for it is impossible for a child to learn as much in four or five months as the same child would learn in from six to nine months. The State law requires that with general funds all schools must be run for an equal duration of time; therefore, the only way to prolong the length of the term in any school beyond the conty term is through the levying of District Taxes.

More than one-half of the taxable property of this county is now paying a District Three Mill Tax but the law provides that a District Tax can only be spent in the District which voted it, and therefore, to get the benefit of these taxes over a wide area, it is necessary to group Districts for taxing purposes just as was done last summer when 15 districts in the eastern and northeastern part of the county united for taxing purposes into District "A." This summer the County Board desires to form Tax District "B," which will include the schools in the southeastern part of the county, and it is hoped that many other of the districts not now having district taxes will decide to vote same before the beginning of another school year.

Let me ask you readers to carefully consider the statements above given and then through your influence try to bring about such changes as will insure for your child better advantages than it has enjoyed in the past.

Respectfully,
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County Supt. Education.

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STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The poultry business in Etowah county is to be boosted by the establishment of 10 demonstration farms under the supervision of experts from the state department of agriculture. co-operation hog sale was held recently by the Hog Sales Association at the pens in West Troy. Several out-of-town buyers were present and the bidding was good. Three hundred and thirteen hogs were sold and bought $6.50 per cwt

Montgomery water rates will be given a boost of about 50 per cent by the city commission. The present rate is $5 and the new rate will be $4 50. For this rate each consumer is allowed 20,000 gallons of water. The rate for each thousand gallons above 20,000 is 15 cents, and it was understood this rate will be increased to 25 cents under the new program.

No license for any dealer handling food or drinks for human consumption can be issued until a sanitary permit has been obtained from the health department, or an application for such a permit made and an order from the health department recommending the issuance of a license has been obtained, according to C. E. Armstrong, city comptroller of Birmingham.

An additional city carrier has been added to the postoffice force at the Sheffield office, and a new route for free delivery of mail in the city is now being service. The extension of free delivery service was authorized by the postoffice department at the request of Postmaster Fontaine Little, who is enlarging the local postal service in keeping with the growth of the city.

Some very fine pecan trees of the Schley variety, owned by Greensboro citizens, are suffering from a disease which Auburn experts pronounce to be scab. The owner has been advised to cut down the trees, disinfect the land, then plant other varieties than the ones infected, as they are particularly liable to this trouble.

Following a survey of Sand Island at the mouth of Mobile River, Surgeon General Hugh S. Cummings, of the United States Public Health Service, announced that he will recommend to the present Congress the establishment of a quarantine station here. A bill providing for the station at a cost of $500,000 has been introduced.

After deliberating for abou an hour, the jury trying the case of Robert P. Ferguson, of Jacksonville, former federal prohibition officer, charged with the murder of Chalmer McAlpine during a raid in Cleburne County about two years ago, returned a verdict of not guilty.

Joe Lanza, who killed Herschel Hendon in a fist fight in Florence last October, was taken to the reform school at East Lake, near Birmingham, several days ago. Lanza is an Ensley boy, but was spending some time with his uncle in Sheffield when the trouble occurred.

Opelika has a splendid chance of securing a new half million dollar cotton mill. Certain large textile interests have made a concrete proposition to locate a new mill at Opelika by furnishing $100,000, the people of Opelika to furnish $150,000. Another party will furnish $100,000.

At a meeting of the directory of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Anniston decision was made to lease the old auditorium building at Fourteenth and Wilma avenue and transform it into a community athletic center.

Superintendent Leslie Woodall of the Southern Railway at Sheffield has received orders from the office of the general superintendent to proceed at once with the work on the underpass on the concrete highway between Sheffield and Florence.

A citation has been issued by the public service commission to the Southern Railroad and Northern Alabama Railroad to show cause why they should not establish adequate depot facilities at Parrish.

Townley had a costly fire, originating in the Nix grocery store. The Townley theater and restaurant were practically destroyed, as well as the grocery store.

Forty-five instances of twins and one set of triplets took up their residence in Birmingham during the year 1923, according to the annual report of the city health department.

Hugh Dale has been appointed acting postmaster at Camden. The President nominated Grover C. Warrick to be postmaster at Millry, and L. E. Osborn to be postmaster at Vina.

Dr. F. C. McClosky, chiropractor, of Selma, charged with practicing chiropractic without a license, made bond for $1,000 covering five indictments returned by the grand jury.

Gov. W. W. Brandon has paroled Hubert Montgomery, Morgan county, and J. Y. Thornton, Elmore county, from hard labor sentences imposed for violation of the prohibition law.

The Huntsville city council has passed on its first reading an ordinance providing for the abolition of the offices of city license inspector and water meter reader, positions now held by Walter B. Sanders and James Hutchens.

A special 3-mill school tax was levied for three years in School District No. 41, in Geneva county, which includes the town of Hacoda, at an election held there last week. The proceeds will be used to erect a modern school building to replace the present structure.

ADAMS NEWS

Health of this place is very good, considering the weather.

Our Sunday School is fine; hope to have a large crowd next Sunday.

Mr. Moody Chambers has been spending a few days in Autaugaville with his sister.

Mrs. Mary Rawlinson, Miss Mattie Gandy, and Mr. Union Chambers spent a while with Mr. W. H. Foshee Saturday night.

Misses Herald Mitchell and Gracie Abbott spent Sunday afternoon with the Mises Foshee.

Mr. Celie Mitchell who has been working at Burnsville is at home to stay.

Mr. Clyde Lenoir spent Sunday with Mr. John Foshee.

The Candy breaknig at Mr. Russell Sexton's Friday night was fine. Everyone seemed to have a good time.

AROUND CALERA

Well, Spring seems to be gradually coming, so let's everyone cheer up over the gloomy weather we have been having.

Misses Mayme and Catherine Clark were entertained at the home of Miss Marie Hughes last Saturday night at Minooka.

Mr. T. Gentry from Minooka was visiting in South Calera Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Busby from Birmingham spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mr. Roy Rogers from Birmingham came down to South Calera Monday morning for a short while.

Mr. W. N. Jones and Miss Lutie Jones left last Friday for Brookwood where they were visiting relatives for the remainder of the week, returning Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate last Sunday.

Miss U. V. Busby was a visitor at Mrs. W. N. Jones' last Saturday night.

Mr. Holen Crim motored to Columbiana Sunday, accompanying Miss Ruth Mooney back.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham was visiting relatives and friends in South Calera Sunday.

There was a singing given at the home of Mr. G. S. Tate's Sunday night.

Mrs. Sarah Crim spent last Saturday night with Miss Mexa Tate.

Mr. Homer Martin spent the week-end at home, returning Sunday night to his work at Chetopa.

Rev. Morton filled his regular appointment Sunday at Shiloh church.

Mr. Wilburn Busby was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Busby last Sunday.

Miss Marie Hughes spent last Sunday at Mrs. W. J. Clark's.

Miss Hazel Cox was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Foshee last Friday night in Clanton.

Miss Lois Busby spent the week-end at home in South Calera.

Mr. J. M. Wyatt returned Sunday afternoon from Fort Payne, where he had been spending a week with his son, W. M. Wyatt. He reports that W. M. Wyatt and M. D. Foshee and their families are getting along nicely in the DeKalb city.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS

Owing to the length of the school term this year I am requested by Prof. C. R. Wood, Director of Extension of the State Normal at Jacksonville, to announce to those teachers taking the Normal Extension Work that the dates for the meeting of this course has been changed so that the remaining meetings will come on the dates mentioned below: Jan. 12th and 26th, and Feb. 2nd.

Teachers will please take note of this change and be present at the meetings.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Co. Supt. Education.

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SHOULTS NEWS

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to let people hear from Shoults. It seems as if Shoults is dead, but we are not. We are all still alive. I haven't seen anything from Shoults in a long time, so we must let you know how we are progressing.

We have very good school, with what don't go to Maplesville with Mrs. A. C. Manness teacher.

Our Sunday school hasn't been doing much for the past but we reorganized Sunday, elected new teachers and I hope we will have better Sunday school now.

Sunday was our regular preaching day. Bro. Edwards delivered an interesting message of love.

Our B. Y. P. U. has gone dead we are very sorry to say, but most all the boys and girls have married or moved away, but we trust that we can soon reorganize and carry on our work as we did. Bro. Edwards asked us Sunday where was the monument to our B. Y. P. U. We truly hope he can't say that any more, so boys and girls, let's all get together when the weather gets warmer and reorganize.

There was a show at the school house Saturday and Monday nights, which was enjoyed by a very large crowd.

Mrs. Carson Sneed of Centerville spent the week-end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Walker.

Mrs. Clyde Bearden of Montgomery has returned home after spending a two weeks visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Walker, also with Mrs. Sam Shoults.

Mrs. Durand Stone of Blocton spent this week with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McAfee.

Mr. Noah Moore and Messrs. Silas and Crit Oden made a business trip to Blocton this week.

Mr. Mack Oden made a business trip to Selma last Tuesday.

Mrs. Brady McAfee spent the week-end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seales.

Misses Allie Walker and Fae McAfee spent Monday night in Maplesville with Misses Willie Lee and Clemie Heagler, and attended the birthday party at Mr. Henry Ratliff's given in honor of his daughter, Maline.

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CLANTON, ALA.

GINAL

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Chamber of Commerce Gets Treat

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to build a community and what part a Chamber of Commerce should play in this important work. The keynote of Dr. Ezell's address was the prominence in which he placed the cherished old maxim, "Keep on Keeping On." He very truthfully said that this is what the Chamber of Commerce and its every member should make their everlasting motto. Dr. Ezell also stated very forcefully and truthfully that the success of the town depended in a large degree upon the success of the farming interests of Chilton County. Among a number of other noteworthy things Bro. Ezell stated that what Clanton and Chilton County needed was a well experienced and educated farm demonstration agent.

The toastmaster, after pulling off a funny and instructive anecdote, asked Dr. C. C. Wilkerson, pastor of the Clanton Methodist Church, to speak to the gathernig. One of the most cherished and admirable points brought out by Dr. Wilkerson was the fact of the splendid fellowship and brotherly love that exists between himself and the Baptist minister of Clanton. These two gentlemen, although a little different in religious faith, are big enough and broad enough to hitch themselves up in the same harness and pull with all their strength toward the religious as well as moral and civic advancement of the community. And Clanton is and should be very thankful that he have with us these two thoroughly Christian and energetic ministers of the Gospel of God. We could not possibly have an asset of more value than the one just mentioned. Dr. Wilkerson talked very encouragingly of the posibilities of Clanton and the interest which he has in the advancement of our town and our people.

Col. Middleton, after stating that the heads of the churches of Clanton had been given a place on the program, the next thing of common interest to the citizenship was the city's schools, so Major Stevenson, principal of the county high school and superintendent of the city schools of Clanton, was asked to talk, which the profesor did in a very striking manner. Major Stevens pointed out and very truthfully stated that the future success of the town and county depended more upon the proper trainnig of the minds and characters of our children than upon any other one thing. Although Major Stevens has been in Clanton only a few weeks, yet the people here already have a supreme fondness for him and believe that he is going to manage the educational interests of our city in a way that will be altogether satisfactory from every standpoint. As demonstrated in his splendid talk, Major Stevens is a man of a very broad mind and one who knows his business in the work of education.

Mr. C. Fenn Jones then was called upon to say a word to the meeting and he spoke very feelingly toward what Clanton and Chilton county people had done for him in a business way, and assured us that he was ready and willing to lend his efforts and his all toward building up the town and community which had gone a long ways in making him what he is today. Mr. Jones made a very nice talk indeed.

Mr. W. W. Fox, the original and everlasting booster, was given an opportunity to express his feelings, but Mr. Fox arose and stated that there was other speakers present whom he wanted to hear, so he was not going to take up any of their time. Judge L. H. Reynolds was then called upon, who came forward with a short but impressive speech dealing on the advantages and possible advancement of Clanton and Chilton county. The judge made a splendid speech which everyone enjoyed extremely.

The toastmaster then introduced one of the guests of honor of the occasion, Col. R. A. Mitchell, vice-president of the Alabama Power Company. Col. Mitchell spoke for over half an hour, and every minute of this time was filled very advantageously. This is a man of very broad experience, as would naturally be expected from the connection which he has with Alabama's greatest industrial concern, and the talk which he made was well worth the deep consideration of the business men of Clanton. The Chamber of Commerce was very fortunate indeed to have a man of Mr. Mitchell's broad experience present to speak to the Chamber, and if space would permit we would be glad to publish his entire address. This speech was indeed one of the best we have ever heard and the business advice which he gave will always succeed wherever it is applied.

The next gentleman called upon to speak was not at all a stranger. He was Hon. F. Lloyd Tate, whom the people of this county have known and admired for several years. Col. Tate made a talk that was worth more than we are able to express. He is a very interesting lecturer, and on this occasion he got to his very best. The principal ground of his theme was the natural resources and picturesque beauty of the dear old state of Alabama. The picture of "Here We Rest" as painted by Mr. Tate was simply beautiful to look upon. We would like to say more of Col. Tate's splendid speech but space will not permit.

This being the last speaker, Col. Middleton, in behalf of the entire meeting thanked Mrs. Orr and her daughters for the splendid supper which they had prepared for them. Dr. Wilkerson was asked to dismiss with prayer.

As we said in the outset, this meeting was one which was worth something to the citizens of Clanton. If we would give more of our time and efforts to such things as were brought out in this meeting and do less of back-biting and kicking and knocking out fellowmen, we would get a whole lot more out of life. The spirit manifest in this meeting was worth vastly more than all the harassing and lambasting that we have ever had in Clanton, and what we need to do is to put our efforts and money behind the Chamber of Commerce and make our community grow. Cooperation is the secret of success, and it is hoped that all those present at the meeting Tuesday night and all the rest of the business men of Clanton will get behind this organization and stay behind it, and make Clanton a fit place to live in. There is not a place in the world that has better possibilities than this community, so let us lay down prejudice and malice and take advantage of it while we can. Everybody boost the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. R. H. Peterson

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HASTINGS DECLARES PRESENT SOUTHERN FARM TREND DANGEROUS.

Atlanta, Ga.—(Special.)—"Unless the present farm trend toward increased cotton acreage in 1924 is checked within the next two or three months, disaster will stare our farmers in the face next fall," declares H. G. Hastings, leading agricultural authority and Chairman of the Farm and Marketing Bureau of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

"On every hand comes reports that the farmers of the South are planning and preparing for a large increase in cotton acreage over the already excessive cotton acreage of 1923, and, with the labor shortage, this inevitably means a decrease in food and grain acreage.

"When will our cotton growing folks learn the lesson that big cotton acreage in a favorable or even near favorable season means more cotton than the world can take care of promptly and a price smash resulting that brings either farm bankruptcy or financial crippling to our people?

"There was enough cotton acreage in 1923 with even fair growing seasons to have made sixteen to eighten million bales and a price of 10 cents, or thereabouts. The only thing that saved us from our own folly in 1923 was Providence stepping in with heat and drought west of the Mississippi River and excessive rain and boll weevil in the Southeast, the two combined cutting the crop to ten million bales.

"Stop—Look—Listen! is a common form of sign at dangerous railroad crossings. The present cotton situation and present abnormal high price ought to be a Stop—Look—Listen sign to every farmer in the South who is even remotely thinking of adding cotton acres and cutting down food and grain acres in 1924.

"It's a 100 to 1 bet that they will lose whichever way things go. If bad seasons and boll weevil don't get them, a price lower than a paying one will. If there was ever a time in the history of the South when the cotton farmer in the South ought to play safe, it is in this year of 1924.

"The South and the individual farmer in the South will never accumulate farm wealth until he quits gambling in cotton, gambling through big acreage plantings at high price periods, and produces, as a steady year in and year out policy, all the food and grain needed for home needs on home acres."

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Mr. Richard Popwell, prominent young R iboaucspel vbg mc mvb b young Republican of Route 6, came to Clanton Tuesday to register. Richard was 21 years old on htat day when he qualified himself as a voter in his county. He is the son of Mr. J. H. Popwell.

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24 lbs. Azile Flour	$1.00
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1 lb. Kennedy's Special Coffee	22c
No. 2 Can Sunday Dinner Peas	29c
No. 2 Can Sliced Pineapple	29c
No. 3 Can Sunday Dinner Hominy	11c
No. 3 Can Saur Kraut	13c
No. 2 Can Sunday Dinner Corn	18c
No. 2 Can Van Camp's Pork & Beans	13c
No. 3 Can Tomatoes	15c
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EX-PRES. WILSON PASSED AWAY ON LAST SUNDAY A.M.

Broken in Health Four Years Ago, He Bravely Fought to Regain His Strength.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Former President Woodrow Wilson died at 11:15 o'clock Sunday morning.

The end was peaceful, life ebbed away while he slept.

A tired man, he closed his eyes, and, "sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust," passed on to the great hereafter "like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him, and lies down to pleasant dreams."

Dr. Grayson, his friend and physician, announced the end of the great war president in this bulletin:

"Mr. Wilson died at 11:15 o'clock. His heart's action became feebler and feebler, and the heart muscle was so fatigued that it refused to act any longer. The end came peacefully.

"The remote causes of death lie in his ill-health which began more than four years ago, namely: general arterio-sclerosis with haempopligia. The immediate cause of death was exhaustion following a digestive disturbance which began in the early part of last week but did not reach an acute stage until the early morning hours of February 1."

Last Friday the grim reaper had forced his way into the house after waiting on the door-step more than four years. Saturday he had advanced to the landing on the stair case and stood counting off the ticks of the great clock. Saturday night he knocked on the chamber door. A faithful physician and a loyal wife stood with their backs against it. At nine o'clock he rattled the knob and called to the peaceful, prostrate figure on the bed—a great bed, long and wide, a replica of the bed is which Abraham Lincoln slept in the White House, with a golden American eagle and a tiny silk American flag just over the head board.

Although not unexpected, the passing of Woodrow Wilson was a severe shock to the people of this great country. There were people all over the country who differed with Mr. Wilson politically, but everyone will admit that he was a man of lofty ideals and was deeply interested in the welfare of humanity. He was uncompromising in his convictions. When he set his head on a question he stayed with it, no matter how other people saw it. All in all, Woodrow Wilson was really and truly a great and strong man and he gave his life and his all to his country.

Jimmie Taylor, who is attending Draughn's business college in Montgomery was in Clanton Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Taylor. Jimmie says that he is liking his studies well. He is taking a course in bookkeeping.

Mr. Sam Temerson, who for the past year has been running a dry goods store in the Wright building, has moved his stock of goods to Dora, Ala. We regret to see Mr. Temerson leave Clanton since he was a hustling business man and a good citizen.

CONTEST DATE SET FOR MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11

As the arrangement now stands, the actual work in trying the contest case between C. D. Messer and Judge L. H. Reynolds over the election of the probate judge of Chilton County will begin next Monday, February 11th. The lawyers have been busy this week getting everything in readiness for the trial to begin. It is reported that Judge Denson of Opelika will be here to preside over the case. As it now stands, 150 witnesses will be summoned the first day and 75 for each following day. The names which Messer challenged will be examined first and then the ones which Reynolds challenged will be taken up. The trial was first set for the first Monday in January, but at Messer's request was transfered to the first Monday in February. Later it was postponed another week by Messer, the last date being set for February 11th.

BUB HENLEY KILLS SELF WITH 12-GAUGE SHOTGUN

Bub Henley, age about 35 years, took his own life at the home of his mother near Fairview last Thursday morning, shooting himself with a 12-gauge shotgun. It is reported that Henley has always been somewhat demented. He was the son of Mrs. Bettie Henley, widow of the late Andrew Henley. It is reported that Henley got up before a mirror and arranged the gun so that he pulled the trigger with his toe, killing himself instantly.

THESE WARM SUNNY DAYS MAKE US WANT TO FISH

These warm sunshiny spring-like days somehow kindly produce a tickling sensation way down in one's system which can't be scratched with anything except a fish-hook, and which causes one to crave throwing his old cane poll over his shoulder and leisurely parading down to the creek and trying his luck at the art of arts. We don't know what to call it but there is something in almost every man, which after having been repressed by the long bleaky winter months, is kindly thawed up by the warm sunshine and invariably comes to the surface in the form of a desire to go fishing. The nice spring-like days of last week were exactly the kind that bring to life this temporarily dormant sensation.

The first one we have heard of who took this "disease" so acutely that he could not resist it was Uncle Riley Robinson of Providence in Beat 16. One day last week when he had shouldered his old 12-geuge and started out to the woods to see what he had perhaps caught in his traps, without breathing it to anyone, he quietly slipped into his pocket his hook and line. It being yet in January, the old man kindly felt ashamed for anyone to know that he was going fishing, hence he intended to keep it a profound secret. But the results explain the reason the story was let out. When Uncle Riley returned in the afternoon he had on his string two nice 3-pound willow cats. So, after he had some "luck" he told his folks all about it. If he had not caught anything it was his intention to let no one know that he had done such a thing as go fishing in January. Uncle Riley is a good old man, and the way he loves to fish is simply awful. No doubt you will agree when you read this.

IMPROVEMENTS ARE BEING MADE IN THIS CITY AT THIS TIME

No matter what else happens, Clanton continues to progress toward the goal of a real city. There is now well under way the paving of all the side walks along Seventh street between Maddox's warehouse and the postoffice. Other side walks in different sections of the city will be paved as soon as this is completed. Whenever the state highway extends its course through here, this will begin to look like a real business place.

Right at this time there are several new residences going up in the Gowan Addition and some in other sections as well. We understand that work will begin soon on two new brick store houses just west of Bill Sartor's place of business. Messrs. J. Q. Wade, the ice plant man and J. C. Jones of the Clanton Mercantile Co. are each going to put up a building on this lot. This is an improvement which will be welcome by everyone, since this big vacant lot right in the middle of the business section has always detracted greatly from the general appearance of the town.

But what we need most right now is some big manufacturing concern. To make it more definite, Clanton needs a cotton mill. The Chamber of Commerce has launched out upon a campaign whereby they wish to land a concern of this kind in Clanton, and here's hoping tat they succeed in the undertaking. There is not a better place in the world for a cotton mill than in Clanton, and we can't understand why one can't be located here. All it will take is co-operation among the business men of the town. Nothing more than this is needed and nothing less will ever do the stunt.

In our fight for locating industries here, let us not overlook the importance of draining off these swamps around Clanton. We are afraid that no concern of any value will ever locate here until this is done. So, let those in charge of the dranaige papers keep continually at work on this business and not let the project suffer for lack of being pushed. These swamps will have to be drained before Clanton builds up very much more. This is a settled fact.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WILL HAVE MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

Victor J. Heard, Secretary of the Clanton Chamber of Commerce, has issued a call to all the members of the Clanton Chamber of Commerce to meet at the court house in Clanton at 7:45 p.m., Friday, February 8th. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the ensuing year and to attend to any other business which may come before the body. All the members and ex-members of the organization are urged to be present at htis meeting. The Chamber of Commerce is a useful thing and all the citizens of the community should push it.

AN EXCLUSIVE MUSIC STORE IN CLANTON

Mr. G. C. Weldon, proprietor of the Weldon Drug and Music Company, has rented the Wright building, formerly occupied by Temerson, and will put up an exclusive music store in that place. Nothing will be handled there except pianos, talking machines and all other Rinds of musical instruments. Clanton should be proud of having a business of this kind.

MIMS—WATTS WEDDDING

On last Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock at his home in Clanton Uncle Dock Wells performed the ceremony which united in marriage Mr. David Samuel Mims and Miss Etta Watts. Both these young people are well known in Clanton and that they may enjoy a long and happy life is the desire of their many friends.

Shortly after their marriage the happy couple left by automobile for Selma, where they remained for a few days. They have already returned to Clanton where they intend to make their future home.

Dave is the son of Aunt Matt Mims of Clanton and his young bride is the charming daughter of Mrs. Watts Campbell also of this place.

ENTERPRISE NEWS

Mr. J. W. Devaughn and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams.

Mr. F. E. Neeley and family spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams.

Misses Liza and Ruby Williams spent a few enjoyable hours with Miss Jewell Deloach Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Belton Deloach spent a few days with Mr. S. D. Deloach and family last week.

Misses Maggie and Mary Huett spent Sunday with Misses Ruby and Liza Williams.

Several from here went to the singing at Bethsalem Sunday.

Misses Idona Neeley, Ethel Thomas and Mary Prickett spent a few enjoyable hours with Miss Jewell Deloach Friday afternoon.

THE WAY TO GET A COTTON MILL HERE IS TO GO AFTER IT

For several years it has been a foregone conclusion that what Clanton needs most is a cotton mill. There is scarcely a person here who does not admit this fact. We all want a cotton mill located here, and we are all in hopes that some how, some time, in some way, somebody will come here and build us one. Yes, we suppose this kind of thing will happen about one time out of a million, but if we expect to get a cotton mill for Clanton, the citizens of the town have simply got to get together and in an organized effort go out after it. No one is going to invest his money here unsolicited for the simple reason that other towns are after the capitalists on every side. And it is simple enough to see that the moneyed men are going to locate their industries where they are welcome and wanted. Read below what the Montgomery Journal has to say about the way they do things in Andalusia:

"Citizens of Andalusia realized not long ago that their town was an excellent place for a cotton mill. Perhaps the reports that New England mills were turning toward the South for locations had something to do with this realization. Perhaps the mind of some citizen of Andalusia was so active as to outline the possibilities of Andalusia as a cotton manufacturing town.

"Anyway Andalusia developed the ambition to have a cotton mill within her borders. There were two methods of obtaining the mill. One was through a convincing appeal to a plant located in another section. The other was through the organization of a home company. Andalusia didn't adopt the former one, which was of doubtful value. She chose the latter. A committee started a campaign for subscriptions totaling a half million dollars. Most of this amount has been subscribed.

"Now a leading citizen comes forward with the announcement that if Andalusia citizens will provide the funds for one cotton mill he will construct another. Thus the Andalusia way of going after what she wants will bring in twice as much as she expected. It's a better and surer method than hoping that somebody will discover the town's advantages."

Now, why on earth can't Clanton do the same? We co-operated and built a county high school; we co-operated and built a hospital which is indeed a credit to our town. We can build a cotton mill by concerted effort of our citizenship. When the agitation was raised last year, we understand that one of our progressive local citizens agreed to put up as much money as the rest of the people would put up toward building a cotton mill. Somebody made that proposition to Andalusia and they took him up. Clanton can do the same thing if we will only spend more of our time and money in boosting and building and less in knocking and tearing down. We can build a cotton mill if we want to. The only question is, do we want one?

QUARTERLY MEETING W. M. U.

The W. M. U. Quarterly meeting met with Jemison Baptist Church, Jan. 31st.

The meeting was opened at 10:30 with devotional by Supt., Mrs. W. J. Billingsley. Prayer by Rev. Whorton. Welcome address was given by Mrs. Duffie; Response by Mrs. Harper.

Report of State Convention at Bessemer, Mrs. Harper and Billingsley.

The Standard of Excellence, Mrs. Grady Broadhead.

Address, "Redeeming the Time," Rev. Whorton.

At 12 o'clock we adjourned for lunch. The ladies of Jemison served a bountiful lunch.

At 1 o'clock the meeting opened with devotional by Mrs. Connatser.

Jemison, Thorsby and Oak Grove were represented by a good delegation.

Thorsby won the banner on attendance and mileage.

Very good talks were given by Revs. Lawrence and Whorton on the subject: "What Magazines are on your library table."

Miss Mickle gave a talk on the Convention at Bessemer.

As the Young Peoples leader' was absent Rev. Whorton and Mrs. Broadhead took charge of the young people.

Every member went home resolved to do more for the 75 Million after having heard the excellent sermon from Rev. Whorton before the noon hour.

Adjourned with prayer by Rev. Lawrence.

Mrs. W. J. Billingsley, Supt.
Mrs. O. H. Garrick, Sec. pro-tem.

Mr. Oscar Bean, who is working for the Alabama Power company at Cherokee Bluffs, was in Clanton the first of this week.

JUDGE REYNOLDS WRITES REGARDING THE CONTEST

Editor Union-Banner:

The contest is set for trial next Monday, February 11th, and as far as I know now, it will be tried on this date. The Union-Banner published in its issue of January 31st a list of names challenged by Mr. Messer. Practically all of these people have responded by coming to the probate office and having their records cleared, and those who have not will please bring their poll tax receipts and registration certificates to me at once.

I am writing some of you a letter and as soon as you receive it please bring the information asked to me at once, but if you cannot possibly come, please answer the questions and mail to me at once in the self-addressed envelope which I enclose.

I must make mention of the way our people have assisted me in the contest, and express by appreciation for your support.

With sincerest gratitude for my voters and supporters, I am,

Very Sincerely,
L. H. REYNOLDS.

MISS STALLWORTH SPEAKS AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Miss Stallworth, State Secretary of the Womans Misionary Union, delivered an address in the interest of the W. M. U. at the Clanton Baptist Church last Sunday night. The pastor, Rev. Exell, did not preach but gave his time to this State worker. Miss Stallworth was greeted with a nice audience and delivered an address which was enjoyed by all present.

WIND STORM AT JEMISON

While the wind was blowing Monday night about 7 o'clock it got so strong in Jemison that it took the roof off of Mr. Wilson Sorrell's barn. So far as we could ascertain no injury was done to any person or any cattle or horses.

MR. A. J. EASTERLING WRITES BACK HOME FROM TEXAS

La Feria, Texas, Jan. 26, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please let me have a few lines in your good paper to say a few words to my old friends in Chilton County. Our folks are all well out here, but the weather is a little unfavorable, is cold and raining some. The weather has been rather cold most ever since we have been here, but we have not had any ice and not much rain.

The truck grovers are now getting a good price for their produce, cabbage selling for $45.00 a ton. This is a fine country. We now have fresh tomatoes, cabbage, onions, turnips, beets, green pepper, right from the garden. The people down here are very busy now gathering their winter truck, turning land for cotton and clearing land for first crop. There are oranges, grape fruit, lemons, on the trees now. We have just had some lemonade made of fresh lemons.

The land here is very rich and the climate is very fine. Almost anything that will grow anywhere will grow here in the Rio Grande Valley. We all like our location out here fine so far.

Well, I will close for this time and probably write some more later to let the people back home know how we are getting on.

A. J. EASTERLING.

DR. CRUMPTON IS NOW ON JOB OF THE ANTI-LEAGUE

Withdraws His Resignation As President of Anti-Saloon League of Alabama.

Withdrawal of the recent resignation of Dr. W. B. Crumpton, of Montgomery, as president of the Alabama Anti-Saloon League, upon assurance that members of the headquarters committee favor his continuance in office, was announced Saturday by J. Bibb Mills, state superintendent, from headquarters.

A formal statement issued by Mr. Mills declared that, "Dr. Crumpton, after conferring with members of the headquarters committee, and being assured that it is the sincere wish of the league committee for him to continue as president of the league, has authorized me to withdraw his resignation.

"His fellow officers and the committee will do whatever is necessary to relieve him of all responsibility and worry until such a time as his health will permit of his usual activity in the league's affairs."

Dr. Crumpton's tendered resignation came after the headquarter's committee had declared against Senator Underwood as Alabama's choice for the presidency, the senator's candidacy having been endorsed by Dr. Crumpton upon assurance that Underwood favored enforcement of the eighteenth amendment.

RAT-KILLING CONTEST TO BE PUT ON IN CLANTON

The ladies of the Civic Improvement Club of Clanton have announced a rat-killing contest to begin here on February 15th. Prizes will be offered to those killing the most rats, the first prize, a fine baseball glove, being offered by the Chamber of Commerce. Rats are a recognized nuisance, and every means should be utilized to diminish them. This will be sport to the boys as well as the means of winning a prize. We understand that Mrs. J. P. Hayes has charge of the program, so anyone wishing the particulars of the contest may apply to her.

SELLS DRAY BUSINESS

Mr. Willie Jones, who has heretofore been half owner of the City Transfer company has sold his interest to Mr. J. W. Franklin. Mr. Franklin was already half owner of the business and his recent acquisition of the other half makes him sole owner of the business. Mr. Jones has taken the job as local manager for the Coca-Cola Bottling company, and will deliver this well known soft drink to all the near-by towns of this section.

UNITED FARMERS OF AMERICA

All paid-up members of the U. F. of A. in Chilton County are requested to meet at the court house Saturday, February 9th for the purpose of electing the county officers for 1924.

Applicants for County Business Agent should have their applications in my hands not later than the above date.

A. B. BAXLEY,
State Manager.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	196,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT
of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

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POOR ORIGINAL

OAK GROVE

Dear Editor:

As we haven't seen any news from this place in quite a while, have decided to let you know that we are still alive.

Everybody is rejoicing over the beautiful weather that we are having. Seems as though spring has come once more.

Miss Roberta Martin had pneumonia last week but we are glad to say that she is some better now.

Our Sunday School is doing nicely. We had a large attendance Sunday and a fine lesson.

Our United Singing Society met Sunday afternoon with a large attendance. Directors for the afternoon were Messrs W. J. Northcutt, Lassie Northcutt, G. Dooley, E. H. Foshee, S. R. Cobb, Mabeth Northcutt, Lorene Matthews; Duet by E. H. Foshee and W. J. Northcutt; recess 10 minutes. Then the president called the crowd back by singing one song. Then a duet was rendered by Messrs. Berl Martin, Bill Cofer, Jack Cobb; duet by Misses Lesta Cobb and Ollie Glass. Organists were Misses Flossie Cobb, Esther Atkinson, Lesta Cobb.

We especially invite everybody to come out and be with us every first and third Sunday afternoons. Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days

Mr. O. C. Mastin of Birmingham spent Wednesday with his mother and family.

Mr. Earl Johnson of Dogwood was the guest of Miss Lesta Cobb Sunday.

Misses Golda Williams, and Ivy Sutley dined with Myrtle Martin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lassie Northcutt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cable.

Misses Lesta Cobb, Ollie Glass, Mabeth Northcutt, Lorene Matthews and Earl Johnson dined with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Northcutt Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Falkner and baby are spending a few days in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Misses Rosa Lea Martin and Alma Glass dined with Miss Mattie Lea Glass Sunday.

Our B. Y. P. U. is progressing nicely. We had a splendid program last Sunday.

ENTERPRISE NEWS

Well, Mr. Editor, here we come again for another short chat.

On account of the illness of Rev. B. F. Dykes, Mrs. M. M. Gray and Mrs. T. E. Gray were called to Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. Fannie Pierce and Mrs. Charlie Gray spent Wednesday with Mrs. Claude Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes and Mrs. G. W. Gray were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray Sunday.

Mr. Sam Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. A. R. Scott.

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BETHSALEM

Health of this community is very good at present except bad colds, but maybe they will soon get better.

Sunday was our regular singing evening, but there was not very many visitors because the weather was so cold.

The singing at Mr. and Mrs. Milton Moore's Saturday night was enjoyed by quite a number, and everybody seemed to have a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Askins of this place visited Prattville this week.

We are all very sorry to say that Miss Mattie and Mollie Dennis' school will be out Wednesday afternoon. We hate to see her leave as she will be missed so much.

Miss Dollie Pierce was the guest of Miss Mary Hill Friday night.

Mr. C. L. Wilkins and daughter, Mable, and the Misses Dennis motored to Clanton Saturday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mims of Clanton visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Saturday night.

Miss Alta Belle Vinson spent Sunday with her friend, Dollie Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Askins of Billingsley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Jessie Mae Pierce spent Friday night with Miss Mae Bowles.

Mr. Wash Bowles and family spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green.

Miss Mae Bowles spent Saturday night with Miss Dollie Pierce.

Mr. Lee Roye Jones and Miss Estella Froday were happily married Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and we wish them a long happy life.

Miss Mable Wilkins was the guest of Miss Agnes Askins Monday night.

Mr. C. C. Vnison and family motored to Clanton Monday.

Miss Mollie Dennis spent Thursday night with Mrs. A. M. Mims.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Billingsley and little daughter, Ophelia, spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson.

Miss Alta Belle Vinson spent a few hours with her friend, Miss Mary Hill Sunday morning.

Mr. C. L. Wilkins and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mims.

Misses Myrtle and Mae Bowles and Gertrude Friday, Mary Hill and Mr. and Mrs. William Owens were the guests of Misses Dollie and Jessie Mae Pierce last Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day, and everybody is invited to attend services.

Mr. T. G. Cofer of Jemison, Route 3, was in Clanton a while Tuesday morning.

MR. J. N. SCOTT REPLIES TO MR. C. T. WALKER

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please give me space for one more dose of my ignorance drops for Mr. C. T. Walker. It is a custom where a man opens up a subject, he is allowed the closing remarks if he so desires. Any way, I want to get Mr. Walker to understand my position on this question of road building if posible. I stated that it took labor to build roads and not money. I have graded and built lots of new rail roads, but it takes labor to do it, not money, and if I had to build a road from Mars Hill to Jemison, and all the men that live along the road were due me 10 days labor, do you think I would let them off for $5.00 and risk getting other men for 50 cents a day. I would say no. I want your 10 days, and I would see that they put it in.

Now, Mr. Walker, I see in your report where there has been a good deal of graveling done along on the roads somewhere. Was it done by machinery or labor? Let it be gathered up as it may, that is what it is going to take to build roads up here on these muddy hills and hollows is gravel and plenty of it to stand the traffic. Mr. Walker, I admit that the machine is good to scrape up the roads where they are sandy or gravely, but when you scape over these muddy hills and carry the mud up into the road you are wasting time that way. Of course, Mr. Walker I did not recommend building roads out of my ignorance drops, but do believe that if they are taken and used as directed with the other articles added as mentioned such as flat rock and gravel and some labor, there can be some good substantial roads built. I know of some places of road built 10 years ago by these directions and they are still standing up.

Mr. Walker, I fail to see how your conscience, doctor and money will ever build roads without labor. You stated in your last letter that you all had rather have the men's $5.50 than even have their 10 days. I see now, it is the money you are after, but I want to say that if you had all the money in Alabama and place it out on the hill at Mr. Childress's it would not keep the trucks and wagons from sticking after a rain. Of course, Mr. Walker, the hands rather work seven days than ten days, and the most of the boys up in here say that they are going to work their time rather than pay the $5.50. I admire that spirit of the boys, for then they will know where their labor went, and as for their $5.50, of course, 50c from each writing up the receipts, and as to where the $5.00 goes, we don't know but guess it will go on the Coosa River Road. If not it will take God to tell unless it is kept up with better than before.

Now, Mr. Walker, you never did explain how you were going to do more work on the roads with $5.00 or 7 days than with 10 days unless you think by stopping the hands from smoking cigaretts and telling yarns out on the roads and have them put in honest work. Well, about the truck tax, I agree with you, when a man pays $24.50 for his tag and 2c a gallon extra for gas, I think that enough for him to pay out as road tax. The man with a wagon is not compelled by the law of the state or county to purchase tags, neither do they use gas, so they are road free. Well, if the Chilton County News is correct as to the amount of road tax being paid in I can't see why we should not get a little gravel and scraping done up here on our roads. Mr. Walker, you stated that you did not know just how much tax I paid but that I reminded you of a man you heard of who was kicking about high taxes and when you investigated a little you found that he did not pay a poll tax and had a bunch of children. A very good companion, Mr. Walker, except the bunch of children. I have none at home, but I haven't paid a poll tax in about 15 years, but if you will go to Clanton and examine all the records you will find where I paid last month $105.50 taxes. Why not be a kicker; and you all are yet wanting $11.25. You fellows must take a man to be a millionaire when he owns a little gasoline saw mill and a Ford truck. We need several thousand more kickers in Alabama about high taxes.

Well, Mr. Walker, I certainly appreciate your invitation to me to come over and especially the dinner part, and I am sure you could show me a good deal of mud and leaves raked up into the roads, if you have been using the machine. But you said that on account of the old hand working system the roads were bad and I had better not try to come in my car. So I took that as good advice, for if you had been using the machine like it had been on the highway I knew the roads out there must be rough and unless you met me with a buggy or a Ford car we could not make the trip. I went down the highway to Clanton a few weeks ago and right where they scraped over it one or two trips a week I was bogged down almost to the axle a lot of the time, and a way down just this side of old Uncle Gantt Riggins' place I ran into a hole in the middle of the highway and broke my front spring, which cost me $3.75 to get replaced.

In conclusion I want to say that there is no harm attached to these ignorance drops. They stand for the old law 10 days a year for all road hands, and have a man to see that it is actually put in on the roads. Have all the trucks and 2-horse wagons put in 5 days a year, a man with a 1-horse wagon 5 days a year, the same man to see that it is worked. They stand for a new system of work in place of putting in pine tops and mud in boggy places. Have the men with teams to haul in rock and gravel, then have the machine come along and scrape over the road at least once a year in order to clean out the ditches where it is not muddy. Where there is muddy cuts or other places have the mud in the ditches thrown out instead of raked up in the road.

Mr. Walker, I want to say that I have spent the past 5 years in a county that knows how to build roads and they have got good roads, and they don't have to stop and throw off the load on their wagons or their trucks after a 20-minute rain. Mr. Walker, I should like to come after that dinner but I had better put it off till summer time.

Yours for good roads,
J. N. SCOTT.

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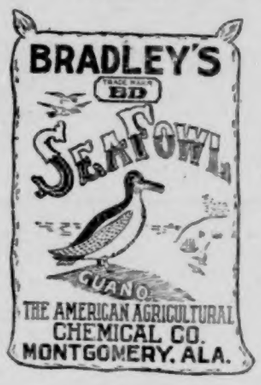

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What is true of drugs must be true of foods. Purity and efficiency in the can is only part of the problem—purity and efficiency in the kitchen is the true test.

The law requires that baking power contain 12% leavening gas at the time of sale to the consumer. This measure insures uniform leavening efficiency and protects the health of the public.

In order to comply with this fixed standard for baking powder, manufacturers must produce and pack their product so as to avoid the deterioration which may result from absorption of atmospheric moisture.

Baking Powder manufacturers to avoid violation of the law, also spend thousands of dollars yearly in testing grocers' stocks and removing "spent" goods from his shelves, in spite of the fact that every possible precaution had previously been taken against deterioration.

With the exception of Texas, the pure food laws are not applied to baking powder mixed with flour at the mill and sold in bags as "Self Rising Flour." There is no penalty on the manufacturers if this fails to "self rise"—the consumer is the "goat"—he is the one that pays the penalty through indigestion and ill health that comes from eating bakings that are not properly raised. The standardization of baking powder is a protection to both the consumer and the manufacturer—who welcomes such laws and co-operates in every way possible. But!

Not so with the self rising flour manufacturer—he resents such laws and fights such legislation. Why? Because a standardization of self rising flour would require moisture-proof containers instead of cheap sacks—because low grade "clears" could no longer be sold as "fancy patent flour." It would also mean he must maintain expert chemical control such as is now maintained by baking powder manufacturers.

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CLANTON, ALA.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Study Club Meets

The members of the Study Club were delightfully entertained by Mrs. Grover Harris at her attractive home in South Clanton on last Friday afternoon.

The living room and reception hall were made very attractive with vases of pink and white carnations and daffodils. Owing to the absence of the president, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, the vice-president, Mrs. Grady Broadhead presided. Mrs. Jno. VanDerveer was parlimentarian. After a lengthy business session a very interesting program followed: "A Liberal Education, Anthony Hope," by Mrs. Hugh Jones. "The Outcasts of Poker Flat," Bret Harte, by Mrs. Macy Jones. "A Coward," Guy DeMaupassant, by Mrs. McDonald. Discussion by Club.

The Club feels very proud of the 1924 Year Book. The short-story programs found instant favor.

In the conclusion a very tempting plate consisting of salad in heart-shaped rosetts, sandwiches and coffee with miniature hearts and dainty valentines on each plate was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Earl Gowan and little Elizabeth Harris.

Dr. and Mrs. Hinkle Entertain

Dr. and Mrs. P. T. Hinkle delightfully entertained the Gun Club and a few invited friends at a Stag Dinner last Wednesday. Sports of all knids were thoroughly enjoyed, and at the noon hour a lovely four-course dinner was served. The table was centered with a beautiful basket of fruit. Dr. Ezell, in his most pleasing manner, presented to Mrs. Hinkle in behalf of the gun club a lovely Bible and to the Doctor a French harp, toy pistol and a box of ammunition which caused much laughter. Place cards marked the places of the following: Drs. Gragg, Hayes, Upchurch, Wilkerson, Ezell, Messrs. White, Pipes, Sartor, McDavid, Calloway, J. C. Jones, Page, J.R. Mullins, C.F. Jones, J. B. Atkinson, Messrs. Louis, Means and Stewart of Birmingham and F. W. Thomas of Talladega.

Mrs. Hinkle Entertains

The "Oaks" the lovely home of Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, was thrown open last Thursday to the officers of Julia Beauchamp Chapter 271 O. E. S. A lovely spend-the-day was enjoyed and plans were discussed for another year's work. A beautiful basket of fruit adorned the center of the table and at the noon hour a lovely plate luncheon was served to the following: Mr. Omar Reynolds, Mesdames Gragg, Higgins, Hayes, Harris, Pipes, Plier, Downs, Lande, Williams, White and Miss Dollie Harris.

Mrs. Polk Hostess.

A lovely affair of last Wednesday was a spend-the-day enjoyed by the members of the Sewing Club at the home of Mrs. Geo. Polk. Fragrant narcissus was an added interior attraction. A basket of spring blossoms centered the dining table and a delightful four-course dinner was served. Covers were laid for Mesdames Barney Roberts, Ervin Luckie, Marion Gore, Chas. Wilkerson, Meyers Arant, Watts Moore, Clyde Jones, and the hostess.

Joint Hostesses to Bridge Party.

Mrs. John Page and Mrs. Guy Roberts were joint hostesses to a number of their friends with a very beautiful Bridge Party on last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Page. The color note of pink and white was prettily carried out in the confections and decorations. The rooms were fragrant with spring blossoms and vases of carnations. Tapers burned in silver candlesticks. Mrs. John Van Derveer won the prize for top score and was given a box of dainty handmade kerchiefs, while Mrs. Gerald ut the consolate, a deck of congress cards. A tempting luncheon plate with hot coffee was served at the conclusion of the game. Included in this courtesy were Mesdames Hance Alred, Frank Callen, Hugh Simpson, Napoleon Johnson, Arthur Johnson, T. C. McSwain, Eric Hart, Hosea F. Downs, Carrie Mullins, McDonald, V. J. Heard, Grady Reynolds, Harvey Chandler, Percy Pitts, Guy Higgins, Hugh Jones, Earl Gowan, John Browder, Misses Louise and Madelyn Orr, Bettie Mullins and Kathleen Mullins.

Miss Kathleen Mullins and Mr. John Deramus spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Mr. Frank Thomas from Talladega was a visitor to Clanton last week.

Mr. M. A. Gore made a business trip to Greenville last week.

Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. T. C. McSwain, Mrs. Lucian Duncan and Mrs. Victor Heard enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore, Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson, Mrs. R. E. Luckie and Mrs. Ervin Wilson were visitors to the District Conference on last Wednesday.

Mr. W. K. Mullins from Birmingham spent Sunday night with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reynolds and little daughter from Hardaway were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds for the week end.

Mr. Tom Jones from Montgomery spent the week end with relatives in Clanton.

Miss Inis Carter was the guest of Miss Juanita Connatser at Thorsby Tuesday night.

Miss Mary Bess Sims has returned to her home in Alex City, after spending a couple of weeks with friends in Clanton.

Prof. Stephenson made a business trip to Atlanta for the week end.

Miss Willadeen Reynolds, a student of Montevallo was home for the week end.

Mr. John Gore from Columbus, Ga., spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Martin Nix from Wilton was a visitor to Clanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page enjoyed a motor trip to Selma Sunday.

Miss Willie Hggins, who is in college in Montgomery this winter, was home for the week end.

The friends of little Miss Peggy Mullins will regret to learn that she is on the sick list this week with scarlet fever at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Edwards are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a fine boy, whom they have named Willie, Jr.

Mrs. Claude Reynolds and sons left Sunday for a few days visit to her mother in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Temerson are leaving this week for Dora, Ala., where they go to make their future home.

Mr. Gilva McKee from Montgomery was a visitor to Clanton last Sunday.

Mr. W. W. Fox spent Tuesday in the Magic City.

Rev. C. C. Wilkerson is spending this week in Prattville attending District Conference.

Mrs. Toy Parson from Mobile was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Grady Reynolds for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Driver left last week for their new home in Palmetto, Florida.

Mrs. Grady Heflin spent last week with her mother in Randolph.

Mr. G. D. Retherford made a business trip to Birmingham Friday.

Mesrss. L. F. Gerald and Guy Higgins were visitors to Prattvlle last Tuesday.

Mrs. P. T. Hinkle and Miss Frances Higgins were visitors to Birmingham Friday.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton left Tuesday afternoon for a trip to Columbiana, where she has a music class.

OYSTER SUPPER AT CHURCH

Circle No. 3 of the Baptist Ladies Aid will give an oyster supper n the Clanton Baptist Church next Friday night, February 8th. The co-operation of the people of the town is solicited.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

We are sorry to report that Maplesville has a supply of mumps and measles. Miss Mary Brooks and Mr. Archie Harris have mumps.

—The family of Mr. F. H. Brown has three cases of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oden have moved to Shoults community. We are very sorry to see them leave.

There was an interesting basket ball game played here Friday p.m. by Stanton and Maplesville boys. We are very glad to say that our boys won the game, the score benig 9 to 2. The Stanton boys played very good ball, but the Maplesville boys were too swift for them. We are going to play them again soon.

We have a very good Sunday School now. All the classes reorganized Sunday and we are hoping to carry on better work now.

Mr. Donald Merchant of Centerville was in town Friday p.m. We were very glad to see our old friends come back to town some times.

Mrs. Clint McGee has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mood McGee of Shoults. They returned home Saturday afternoon.

A good many from here attended the negro minstrel in Stanton Friday night.

MR. BEN DENNIS DEAD

Mr. Ben Dennis of Bethel community died at his home last Saturday. Mr. Dennis was 73 years old and was the father of nine children, six sons and three daughters. The sons are: J. E. Dennis, Dock Dennis and Horace Dennis of Maplesville; C. C. Dennis of Autauga county; B. D. Dennis and Levi Dennis of Bethel community. The daughters are: Mrs. J. A. Dykes, Mrs. Perry Mims and Mrs. Frank Mims of near Clanton.

Mr. Dennis had been married twice, his first wife being Malissa Foshee, sister to Joe and Bazz Foshee, and his second wife was Mary Wilson, sister to Mr. Pate Wilson of Clanton. His second wife is still living. The younger three sons were children of his second wife.

Mr. Dennis was for several years a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist church. The remains were buried at Bethel church last Sunday.

After a few days visit to her parents, Mrs. Leonard Kemp and children have returned to their home in Newman, Ga.

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Our dainty, lacey undergarments are made for ladies who care. We have been careful in selecting the finest materials, and know that these garments are cut on the right lines—with plenty of room. The seams won't pull out. Come in today and take home one of these comfortable garments.

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Mr. McAdoo should not come in contact with much friction in his race for president of the United States, since his campaign now seems to carry along with it quite an abundant supply of "oil." It has just transpired that he is very intimately connected with the Teapot Dome oil scandal which was fostered by Messrs. Fall and Doheny.

APPOSITE MEDICINE FOR PEOPLE OF CLANTON

"Nothing worth while has ever been done that was not the result of co-operation." These words were spoken by Rev. S. J. Ezell in his sermon at the Clanton Baptist Church last Sunday and this idea was the general substance of his entire address. This sermon was a very apt one from the three standpoints of "who," "when" and "where?"

What we mean by "who" is the people of Clanton. The people here have always had the tendency of being divided and pulling against each other. Of course we have accomplished a great deal, and as Rev. Ezell said, what we have accomplished has been a result of co-operaton. But what else do you suppose we might have done had all the dissension and division of the past been converted into co-operation and unity? Had all our people worked together in co-operation toward some good end as hard as they have in knocking and pulling against each other, Clanton today would make Birmingham ashamed of herself.

What we mean by "when" is that Rev. Ezell selected a time in which medicine of this kind was never more badly needed. Although Bro. Ezell did not enter into politics at all, neither did he express any inclination toward any party or any faction, yet he made it very plain that the idea of co-operation should be applied to politics and government as well as to any other phase of life.

What we mean by "where" is that Clanton is a place where the ideas of this wonderful sermon should be really and fully taken to heart. Clanton is a fine place to live in, and we never expect to live anywhere else, but what a much better town we would have if the idea of co-operation predominated every life here. If everybody would work together, there is scarcely anything within reason that we could not accomplish. It was united effort among the Baptists of Clanton that built our magnificent Baptist church building. It was united effort among the Methodists of Clanton that built our magnificent Methodist church, and it was co-operation that accomplished everything that has been done here in the past. What has been done was done in spite of the dissension and opposition, a great amount of which is always present in any undertaking.

So, we say again, that what Clanton needs most at this time is the spirit of co-operation ebmedded deep in the hearts of every individual citizen. We will always have different views religiously and politically, but these differences should not be allowed to affect us when it comes to the common welfare of us all. There are things that affect us all alike, no matter what our politics and religions are, and in such matter it behooves us all to stand together and use our every effort to push our town and county on up the road of progress.

REPUBLICANS SCORED FOR AIDING MR. L. B. MUSGROVE

The Birmingham News last Monday evennig carried a long editorial charging the Republican newspapers of Alabama with giving aid to Mr. L. B. Musgrove in his campaign against Senator Underwood in Alabama for the presidency. The News says that Mr. Musgrove finds in The Foley Onlooker, The Clanton Union-Banner, The Fort Payne Republican and The Collinsville Courier a "willing aid in spreading his defamation of Senator Underwood." Regarding The Union-Banner and The DeKalb Republican The News has this to say:

> The Clanton Union-Banner is one of the backbones of the Republican party in Alabama. The brother of T. E. Wyatt, the publisher, was one of the three Republican members of the Legislature. This paper is also vigorously joining in the yelping and yipping at the heels of Senator Underwood.
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> The Fort Payne Republican, established by the Republican Campaign Committee, so reports go, to help build up the party in that section, and edited by W. M. Wyatt, the aforesaid Republican member of the Legislature, is also dipping its oar, aiding Mr. Musgrove in trying to damage the Democratic Senator and aspirant.

The way that the Democratic ring of Alabama resents being opposed in its schemes either by Republicans or by reactionary members of its own party is very noticeable. They feel that it is the solemn duty of everybody in the State to sit still while they prescribe the medicine and measure up the dose and without a word of opposition take the bitter cup and swig down the dregs just as tho it were cordial. Most of the Democrats, even though they are bitterly opposed to the Underwood tactics, take the medicine with little murmuring, but the Republicans are free from the clutches of their mechanical talens, so we can be for whom we wish. There are numbers of Democrats who would express themselves jost as the Republicans do regarding Underwood and Musgrove if they only had their way about it.

The News goes on to say: "Is it not the acme of impudence that these Republicans should be interfering in a Democratic contest?" They follow up this statement by saying:

> The Democrats do not interfere in the Republican party contests in this State, and the thousands of Democrats of Alabama who have not become so blinded by hate that they will accept any alliance in the effort to injure, deeply resent this unwarranted intrusion.

If The Birmingham News is sincere in the statements made in the above paragraph, they surely have not been keeping up with politics in Chilton County very closely for the past few years. If they had noticed how The Chilton County News furnished space to some of our side-tracked Republicans in the last campaign, they would see that the above statement does not hold good all over the State.

The trouble is simply this: The News thinks that what the political oracle of Alabama issues forth should be considered law and gospel by both Democrats and Republicans and that we should not open our mouth in opposition to any of its rulings. But this kind of politicking is fast running out of existence in Alabama and everywhere else. Folks have a right to speak and they are going to use that right regardless of political machines.

W. S. Clark of Mt. Creek was here Monday on business.

In His Memory—A Lasting Friendship

COFFEE GOING UP

The price of coffee is due for a rise. Lest Cordell Hull, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, should rush into print and blame this to the traiff, let us spare him embarrassment by stating that coffee is on the free list. The reason for rise in price is scarcity of coffee. Brazil has a large crop, but not of the kind which finds favor with American consumers, who purchase Santos, and, due to rains, the Santos 1924-5 crop has suffered a 40 per cent shrinkage. The old law of supply and demand is about to get in its work. When there was plenty of Santos coffee, the price remained at a reasonable figure, though somewhat inflated because of the Brazilian policy of valorization. When we have plenty of wheat for domestic consumption, the price likewise falls. Last year we raised wheat on a war basis, and because the wheat fields of Europe approached normal production we found ourselves with a large surplus. Down went wheat. The boards of trade knew the situation before the farmers did. Natural law was in operation. The tariff had no more effect on wheat prices than it did on coffee, except that had the Republican law not put a protective duty on wheat the Canadian wheat would have had a tendency still further to depress our market. Federal aid in keeping up wheat prices will get us nowhere. Co-operation among wheatgrowers and careful recording of conditions followed by wise crop diversification present a sane program to follow.

THE MOVEMENT OF TODAY

Senator Lodge.—"The ultimate result which will come if we continue along the path we are now treading, and which is peculiar in our system of government, is the destruction of the States or their reduction to a condition of inanition through the absorption of Government functions by the central Government at Washington. This movement is proceeding with great rapidity and it is well to remember that the State Governments embody the principle of local self-government which has always been justly regarded as one of the corner stones of the Republic. . . .

Our forefathers founded a limited Government. Thee movement of today and the various measures of a socialistic kind extending governmental activities are breaking down those constitutional limitations and are intended to do so. It is well for us to stop and consider whether it is wise to destroy the Government which Washington founded and which Lincoln saved."

WHERE ARE THE SWINE?

Democoratic abhorrence of great riches and extravagance has become a byword—politically and during campaigns. But when the Democrats are in power they run the nation into debt to an extent which requires a coming generation to pay out. Democratic attacks on the rich, the campaigns of industry, swollen fortunes, large incomes, etc., are notorious. What a shock it is to be informed, then, that the purchaser of the black pearls of the late Czarina of Russia is none other than Mrs. Peter Goelet Gerry, wife of Senator Peter G. Gerry, Democratic Senator from the State of Rhode Island. The price paid for these pearls was $400,000. The pearls have been strung and will adorn the fair neck of Mrs. Gerry—a comfortable fortune in small compass flaunted in the faces of the "poor people" for whose welfare the Democratic party professes such deep and tender solicitude. Isn't it touching?

Mr. Wallace C. Edler of Thorsby was in Clanton Monday attendnig to business matters.

TENDER AND TASTY

Steaks and chops—yes, a complete line of the best Meats, always fresh and reasonably priced. Shop here for them.

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That You May Decide--

Muscle Shoals Proposal

From statement submitted to House Military Affairs Committee, January 25, 1924, by Mr. E. A. Yates, vice-president, Alabama Power Co., in behalf of the joint offer by Southern Public Utility Power Companies and Associates for leasing the Muscle Shoals power project.

Compared With Offer By Mr. Henry Ford With Respect to Fertilizer Manufacture

Public Utility Power Companies' Offer	Ford Offer
Product 50,000 tons annually fixed nitrogen in form of fertilizers.	**Product** 40,000 tons annually fixed nitrogen in form of fertilizers.
Process Will use the synthetic ammonia process, which produces much cheaper than any other process known today.	**Process** No committal to use a commercial process. Agrees to operate Plant No. 2. This is the cyamid process, which is a rather high cost method of fixing nitrogen.
Cost of Product Cost of fixed nitrogen per pound is half that provided for Ford offer. Hence cost of fertilizer to the farmer is cheaper than under the Ford offer.	**Cost of Product** Cost of fixed nitrogen per pound is twice that provided for in the Power Company offer. Hence Ford's fertilizer will cost the farmer more than that made by the Power Company.
Power for Fertilizer 100,000 H.P. at cost. 40,000 extra at price set by Federal Power Commission.	**Power of Fertilizer** No specific amount, or cost of power, for such fertilizer is provided, "using the most economical source of power available." The power could cost any amount desired up to the price at which someone else would furnish it.
Nitrogen Fixation Capacity Provided in Case of War 90,000 tons of fixed nitrogen per year, this being the 50,000 tons in new plants, plus 40,000 tons in plant No. 2.	**Nitrogen Fixation Capacity Provided in Case of War** 40,000 tons fixed nitrogen per year, this being the 40,000 tons at Plant No. 2.
Disposition of Nitrogen Plants Will maintain Nitrogen Plant No. 2 ready for operation and will build with Nitrate Plant No. 1 as a nucleus 50,000 tons of nitrogen annual capacity.	**Disposition of Nitrogen Plants** Will operate Nitrogen Plant No. 2 and aparently expects to scrap Nitrogen Plant No. 1.
Remedy in Case of Breach of Contract In case of violation of terms of the contract, Nitrogen Plant No. 2 is maintained in state ready for operation and Nitrate Plant No. 1 can be recaptured in better state for operation than at present.	**Remedy in Case of Breach of Contract** In case of violation of the terms of the contract, both Nitrate plants Nos. 1 and 2 having been sold outright probably could not be recaptured, but only the power phases of the contract could be cancelled.
Profits Allowed Company Will sell to consumers at cost plus eight per cent.	**Profits Allowed Company** Will sell to consumers at cost plus eight per cent.

AND: A comparison of the Power Companies' offer, versus the Ford offer, on the basis of the power only, shows that the Power Companies' payments on the basis of a hundred years would exceed Mr. Ford's payments by $80,000,000 to $90,000,000; that the Power Companies would save the Government $25,000,000 to $30,000,000 of capital investment over the Ford offer.

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IT'S much easier to check it now than after serious complications develop. Nothing like Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey to stop coughing quickly. Just those medicines that up-to-date doctors prescribe for loosening heavy phlegm and soothing throat tissues are in it—combined with the old reliable remedy—pine-tar honey. Keep it on hand for all the family.

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POOR OR

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BIG ANNIVERSARY SALE

This Sale Will Continue For Two Weeks

BE SURE AND SEE THE NEW SPRING DRESSES JUST ARRIVED AND ARE IN THIS SALE

MEN'S AND BOYS' O'ALLS

Men's good 220 Denim Overalls $1.49

Boys' Overalls, from 4 to 15 years, while they last 89c

MEN'S WEAR

Work Shirts, heavy weight, 2 pockets 89c

Men's Flannel Shirts, $1.50 value for 95c

Men's Wool Shirts, regulation 2 pockets, $2.50 value, only $2.10

Men's Mole Skin Pants, $3.00 value for $2.45

MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES

Men's Good Work Shoes, guaranteed to give satisfaction; regular $3.50 value for $3.19

Men's and Boys' Sunday Shoes at Bargain prices.

SHOE POLISH

Shinola Shoe Polish, 2 boxes for 15c

PALM OLIVE SOAP

Cherry Bloom Palm Olive Soap, 6 bars for 25c

ALL-WINTER UNDERWEAR

All Winter Underwear at gretaly Reduced Prices.

MEN'S SOCKS

Men's Socks, pair 10c

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Men's Dress Shirts, fast colors, only 98c

COATES THREAD

Coates Thread, (only 6 spools to customer), 6 spools for 25c

SHEETING

Sheeting, 27-inch; 11 yards for $1.00

WE WILL GIVE AWAY DIFFERENT PREMIUMS ALL ALONG DURING THIS 15-DAY SALE.

ALL NEW SPRING MERCHANDISE WILL GO IN THIS SALE AT BARGAIN PRICES.

COME AND BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY.

BELOW YOU WILL SEE LISTED ONLY A FEW OF THE MANY BARGAINS WE HAVE FOR YOU:

Splendidly Tailored Coats in styles that are staple, and that will be in good taste for another season's wear. All to be sold at wholesale prices.

Men's and Boys' Suits in all-wool, cheaper than you ever bought them. Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps at a big saving.

Ladies' Skirts, Dresses, Underwear—new merchandise—will be marked down and go in this Sale at REAL BARGAINS.

Wool and Cotton Blankets sacrificed—prices LESS than cost. All Trunks and Suit Cases REDUCED 20 PER CENT.

Now is the time to save money on your Spring purchases. Be here when the clock strikes 9—next Saturday morning—

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CLANTON, ALA.

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LADIES' HOSE

Ladies' Hose, cotton, in white, black and brown; 2 pair for 25c

FIBRE SILK HOSE

Fibre Silk Hose, all colors 41c

SILK HOSE

Full Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose, all colors; $2.50 value only $1.89

CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS

Children's Knit Bloomers; regular 50c value 39c

UNION SUITS

Union Suits for Boys and Girls, medium weight; regular 75c value 49c

FLANNEL MIDDIES

Ladies' and Misses' Flannel Middies; $2.50 value $1.79

OIL CLOTH

Oil Cloth in Fancy and white; 3 yards for $1.00

QUILT BUNDLES

Quilt Bundles, 2-lb. remnants 47c

GINGHAMS

Ginghams, 17½c grade at 15c

Ginghams, 22½c grade at 19c

Ginghams, 25c grade at 21c

MEN'S GLOVES

Good grade Work Gloves, leather palm, at 41c

All-leather Auto Driving Glove, black; $2.00 value $1.39

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HIGHWAYS NOT BUILT BY RULE OF THUMB

Technically Trained Men in Demand For Building Roads.

In the early days of road building, any contractor who could spread stone and roll it was good enough to "engineer" the road to be built. Today all organizations engaged in road building are looking for the trained road engineer, and when there are not enough to go around, sending their own men to college for better training in highway building.

In 1919 the University of Michigan, which has departments of Highway Engineering and Highway Transport (Professor Arthur H. Blanchard) offered graduate short period courses in highway engineering and highway transport, leading to the degree of Master of Science or Master of Science in Engineering, arranged especially for men engaged in the practice of highway engineering and highway transport.

In 1919-20 the attendance was 29; while in 922-23, 110 men attended these courses, the average age of the men being 27 years, ranging from 23 to 56 years. These men came from the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, state, county and municipal highway departments, contractors' organizations, companies manufacturing motor trucks, highway machinery, and materials, universities, and from the field of highway transport. During 1923-24, 18 graduate short period courses will be offered, 10 in the field of highway engineering and 8 in highway transport. These courses will be given by a staff of 8 professors and 10 non-resident lecturers.

The road building world is looking to the engineer, the trained man, the technician, for light on how to build better, less expensive, more permanent highwysa. It is generally recognized now that the day of the rule-of-thumb builder is gone, and that only the engineer, proficient in the art and familiar with the best practice, is the economical spender of the taxpayer's money!

W. M. S. TO MEET

The W. M. S. Circles No. 3 and 2 will meet at Mrs. V. J. Gragg's Monday, Feb. 11th at 3 o'clock. Circle 3 will have charge of the program.

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Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 13 at Minooka on February 7, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Robinson's Store on February 8, 1924.
Precinct No. 12 at Mineral Springs on February 9, 1924.
Precinct No. 1 at Mullins School House on Feb. 11, 1924.
Precinct No. 11 at Cane Creek on February 12, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Mountain Creek on February 13, 1924.
Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

No one can register except in his own precinct and at the Court House.

PROF. SUTTON WRITES ABOUT READING CIRCLE

Verbena, Ala., Feb. 4, 1924.

There appeared in a recent issue of the county newspapers an article published by County Supt. Foshee giving facts connected with the recent Thorndyke McCall reading tests that were conducted by a representative of the State Department of Education. Early in September these same tests were given the pupils of the Verbena High school in the grades 2-11 inclusive. The tests were given solely for the purpose of finding the reading weaknesses and to stimulate the activities of pupils along the lines of more and more accurate reading. Recently we have given a second form of the same difficulty, and when the results have been tabulated we shall be glad to furnish the analysis of the tests to your readers if they desire them.

The following Median grades, with basis 100 as an average for U. S. in the several grades:

Second grade	73
Third grade	93
Fourth grade	76
Fifth grade	84
Sixth grade	79
Seventh grade	80
Eighth grade	81
Ninth grade	82
Tenth grade	96
Eleventh grade	91
Grades 2-11	82
Grades 2-6	82

These tests have enabled us to determine accurately the chief faults in each pupil's reading—ability to understand the printed page and expression of his or her answer to questions. Of course, they are of no service unless the teacher use them as a basis for correction of the defects.

We found on examination of the higher scores—and some few are as high as 130—that they are made by pupils who have been regular in attendance of eight and nine months schools. And those making the lower scores—in some cases as low as 43—are pupils who have had only short term schools and have recently come into Verbena, or of pupils who have begun school late in the fall after crops were gathered and who are the first to drop out of school in the spring to begin the spring plowing. Should the scores of pupils who have attended five months or less be eliminated, the average would be between 90 and 95.

It might be of interest to the people of the county to know how these tests are made and the scores determined. The tests are prepared by Thorndike and McCall, two prominent educators, and sent out to schools scattered throughout the United States, and thousands of pupils take them. Then the papers are collected and worked over with the intent of establishing averages for certain grades in school and also with relation to the age of pupils. For instance, if a pupil makes a score of 59 actual points, and is 181 months old, the percentage of that pupil is 97. The pupil should read that well at the age of 175 months. Again, a pupil makes a score of 40, age 108 months. The percentage is 110, because the average reading age on that score has been determined to be 121 months. A pupil may make as high a score as 77 and yet have a percentage of 85, due to the fact that his age is relatively high.

If parents who have been habituated in keeping their children from school will only realize that year by year they are retarding their children's progress and keeping them much below the average for their school mates who attend regularly, let alone the 100 per cent average of the country, then Chilton county will advance rapidly educationally. This does not mean on paper, but in the intellectual growth of the children. The same things may be said of the other subjects in school besides reading. And the same facts are true in each case.

Let us have regular attendance in long term schools.

W. E. G. SUTTON.

Spring Cleaning

The time has come for you to have all your old Spring and summer clothing cleaned and pressed and made like new. We can fix 'em so you'll think they are brand new — the Hoffman Sanitary Steam press way. Call us right **now**— we'll convince you.

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Clanton, Ala.

COTTON SLOGAN IS NOW BEING ADOPTED

"Not More Acres But More Cotton Per Acre" Is Reported and Endorsed by Hinds.

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 5.—"Not more acres in cotton but more cotton per acre" is a slogan being adopted by cotton growers throughout the South and reported by Dr. W. E. Hinds, Entomologist for the Alabama Experiment Station and Extension Service.

To carry out this slogan, Dr. Hinds declares that certain well-known facts must be taken into consideration. In the first place good, well-drained land should be selected for cotton, because such land warms up early in the spring. The seedbed should be prepared early in order that it may be well settled and firm at planting.

On the time of planting Dr. Hinds said: 'Plant only moderately early after danger of cold is past and the ground is moist and warm enough to give quick germination and a rapid and continuous growth of the plants."

Good seed of the highest yielding varieties are recommended. For north Albama these varieties are Cook strains, Bottoms, Piedmont-Cleveland, Acala No. 5, and early varieties, like King and Trice. For central Alabama they are Cook strains, Piedmont-Cleveland, Toole, College No. 1, and Acala No. 5.

For wilt-infested land, which is largely confined to the sandy lands in the southern half of the State, Cook 307-6 and Toole strains have proven themselves to be leaders in experiments conducted by the Alabama Experiment Station.

For information as to the amount and kind of fertilizer to use, farmers are referred to their county agents because there is a wide variation in conditions and the county agents are familiar with the conditions in their respective counties.

FARMERS' MEETING

Feeling that the services of Dr. H. W. Caldwell, teacher of Vocational Agriculture in the Isabella School, should be utilized county wide when possible, I am glad to announce that he has consented to address the farmers of the county at the court house on Feb. 16, 1924, at 10 a.m., on the subject of "Cotton Growing Under Boll Weevil Conditions." Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Baptist church at Clanton has also consented to speak at that time on the subject, "Fertilization and Soil Building."

Let me urge every farmer of the county that can do so, to be present at this time, as these men are capable of giving you some really helpful advice.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

CATARRH
"Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

McADOO'S HOPES SEVERELY SHAKEN

Doheny's Evidence Is a Destructive Bombshell, Washington Observers Say.

Washington, Feb. 5.—E. L. Doheny's testimony involving William G. McAdoo and Thomas W. Gregory, and other prominent Democrats, is regarded here as one of the most destructive political bombshells in years.

Its effect will be keen, political observers here predict, and will be reflected alike in the Republican and Democratic presidential situations.

Democratic politicians shied away from open comment though everywhere the question was heard "What will Doheny's testimony do to McAdoo's candidacy?"

Still on Doheny's Payroll

Doheny testified he had employed McAdoo as a lawyer; had paid him a total of about $250,000, and that McAdoo is now on the Doheny payroll at $50,000 a year. He said Thomas W. Gregory, one of the special counsel President Coolidge selected to prosecute the oil lease cases civilly and criminally, also had been employed in connection with oil deals.

Anti-McAdoo Democrats at once hailed this as definitely eliminating McAdoo from the presidential contest. They say he would not be able to explain away his connection with a magnate who figured so prominently in the oil scandal.

McAdoo's friends took the view that once McAdoo has fairly explained his employment the sting will be taken out of Doheny's testimony.

Senator Reed of Missouri, who a few days ago announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination, is blamed by McAdoo's friends for steering the inquiry in McAdoo's direction. It was Reed who asked that Doheny be subpoenaed by the Senate committee. Reed said he wanted to ask Doheny whether he ever gave or loaned any money to former government officials besides Fall.

The effect on President Coolidge's candidacy, if there is any, will grow out of the fact that he selected Gregory as one of the special counsel without learning beforehand that he had been employed by Doheny, who will be directly involved in the government's civil suit to annul the naval oil reserve leases. Coolidge's prompt elimination of Gregory from consideration as one of the two special counsel showed, Democratic politicians said, that he realized the seriousness of the matter.

But the president, it was pointed out, will be criticized because he did not better inform himself before he selected Gregory.

McAdoo is to appear before the Senate investigating committee to tell what he did for Doheny to earn the $250,000. He and his friends feel it was unfair to drag him into the scandal that way, and while they expect, they say, to counteract to a great degree the harm done, they admit it will be impossible to remove entirely the impression created by Doheny's testimony that McAdoo was one of the chief advisers on oil matters.

The effect of Doheny's testimony upon McAdoo's candidacy was interjected into House debate Saturday.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

A Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue will be at the postoffice at Clanton, Ala., on Friday and Saturday, February 22nd and 23rd, for the purpose of assisting any person who may be due to file a Federal Income Tax return for the year 1923 in preparing such return.

Under Section 223 of the Revenue Act of 1921 the following persons are due to file returns for the year 1923:

(1) All single persons, and all married persons not living with wife or husband, whose net income for 1923 was $1,000 or more; (2) All persons married and living with wife or husband on the last day of 1923, whose net income for 1923 was $2,000 or more, or where the combined net income of husband and wife amounted to $2,000 or more; (3) All persons whose gross income for 1923 was $5,000 or more; or where the combined gross income of husband and wife was $5,000 or more, regardless of the amount of the net income.

Returns for the year 1923 will be delinquent and all persons due a return will be subject to penalty, if return is not filed with the Collector of Internal Revenue, Birmingham, Alabama, on or before March 15, 1924. In many cases no tax will be due, as the personal exemption and credit for dependents which the law allows will exceed the net income but a return should be filed by every individual who falls within one of the three classes described above, regardless of the amount of personal exemption and credit for dependents to which one may be entitled.

W. E. SNEAD,
Collectotr of Internal Revenue.

MONEY IN STRAWBERRIES

The time of the year is drawing near when people should begin to arrange for their strawberry crop if they intend to have one this year. It has been demonstrated time and again that strawberries are a very good paying crop to people in this section, so it seems that our people would do well to give at least some of their time to this crop. We now have a canning factory here which can take care of the berries that are too ripe to ship and also those which come on too late to be shipped prfitably. There is no reason why our farmers can not make some easy money in the strawberry business.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe
D. D. Easterling, Prop.

Announcement

Along with the distribution of Woco Pep motor fuel and Woco Pep motor oils, we are pleased to advise that within a short time we will begin the wholesale distribution of another of The Wofford Oil Co. products,

Sunlight Kerosene

Material is now being placed on the ground and we will begin within a few days the erection of another Woco Pep storage tank, and one for the storage of Sunlight Kerosene Oil.

To the merchants and retailers throughout this territory we invite a liberal share of your business, strictly on the merits of our products, and the service we will be able to give you.

Thanking you for this, as well as past patronage, we are

Yours for Service,

John T. Ellis & Sons
CLANTON, ALA.

POOR OR

NOTICE TO TRUCK OWNERS

Every truck owner in Chilton county engaged in hauling lumber and logs, are asked to meet at the court house in Clanton on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 10 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to consider the new road tax of Chilton county.

J. N. SCOTT.

Jemison, Ala., Feb. 5, 1924.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Missionary Society will entertain Circle No. 4 Monday, February 11th at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Grady Broadhead. All members are requested to be present

Uncle Charley Childress of Strasburg was in Clanton Tuesday.

MR. W. D. DYKES WRITES ABOUT THE COUNTY ROADS

Editor Union-Banner:

I have seen the road subject discussed both ways in your paper, and I would like to say a few words about it myself.

I think the taxation plan will be all right if the tax money is used right. I don't think the county should spend all our money on the highways and let the rest of the roads go. They should, of course, keep up the main roads first, but the money ought to be distributed around over all the roads as much so as possible. I live on a two-mile stretch of road here, and I am willing to pay my $5.50, but would also like to see some work done on this road.

I don't believe in taking money from one community and put it on a road ten miles from there where the people of that community seldom ever travel.

We are all anxious to see how the new system comes out; but give everyone justice. The road here by my place is almost impassable in places. I say work every road every bit possible and don't put it all on one particular hill or in some man's pocket.

W. D. DYKES.

Verbena, Ala., Feb. 4, 1924.

HONOR ROLL FOR CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

First Honor Roll.

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent or tardy:

Seventh Grade—J. D. Evans, Delene Williams, James Wade, Arthur Burnett, Lee Roy Mims.

Sixth Grade—J. C. Jones, Clarence Jones, Joe Luckie, Mittice Duncan, Gertie Fiquette, Catherine Hayes, Vera Jones, Myra Johnson, Gadys Williams.

Fifth Grade—Marthat Foshee, Mary Foshee, Elizebeth Johnson, Georgia Wood, Jo Erle Gowan, Bronson Ruffin, Erle Ellis, Bill Minor, Nelson Parrish, Mary Nell Goodgame.

Fourth Grade—Vivian Gray, Jeanette Wallace, Jane Roberts, Leora Mims, Hermon Harris, Josephine Littlejohn, Zebbie Gray.

Second Grade—Alice Mae Polk, Hal Broadhead, Herbert Neighbors.

First Grade—Merle Aldridge, Malda Askins, Helen Moore, Flora Thomas, Chloe Nivens, Mary Frances Rasberry, Jewell Taylor, J. D. Jones, Joe Moore, Renfroe Sorrell, Dan Smith.

Second Honor Roll.

The following pupils have made an average above 85:

Seventh Grade—Buster Foshee, Mary Lee Pyron, Clyde Lowe, George Rasberry, Courtland Retherford, William Sompson, Gertrude Blalock, Napoleon Cofer, Burnice Vance, Leon Sanford, Annie Cowart, Grady Gillespie, Raymond Mims, Horace Miller, Dick Kemp, Lucille Honeycutt.

Sixth Grade—Hubert Ellison, J. L. Teel, Ralph Johnston, Amon Jones John VonDerveer, Theron Watson, Chester Wingard, Ruthie Easterling, Pearl Hand, Pauline Lawrence, Glennie Mims, Mary McSwain, Edna L. Wyatt.

Fifth Grade—Julius Foshee, Janice Danforth, Louise McSwain, Minnie Gray, Vivian Sanders, Davie Mae Huckabee, Amie Gray, Julia Ruth Hester, Arthur Johnson, Clarence Easterling, Luke Calloway, Lester Carter, Johnnie Culp, Edwin Wagoner, Ralph Roy, Charles Rasberry, Hurst Middleton, John Ponder Lawrence, Ottis Gray, Paul Cox, Mattie Arant.

Fourth Grade—Mary Lucile Calloway, Eunice Edwards, Leroy Martin, Raymond Taylor, Clarence Fiquette, Ila Mell Arant, Velmer Mims, Esther Lee Dennis, Harvey Lee Jones.

Third Grade—Joe Roberson, J. P. Jones, Anderson Wallace, Reedless Headley, H. B. Glenn, Byron Bean, Grady Carter, Clyde Morris, Lois Miller, Sallie Mahan, Dorothy Sessions, Doris Aldridge, Frances Higgins. Ophelia Hayes, Nathan Tippet.

Second Grade—Mary Charles Cox, Julia Edwards, Marie Fraser, Elizabeth Harris, Rose Mary Pickens, Myrtle Powell, Mary Agnes Welch, Mary Alice Mahan, Nellie Jones, Ruthie Gray, Monroe Askins, James Dennis, Earl Gray, Lawrence Gerald, Alex Hayes, Carl Jones, Cecil Jones, I. V. Jones, Wilson Maddox, Daniel Lee Sanford, Wesley Danforth, J. B. Wells.

W. E. MARTIN, Prin.

BOOSTING WOCO PEP

Mr. John T. Ellis is putting on a special advertising campaign which is intended to boost the sales of Woco Pep gas and motor oils in this section. Mr. Ellis is installing another storage tank at his storage place in the south edge of town and is getting in a full car of Woco motor oils.

Mr. Ellis has added to his line "Sunshine Kerosene," which is another product of the Wofford Oil Company. A big storage tank is being installed to keep this kerosene in.

Mr. Ellis says that when he undertakes something he believes in doing it well or not at all. So, he says that being that he is handling Woco Pep and Sunshine Kerosene he is going to give the sales of these products all he has got. And he has selected the best means in the world to push his business, namely, newspaper advertising. That will get the business when everything else fails.

Mr. Elbert M. Bean of Sylacauga was in Clanton Monday. He was over here to see about his name being challenged in the contest case.

LIBERTY HILL

Our singing society met Sunday afternoon with a large crowd. We had some fine singing.

The musical entertainment at Mr. Chambers' was just fine. A large crowd was present.

Miss Birdie Bridges and Mrs. Lela Williams are vistiing in Birmingham this week.

Miss Gussie Littlejohn is spending the week with her uncle at Thorsby.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Lamurel Littlejohn Sunday for dinner.

Miss Ester Duke and Miss Maggie Rollins were the guests of Miss Meadie Sansom Sunday for dinner.

Mr. D. W. Ward, Misses Gussie and Lamurel Littlejohn and Senora Culp motored to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. Leonard Williams left for Florida Sunday.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everybody is invited to come.

SOUR STOMACH
causes bad breath, gassy pains, coated tongue and belching.
Always find relief in
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Sweeten your stomach and breath—only 25c

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24 lbs. Self-Rising Flour	80c
24 lbs. Azile Flour	$1.00
4 lbs. Snowdrift Lard	78c
8 lbs. Snowdrift Lard	$1.48
4 cans Pet Cream	25c
1 lb. Full Cream Cheese	32c
1 lb. Kennedy's Special Coffee	22c
No. 2 Can Sunday Dinner Peas	29c
No. 2 Can Sliced Pineapple	29c
No. 3 Can Sunday Dinner Hominy	11c
No. 3 Can Saur Kraut	13c
No. 2 Can Sunday Dinner Corn	18c
No. 2 Can Van Camp's Pork & Beans	13c
No. 3 Can Tomatoes	15c
No. 2 Can Beets	21c
No. 2 Can Green Lima Beans	24c
16 oz. Del Monte Catsup	27c
2 lbs. Dried Apples	35c
10½ lbs. Granulated Sugar	$1.00

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Persistent Coughing—

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For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS are made from the choicest materials, thoroughly cured and dried, and will easily go through any make of distributor.

Wrapped in every sack of ARMOUR'S goods are those qualities which manifest themselves in all of the undertakings of those master men whose name it bears.

MAKE EVERY ACRE DO ITS BEST

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS, for sale by

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more Ford cars and trucks were produced last year than the previous year, an increase of over 50 per cent.

In spite of this tremendous increase in production, it was impossible to meet delivery requirements during the spring and summer months when orders for 350,000 Ford Cars and Trucks could not be filled.

This year winter buying for immediate delivery has been more active than ever before—and in addition 200,000 orders have already been booked through the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan for spring delivery.

These facts clearly indicate that the demand during this spring and summer will be far greater than ever, and that orders should be placed immediately with Ford Dealers as a means of protection against delay in securing your Ford Car or Truck or Fordson Tractor.

Ford Motor Company
Detroit, Michigan

A small deposit down, with easy payments of the balance arranged, or your enrollment under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan, will put your order on the preferred list for spring delivery.

See the Nearest Authorized Ford Dealer

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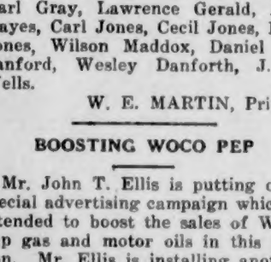

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Either in sandwiches or with your meal, our White or Rye Bread is a mighty tasty and wholesome item. Try a loaf or two today.

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MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

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To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

The management of Thorsby Institute Lyceum course was not at all pleased with the entertainers provided by the people responsible for the talent sent to fill the date for last Friday night. They consider that the people sent here did not understand the nature and requirements of an average Thorsby audience. They believe also that for this reason the entertainers gave by no means the best of which they were capable. We will hope for better things next time.

Mr. and Mrs. Magne Anderson are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ivey Horn in Birmingham.

Messrs. Arthur Villadsen and Earl Leary of Cherokee Bluffs visited parents in Thorsby Sunday.

We are glad to state that Miss Marie Flummer, who underwent an operation at a Birmingham hospital recently, is doing nicely and is expected to return to her home in Thorsby the latter part if this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson of Mountain Creek spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Peterson.

Mr. Sorrell's young folks gave a domino party to several friends last Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. R. Martin and little daughter, Miradire visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore at Billingsley last week Mrs. Moore is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Rev. Kohn L. Whorton of Birmingham is expected to preach morning and evening at the Thorsby Baptist church Sunday, February 10th. On Wednesday evening, the 13th, at 7:15 there will be a union prayer meeting at the Baptist Church.

The monthly praise service at the Congregational church last Sunday night was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

What a weary world this would be if it were not for the unselfish devotion to high ideals manifest in the lives of many good Christian people. One of this sort is Miss May Stoddard, for six years a member of the Thorsby Institute faculty and now a teacher at Aiken Hall, Olive Hill, Kentucky.

Thorsby Institute basket ball team again won two ball games in one week by defeating Verbena Wednesday 16 to 12 and Marbury Friday 16 to 14. Both games were thrillers throughout and were not decided until thte last whistle blew. In the Marbury game an extra period was required to untie the score as it had been ended 14 to 14, and some of the best basket ball ever exhibited in Thorsby was displayed by both sides in the extra period.

Thorsby team record now compares favorably with any in the county and they are hoping to increase their percentage next Friday by taking Caera in tow on Thorsby's court.

Next Saturday night, February 9 the pupils of the music department of Thirsby Institute, under the direction of Miss Althea Parker, will give a piano recital at Bates Hall. Some members of the Jeffersonian club will assist them with a short play entitled "The Dressing Gown."

The Christian Endeavor Society met at its usual time, 6:30, Sunday evening, February 3, 1924. Boona Lee Wood was leader for the evening. The meeting was opened with two songs. Prayer was offered by Rev. Each. The subject of the meeting was "All for Christ died the Church."

Six short talks were given on "One hundred per cent of our ability to serve God." Special music was given by Mr. Mastin and Mr. Smith also by Spurgeon Kelley. The subject was then discussed a few minutes longer and the meeting was dismissed by the benediction.

DOING HIS DUTY

"For two years I suffered agonizing paints in my stomach, belching up sour and bitter fluids and gas. Tongue always coated. Doctors were unable to help me. The first dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy made me feel 100 per cent better, and I am now feeling better than at any time in my life. I deem it my duty to advise other sufferers." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

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This Bank solicits your account on the strength of its conservative business policy.

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Your Thrift Year

The beginning of a new year is a good time for one to reflect upon lost opportunities. It is a good time to consider the future. It is a good time to plan investments that will grow in value as the years pass. Such an investment is offered the people of Alabama in the

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That this stock will increase in value is shown by the consistent growth and extensive activities of the Alabama Power Company during the past 13 years.

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BETHANY NEWS

The farmers around Bethany are looking rather pleasant these days on account of the pretty weather.

Little Miss Ester Gray spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Otis Jacks.

Messrs. Omer, Charlie and Morris Bowles and Mr. Sam Williams motored to Billingsley Sunday.

Miss Mary Gray visited her cousins Misses Virbie and Vesta Gray Sunday and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bone and little daughters, Louise and Louvenia, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gray.

Little Wesley Jacks is proud and rejoicing over the fact that he has so many grand mothers and great-grand mothers. He has six grand mothers and great-grand mothers all living in a mile of his home.

Mrs. M. M. Gray and Mrs. F. A. Summerlin visited Mrs. C. C. Gray Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dykes are planning to take a pleasure trip to Montgomery some time soon to make a call on their sister, Mrs. M. Venslave, who is in the tailoring business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Pressley Sunday.

Mrs. Clint Chandler has recently been spendnig several days with her sister, Mrs. Mose Hathcock.

We are glad indeed that the last news we had from Rev. B. F. Dykes says that he is improving nicely. We hope he will soon be able to return home and take up his good work of preaching again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gray spent a few enjoyable hours at the home of Mrs. A. R. Scott Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Huett Saturday night.

Will close, wishing much success to the dear old Banner.

CHESTNUT CREEK

Editor Union-Banner:

Please permit me to make a brief report of our singing society at this place. The society met Sunday afternoon for the first time in about 6 weeks, it having been temporarily suspended on account of bad weather. Sunday being a beautiful day, there was a very good class present and almost a house full of listeners.

After a song by the chairman, W. M. Devaughn, prayer was offered by Bro. S. M. Yates, Jr., after which L. T. Grant, O. L. Devaughn, J. W. Cagle, Ralph D. Grant, R. T. Grant and J. M. Taylor directed three songs each. Organists for the afternoon were Misses Letha Taylor, Claudie Hughes, Lena Mae Devaughn, Mrs. Alice Baker and Ralph D. Grant.

The home quartett also rendered two splendid selections which we hope everyone present enjoyed. "Are you certain you'll be there?" was the title of one of the selections, and we hope that everyone who heard this song will think about this question, for we are promised in the Book Divine that if we live and do and act as Christ commanded that we may be there also. Friends, let's make certain, for heaven is too great a place to miss.

We were pleased to note a good many visitors from different places, among whom we noted Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cagle of Mitchell Dam, Mr. Johason of Walnut Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker of Clanton, and others whose names we do not recall. We are always glad to have visitors. Come again all you folks. We can make our society better still.

The service was closed with prayer by Rev. J. D. Hughes.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Secy.

Mrs. J. H. McDonald is away at Market buying Spring Millinery, Capes, etc. She will have a beautiful selection to show you in the near future—at McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

Breed Like Sixty

"Rats breed like sixty near the water here," said Frank A. Zunser, "and we have to get rid of them every few months. We can only do it, we find, by using Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake, which is the best rat killer we have ever found." Get a package today and destroy ALL rats. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Stop that Eczema!

AMAZING results have been produced by S. S. S. in cases of eczema, pimples, blackheads and other skin eruptions. If you have been troubled with eczema, and you have used skin applications without number, make a test yourself, on yourself with a bottle of S. S. S., one of the most powerful blood cleansers known. S. S. S. makes the blood rich and pure, and when your blood is freed of impurities your stubborn eczema, rash, tetter, skin eruptions, pimples, blackheads, blotches and acne are bound to disappear. There are no unproven theories about S. S. S.; the scientific results of each of its purely vegetable medicinal ingredients are admitted by authorities.

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UNION GROVE NEWS

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting at this place are still moving along just fnie.

Several from this place went to the singing at Oak Hill Sunday and reported a nice time and a good singing.

Miss Leone Hall spent Sunday with Miss Flossie Robinson.

Miss Lulu Cofer was the guest of Miss Amy Robinson Sunday.

Our girls Sunday School class is fine with about twenty young ladies on roll.

Mr. Akins Collins spent a while with Miss Edna Robinson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Chandler.

Messrs. Arthtur and Bernie Chandler who are at work in Tuscaloosa, spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Florence Cofer spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Mize.

Mr. Greene Dorminey, who is at work in Helena, spent the week end with home folks.

Don't forget Sunday School, B. Y. P. U. and prayer meeting at this place. We are always glad to have visitors.

We have had several cases of measles in this community, but we are glad to say that they are better.

Miss Euna Davis and Messrs. Lloyd Bean and Hollie Jones spent a while with Misses Edna and Amy Robinson Sunday night.

Miss Ethel Mize gave a social on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. W. J. Jnoes, in honor of her Sunday School class. The parlor and dining room were beautifully decorated in class colors, purple and gold. Several interesting contests were enjoyed by the guests. Partners for the contests were chosen by young men guessing the girls' shadows. They were a "Tree Contest," a "Magazine Contest," and a "Cracker Contest." Those winning prizes were: Misses Edna Robinson, Pearl Chandler and Jessie Mims, Messrs. Gresham Lowery and Bernie Chandler. Those present were: Misses Edna and Amy Robinson, Florence and Lula Cofer, Rebekah and Myrtle Dorminey, Delene Collum, Euna Davis, Pearl Chandler, Jessie Mims and Leone Hall; Messrs Osmond Dorminey, Askew Davis, Arthur and Bernie Champion, Greene Dorminey. Euell Robinson, Harvie Langston, Akins Collins, Gresham Lowery, J. C. Jones, Grover Bice, Claude Glass, Walter Jones, Edward Thrash, G. L. Glasscock and R. S. Chandler; Mesdames Bob Cofer, G. L. Glasscock, R. S. Chandler and J. W. Collum.

Late in the evening sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served.

WHAT IS IT?—PLAY
WHERE?—UNION GROVE

When?—Saturday Night, Feb. 16th;
What For?—Benefit of Alabama Baptist Hospital.

"LOVE IN ACTION"

A Presentation of the Work of the Alabama Baptist Hospital.

CAST OF CHARACTERS:

Superintendent, Dr. Christian—G. L. Glasscock.

Superintendent's daughter, Mabel Christian—Ethel Mize.

Young Doctor Evans—Pomp Robinson.

Head Nurse—Leone Hall.

First Nurse—Edna Robinson.

Second Nurse—Florence Cofer.

Third Nurse—Pearl Chandler.

Dietitian—Amy Robinson.

Children Patients—Bonnie Hilson and Jessie Dorminey.

Tom, the Porter—R. S. Chandler.

Jane, the Cook—Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Others:

Two Mothers — Mesdames G. L. Glasscock and T. D. Hall.

Father—Obe Robinson.

Mrs. Howard, visiting lady—Euna Davis.

Mrs. Craig—Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Secretary—Jessie Mims.

Admission:—

Adults - - - 15c;
Children - - - 10c.

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LOMAX NEWS

Uncle Dock Wells preached an excellent sermon at Jackson Chapel Sunday morning He also preached at the county poor house Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. W. Shirley of this place spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ward near Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. Wilbur Price, who has been at work in Sylacauga, returned to his home near here one day last week.

Miss Viluna Shirley was the guest of Miss Annie Ward one day last week.

Miss Pearlie Barrett made a trip to Clanton recently.

Mr. Oscar Wells and wife spent the week end with his parents in Sylacauga.

Mr. Charlie Barrett and mother left Saturday for a visit to relatives in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. John Mack Foshee of Lakeland, Fla., stopped over here a while one evening last week.

Mr. Charlie Jones and family, who have been living in Sylacauga, have moved over on the Ed Price farm near Lomax.

Miss Pauline Robinson visited Miss Estella Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. H. L. Foshee and family of Clanton visited Mr. J. T. Daniel's family Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Burnett from Randolph is visiting his son, Charlie of this place.

Miss Theathis Edwards dined with Misses Lizzie and Nellie Jones last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Edwards dined with Miss Annie Ward Sunday.

With best wishes to the Union-Banner and its many readers.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOUND—Money between Jackson's Chapel and Clanton. Owner describe the same and receive.—D. Lee Smith, Clanton, Ala., R. 8. 1t

FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on B. & M. Highway, 3 miles south of Clanton.—W. L. Powell, at Powell Pressing Co., Clanton, Ala. tf

HOGS FOR SALE—One Duroc brood sow, 1½ years old, and several pigs about 3 months old. Will sell cheap or trade for ribbon cane syrup or fat beef cattle.—H. H. Hayes, Clanton, Ala., Route 4. 31-4t-pd.

LOST DOG—Red male hound, slender, with leather collar on bearing name of Dr. Moore, Birmingham, Ala. Left Chasteen's Store on Route 3 about three weeks ago. Reasonable reward will be paid for his return to Broadhead's Store, Clanton, Ala. 31-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—300 White Leghorn hens; young pullets sell cheap.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala. 1-24-3p

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John W. Cox will conduct Auction Sales at Fox old stand in Clanton every Saturday. He proposes to auction off anything anyone has to dispose of.

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POOR OR

S. D. A. SOUTHERN UNION CONFERENCE

Clergymen of the Seventh-day Adventist denomination and other gospel workers throughout Alabama, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi and Western Tennessee will be delegates to the quadrennial convention of the Southern Union Conference which will be held in Nashville, Tenn., February 13 to 20.

Every department of the denomination will be represented in the gathering which includes the Publishing, Educational, Home Missionary, Medical, Sabbath-school, Religious Liberty and Young People's Departments. It will be the most important Adventist convention held in this section of the country during the past four years. One hundred churches will be represented.

Rev. G. W. Wells, of Nashville, president of the Southern Union Conference, will be chairman. Three of the world leaders will come from the headuarters of the denomination in Washington, D. C., to take prominent part in the daily proceedings. These will include: Rev. J. L. Shaw, treasurer; Elder G. B. Thompson, general field secretary, and Rev. B. E. Beddoe, assistant secretary. Other representatives from the union headquarters will also be present. Among them will be F. L. Harrison, treasurer; Prof. J. C. Thompson, educational superintendent; O. R. Staines, home missoinary secretary, and V. O. Cole, field missionary secretary.

The clergymen who will attend from the Alabama Conference include: Revs. C. B. Stephenson and K. R. Haughey, of Clanton; W. P. McLennan, of Birmingham; O. F. Frank, of Montgomery; J. L. Mitchell, of Mobile; T. S. Tate, of Birmingham, and T. H. Allison, of Mobile.

Other gospel workers include: Thos. E. Pavey, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. K. R. Haughey, Miss Vinnie Goodner, Miss Addie M. Kalar, Mrs. K. Rasmussen, Miss Kathleen Meyer, and Miss Nellie J. Orr.

Plans will be laid to co-operate with the foreign mission board in giving financial assistance to the plan of carrying the gospel proclaiming the second advent of Christ in this generation to peoples in the Orient and other heathen nations who have never heard the name of the Messiah, and in heralding the same message in the great centers of population along the Atlantic Coast. At the beginning of the convention committees will be appointed to consider financial questions, plans and recommendations for further advancement of the church; the appointment of missionaries to foreign countries and changes in the ministry at home; the advancement of the health feature of the denomination, the Sabbath-school work, the home missionary work, and the extensive work that is being done for the thousands of young people within the denominational ranks.

The European situation will be given much consideration. The Adventists are making remarkable progress in Europe, but because of the upheaval in the money market, their problems are the more perplexing, and at this convention the delegates will assume their share of the responsibility in supplying financial assistance.

Reports will be made by President Wells, the state conference presidents, the departmental secretaries and the evangelists, of the progress made within the union conference territory during the past four years.

W. L. BURGAN,
Press Secretary.

Mr. B. F. Thomas of Tuslaloosa, formerly of Chilton county, was in Clanton last week. While here he came around and gave us his name for The Union-Banner.

JANUARY MARRIAGES

The following marriage licenses were issued from the probate office of Chilton county during the month of January:

William Leon Ruddick and Miss Eula Gay.

William Union Headley and Miss Zora Cleckler.

Oscar D. Adams and Miss Velma Headley.

L. White and Mrs. S. M. McClendar.

John Bolton and Miss Hattie Martin.

T. S. Frith and Miss Marie Maddox.

Ervin Trease and Miss Eselee Wolls.

A. H. Hamby and Miss J. J. Grover.

Albert Dewey Huett and Miss Effie Mae Hand.

Lloyd Cleveland Martin and Miss Bessie Mae Downs.

W. H. Hand and Miss Velma Hawk.

A. J. Culver and Miss Fannie Cobern.

Edgar Huett and Miss Pearl Cox.

S. J. Weldon and Miss Nettie Rollinson.

Willie J. Mims and Miss Alice Johnson.

Carvie Henley and Miss Gertrude Jackson.

David S. Mims and Miss Etta Watts.

Clyde Davis and Miss Flossie Robinson.

J. W. Kelley and Miss Emmaline Miner.

Leroy Jones and Miss Estell Friday.

WORK HELD UP AT CHEROKEE BLUFFS

It is reported that the Alabama Power company has kindly held up on the work of constructing the dam at Cherokee Bluffs in Tallapoosa county. Only a small portion of the regular force has been maintained, who are doing temporary work. The cause of the hold-up is not known, but it is believed that the company is undecided whether to make the dam 120 feet high or 150 feet high, and they are waiting until they decide definitely about this before they proceed.

BIG INCUBATOR IN OPERATION

A matter of importance as well as of news to the people of this vicinity is the announcement of the Mastin Brothers, on the highway between Thorsby and Clanton, that they have in operation now a large incubator in connection with their chicken farm. The incubator carries 2,000 eggs at one setting. We understand that the first hatch will be off within a few days now, others will come off each week until the close of the season.

The Mastin Brothers are making quite a success at their poultry farm. Their undertaking has proven well that raising poultry can be made profitable in this country. Other people over the county are trying it on a smaller scale, and they also report pleasing results.

AROUND CALERA

The death of Mrs. Creel last Sunday night came as a shock to the community where she has resided for many years. She leaves some children, grand-children and a host of friends to mourn her loss, as she was very much loved by all who knew her. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday and she was laid to rest in the Providence cemetery.

Mr. W. J. Clark was a visitor to the Magic City last Sunday.

Mr. E. D. Crim, who holds a position at Cherokee Bluffs, came home last Saturday, remaining over for a few days with home folks.

Mr. Elmer Campbell came home from Montgomery for the week-end.

Misses Mexa Tate, Catherine and Mayme Clark were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Armstrong for a while Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Busby from near Birmingham came down Tuesday to be at the funeral of Mrs. Creel.

Mr. O. C. Busby was the guest of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. R. Busby for the week-end.

Miss Ruth Mooney attended Reading Circle in Columbiana last Saturday.

Mr. Horace Busby from Pelham spent Saturday night in South Calera visiting his mother, Mrs. Tom Busby.

Miss Mexa Tate was a visitor at Miss Lutie Jones' last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Busby from Dora came down to South Calera Tuesday.

Misses Mayme and Catherine Clark were Clanton visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Jones and Mrs. Tom Busby spent last Friday with Mrs. Jane Martin.

Quite a number of the young people enjoyed a singing given at Mrs. W. J. Clark's Sunday night.

Mr. Homer Martin came home last Saturday night, remaining over until Monday night when he returned to Chetopa.

Mr. Melvin Walker came down to South Calera Sunday morning, accompanying his mother back to Birmingham Sunday night where the family is moving.

Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen was the guest of Mrs. G. S. Tate one day last week.

Mr. Jeff Busby from Dora came down to South Calera Tuesday to be at the funeral of Mrs. Creel.

Mr. Alzie Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Mr. Leon Busby and Miss Hazel Cox enjoyed "Out of the Dust" at the Wadesonian Theatre in Calera Saturday night.

Mr. Blankenship of Thorsby spent last Friday night at Mr. G. S. Tate's.

Mr. Holen Crim went to Columbiana Sunday.

UNION GROVE NEWS

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting are still going on fine. We were very proud to see so many out at Sunday School Sunday.

Miss Jessie Mims, one of our assistant teachers, spent the week end with Miss Edna Robinson.

The social given by Miss Ethel Mize Saturday night in honor of her Sunday School class was fine. We had several contests, after which sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served to about thirty young people. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves to the highest degree. Among the crowd were Messrs. Grover Bice, Akins Collins, J. C. Jones and Greshem Lowery of Thorsby and Mr. Arthur and Bernie Chandler and Miss Myrtle Dorminey of Birmingham. Miss Mize is the teacher of the Glad Girls Sunday School Class, which is composed of young ladies only.

Misses Rebecca Dorminey and Amy Robinson spent Saturday night with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Marlar spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Robinson.

Miss Leone Hall was the guest of Miss Euna Davis Sunday.

A wedding of much interest to this community was that of Mr. Clyde Davis and Miss Flossie Robinson, who were married Saturday evening at 6:00 o'clock. We wish them a happy life together.

Messrs. Otto Burnett, Amos Bean and Lonnie Cox and Misses Pearl Chandler and Rebecca Dorminey all spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Edna and Amy Robinson.

Miss Delene Collum dined with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer last Sunday.

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days. We hope to have a large crowd out. The United Singing Society will meet at this place Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Everybody come and help out in the singing. We are always glad to have visitors.

UNCLE GEORGE MARCUS PUSHES HIS BUSINESS

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the special advertising campaign which Uncle George Marcus is putting on in the interest of his "Palace Market" through this paper. Uncle George has a place of business which is really and truly a credit to Clanton and Chilton county and he wants to prove it to you by having you come in and see what he has got. Mr. Marcus is the veteran fresh meat salesman of Clanton and he has spent lots of money making us a nice place to buy our meats and groceries. Although an old timer, Uncle George believes in present day progressive methods, and he is determined to make his business a go.

INDIAN GRAVE ITEMS

We are all glad to see some beautiful sunny weather again.

There will be preaching at this place next Saturday and Sunday. Everybody come and help us to carry on the service.

We were glad to see so many present at Sunday School Sunday. We invite them all to come back again and bring somebody else along too. Let's make 1924 a great year in the service of our Master by everybody attending church and Sunday School and also prayer meeting.

Miss Isabel Messer, our assistant teacher, spent the week end at her home in Midway Ala.

Several from here went down to Mr. W. W. Jones' Sunday afternoon to help him eat ice cream.

There is going to be a negro minstrel at the school house Friday night February 8th. Everybody has a special invitation to come. We promise you a real good time.

Also remember that we have singing at this place every third Sunday afternoon. We invite everybody to come and bring their 1924 books.

W. E. THOMAS HERE

Mr. W. E. Thomas, former prominent citizen of this county, now of Sylacauga, was in Clanton last Thursday. Mr. Thomas was elected to the State Legislature from Chilton county on the Republican ticket in 1915. He is now in the mercantile business in Sylacauga.

Mr. J. T. Childress and Mr. J. N. Scott of Jemison were in Clanton Tuesday on a little business.

DEATH OF BRO. J. E. CHAMPION

Jemison, Ala., Jan. 29, 1924.

We, the members of Jemison Lodge, No. 411, A. F. & A. M., feeling keenly the loss of one of our loyal members, Brother J. E. Champion, submit the following resolutions:

God in his infinite wisdom and love has called home our beloved brother and co-worker, and though we realize that we must bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, yet we cannot refrain from expressing deep grief at our irreparable loss.

Brother Champion was strikingly unselfish and found great joy in serving others; the sick and the poor could look to him in confidence for relief in their distress. He also had a peculiar pleasure in remembering his friends and neighbors at all times.

Through his death the Lodge, the church and the community have lost a worty, competent and efficient member, but the memory of his beautiful, Christian life will be an inspiration to us to do our best under all circumstances. We shall ever miss his optimism, his zeal and friendly loyalty.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Lodge, a copy sent to his esteemed family and a copy furnished The Union-Banner for publication.

Respectfully submitted,
C. C. CONWAY,
N. DUFFEE,
W. C. ERWIN,
Committee.

Why Mothers no longer fear Child-birth

AN eminent physician has shown why there is so much useless suffering on the part of many expectant mothers, for months before baby comes, as well as when baby actually arrives.

This same great doctor found the way to avoid much of this suffering. Mother, your baby's nerves, its whole structure should be free from any influence caused by your months of useless misery and pain. You yourself can be free from much of it. Here is a little message to all expectant mothers:

Mrs. Ida Milton, 108 N. Tremont St., Kansas, Ill., says: "I am forced to say something in regard to your wonderful 'Mother's Friend.' Just one application gave me such relief I could hardly realize I was in pregnancy. Before I used it I was suffering with pains all over, and today, I am able to do my housework with all ease and without pain."

"Mother's Friend" is applied externally, and enables the muscles, nerves and tissues to relax and re-adjust themselves with the growing changes during pregnancy, and at child-birth. It should be used for some time before baby comes—the sooner the better.

"Mother's Friend" contains no narcotics or harmful drugs. It is safe. For three generations "Mother's Friend" has relieved expectant mothers of much useless suffering. Mother! you must avoid mere greases and useless substitutes. Begin using "Mother's Friend" today. It is sold at drug stores—everywhere.

FREE BOOKLET ON MOTHERHOOD

Don't let false modesty keep you from this duty to yourself, to your child and to your home. By all means, you should have our valuable illustrated book, sent free. Send for your copy now to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-70, Atlanta, Ga. Get "Mother's Friend" from your druggist today.

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LOOK OVER THE OLD SHOES

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for the New Year? It's a bad time to be barefooted, or even imperfectly shod. Time soon wears down soles, but our job is to replace them, by good, strong soles of stout leather, that will assure dry and warm feet and consequent freedom from colds, chills, and possible pneumonia.

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Great bins of Royster Fertilizer "cure" or "age," for months so that your results from its use will swell the earnings from your land.

HOW can you tell Royster's "cured" Fertilizer from fertilizer that has not been aged? The greatest difference is seen in the more profitable crops grown by the cured fertilizer, but there *is* a difference even to the untrained eye!

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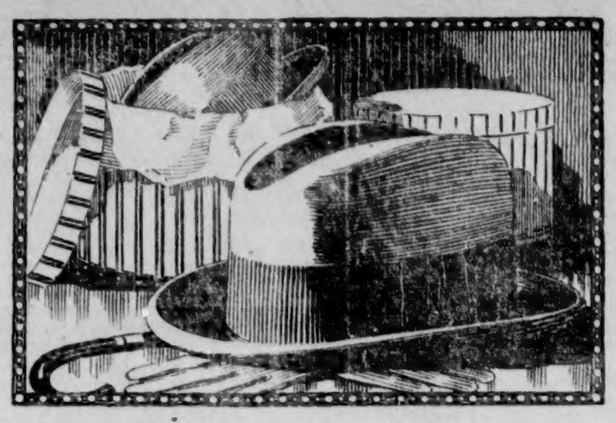

HATS AND CAPS

If you want to get in on some good hat and cap bargains just step over to our place. We can fix you up in just what you want and at the right price.

New Spring Footwear

We have on display all the new and original spring models in ladies', misses and children's footwear—pumps, sandals and oxfords. They come in patents, gray suede, Bamboo, Jack rabbit, sand and a combination of colors. Come in and let us show you these shoes whether you buy or not.

HOSIERY-AS-YOU LIKE IT

The hose with a wear to it—we have just received a shipment in all the new colors, both in heavy weight and chiffon—some of the new colors are: Jack rabbit, Bamboo, J. Deer, Aeridale, Otter, Tanbark, gun metal. All the new shades to match the new shoes. Come and look them over.

SHIRTS

A complete showing in Men's Shirts—we have all the new materials, new colors, both neck-band and collar attached in English Broadcloths, Crepes, Oxfords, Piques and Madras. Better stock up now.

MEN'S SHOES AND OXFORDS

We can fit you in either high or low shoes in the old reliable SELZ—all-leather for over fifty years—we have the new leathers, new models and the prices are right. A look will convince you.

When you tell us why you have your clothes made by a high-class, high cost custom tailor, you'll be telling us exactly why you should switch to

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The better fit you crave—the exclusive fabrics you admire—the fine hand workmanship you respect, are all available without delay or try-on, in CURLEE and TRI-HEX made ready clothes. You side-step the disadvantages and reap all the advantages with far less tax on your purse.

Every suit GUARANTEED to give satisfactory wear or a new suit free.

We have on display all the new SPRING styles and cloths and we invite you to come in and let us prove to you today that our prices are right.

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CLANTON **PARRISH'S** ALABAMA

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF CHALLENGES

The following is a Supplemental List of Challenged Votes served by C. D. Messer on February 4th, 1924:

Beat 2, Box 1
Atkinson, Mrs. Ernest
Scatt, Mrs. Lenie

Beat 2, Box 2
Leach, Robert
Cofer, Mamie
Johnson, M. P
Johnson, Martin
Poe, Manson

Beat 4, Box 1
Baker, Wm. R.
Baker, C. M.
Hubbard, R. M.
Price, Mrs. Effie
Smith, R. A.
Traywick, W. M.

Beat 4, Box 2
Baker, Wm. R.
Bridges, Winnie D.
Culver, Mrs. A. J.
Calloway, Gertrude P.
Henley, Fred L.
Price, Mrs. Effie
Riggin, S. H.
Smith, R. A.
Traywick, W. M.

Beat 6, Box 1
Popwell, E. C.

Beat 6, Box 2
Popwell, E. C.

Beat 10
Driver, Tom
Driver, M. E.
Dennis, J. D.
Devaughn, Fay
Davis, J. M.
Foshee, Mary E.
Foshee, J. Wiley
Foshee, Georgia
Jones, B.
Moore, W. C.
Mims, J. L.
Patterson, W. C.
Patterson, T. J.
Patterson, W. P.
Thomas, Marie
Traywick, T. E.
Wilson, D. O.

Beat 12, Box 1
Marlor, J. R.

Beat 12, Box 2
Collins, J. W.
Dorminey, S. Y.
Dorminey, W. G. J.
Ellison, Horace W.

Beat 15, Box 2
Roper, W. M.

Beat 9
Blackmon, O. C.
Robinson, Mrs. L. W.
Robinson, Quillie

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OAK HILL NEWS

Our Sunday School at Oak Hill is still progressing under the splendid leadership of Prof. A. H. Glasscock, who has served faithfully as superintendent for the past five years. The entire school has learned to love him and we all think him second to none when it comes to superintending a Sunday School, for he is an able speaker as well as a good singer. The school has shown its appreciation of his good work by unanimously electing him for another year. Mr. R. B. McMurren, Miss Vida Morten and Miss Emma Campbell were added to the official roll respectively as assistant superintendent, teacher and secretary, which officers were elected after Sunday School last Sunday.

By the time the officers were elected it was getting late, and it being our regular singing evening, we hurried home, got lunch and loaded up on the car and started back. When we were almost in sight of the church our car acted as though it had on a missionary spell and started to China by the shortest route, but by the help of some neighbors and prize poles, old fence rails and planks, we got out of the mud and arrived at the church some few minutes late, but found a good sized crowd waiting for us. The class was quickly arranged and the singing began. Prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Falkner, after which the following directed from one to six songs each: E. L. Glasscock, E. H. Foshee, W. J. Northcutt and A. H. Glasscock. Those excused from directing at their own request were: Prof. Akins Collins, Jasper Oaks and L. R. Cobb. But they, with the help of the other singers, did their part in making it the great success that it was. Organist for the evening were: Misses Esther Atkinson, Flossie Cobb and Emma Campbell. The singing was good and enjoyed by all present. Come again, and let's make the next one even better by getting after good singers to come and take part with us. We have ordered 100 copies of the new 1924 Showalter books, so we will have a supply of books for the class by the time we meet again. So everybody come and help us carry on the good work in the name of our Lord and Master, for we are promised if we are faithful to the end we can go through the Valley of the Shadow of Death, put on immortality, receive a golden harp and still play and sing praises to our great, loving Heavenly Father throughout the endless ages of eternity. Then we can look back to this old earth triumphantly and say 'O Death, where is thy Sting, O Grave where is thy Victory?"

Now, let us say to you as one of old, come and be with us; we will do you good, for it always pays to do good instead of evil. Come out and hear the new preacher next Sunday.

EMMA CAMPBELL, Secy.

CANE CREEK

Our assistant teacher at this place, Miss Claudia Mooneyham, is real sick this week. Miss Carrie Williamson has also been quite sick but is better now. We hope for them both a quick recovery.

Sunday was our regular preaching day. We were glad to see so many out to hear Bro. Parrish. He delivered two excellent sermons.

Miss Zula Willis is visiting relatives in Birmingham.

Miss Maggie Giles took lunch with Miss Bertha Giles Sunday.

Mrs. Gentry spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Lambert.

Miss Hermie Gentry dined with Miss Delene Lambert Sunday.

Misses Bertha Giles, Claudia Mooneyham, Sara and Delene Lambert, Hermie Gentry, Mary Killgore, Pearl Giles, Messrs. Alvin and Walter Traywick, Middleton Robinson and Curtis Beaird went out kodaking Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

Miss Lillie Mae Ellison took dinner with Misses Nora and Zora Miner Sunday.

We are going to have a valentine entertainment at the school house on the night of February 15th. Everybody is invited to come down.

SALE AT MT. CREEK

Mr. P. H. Connell, former member of the firm Connell Kendrick in this city but now running a business in Mt. Creek, was in Clanton Tuesday afternoon. While here he left with the Banner Print Shop an order for some large circulars advertising a big sale which he intends to begin at his store Saturday of this week. Mr. Connell is a hustling business man, and while he lived in Clanton he won for himself a host of warm friends.

Retherford Furniture Company

is offering some special bargains in bed room, living room and dining room suites. With each $100.00 worth of furniture I will give one 42-piece dinner set free. So, come and see for yourself.

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Probate Judge Contest Case Postponed Again

Case Called Monday Morning By Judge Denson—Postponed by Agreement of Attorneys.

According to schedule, the contest case of C. D. Messer vs. L. H. Reynolds over the election of probate judge of Chilton county, was called at the court house in Clanton Monday morning, February 11. Judge N. B. Denson of Opelika was present and presided. During the day Monday several preliminary motions were filed by the attorneys for both parties and shortly after noon Judge Denson declared the case properly instituted and ready for trial.

The judge called for all the witnesses in the case who had been summoned to stand and be sworn, and in response no witnesses stood. The judge then asked the attorneys on both sides to get together and decide what to do about the witnesses. The attorneys agreed on examining what witnesses who happened to be present, so the first one called on the stand was Mr. J. A. Sewell of Beat 3, who had been challenged by Judge Reynolds as having voted for Messer. This witness was examined and the counsel for Messer worked on this witness trying to prove his legality as a voter until the court adjourned at night. Mr. Sewell's record was never cleared up.

Court was called again Tuesday morning and on account of the fact that Mr. Messer was not ready for the contest, a mutual agreement was reached between the attorneys on both sides of the case to postpone the trial until the first Monday in May, which will be May 5th.

All the preliminary work which was done by the court Monday was undone by Judge Denson, so when the case is taken up again all the preliminaries will be taken up and gone through with again in the same manner as it was Monday. In other words, the case stands now right where it did before it was ever called.

The calling of this case Monday was a matter of considerable interest to the people of Chilton county. The people have been hearing quite a bit about the contest for the past year, so everybody was anxious to know something about how the matter would be taken up and gone into. There were people here from almost all over the county anxious to know what was going to be done and how it was going to be done.

Both parties in the case had able legal representatives who know their business when it comes to a case of this kind. The attorneys for Reynolds were Col. O. D. Street of Guntersville, Judge Mayfield of Montgomery, J. O. Middleton, Grady Reynolds and Omar Reynolds of Clanton. The attorneys for Messer were Col. J. F. Thompson of Birmingham, Judge F. L. Tate of Wetumpka, L. F. Gerald and G. C. Walker of Clanton. Some very able arguments were put up on both sides during the preliminaries of the trial.

Miss Ethel Vance of Birmingham is spending a few days with Miss Era Mims in Clanton.

FEBRUARY 22nd ANNUAL RABBIT HUNTING DAY

Dr. J. P. Crumpton asks us to remind the public that the day for the Annual Rabbit Hunt of Chilton county is not far ahead. The day comes on Friday this year, it being February 22nd, just one week and one day from today.

The officers of the Association desire to get reports from places in the county where most rabbits might be found and where the people would like for them to be caught up. So anyone knowing of a place which is thickly infested with rabbits will do the organization an esteemed favor by communicating with Dr. Crumpton in regard to same, as they want to do their hunting where the rabbits are thickest.

The only rules of the oryanization are that no guns be taken. Anyone is eligible who wants to go. The annual fee is for everyone who goes to carry his dinner. And remember that the membership fee is a mighty important phase of the question. Dr. Crumpton would also like to know before hand about the number of dogs which each fellow intends to enter in the races. The place of meeting will be at the court house about day light on Friday morning, the 22nd.

Commissioners Court Adjourned to Monday

On account of the contest case being on at the court house in Clanton Monday, the Commissioners Court met and adjourned till next Monday morning when the business of the regular meeting will be taken up.

Kill Rats Campaign Is On in Clanton

The Civic Club is organizing a rat campaign, and to the boy killing the greatest number of rats and mice, will be given for first prize a very fine baseball glove, donated by the Chamber of Commerce. The Civic Club gives as a second prize, a first-class baseball. These prizes were selected by Mr. Victor Heard, who is a competent judge of their quality and are on display in a prominent place down town.

Any boy living within the city limits of Clanton, who desires to enter this campaign, can do so by killing any number of rats or mice and cutting off their tails and turning them in to receiving commtitee, composed of Mr. Macy Jones, Mr. Mell Martin and Mr. Johnson.

Br. Jones has kindly consented to act as chairman, and the boys will find him at the boy scout headquarters every Friday at 5:00 p.m., the only time designated for receiving the rat tails which will be bought for a penny a tail, the town council having kindly offered to do that.

This campaign opens February 23, and closes March 28th. On Tuesday, April 1st prizes will he awarded.

Why "Lizzie's" Roof was Punctured

OUR photographer happened to amble into Hollywood, Calif., and look whom he encountered. An 18-year-old youngster — Jack Earl by name—who lacks just a few inches being 8 feet tall and still growing "by the hour," so to speak. And—oh, boy—won't he be some man when he grows up?

Of course, our protographer could not resist the temptation to train his camera on the youngster. So he

asked young Jack to seat himself in a near-by flivver. Jack got in all right but before the photographer got his camera set, there was a loud rip!

"Oh, that was nothing. I merely straightened up in the seat so you could get a good picture," smilingly spoke the young giant to the startled camera man.

From the contented grin on young Earl's face, "Lizzie's" punctured top doesn't mean anything in his young life. The flivver probably didn't belong to him.

Sheriff's Force Does Much Work Against Chilton Bootleggers

Operations Past Week Yield Four Stills and Quantity of Moonshine Whiskey and Beer.

During the past week T. J. Littlejohn, Sheriff of Chilton County, has made quite a record in destroying illicit distilling outfits and arresting violators of the prohibition laws.

On last Wednesday the Sheriff, with the assistance of Deputy Foshee, destroyed a 50-gallon still in the New Salem Community a short distance from the home of Lige Burnett. Two barrels of beer were found near the still, which were also confiscated.

The following day the same two officers captured and destroyed a 100 gallon still and 100 gallons of beer near Stanton. No whiskey was found and no arrests were made. Also the home of George Hunter on the line of Autauga and Chilton was raided, yielding 1 gallon of whiskey and part of a distilling outfit found in Hunter's back yard. Hunter was arrested and brought to jail in Clanton.

Friday afternoon Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee, with the assistance of State Officer, W. H. Gillespie, went just across the line into Autauga County in the Hompton Community and captured a 50-gallon copper still in operation. J. Z. Carwile was arrested and the other operator took to the creek and escaped. This raid yielded 10 gallons of whiskey and 300 gallons of beer. Carwile, the still and the whiskey were brought to Clanton and placed in the county jail.

Saturday night Arthur Mims was arrested in Clanton under the charge of driving a car while intoxicated. He was placed in jail but made bond and was released.

On Sunday Gillespie and Foshee searched the home of Carl Peavey, a negro who lives in the Samaria Community near Clanton and found a half-gallon fruit jar full of whiskey in Peavey's wood pile. Peavey was brought to Clanton Monday and lodged in jail.

On Monday Deputy Foshee together with State Officers Gillespie and Gordon and Federal Officer Atkins made a raid in Coosa county and found a 75-gallon copper outfit in operation just across the river. George Tackett and a Dennis boy were arrested and brought to Clanton and jailed. One other operator got away. No whiskey was found but a quantity of beer was confiscated.

BIG LAND SALE

On Wednesday of this week, for the consideration of $1,800, Mr. J. P. Gore sold to Mr. W. E. Plier 18 acres of land which lies just north of the Gore Creek and joinnig the hame place of Mr. Plier. This is a fine piece of land, and when the creek swamp is ditched off, it will be well worth twice the amount at which it sold.

Hon. W. W. Monroe and wife of Fayette were in Clanton last week. Mr. Monroe was principal of the high school here several years and has a number of close friends here. They were visiting the family of Dr. E. E. Upchurch.

Clanton Chamber of Commerce Elected Officers Friday Night

Important Matters Discussed, Foremost Among them Being Draining of Our Swamps.

The Clanton Chamber of Commerce met at the court house in Clanton last Friday night. It was a special business meeting called principally for the purpose of re-organizing for another year and electing new officers. At 8:00 o'clock Dr. V. J. Gragg, the chairman of the club, called the meeting to order and proceeded with the business before the body. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. V. J. Gragg; first vice-president, W. W. Fox; second vice-president, V. J. Eimore; Board of Directors, J. P. Lawernce, C. B. Cox, Tom Kemp, T. H. Neighbors and J. Lee Smth.

After the election of officers, various matters of importance were taken up and discussed by the members. The entire meeting expressed itself as realizing that the first thing Clanton needed to do was to drain the swamps that almost surround our town. Although the health conditions in Clanton are exceptionally good, yet the swamps around here produce the appearance of being very sickly and productive of disease. It was reported by the attorney in charge of the drainage work here that the primary arrangements were completed and as soon at the water got out of the swamps the work of surveying would begin and actual work on the dredging taken up some time this summer.

Other matters of importance were discussed such as locating industries here, which were very ably discussed by Messrs. W. W. Fox, L. H. Reynolds, Dr. V. J. Gragg, R. C. McDavid and others.

In Mr. Fox's speech before the body, he stated that Clanton offered a splendid opportunity for a furniture factory, and that he was going to start up one some time in the near future. We are glad to hear Mr. Fox make this report, because a furniture factory would be a great asset to Clanton.

The matter of having a public meeting, to which everybody in town will be urged to come, was discussed and adopted by the chamber. This meeting will be at the court house in about a month, and some good out of town speakers will be procured to make addresses. Mr. Rogers, one of the State highway commisioners, will very likely be present and speak. Something more definite will be announced later.

Shelby Co. Deputies Destroy Many Stills

Columbiana, Ala., Feb. 9—Deputy Clyde Gardner reports many stills being destroyed near Pelham. On Feb. 5th a 300-gallon box still was captured 10 miles northeast of Pelham. On the same date 12 miles northeast of Pelham, a 300-gallon box still, 1,200 gallons of mash, 22 fermenters, two tents and seven lanterns were taken.

The officers arrested Manning Brasher and Hascel Brasher on the charges of distilling.

To Pave Chilton Road Commission States

Kind of Road to Be Built Is Decided Upon, and Bids For Same to Be Advertised at Once.

Types of construction and material to be included in bids which will be advertised for by the State highway department on construction of the Chilton County link in the Montgomery-Birmingham highway are prescribed in a resolution adopted by the highway commission Tuesday, as follows:

Concrete bases for all wearing surfaces other than plain concrete, are to be composed as follows: 1 2 1-2-5, mixed and base shall be five inches thick. Section for plain cement concrete pavement shall be six inches thick wiht 9-inch shoulder. The cement used in any case shall be first quality Portland cement.

Types of road on which bids will be received are: Plain cement, concrete, sheet asphalt, asphaltic concrete, Warrenite and copeka mixed, rock asphalt, and brick.

Representatives of several types of paving appeared before the State highway commission in Montgomery Monday to ask that paving specifications be so drawn that competitive bidding will result. The matter came up as a result of specifications for different types of paving for which bids will be asked on 17 miles on a Chilton County section of the Montgomery-Birmingham highway. The paving men said the specifications adopted would virtually shut out competition as between concrete and other types.

John Donnelson of Birmingham, a man experienced in paving matters, appeared and said he was not representing any type of paving which is called for in the specifications for the Chilton road. Herbert Warren, representing the Warrenite paving process, appeared as did Evans Dunn of Birmingham, representing the Dunn Construction Company. A. J. Fitzwalter appeared representing a Texas paving company which proposes to utilize Alabama rock asphalt in the construction of roads in Alabama. E. G. Berneike represented the Southern Clay Manufacturing Company of Chattanooga. The vitrified brick manufactured by this company are manufactured in two plants in Alabama near Birmingham.

It was the opinion expressed by each of the paving men who appeared that under the specifications as are drawn for the 17 miles of road which will be constructed in Chilton County competition is eliminated and only a concrete paving can be laid. It was claimed by the speakers that the specifications were such that other types of paving cannot hope to be the low bidders.

Mr. Donelson said that under the specifications as made out by the highway commission, it would be impossible for any type of paving but the concrete type to be the successful bidder. He told the commission that he believed the 6-inch concrete type with 9 inches on the edges of the road would be an experiment. He said the

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WILLIAM GORE DIES SUDDENLY LAST THURSDAY

While he and his son were engaged in sawing wood last Thursday morning, Mr. William Gore, who lived a mile and a half north of Clanton, dropped dead. After two cuts had been sawed off, it is reported, Mr. Gore told his son that he wanted to rest a bit, and almost instantly fell over dead. His death is attributed to some form of heart trouble.

Mr. Gore was 62 years old and was the father of two sons and three daughters. The sons are Joe and Allen and the three daughters are all married. He is also survived by his wife.

The funeral was held Friday at 11 o'clock at the home, the service being conducted by Rev. M. J. Parrish. Revs. Wilkerson and Ezell of Clanton were also present at the service and assisted. After the funeral the remains, followed by a long procession of sorrowing relatives and friends, was brought to the Clanton Cemetery where enterment was made.

Mr. Lande Puts On a Big Sale This Week

We wish to call the attention of our readers this week to the big double-page advertisement of The Leader which we are carrying this week. The "Store with the Red Front" realizes the importance of spreading printers ink, and it does not fail to do this in up-to-date fashion. Read every word of his big adv. He has some good news for the shopping public.

WHAT IS IT? — PLAY
WHERE?—UNION GROVE

When?—Saturday Night, Feb. 16th; What For?—Benefit of Alabama Baptist Hospital.

"LOVE IN ACTION"

A Presentation of the Work of the Alabama Baptist Hospital.

CAST OF CHARACTERS:

Superintendent, Dr. Christian—G. L. Glasscock.

Superintendent's daughter, Mabel Christian—Ethel Mize.

Young Doctor Evans—Pomp Robinson.

Head Nurse—Leone Hall.

First Nurse—Edna Robinson.

Second Nurse—Florence Cofer.

Third Nurse—Pearl Chandler.

Dietitian—Amy Robinson.

Children Patients—Bonnie Hilson and Jessie Dorminey.

Tom, the Porter—R. S. Chandler.

Jane, the Cook—Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Others:

Two Mothers — Mesdames G. L. Glasscock and T. D. Hall.

Father—Obe Robinson.

Mrs. Howard, visiting lady—Euna Davis.

Mrs. Craig—Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Secretary—Jessie Mims.

Adults - - - 15c;

Children - - - 10c.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$405,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

Total Resources—One Half Million Dollars.

We Want Your Business, Great or Small, Promising You Safety and Service.

Under the Strict Supervision of the United States Government

WE PAY 4% ON TIME DEPOSITS

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CAPITAL & SURPLUS $ 60,000

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MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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The Department of Agriculture reports a decrease in the acreage sowed to winter wheat, and an increase in the number of sheep on farms. This is one shift in farm operation that ought to prove beneficial to all concerned.

STAND FAST!

The Republicans have decided to stand firm for the Mellon tax bill. That's the ticket. Opportunity was given the Democrats for a compromise and they refused it. Their intention to try to block tax revision thereby became the more apparent. The entire nation, regardless of party, wants tax reduction. If the Democrats prevent it they will be mashed as flat as a rattlesnake on the main highway as the people march to the polls next November.

OUR CHIOCE FOR PRESIDENT

Following suit of The Birmingham News, the other daily papers of Alabama are charging the Republican papers of the State of helping Musgrove in his campaign against Senator Underwood for the Democratic nomination for president. The Montgomery Adertiser and the Birmingham Age-Herald come out with about the same propaganda which The News exhibited a few days ago. The fact of the matter is that these papers realize how biased and how prejudiced most of the people of the solid South are against anything that has the sound of "Republican" and that by making it appear that Musgrove is supported by the Republicans, the same envy and prejudice may be turned upon him.

As to what these daily papers have said about The Union-Banner aiding Musgrove, will say that they have but little ground for such argument. It is true that we are not for Underwood, but it is also true that we are not for Musgrove. And it is also true that we are not for any Democrat for president. Calvin Coolidge is our choice and our only choice among the aspirants for that office. We had rather risk the affairs of this government in the hands of Coolidge than anyone else we know of at this time.

As for these papers saying that "The Union-Banner is one of the backbones of the Republican party of Alabama," we feel like taking our hat off to them for this statement. In other words, we feel that a greater honor could scarcely be bestowed upon our unworthy heads. But as for us supporting Musgrove, that is a horse of a different color. It is true that we have carried some political advertising for Musgrove, but these were carried as paid political advertisements. So long as Mr. Musgrove wants to pay for our space and sign his name to his advertisements, we had as soon sell it to him as anybody else. And as for that matter, a number of Democratic papers have carried his advertisements. Why doesn't The News name these papers and charge them with having supported Musgrove as it has the Republican papers?

It is true enough that we admire some of the contentions of Mr. Musgrove. We agree with him on his fight against the Roman Catholics and also on his view of the prohibition laws and the Ku Klux Klan. And further, we differ with Mr. Underwood on these questions, but even these two facts do not mean that we are supporting Musgrove.

In the first place, we know that Musgrove has no more hopes of becoming president of the United States than we do. He has announced in Alabama simply for the purpose of probably getting to choose the delegates from Alabama to the Democratic notional convention, which opportunity was given him by the Alabama presidential preferential primary law. This fact alone, that Musgrove is running under this pretense of a law which was created for no other purpose than to work a Democratic trick, is sufficient ground for us to oppose him. And on top of all that, he is a Democrat and a subject to the Democratic party of Alabama. No matter what Mr. Musgrove wants to do, if he should be elected by the Democrats he would be compelled to do what they wanted done. This fact has been demonstrated too many times in Alabama.

Drowned.—A famous New York beauty has disappeared. Perhaps she has washed it off.—Rochester Herald.

A St. Valentine's Day We'll Never Forget

GIVE PREFERENCE TO AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS

A new York clothing store advertises London-made overcoats and prominently announces that they are "British through and through." Probably they are, but what of it? There is nothing in the advertisement intimating that the overcoats are any better than those which are American through and through. The mere guarantee that the goods are British is expected to bring customers, and experience has proved that it does. To many shoppers an imported article has a glamor not possessed by one of domestic manufacture, and they will choose the former even though the latter may be cheaper and of better quality.

Such worship of things European is reflected in other ways—in the choice of British ships for foreign tours in preference to an American vessel of simlar size, speed, and material comforts, in the acceptance of Paris styles in preference to those originated in this country, in the debt cancelationists' concern for foreign tax payers rather than for their own.

The greatest influence that has made the British Empire what it is today is the conviction among Englishmen that their country is the best in the world. They believe that British ships, British products of every sort, and British policies have no superiors, and they look with scorn on foreign attempts to change or supplant them. Whether they are right or wrong is not the question. They believe they are right, and their country is strong accordingly. Some of the same spirit ought to be more in evidence in the United States. Patriotism means more than waving a flag and going on a Fourth of July picnic; it means giving preference to American institutions and American products when they come into competition with others.

A GROWING EVIL

In his address before the business organization of the Government, President Coolidge pointed to an evil in our national policies that has not been sufficiently revealed in the past. Federal subsidies to state governments are evidenced in a variety of our laws. They usually take the form of co-operation with the states—in the construction of roads, the eradication of injurious bugs and plant diseases, the extermination of predatory animals, etc. In almost every instance the work could be done more efficiently by the local authorities, who have the real responsibility in the matter.

"I am fearful," said Mr. Coolidge, "that this broadening of the field of Government activities is detrimental both to the Federal Government and the state governments. Efficiency of Federal operations is impaired as their scope is unduly enlarged. Efficiency of the state governments is impaired as they relinquish and turn over to the Federal Government responsibilities which are rightfully theirs."

The President served notice on whom it may concern that he does not approve of an expansion of the state subsidy pliocy. It ought to be substantially curtailed, with each state assuming such expenditures in proportion as its needs may require and its finafnces permit.

REGULATION OF BILLBOARDS

The current controversy over the power to regulate the erection and display of billboards along public highways is invested with a certain piquant emphasis by the fact that Massachusetts is being looked to by other and far distant peoples as an exemplar in the case; notably in France, despite the supposition of Laurence Sterne that "they order this matter better" there. The peasants and innkeepers of Normandy and the Basques, "fragments of forgotten peoples,' on the slopes of the Pyrenees, object to having their picturesque scenery, beloved of artists and tourists, disfigured with hideous advertising signs, and they have caused their senators at Paris to introduce a measure providing the desired protection; in urging the enactment of which the example of Massachusetts is often cited. There will be those who will think that thus too much credit is given to this State. Certainly it will be held that at any rate we must take no backward step from the position thus imputed to us, but rather must "make good" and live up to our reputation.

There must indeed be general agreement, save, of course, by those sordidly interested in the very abuse which it is sought to abate, that the public is entitled to protection from offenses to the eye. The senses must be respected. It would be intolerable to flavor our drinking water with something which, while quite innocuous to health, gave it an unpleasant taste. Unnecessary noises which distress the ear and rack the nerves, and odors which sicken the sense of smell, are rightly regarded as nuisances. No less objectionable are unnecessary structures or displays which obstruct the vision and offend the sight.

Nor are such things to be condemned only in places of exceptional beauty or grandeur, or along what are regarded as scenic highways. In such places prohibition of defacement is obviously imperative. But the senses and tastes have equal right to protection elsewhere. The public travelling along even the least picturesque and most commonplace roads, and people dwelling in places quite devoid of scenic distinction, are entitled to exemption from all things that would unnecessarily affront them. A community whose seat amid scenery of picturesque charm is perhaps its chief asset, may well claim for that priceless possession protection against impairment. But one lacking such natural endowment may as legitimately claim the right to make the best of this meagre resources of scenery and not have them needlessly despoiled.

Whether such regulation should be a State or a local function is a question proper for debate. From one point of view, the whole State is interested in the scenery of every part of it. Certainly it seems to be logical for the State to have authority over the steadily increasing extent of State roads, for their adornment and for their protection from disfigurement. Obviously too, it is highly desirable to have uniformity of practice throughout the State, so that travellers will not find one town free from and the next town cursed with billboard abominations. Nor is it to be overlooked that only through State control can the people at the margin of one town be protected against signs in the adjacent town which may be just as directly offensive to them as though they were in their own. On the other and, it seems intolerable that a town which wants to protect itself against nuisances should be unable to do so simply because the State will not take action in the matter.

Probably the ideal arrangement would be for the State to have an effective law, for general application; and then for the individual towns to have the privilege of adopting additional ordinances, increasing if they wish but never subtracting from the stringency of the State law.—Boston Transcript.

STOUT PERSONS
Incline to fall feeling after eating, gassy pains, constipation
Relieved and digestion improved by
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Cleansing and comforting - only 25c

UNCLE PINK JONES CATCHES LOTS FISH

After having read the story we carried last week about Uncle Riley Robinson catching fish in January, Uncle Pink M. Jones of Corinth comes in and brings us a story which he says has got Uncle Riley beat. Uncle Pink says that he caught his first mess of fish in December and that all through January he caught bream by the score. He did most of his fishing in the mouth of the Ferry Branch just below Mitchll Dam on the Coosa side of the river. Mr. Jones said that he usually fished with two hooks and lots of times he had a fish on both hooks at the same time. He could not begin to tell the number which he had caught, but said that nearly all that he caugt were bream and most of them were very nice ones. Other reports verify the statement of Mr. Jones in that people are catching fish every day now just below Mitchell Dam.

SILVER TEA

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Missionary Society will hold a Silver Tea at the home of Mrs. Grady Broadhead Thursday afternoon, February 14th, from 2:00 to 6:00. Everybody is cordially invited.

Those night attacks of coughing

STOP the first cough—chill with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar—then sleep returns. It contains just the medicine that your own doctor prescribes for coughs—combined with the old-time remedy, pine-tar honey, so soothing to inflamed tissues and pleasing to the taste. Keep Dr. Bell's in easy reach of all the family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

CLEANINGS

Chicago Tribune—If America should be unwise enough to enter the league and showed no more courage, candor, or plain dealing than has been exhibited by the proponents of the Bok project our contribution to European politics would not qualify us for the office of moral monitor to mankind to which our internationalists aspire.

Troy (N. Y.) Times—The Federal Government, under a plan established by President Harding and continued by Mr. Coolidge, has reduced expenditures by hundreds of millions of dollars annually, thus making possible Secretary's Mellon's beneficent and sweeping plan of income tax reduction.

Recent Supreme Court Decision—"The slight gain to the customer which he would obtain by an unwarranted reduction in utility rates, is as nothing compared with his share in the ruin which would be brought about by denying industry just reward for services rendered."

The toiler plods along the road,
The cynic halts and snickers,
One man who helps to pull the load
Is worth a thousand kickers.
—Buzz Saw.

Houston Post (Dem.)—The complaining farmers of the Middle West are going to learn some day that the heavy taxation saddled upon the carriers is responsible in a considerable degree for the high freight rates of which they complain.

St. Lous Times—The main difference between the Republican Party and the Democratic Party is that the first is an embodied effort for construction and the second is an organized perpetual voice of protest.

Lynchburg News (Dem.)—It is to be borne in mind that behind Secretary Hughes' position in respect to Russia, is lined the substantially solid and enthuiastic public sentiment of the United States.

Minneapolis Tribune—The American people are fortunate in having at the head of their executive and administrative affairs a man who has sound ideas abou thrift and economy.

Boston News Bureau—Just before you take a drink of bootlegger booze buy a package of lead pencils, and then, if you go blind, you can start in business right away.

Springfield Union—As we get it from some of the Democrats in Congress, they'll be darned if they'll let the Republicans reduce their taxes.

Boston Transcript—"McAdoo'll do" is proposed as the Democratic slogan—but it looks now as if they were ready to make it "McAdieu."

Philadelphia North American—You notice that as the peace goes on there is less bragging about who won the war.

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9 to 12 and 1 to 3

THINGS THAT DOTHAN OFFERS

When we entered our office this morning we found Col. John J. Dishwater occupying our chair with his feet wandering up the side of the wall, dallying with a picture of Columbus Discovering America, which hung some five feet up, and almost out of reach.

"Well?" we inquired as an innuendo.

"Hello, hello," greeted the Colonel with a smile which we had grown to recognize as one that accompanies a request.

"What is it this time?" we said, with a dark-brown taste in our tone. We invariably have a dark-brown taste until 9 a. m.

"I've got something for you," replied the Colonel as he wiggled his feet and thumped Columbus Discovering America nearly off the wall. "It's an Idea seen—"

"Saw."

"Saw in Henry Vance's Column."

"Who is he?"

"He's a man who shovels more or less logic on the Birmingham News. He wrote up Birmingham, and I've wrote up Dothan."

The Colonel took from his pocket a sheet of folded paper and passed it to us. We herewith reproduce what was written on it:

"Move to Dothan. It is the Hub of the wiregrass. Come on—if you've a tee-totlar you're safe. If your're not you're not. Statistics show that Houston county Scotch contains everything from black powder to shingle nails.

"Dothan's population is 15,000 and eight policemen, one of whom was seen last week.

"Dothan has two fire trucks, making it practically impossible to have a successful fire.

"Dothan has beautiful paved streets, infested with children on roller skates, and if you speed your automobile you are fined $51.75. The .75 is for cost, making it the cheapest cost in the county. The difference between cost and retail price is $51. Some profit. Methinks I scent something rotten in the woodpile.

"Dothan has a water wagon, but in spite of the rotten quality of liquor on sale here only one man rides it.

"Fire plugs in Dothan are painted red so tobacco juice won't spoil their appearance.

"The sun sets just west of Dothan every afternoon. It rises in the east about sunup every morning.

"Dothan has a City Auditorum, with seats in the gallery, balcony and orchestra under a half inch of dust. The stage is well worn where home talents rehearse. One or two of our oldest citizens like to tell of the show that came to the auditorium back in 1913. They say the chorus wore knee dresses and daring skin-colored hose. One girl displayed the new style of bobbed hair and sang 'I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now,' and on the oncore came back with 'Steamboat Bill.' The house went wild."

Thus ends the Col.'s manuscript, misspelled words corrected—Dothan Eagle.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

$1,000 Reward

Given to Anyone Who Can Successfully Prove That

WocoPep
King of Motor Fuel
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John T. Ellis & Sons
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POOR OR

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Work thou for pleasure; paint or sing or carve
The thing thou lovest, through the body serve.
Who works for glory misses oft the goal;
Who works for money coins his very soul.
Work for work's sake then, and it well may be
That these things shall be added unto thee. —Cox.

Missionary Society Meets.

Mrs. R. C. McDavid was hostess on Monday afternoon to the members of the Womans Missionary of the Methodist Church. The apartments were lovely with tall vases or pink and white cranaitons. Mrs. J. C. Jones, president, conducted the devotional opening with the reading of the 103 Psalm. After the old business was disposed of plans for an Easter Bazaar were discussed. Circle No. 1 are having an oyster supper at "The Japanese Room" on Friday night. A report was made from Tag Day given on Monday with a net of $45.00 for Circle No. 2. No further business, the meeting adjourned to meet next with Mrs. T. C. McSwain. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Mrs. Barney Roberts served a tempting salad plate with hot tea.

Civic Club Meets.

The Civic Club held a very interesting meeting on Tuesday at the home of the president, Mrs. R. C. McDavid, who presided most graciously. The committee reports were very interesting as was the well-rendered program. The principal feature of the program was Mrs. Curry's original selection. Child Labor day and conservation were both observed and the club contributed $2.50 to the children's aid society as part of their child welfare program. The conservation idea was further carried out in a lively rat campaign outline. This work begins on February 23 and closes March 28. After the program a delightful salad course was served.

Mr. and Mrs. White Entertain.

A lovely event of last Thursday evening was a 42 party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. White, when they entertained for the nurses at the Central Alabama Hospital. Tables were arranged for the games and music on the Edison was enjoyed. A refreshing desert course was served later in the evening. Enjoying this courtesy were Misses Alridge, Robinson, Wyatt and Ausley, Messrs Otto Jones, Loran Smith and Leon Kemp. Mrs. White was assisted by Mrs. P. T. Hinkle.

Wednesday Card Club Entertained.

Vases of yellow johquills were the attractive means of decorating the apartments of Mrs. Frank Callen on last Wednesday when she had as her guests the members of the Card Club. Several spirited games of auction were enjoyed and Mrs. Hugh Simpson held highest score and was presented an angel food cake. A refreshing salad plate was served at the conslusion of the game. Mrs. Toy Parsons of Mobile was a guest of the Club for the afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Polk Hostess.

The Sewing Club was delightfully entertained on last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Geo. Polk. Bowls of narcissus were used to decorate the reception rooms. Various kinds of fancy work were done and the hostess served a dainty salad course late in the afternoon. Mrs. M. L. White will be hostess this week.

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Women's Misionary Union will give a Geo. Washington entertainment at the high school auditorium on February 22nd at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of many enjoyable features, some of which will be musical numbers interspersed with readings, songs and an artistic costume drill. Admission 15c and 25c.

Oyster Supper.

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist Church invite you to an oyster supper on Friday evennig from 5 till 8 o'clock at the Japanese Tea Room. Oysters served any style.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson left Monday for a weeks visit to relatives in Columbia, Ala., and other towns in South Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore had as their guest for the week-end Miss Kate Ranier, who is a student at Montevallo.

Misses Johnson and Tate spent the week end in Montgomery with frineds at the Woman's College.

Mr. S. A. Jones went down to Montgomery Saturday to visit his father, who is under treatment at the Yarbrough Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Petry of Petry, Ala., have returned to Clanton and expect to make their home here.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton and Miss Margaret Smith spent the week end in Columbiana.

Messrs. Elwyn Gore, Joe Luckie, and Hershal Gore were visitors to the Capital City Saturday.

Mr. Roger Williams, circulation manager for the Montgomery Advertiser, was in Clanton on business on Monday.

Charles Moore spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Mullins in Birmingham.

Miss Carter and Sara Luckie spent Saturday in the Capital City.

Mr. W. K. Mullins was a visitor to Clanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and Mrs. Guy Roberts spent the week end with Miss Lessie Reynolds in Lincoln.

Mrs. J. Watts Moore spent Tuesday in Verbena as the guest of Mrs. Stanley Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Johnson motored over to Rockford Sunday.

Mr. M. A. Gore was a visitor to Calera Sunday.

Mr. T. C. McSwain and Mr. Albert Pyron spent a couple of days at Centerville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry Thomas were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy at Coopers Sunday.

After a weeks visit to Mrs. D. Y. Johnson her cousin, Miss Moon, has returned to her home in Nashville.

Mrs. Toy Parson has returned to her home in Mobile after a visit to relatives here.

Judge Mayfield from Montgomery was in Clanton attending court this week.

Hon. Fritz Thompson from Birmingham was among the visitors to Clanton this week.

Mr. D. Y. Johnson made a business trip to Centerville Tuesday.

Hon. Lloyd Tate from Wetumpka was attending business in Clanton a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hubbard from Verbena were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watts Moore Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Culpepper is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Erwin, at Jemison this week.

10 DAYS TO HATCH!

It takes ten days for the eggs of a roach to hatch—so if you keep Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder around for a few days, the old ones will carry it into the nests before they die—and as the young hatch, they will be destroyed too! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala. and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Following information that the Interstate Commerce Commission had docketed the general complaint of the traffic department of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce against rates on canned goods from Mobile to several cities, the Southern Railway has proposed revision of rates on the commodities and the case will be heard by the Southeastern Freight Rate Association, the rate making body for the lines.

The rural schools of Cleburne county are at work on plans to take part in contests of the school fairs which will be held at Heflin early in the spring, according to M. A. Vickers, county superintendent. Prizes will be offered for the best one-teacher schools as well as to the two or more-teacher schools. Individual prizes for penmanship, drawing, maps, compositions, etc., will be offered.

In the case of Cora Sparks, et al, vs. William H. Woolverton, appealed from the Jefferson circuit court in equity, the supreme court of Alabama in affirming the decision of the lower court upheld the validity of the administration of an endowment fund willed to the Birmingham-Southern college for the education of the sons of Methodist ministers. The endowment fund amounts to $30,000.

That an audit of the city financial condition now being completed by Aldridge and Aldridge will show the need of additional revenue giving this need as a reason for the recent ordinance putting on a one cent gasoline tax was the statement of Mayor W. A. Gunter, Jr., at the regular weekly meeting of the Montgomery Automotive Trades' Association

Severe damage was sustained by the Alabama sweet potato crop in "banks" the oat crop, onions, spinach, cabbage, sand pear trees, kumquats, and a small percentage of satsuma trees from the freezing temperatures recently, according to the crop summary for the week ending Tuesday, January 15, released by P. H. Smyth, government meterologist.

Recommendations for amendment of the Interstate Commerce act so as to lessen conflict between state and federal authority in the matter of rate control was contained in a memorial addressed to United States senators and representatives in congress by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

The Selma post of the American Legion has secured permission from the city council to hold a street fair and carnival early in March, for the purpose of raising funds to be used toward erecting a permanent memorial to their comrades who gave their lives in the late World war in France.

The Gulf States Steel company has replaced the old muffle system of annealing wire in their Gadsden plant with the modern modern pot system. The new department has just been completed. It is said to be mainly for the purpose of preventing wire from scaling.

The Alabany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce is working to secure a budget sufficient to enable the chamber to employ a paid secretary, and to furnish some financial support to the Albany-Decatur concert band.

The Luckenbach line ships will sail from Mobile every alternate Friday for Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland and Seattle, according to an announcement made by agents of the Luckenbach lines at Mobile.

Seventy-five pecan trees have been ordered by the Talladega Boy Scouts, and will be planted by them. The work will be done under the supervision of the committee of scout workers.

Ground was broken Jan. 16 for the double track on the Louisville and Nashville railroad from Montgomery to Catoma. A force of 100 men has been put to work on the Catoma end of this five mile stretch of track.

Camp Kilby is one of the most modern penal institutions in the United States, declared Dr. Louis Ireton of New York, technical expert, who has just made a thorough inspection of the plant.

An efort is being made to secure the use of the Covington County Fair grounds as a community center and playgrounds by the Anadlusia Rotary club.

The Cosmo Theater of Guntersville, the Princess Theater at Albertville and the Royal Theater at Boaz have recently been incorporated under the title of Marshall Enterprise.

Definite arrangements have been made for the minstrel to be given at Albany-Decatur by the Morgan County Post of the American Legion early in February.

The Gore Hotel and grocery store, and the residence of Dr. Weston, a winter visitor, were razed by an early morning fire in Fairhope last week.

Percival Todd, a Selma negro, arrested recently by police authorities, charged with counterfeiting stamps and half dollar pieces, has been convicted and sentenced to serve thirteen months in the federal penitentiary.

Mrs. Louis Scott, 48, wife of a blacksmith at Reform, near Birmingham, was found shot to death 100 yards from her home by a passerby. She apparently was killed with a shotgun during the night. A gun was found near the body, according to a report from the Beltona Mining Company.

Approval of the leasing by the Southern Cities Power company, of Chattanooga, Tenn., of the electric light and power utilities properties in the towns of Stevenson, Bridgeport and Scottsboro, Ala., was requested by officials of the company who appeared before the Alabama Public Service commission.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON
Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

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S. C. WHITE LEGHORN

BABY CHICKS—HATCHING EGGS

Tell US what you need. If we don't have it we will get it for you. Now is the time to plan for the coming year.

"ANYTHING FOR CHICKENS"

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CLANTON, ALA.

THEY ENLARGED THEIR PLACE OF BUSINESS AND ARE NOW STOCKING THE STORE. CALL ON THEM AND GET THEIR PRICES BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE.

Are you pleased with your undergarments?

Our dainty, lacey undergarments are made for ladies who care. We have been careful in selecting the finest materials, and know that these garments are cut on the right lines–with plenty of room. The seams won't pull out. Come in today and take home one of these comfortable garments.

We have shirts and undergarments for men which will please them

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If you expect to keep on getting business, prepare the ground by spreading good printing all over your territory, and your business will produce ten-fold better results. For GOOD PRINTING, it will pay you to come to us. Our services cost no more than ordinary service, but there's no comparison otherwise.

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LOOK AND READ
32-inches wide Gingham, sell everywhere at 25c; our Reorganizing Sale price, special while it lasts **19c**
Remember this is new merchandise—now compare with our store.

GREATER THAN EVER
75c Ratine, new patterns; put in a supply while it lasts **48c**

PONGEES
50c Mercerized Pongee; a real value for only **29c**

SUITING
25c and 35c Suitings; just a few bolts, while it lasts; don't neglect this opportunity; special at **15c**

APRON CHECKS
Apron Checks; a real 15c value; Special at **9c**

BLUE SHIRTING
22c Blue Shirtings, in solid colors, and in stripes and checks; don't neglect; while it lasts **16c**
This is less than today's wholesale cost.

GET A NEW TICK
25c Bed Tickings and mighty good; special at **17c**

FEATHER TICKING
8-ounce guaranteed feather proof sells everywhere at 40c; our price, special at **33c**

UMBRELLAS
1 lot of Umbrellas, regular $1.50 value; while they last, special **89c**

CRIB BLANKETS
$1.25 Baby Crib Blankets, in pink and blue, with different designs; special at **88c**

SILK PONGEE
$1.00 a yard Silk Pongee, while we have it, special **59c**

CREPE LINGERIE
35c a yard Crepe Lingerie; just the thing for underwear, creepers, etc; all colors, special at **21c**

CREPES
$3.00 a yard pussy-willow Crepe; all the go now for new dresses; special Reorganizing Sale price, per yd. **$1.85**
All Silk CrepedeChine, in all colors, new merchandise; special, per yd. **$1.35**

LINEN TABLE DAMASK
85c a yard Linen Table Damask, beautiful design; special, per yd. **60c**

WHITE GOODS
The only genuine Indian Head Linen, per y.d **25c**
A beautiful quality of Pajama Check; one yard wide **20c**
35c dainty Checks, mercerized quality, special at **22c**
1 lot of fine Nainsooks, all colors; while it lasts, special **25c**

We cannot mention everything we have in this advertisement—all we ask is come see and be convinced.

PERCALS
One yard wide Percals, in dark colors only, mostly blue and grey; will make beautiful dresses, and guaranteed fast colors; special at **17c**

PEPPERALL SHEETING
9-4 genuine Pepperall Sheeting; 2 1-4 yards wide, special **58c**

LINEN TABLE NAPKINS
Linen Table Napkins, while they last; pe rdozen, special **$1.75**

WINDOW SHADES
7 foot long green Window Shades; special at **59c**

TOWELS
1 lot of fine Towels, fringed edge; special at **8c**
1 lot of solid white Huck Towels; special at **12c**
1 lot of fine 35c Huck Towels, with nice border; special at **19c**
1 lot of fine Turkish Bath Towels, with beautiful colored border or plain border; special at **21c**

PEPPERALL SHEETS
Genuine 81x90 Pepperall Sheets, special at **$1.48**

THREADS
Coats 150-yard spool Thread, white and black, all colors; special, per spool **4c**
Clark's Out Crochet Thread, all numbers; per spool **8c**
Eagle's 50 yards genuine Silk Thread; all colors **4c**
5c Dress Fasteners, one dozen on card; special, per card **2c**

HOSIERY—LOOK AND BUY
Ladies' fine Silk Hose, with mark full fashion seam in back, in all the best colors; sell everywhere from 65c to $1.00; our special Sale price, while they last **25c**
Ladies' 15c Hose, in black and brown; special at **9c**
Ladies' 25c Cotton Lisle Hose, with seam in back, cordovan and black; special at **15c**

PILLOW CASES
Pillow Cases, just a few; while they last, at **25c**

SAFETY PINS
Safety Pins, per card **4c**

RIC-RAC BRAID
Ric-Rac Braid, special **8c**

LADIES' WAISTS
1 lot of Ladies' Waists, in white and pongee; all sizes and new **89c**

CHEMISE
1 lot of fine Envelope Chemise, in flesh and white, a real 75c value; special at **48c**

LADIES' GOWNS
1 lot of Ladies' Gowns, in pink and blue; beautiful quality; cannot be made at the price **69c**

GINGHAM DRESSES
$1.25 to $1.75 Children's Gingham Dresses; while they last **94c**

We have just moved back into our building which was dest ers and friends to visit us, so in order to make it worth while planned this Sale the greatest thing that has ever been atte

Every person entering our store on the opening date and pur Dinner Set of China Ware—so bring your family, your neigh last for 15 DAYS. We are going to mark everything down—

Don't throw this advertisement away—after you are through friend; let him feast on these bargains. PLENTY OF SALE

TO THE 100 CUSTOMERS PURCHASING TEN DOLL FREE—ABSOLUTELY FREE—one set of BEAUTIFUL PL

HOSE
45c Lisle Hose, in black and cordovan; special, with seam **23c**
65c Silk Lisle Hose, in cordovan and black; special **39c**
$1.25 Silk Hose; special **89c**
$2.50 Silk Hose, slightly imperfect—you cannot tell it; made of real heavy silk; genuine full fashion, while they last; special **$1.19**

CAPS
1 lot of 25c Knit Caps; special 15c
1 lot of 35c and 50c Knit Caps; special at **23c**
1 lot of tam Knit Caps; sold up to $1.25; just a few; special **42c**

BLOOMERS
1 lot Bloomers for ladies, in jersey and crepe, in flesh and white colors; while they last **35c**

SPRING HATS
Just received a shipment of Spring Hats for ladies and children; there are too many kinds to price, so therefore we are going to sell them at a reduction of 25c on the dollar. Come and look them over, the prices will amaze you, they are so cheap.

WOOL DRESSES
Ladies' Wool Dresses; you have never seen this class of new merchandise sacrificed as we are going to sacrifice it for this Reorganizing Sale. We have a full stock—look and read—
1 lot of fine all-wool Dresses, beautiful trimmed, sold up to $7.50; while they last, special at **$3.79**
$8.50 to $10.00 Dresses, all-wool, poiret twill and serge; special **$6.98**
1 lot of $12.00 to $18.50 Dresses and Suits. These goods are wonders; while they last, special **$8.94**
1 lot of Ladies' Gingham Dresses, good gingham and well made; while they last, at **$1.48**
1 lot of $2.50 to $3.00 Dresses, special while they last **$1.79**

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Don't neglect this opportunity—come see the remarkable complete. Our terms are strictly cash to all. We have no l

We want everybody to come, not for the purpose of buying, bu

THE BIG REORGANIZING SALE BEGINS

We are back in our old home next to the Farm

MR. LANDE SAYS
I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

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MODERN MACHINERY AID TO MAINTENANCE

Scrapers on Trucks Keep Roads Fit.

The best road in the long run is the hard road. But there are many localities where the use of the hard road does not permit its cost to be an economy for the community. Hence the sand-clay, gravel, shell, and other types of roads, not hard surface, which are built.

Such roads require constant maintenance if they are to remain smooth. Formerly such work was done by teams. But modern ingenuity has provided road tools which can be applied to trucks, with a great economy of time, labor, and money.

As an example, consider Kent County, Mich., where, according to the annual report of the County Road Commissioners, there are 252 miles of gravel road, varying in width from 10 to 16 feet, the total width of the grade varying from 20 to 30 feet.

Nearly all the scraping and grading work is taken care of by scrapers attached to trucks, which with the scraper attachment, travel about 10 or 12 miles per hour. Each truck does the work of six or seven teams.

Nine trucks equipped with scrapers maintain an average of nearly 30 miles each. The quality of the work of this kind of equipment is said to be much better than with horse-drawn equipment, and it takes less supervision to look after this kind of maintenance organization.

The gravel roads are kept smooth by the constant use of scrapers or graders, and by the application of thin layers of screened gravel where required. One-half inch to one inch of screened gravel is kept on the surface of the road all the time; by scraping around to fill ruts and holes, it is possible to maintain a smooth road under a traffic of several thousand vehicles a day.

Coughs
that wear you out

making you feel weak and ill, rasping your throat and lungs until they are sore—break them up now before they cause you more serious trouble. Dr. King's New Discovery breaks up coughs quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

LIBERTY HILL

Here we come with a lot of news this time.

Miss Meadie Sansom entertained a number of her friends Saturday night. Those present were Misses Virbie D. Williams, Gussie Littlejohn and Lela Minor, Messrs. Leonard Culp, Earl Williams, Luther G. Hayes, Moody Williams and Philmon Smith.

Miss Frances Lowery dined with Miss Maggie Rollins Sunday.

Miss Minnie Tayler spent the day with Miss Verlie D. Williams Sunday.

Mr. Leonard and Miss Senora Culp took dinner with Mr. Duncan and Miss Kattie Lee Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Littlejohn, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Littlejohn, Dubo and Billif Chancellor, and Misses Willie and Viola Littlejohn were the dinner guests of Mr. Frank Littlejohn Sunday.

The singing at Mr. Wilburn Ward's Sunday afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Maye Sansom is spending a few days this week with her cousin, Miss Lela Minor.

Mr. Carl Williams spent the night with Mr. Moody Williams Saturday night.

Next Sunday evening is our regular singing evennig. Everybody will be welcome to come and be with us.

UNION GROVE

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting are still very good.

A wedding of much interest to the people of this place was that of Mr. Greene Dorminey and Miss Leone Hall, who were happily married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hall, Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock. The happy couple left Sunday afternoon for Wellsville, Ohio, where Mr. Dorminey has been working for some time. We all wish them a long and happy life.

Saturday night and Sunday was our regular preaching days. We were very glad to see Bro. Davis able to be out again, as he has been sick for some time.

The United Singing Society met in regular session at this place Sunday afternoon with a large crowd and did some more good singing. Directors for the afternoon were: E. L. Glasscock, J. P. Bean, A. B. Baxley, A. H. Glasscock, Jasper Oaks and Akins Collins; organists were: Misses Emma Campbell and Esther Atkinson. This society meets at Collins Chapel next Sunday. Let's everybody go and help out in the singing.

Mr. Bernie Chandler and Misses Ethel Mize, Pearl Chandler and Florence Cofer motored to Maplesville Sunday and reported a nice time.

Misses Rebecca Dorminey and Edna Robinson spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. Herlie Mims Sunday evening.

Miss Lula Cofer spent Sunday with Miss Delene Collum.

Don't forget the play at this place next Saturday night, the 16th. Everybody come.

Mr. Z. J. Jones of West Chilton was in Clanton attending to some business matters Monday. Mr. Jones is a staunch Republican and a man whom everybody likes and enjoys to be acquainted with.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get the doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

COOPERATIVE MARKETING IS STILL GROWING STRONG

Extension Specialists Review Work of Last Year, Predicting Continual Growth.

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 12, 1924.—Cooperative marketing of farm products made a substantial gain in Alabama last year. The big increase, however, was with cotton, of which 57,400 bales of the 1922 crop were sold cooperativelyl by the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association for $8,200,000. This sale required part of two calendar years.

According to reports of M.H. Pearson and K. G. Baker, Marketing specialists for the Extension service, only 469 cars of hogs were sold cooperatively during the year. The market value of these hogs was $456,862.28. During the peak of hog production in Alabama, as a result of the war demands for meat and meat products, annual cooperative sales of hogs reached approximately $1,000,000 or more than double that of last year.

The report by Mr. Pearson and Mr. Baker shows further that 11,000 head of calves and cattle were sold by the cooperative plan last year for $23,018.34. The biggest cattle sale of the year was held in connection with the Fat Stock Show in Montgomery when several cars were sold in one day.

The Farm Bureau Hay Association closed its first year during 1923 with a large volume of sales to its credit, and improvements along many lines in the marketing of hay.

Co-operative cotton marketing of the 1923 crop will greatly exceed that of the 1922 crop. The volume of cotton handled is greater and the price is higher, insuring a substantial increase in the value of Alabama farm products sold in this way.

NOTICE TO TRUCK OWNERS

Every truck owner in Chilton county engaged in hauling lumber and logs, are asked to meet at the court house in Clanton on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 10 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to consider the new road tax of Chilton county.

J. N. SCOTT.

Jemison, Ala., Feb. 5, 1924.

STUDEBAKER WINS YOSEMITE RACE FOR FOURTH TIME

Big-Six Touring Car Bucks Through Deep Snows of Mountain Roads in Gruelling Pilgrimage Into Famous Valley.

Studebaker Light-Six Second Touring Car to Reach Yosemite in 1924.

Thrusting triumphantly through snow-and-mud roads, a Studebaker for the fourth year in succession won the hotly contested race to be the first touring car to enter the Yosemite Valley and drive in at the ranger's checking station.

The annual pilgrimage over the snow-tortured roads of the Sierras in order to appear first in the valley is one of the most gruelling grinds known to motordom, and is therefore a highly coveted honor for Studebaker. No car has ever won the race four times before.

The winning passenger car was a stick Studebaker Big-Six, dispatched from the show rooms of the Chester N. Weaver Company, San Francisco. The car was piloted through the "thick going" of the Wawona road by H. M. Gregory. He was welcomed at the park by Chief Ranger, F. S. Townsley.

Light-Six Second Into Park

"Well!" exclaimed the Chief Ranger, "we're not surprised. Although the roads are just about impassable now, we were looking for you. Year after year a Studebaker has been the first touring car into the Yosemite, and we just figured there would be one along again this year."

The Chief Ranger thereupon issued the first touring car permit of the 1924 season to this Studebaker. The snow was heavier and the road conditions more difficult than in any previous year, according to Pilot Gregory. Another Studebaker, a Light-Six touring car, driven by William J. Silva of Modesto, Calif., came in second in the "first into the park" run, and both cars arrived in perfect condition, victors over mountain roads and perilous winter weather.

Roads Were Almost Impassable

"It was mighty cold and the grades were steep," said Pilot Gregory, "but the Big-Six showed fine hill-climbing qualities and ran faultlessly throughout the strenuous race. Several times we had to back away and charge the snow like a battering ram; then we proceeded on. It was a great honor for Studebaker to win this mountain race for the fourth time."

Engineering construction and motor efficiency made it easier for the Studebaker to win the 1924 pilgrimage, it was said. Automobile editors, poring over their records, recall the thrilling dash from the Pacific Coast to the Yosemite in 1922, when a Studebaker Big-Six had to buck the snow drifts for three days before winning the race, while other contestants gave up in despair.

The feat of the 1924 Big-Six is all the more striking, in view of the fact that it covered the distance so rapidly. It demonstrates, motorists say, that this year's Studebaker production is the most versatile "job" in the 72 years of this corporation's manufacturing history.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
M. D. & D. D. S.
Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
Office in New Hayes Bldg.

IN THE TRAVELING BUSINESS

Mr. G. G. Riggins, formerly of Chilton County but for the past several years of Birmingham, was in The Banner office Monday. Mr. Riggins notified us that he is now traveling for the Alabama Packing Company of Birmingham. He sells canned goods and also buys all kinds of produce to can. He will pass thru Clanton once a week, stopping off here every Monday. Mr. Riggins has a number of close friends in Chilton county, who will be glad to learn of his position and to know that he will visit our city so often.

Mr. C. J. Mitchell, prominent Republican and road supervisor of Beat 2, was in Clanton Monday. He was here with the good old stand-pat citizen, D. M. Apperson. They were looking after road matters and also attended the opening of the contest.

Stop Coughing

The quick, safe and best way to stop coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and la grippe coughs is to take

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Every user is a friend

Armour's

The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS are made from the choicest materials, thoroughly cured and dried, and will easily go through any make of distributor.

Wrapped in every sack of ARMOUR'S goods are those qualities which manifest themselves in all of the undertakings of those master men whose name it bears.

MAKE EVERY ACRE DO ITS BEST

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS, for sale by

J. N. DENNIS, Clanton, Ala., Agent
W. H. GOODGAME, Thorsby, Ala., Agent

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Armour Fertilizer Works

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

Next Spring—

With over 200,000 orders for Ford Cars and Trucks already placed for delivery during the next few months, we are facing a record-breaking spring demand.

Each successive month this winter has witnessed a growth in sales far surpassing that of any previous winter season. This increase will be even greater during the spring months, always the heaviest buying period.

These facts suggest that you place your order early to avoid disappointment in delivery at the time desired.

Ford Motor Company
Detroit, Michigan

It is not necessary to pay cash for your car in order to have your name placed on the preferred delivery list. You can make a small payment down, or you can buy, if you wish, under the convenient terms of the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

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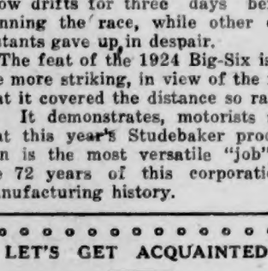

BREAD YOU'LL ENJOY

Either in sandwiches or with your meal, our White or Rye Bread is a mighty tasty and wholesome item. Try a loaf or two today.

The City Bakery
JOHN WELLS, Prop.
CLANTON, ALA.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation	Wind Colic
Flatulency	To Sweeten Stomach
Diarrhea	Regulate Bowels

Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

COL. F. B. COLLIER IS IN MODESTO, CALIF.

For the benefit of his many old friends in Clanton and Chilton County, we are publishnig below a letter from Col. F. B. Collier which we have just received. We do this simply to let you that Col. Collier is still very much alive and that he is still residing in the Sunset State. You remember, Mr. Collier, after practicing law here a couple or three years, left and went to California. Below is his letter:

"Modesto, Calif., Feb. 6, 1924.
The Union-Banner:
I am enclosing herewith my check for $1.50, for which please send me The Union-Banner. I would be glad if you can send me back issues, letting my subscrption date from January 1, 1924.
Yours truly,
F. B. COLLIER."

Messrs. H. F. McCary and R. N. Roebuck of Maplesville Route 1 were in Clanton Saturday on business. They report everything on a boom in their section of the county.

Practical Nurse Tells

Mrs. N. E. Snow, of Route 1, near Paris, Tenn., tells the story of her experience as follows:

"I am 62 years old and I have been a practical nurse for more than 20 years, taking mostly maternity cases. One of my daughters suffered from cramping at . . . She would just bend double and have to go to bed.

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

was recommended to her and she only had to take about two bottles, when she hardly knew that it was . . ., she suffered so little pain.

"My youngest daughter was run-down, weak and nervous, and looked like she didn't have a bit of blood left—just a walking skeleton, no appetite and tired all the time. I gave her two bottles of Cardui. It built her up and she began eating and soon gained in weight and has been so well since."

Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, has helped suffering women for over forty years. Try it. At all druggists'.

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OAK GROVE

Mr. Bill Martin of this community, who has been sick for some time, was visited Sunday by the members of his Sunday School class. The members who visited him were: Lonnie Northcutt, Carl Wilson, Charlie Foshee, Vollie Matthews, Hazel Glass, Ruth Glass, Carrie Glass, Pauline Lowery, Jack Cobb, Charlie Martin, George Thornton, Flora Cobb, Miss Nellie Glass, their teacher, went with them, which shows to Bill that they have not forgotten him.

The singing class from here went to Providence last Sunday to join the class there in singing.

Our public school here has closed and the teachers, Miss Cheshire, Miss Ruchburg and Miss Murphy have left for their homes. We hope to have them with us again. We feel that they have been a blessing to our school and church, as they were all good church workers.

Below we are submitting a list of the children who were promoted in school from the various grades:

Promoted from 6th to 7th grade—Thelma Pierce, Let Mae Lowery, Lorena Matthews, Marvin Sutley.

Promoted from 7th to 8th grade—Charles Foshee, Flora Cobb, Vergyl Samons, Lola Mae Martin.

Promoted from 5th to 6th grade—Mattie Lee Glass, Ruth Glass, Lorene Glass, Edna Jones, Lois Martin, Mabeth Northcutt, Elon Cobb, Columbus Littleton, Carl Wilson, Ione Foshee.

Promoted from 4th to 5th grade—Meryl Cobb, Hazle Glass, Carrie Mae Glass Fay Martin, Pauline Lowery, Iris Marler, Roberta Satterwhite, Marvin Glass, James Marler, Milton Lowery.

Promoted from 3rd to 4th grade—Gartie Pearman, Hison Cobb, Shelly Reed Glass.

ANNUAL STATE S. S. MEET APRIL 21 AT MONTGOMERY

The Alabama Sunday School Council announces April 21 to 23, 1924 as date for holding its Forty-first Annual Convention.

The place is Montgomery and program committee headed by Dr. W.D. Agnew, has secured a number of continent wide leaders and the program is well under way. Dr. Agnew, chairman of the program committee is optimistic over the prospect of the Convention and feels that he and his committee are building a program unequaled in the state for promoting Christan education.

The General Convention Committee is headed up by John W. Durr of the Durr Drug Company. Mr. Durr is one of the best known Christian business men in Alabama and the fact that he heads up the General Arrangements committee assures the success of the Forty-first Annual Convention.

Half your Living Without Money Cost

You can make it easily at home. Hastings' Seeds, Plants and Bulbs, "The Standard of the South," are all fully described with hundreds of actual photographic pictures in the new 1924 Seed Book of the South. This new Hastings' Seed Catalog is the greatest and most useful Seed Book ever published for the South. You need it, and we want you to have it entirely free.

We are also giving to each 1924 customer 5 SEED PACKETS of BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS ABSOLUTELY FREE. The new Catalog tells all about it and gives "every care for the consideration of the buyer for purchasing and planting seeds, bulbs and plants," says the Seed World Review. We want you to have and keep the wonderful new Seed Book in your home for ready reference at all times. Write for it now. A postcard will do. It will come to you by return mail.

H. G. HASTINGS CO., SEEDSMEN, ATLANTA, GA.

MR. WRIGLEY SAYS:

I believe in newspaper advertising. I spend about a million dollars a year for newspaper space to tell the world about the goods I have to sell.

Nearly everybody reads the papers, and they are the most effective medium to reach the buying public quickly and often.

FARMERS ARE BENEFITTED BY NEW FERTILIZER LAWS

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 9, 1924.—By virtue of the provisions of the Agricultural Code of 1923, Alabama farmers are now able to purchase higher standard fertilizers than farmers of any other state, without having to invest any more money than they did a year ago.

Last year the amount of sand and other make-weight materials used as a filler in fertilizer purchased by our farmers and used in growing crops on the farms of the State are estimated at more than twenty-two thousand tons. The new law eliminates this filler, its place in mixed fertilizer now being taken up by additional plant food. No additional cost to the consumer results from the increased amount of plant food thus made available through the elimination of the filler which also results in a considerable saving in the aggregate, in the matter of freight charges.

Minimum standards prescribed for fertilizer under the new law are higher than those of any other state in the entire country. No complete fertilizer may now be sold in Alabama, that contains less than 16 per cent plant food. The same applies to acid phosphate and potash, acid phosphate with nitrogen, and plain acid phosphate. Under the old law, the minimum was 14 per cent. The highest minimum in any other state is 12 per cent.

Raising of the standard of fertilizer sold and used in Alabama is of the greatest value and importance to the farmers of the State and to the wealth and prosperity of Alabamians in general. Just how much it really does mean can be estimated in a measure by computing the cost of millions of tons of worthless fillers formerly carried in the fertilizers and the probable and reasonable advantages to the production of crops thru the use of higher standard fertilizers and more plant food, without an increased outlay of money, for growing crops, especially for bringing the cotton plant to fruition before the boll weevil is able to deal his most telling blows.

Pimples

BLOOD impurities are pumped by the heart into the face. That is what causes that grainy appearance, that muddiness, sallowness, pimples, blackheads, acne, red spots, and that impossible "something" which no face cream, massage, or face powder can cover up or beautify! The foundation for a beautiful skin simply is not there, and no face treatment can give it to you. But increase your red-blood-cells,—and quickly the ruby tint of purity begins to glow in the cheeks, the complexion becomes venus-like and immaculate! Try it. It will do it every time. S.S.S. builds the red-blood-cells you need for a beautiful complexion. Begin using S.S.S. at once, and give yourself what you have been working for, for years.

S.S.S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

COFFINS CASKETS BURIAL SUPPLIES

Prompt Courteous Consideration

MULLINS & MOORE

Clanton, Ala.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Mandamus proceedings were filed in the circuit court of Lee county by C. G. Carmack, a resident of Russell county, against C. B. Gullatt, mayor of Phenix City, and J. W. Anthony, W. A. Barnes, J. W. Harris, E. L. White and W. M. Bullard as aldermen of Phenix City, alleging that the mayor and aldermen had failed or refused to designate wards for the territory formerly embraced in Girard, and which, by the action of consolidation, became a part of Phenix City and to elect representatives or aldermen from that section of the city as required by law.

The damage to the citrus trees, principally satsuma trees, in Mobile and Baldwin counties, from the freeze, is not very heavy, according to experts. In fact, it is not believed that any of the old trees are hurt and that the young trees are only slightly hurt. Grapefruit trees suffered some damage from the freeze. The damage to cabbage will be very heavy. It is not known the exact figures of the damage to the truck gardens.

John Sparrow, 65 years of age, head of Sparrow Advertising agency and for years prominently connected with newspaper and advertising work in Birmingham, died at 10:05 o'clock Thursday night, Jan. 10, at his residence, 1524 Water street, from a fracture at the base of the skull, sustained when he either fell or was struck by an automobile at the American Trust & Savings bank corner during the wind and rain storm of Thursday afternoon.

The Brundidge Hog Sale association held a very successful sale. Hogs reaching the number of 439 were sold co-operatively. R. L. Metcalf, Hartford, made the purchase of the entire lot, paying $6.65 per hundred weight for top and the prices ranging down, according to grade. The price received by the farmers was only 35 points under the Montgomery market. R. L. King, farm agent, was in charge of the sale.

On Friday, January 25, citizens from various sections of Lauderdale county will gather at the Florence Chamber of Commerce for a farm conference. Business men, farmers, bankers, newspaper men and the public at large, will be present at which time a program will be outlined for 1924. There will be present men who have had years of experience in the farm work at Auburn. The farm bureau will also be represented.

Burling Brown, negro, was killed, and Tom Garrison, another negro, seriously injured when a sewerage ditch in Montgomery caved in. Brown was buried by the dirt, while only Garrison's head was above ground after the cave-in. The ditch had been excavated to a depth of 12 feet and four negroes were continuing the excavation when about five feet of dirt fell upon them. Two escaped by running.

Elmore County has suffered heavily from the effects of the recent freeze. Many truck growers have their gardens blasted and all heretofore growing stuff are lying blackened and dead. Thousands of beautiful cabbage, some already beginning to head, are lying limp and flat. The continued warm weather during November and December caused vegetation to put on a fresh growth, and when the freeze struck this part of the state, everything was blighted.

Anniston knights of the K. K. K. have accepted an invitation from Rev. J. R. Talley, pastor of the Trinity Baptist church three miles below Oxford to attend the preaching services at that place on Sunday night, January 20. The Anniston klansmen will wear their robes during the services at this

It is predicted that Jasper, which has spent more than half a million dollars on hospitals and 200 new homes and business houses the past year, will spend $1,000,000 during the ensuing year for new homes and business houses.

A man's hand was dug up on the Northern Alabama railroad at Nauvoo by bridge builders, according to Chalmers Couch. Thorough investigation was made but no other part of the body was found.

The recent advance in prices seems to be an incentive to the farmers of Lowndes County to give their attention to the raising of live stock for market. Many pastures, which have almost been abandoned for the past few years, are being rebuilt with an added acreage and supplied with the best cattle and hogs.

Ms. Oliver Culp of Maplesville was in Clanton Tuesday.

ALABAMA SIXTH IN PRODUCTION OF WATER POWER

Figures compiled by the divsion of power resources of the Department of the Interior and just released in connection with the geological survey, place Alabama in sixth place among all the states of the Union in the amount of water power produced during December, 1923. According to the report of the geological survey, New York led the list of states, followed by California, Washington, Montana, South Carolina and Alabama, in the order named.

Alabama is credited with the production of water power alone of 65,933 thousands of kilowatt hours of electricity during December. Practically the entire amount of this was generated by the Alabama Power Company, which now ranks 12th or 13th among the American power producers in the amount of energy generated. By far the greater part of the Alabama Power Company's energy is generated by the streams of Chilton County.

It is emphasized that the government's figures are for water power actually produced and have nothing whatever to do with potentialities, notably the one at Muscle Shoals, which, when developed, will place us in a much higher position than te one now occupied.

Mr. N. L. Broadhead of Selma was in Clanton Monday. He said that he wanted to keep up with what was going on in his home county so he gave us his subscription to The Union-Banner.

CLARENCE MULLINS COMES TO VISIT CAPITAL CITY

Clearence Mullins is a young Birmingham lawyer, and is a product of Chilton county. He is a member of that family of Mullins at Clanton which is known over the entire State. He is making a success in his chosen professon in Birmingham. Already you can hear his name mentioned around in the circles that count in Birmingham and this is something unusual for a young lawyer like Mr. Mullins. He takes an active interest in the affairs of this city and State.

The editor of this column met Mr. Mullins for the first time in Birmingham the past week. He has an excellent name if he would drop the plural and make it singular but few would notice the difference. It is not a name that would make a bank president walk to the front door when its bearer came in but there were Mullins on the Mayflower, and up in Boston that would count for something indeed. But around Birmingham it is not a question of whether or not your ancestors came over in the Mayflower, it is a question of "what have you got and how can I separate you from it."

Mr. Mullins brings the news that Birmingham is beginning to take an active interest in politics. He says the subject is being talked on the streets now and a more lively interest is expected.—Montgomery Journal.

National Republican — Protection has made the American Nation the greatest industrial power in the world.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

D. D. Easterling, Prop.

1850 1924

How Population Has Grown in L&N Served Territory

Population is always the gauge of prosperity. No matter what a state or community's natural resources are, its real wealth is no more than the extent to which its resources are developed. People are needed to till the soil, operate the mines, husband the stock, run the factories, and carry on the other work necessary to upbuilding all land.

In 1850, when the L. & N. came into being seven of the Southern states which it serves to-day (Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee) had an average population of 15 people per square mile. To-day, seventy four years later, this population is increased to 43.8—or nearly three times as many people as in 1850.

Adequate and reliable transportation, largely supplied by the L. & N., has made possible the growth of this territory. People have been brought from elsewhere to join in its development. Conveniently accessible markets have been provided for its products. Intercourse between the states, and with the rest of the world, has been made easy of accomplishment.

Important as this has been, the L. & N. has done still more. Through its Immigration and Industrial Department it has invested time and money in exploiting the South to all parts of the country. It has induced many farmers and manufacturers to come in and settle here; thus—in addition to its basic service as a carrier—making a definite contribution to the South's growth.

This work the L. & N. will continue to perform, constantly striving to make its service a greater and more helpful factor in the upbuilding of its territory.

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Undertaker Clanton, Ala.

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Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of an Act "to provide for the Registration of Electors" enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the county of Chilton, Aalbama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are ste for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 5 at Verbena on February 14, 1924.
Precinct No. 2 at Jemison on February 15, 1924.
Precinct No. 9 at Thorsby on February 16, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chairman.
E. H. ADAMS,
J. L. JOHNSON,
Registrars of Chilton County.

Dec. 14, 1923.

No one can register except in his own precinct and at the Court House.

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Children, all col- 75c
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MEN'S SHIRTS

Now is the time to put in your supply. Regular $1.25 Dress Shirts, with collar attached; a large selection to choose from; some are with neat stripes, others are large stripes, checks and solid colors; pick 'em out for 88c
1 lot of Men's Shirts with out collars; while we are selling them get your pick for 79c

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS

Men's and Boys' Caps, all 50c caps reduced for this occasion to 22c
All 65c to 75c Caps reduced to 44c
All $1.00 to $1.25 Caps will go at 88c
All $1.50 to $1.75 Caps of the newest makes and styles, reduced to $1.19
We have the finest line of $2 to $2.50 Caps that ever came to Clanton; these caps are of the famous Triangle make; we are going to sell them at $1.74

MEN'S HATS

1 lot of Men's fine Felt Hats; not wool but genuine felt, in black and brown, and the very newest shapes, at $1.94
1 lot of Men's high grade Velour or Fur Hats that sold up to $5.00, will be sold at the ridiculous low price of $2.79

GLOVES

Regular 50c Leather Palm Gloves; first quality 29c
Regular 75c all leather Gloves at 44c
1 lot all-leather gloves at $1.50
Genuine Horse Hide Gloves at 89c
$2.50 Men's Nainsook Pajamas, all colors; special $1.79

MEN'S HOSE

Men's 65c Silk Hose, all colors; at 42c
Men's 50c Suspenders with elastic and with spring; your choice for only 39c
1 lot of 35c Suspenders 22c
1 lot of Boys' 35c Suspenders; while we have them 17c

CHAMBRYS

Just a limited amount 18c Manchester Chambrys, special 11c

LOOK AT THIS

15c a yard Gingham, our Reorganizing Sale price, special 9c

HOSE SUPPORTERS

25c Hose Supporters 17c
15c Hose Supporters 9c
35c Hose Supporters 21c
Men's 5c Handkerchiefs 4c
Men's 15c red and blue Handk'fs 9c
Men's 50c all-leather patent silver buckle Belts 22c
All 5c Ladies' Handkerchiefs 4c
All 10c Ladies' Handkerchiefs 7c
All 15c Ladies' Handkerchiefs 11c
Men's 15c Sox, all colors, blue, black, cordovan and grey; special at 9c
Men's 25c Hose 14c
Men's 35c Hose 22c
Arrow Brand soft and laundred stiff Collars at 17c

BOYS' PLAY SUITS

1 lot of Boys' khaki and blue Play Suits or Unionalls, special 89c

BLANKETS

We have a few Blankets which we are going to close out; don't fail to see 'em.

BOYS' KNEE PANTS

Don't forget to see our Boys' Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 17; special at 98c

MEN'S SHIRTS

Men's all-Wool Flannel Shirts, sizes 14½ to 17, some are made with double elbow; all of these have two pockets and made on army style; special $1.96

ANOTHER BARGAIN

Calicos sell anywhere at 10c; our Reorganizing Sale price 8c

MEN'S JUMPERS

Men's best grade Overall Jumpers, special at $1.24

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

The pride of our store. This is absolutely the most wonderful opportunity you have ever had to buy the boys a suit. If you are contemplating on buying a new suit, this is a golden opportunity for you to buy now—
1 lot of Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 8, all-wool and new goods; special $2.98
1 lot of Boys' all-wool Suits, asorted patterns and styles, sizes 8 to 17. We have put them in one stock for $3.98
1 lot of Boys' fine all-wool Suits, regular $10.00 values, sizes 8 to 17; special for this Sale, (don't miss it) $5.94
1 lot of Boys' all-wool high class made Suits with 2 pair pants, specially priced for this Sale $7.84

MEN'S AND BOYS' PANTS

1 lot of Men's $2.00 Pants, all sizes; special at $1.34

MEN'S PANTS

1 lot of Men's $2.95 Pants; spec. $2.39
1 lot of Men's $4.00 Pants, spec. $2.89
1 lot of Men's $4.50 to $5.50 Pants; special at $3.44
1 lot Men's best grade moleskin Pants, all sizes $2.34
1 lot khaki lace Pants, all sizes ... $1.74

MEN'S SUITS

The largest and most complete line of Men's and Young Men's Suits in Clanton; all new patterns. Men, buy now and save the difference—
1 lot of Young Men's $18.50 Suits; spec. for this Reorganizing Sale $11.48
1 lot of Young Men's high grade $22.50 Suits that are real nifty, special $13.48
1 lot of Men's all-wool Serge Suits; all sizes $12.98
1 lot of Men's all-wool Worsted Suits, in blue, brown; some are solid colors, others are with neat stripes. Look and you can't help from buying; Reorganizing Sale price, special $13.59
We have combined all of our high grade Young Men's Suits in one lot. These suits were bought to be sold from $25.00 to $35.00, but the manufacturer from whom these clothes were purchased gave us a reduction, so we can give them to our trade now. Don't overlook this opportunity. These suits are the very newest and are hand tailored. They go in this Sale at $19.95

ANOTHER BIG SPECIAL

We have just 25 dozen Men's best grade 2.20 weight blue Denim Overalls, full cut, to sell for this Sale only at our Great Reorganizing Sale, while they last, all sizes 32 to 42, spec. $1.24
Boys' best grade Overalls, made just like Dad's; while they last; sizes 6 to 15, special at 89c

WORK SHIRTS

This is a chance you will probably never have again. Read every line. Men's triple-stitched, heaviest grade blue cheviot cloth, triple-sewed, with full face, non-rip sleeves, four pearl buttons front; sizes 14½ to 17; while they last at 65c
Only a limited quantity on hand.
Boys' 65c blue Work Shirts, sizes 12½ to 14; while they last, at 47c

MEN!

Put in your supply of winter weight Union Suits for next year; they will be much higher; all sizes, extra good quality; while we have them 98c
Men's Elastic Seam Drawers, made of pepperral cloth, ankle length, most all sizes, special at 48c

JUST RECEIVED!

1 lot of new Skirts, all-wool with beautiful checks; all sizes $2.95
Men's $1.50 and $1.75 Dress Shirts of the famous Hallmark make, will be sold at $1.29
Men's $2.00 Hallmark Shirts at $1.69
Men's $2.50 Silk Stripe Shirts, beautiful patterns; pick 'em out; spec. $1.84
Men's $2.50 Arrow brand, collar attached white soft Shirts, the only shirt for young men; special $1.98

If you cannot come, send the children; they can trade here just as if you come.

WE SELL TO MERCHANTS

Mail orders will be given our most careful attention—the same as if you come in person.

we are offering in new goods. Our stock is new and
, but our prices will tell the tale.

ust to inspect our line. It will be our pleasure to show you.
DAY, FEBRUARY 15—RAIN OR SHINE.
Hardware Co. Look for the Red Front Store.

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MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

RIGINAL

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Littleton are proud parents of a new baby girl.

Mr. Wm. H. Goodgame spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Peterson at Steppeville, Ala. Mrs. Peterson is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Goodgame.

Mr. Sereno G. Norton, who for several months past has been making a coast to coast trip inspecting various plants of the Hercules Pawder Company, where he is employed as an expert chemist, is now inspectnig their plant at North Birmingham. He spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton in Thorsby. When ready to leave for his home in New Jersey, he will make another brief visit to Thorsby. He will then go to Chicago where he will meet his wife and two children who come from the home of her parents at Grinnell, Iowa. Mr. Norton made a short talk to students at Thorsby Institute chapel service Monday morning on "The necessity and advantages of securing an education."

A very pleasant social event occurred last Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Peterson, when a number of Thorsby ladies gave Mrs. Peterson a surprise party in celebration of her birthday anniversary.

Master William Each, son of Rev. and Mrs. Joseph E. Each, had a fall and broke an arm while rolling skating.

Don't forget to remember the Mass Meeting called for Thursday night, February 14th at Wadesonian Theatre in the interest of a new public school building for Thorsby and adjoining districts. Good speakers and good music will be provided.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald made a visit to her son, Lawrence F. Gerald and family in Clanton this week.

Mr. A. M. Johnson has sold his store to Messrs. Lucas and Ward and will retire from active business, which he has assiduously followed in Thorsby for upwards of twenty-five years. Mr. Lucas is well known in Thorsby as an enterprising business man with many friends, while Mr. Ward has for upwards of two years been serving the people of Thorsby as an able assistant in Geo. Freeman's store. Mr. Ward had considerable mercantile experience before coming to this place. We bespeak liberal patronage for the new firm which begins business immediately.

On last Sunday evening Rev. Joseph Each, pastor of the Congregational church had charge of the Christian Endeavor Society meeting. The subject which the society had under discussion was, "What Christ taught and the way He taught it." Rev. Each, in his most inimitable way, clearly outlined the subject under discussion and paved the way for the members of the society to give in detail the different phases of the subject. Almost every member had a part to give and they seemed to have studied it out clearly before hand and knew just what they were talking about. "C. E. will shine Tonight," proved to be the feature song of the service and one which put pep and enthusiasm in the meeting. C. E. will shine next Sunday night; come out and see if it doesn't.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society will hold their monthly social at the home of Mrs. Howard Garrick, first floor Mrs. Villadsen's large house, Thursday afternoon, February 14th.

On Tuesday afternoon, February 12th a number of Thorsby ladies gave a surprise party to Mrs. N. A. Long.

THE HELEN KELLER LITERARY SOCIETY

Chiefly through the efforts of Miss Stoddard, who by personal contributions and gifts from others, inspired by her solicitation and tenacity of purpose, Bates Hall is today equipped with comfortable modern single-seat desks. This room is the home of the Helen Keller Literary Society, composed of Thorsby Institute student body. This fact was conveyed to Miss Keller in a letter from Miss Stoddard, with a suggestion that she might like to make a contribution to the "Desk Fund." Miss Keller's reply follows:

"Forest Hills, L. I., N. Y.,
November 26, 1923.

Dear Miss Stoddard:

I am at a loss to express by deep appreciation of your kindness in writing to me about the activities of the "Helen Keller Literary Society" in the little town in Alabama. It rejoices my heart to know that my name is linked with the helpful work of those bright young people. Please convey to them my cordial greetings and tell them how proud I am that they are such an influence for good in the community.

It is indeed a service if together we help to interest the world—even a wee bit of the world—in good literature. Books have been a wellspring of joy to me. They have glorified the commonplace. Out of them have come the songs, the beauty and the color which enliven all the days of my life. Great books are the flowers and fruits of human thought and a perpetual delight to those who know how to enjoy them.

I should feel unhappy indeed if I did not contribute my "bit" towards the re-equipment of the school where the "Helen Keller Society" is so bravely carrying on forward the banner of accomplishment. Beside the little check, I am sending one of my photographs. Perhaps my namesake will find a nook for it somewhere in the place where they meet. The book I am reading in the picture is the Bible—the most precious of all books.

With renewed thanks for your lovely letter, and with hope that sometime I may have the opportunity of meeting you, I am,

Very cordially yours,
HELEN KELLER."

The photograph mentioned was a large one of striking beauty and artistic excellence. During the Christmas vacation Miss Stoddard took it with her to Chicago, where she went to visit her parents, had it appropriately framed, and it has now just arrived as a gift from Helen Keller to the Helen Keller Literary Society, and will be appropriately installed in a conspicuous place in Bates Hall.

SCHOLARSHIP HONOR ROLL FIRST SEMESTER 1923-1924

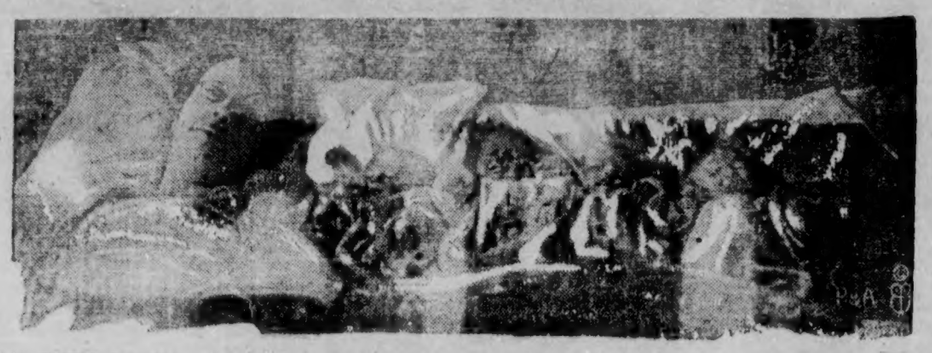
FIRST—Average of 90 or above, no grade below 85—Codie Bell, Dorothy Butler, Connie Darby, Geraldine Dobson, Claudie Eiland, Doris Freeman, Palmer Lefstead, Arnold Littleton, Mattie Scott, Bernice Williams, Frances Wilson, Marcelle Wilder.

SECOND—Average of 85 or above, no grade below 75—Ben Brown, Hazel Collins, Mary Deason, Pearl Deason, Ragnar Ekblad, Iola Gerald, F. D. Green, Julia Jackson, Betty Lakeman, Nora Lee Lesley, Ronald Lucas, Jewell Martin, Ruth Martin, Olene Mims, Effie Nugent, Lois Primm, Dessie Robinson, Henry Robinson, Cola Ruffin, Gertrude Steiner, Ruth Turner, Robert Ward.

Note—Several of the students have averages that would have put them on the honor rolls, but some one mark kept them off.

THIRD—End of Semester, Neither absent nor tardy during six weeks—Codie Bell, Ben Brown, Dorothy Butler, Margaret Butler, Verner Carlson, Geraldine Dobson, Ragnar Ekblad, Cecil Each, William Each, Doris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, F. D. Freen, Sixten Hall, Mabel Howard, Floy Jackson, Julia Jackson, Althea Johnson, Spurgeon Kelley, Palmer Lefstead, Gresham Lowery, Ronald Lucas, Olene Mims, Urshall Mims, Lillian McKee, Hollis Pate, Ethel Peterson, Dessie Robinson, Bernice Rogers, Cola Ruffin, Bernice Williams, Frances Wilson, Bernice Wood, Boona Wood.

"ALL FOUR DOING WELL, THANK YOU!"



"AN EVEN DOZEN now! All healthy and happy."

That's what George L. Wittig of Baltimore, Md., tells anybody who inquires as to the number of children in his family. And it's a mighty proud father he is, for divine Providence recently presented him with a quartet of additional members to his household. The photo here shows the new arrivals as they posed with their happy mother fifteen hours after their birth.

The quadruplets—three of which are girls—are all normal and strong. The boy weighed five pounds and the smallest of the girls four pounds, two ounces—making a total of eighteen pounds and three ounces for the four.

Indeed, 'tis quite a family the Wittigs have now.

CHILTON COUNTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MINUTES

There are several churches of the Chilton County Baptist Association which have not as yet called for their minutes. These minutes were left at The Union-Banner office by Mr. Billingsley, the Clerk, for us to distribute; so the clerks of the churches below will please take notice and either come to our office and get these minutes or have some one else call for them. They are here for you and we have got absolutely no use for them. In fact, we want to get them out of our way.

Church	No. Minutes
Friendship,	12
Mulberry,	31
Macedonia,	15
New Harmony,	8
Pilgrim's Rest,	15
Pt. Grove, Jemison,	19
Sardis,	12

Manager of the Anniston Electric Steel corporation, has booked an order for 300 freight cars from the Seaboard company. The steel company's president announced that a large number of skilled mechanics would be added to the roll of the local company in order to complete the big order for cars as rapidly as possible.

The Pierce Detective Agency has filed articles of incorporation in Gadsden. B. W. Pierce is president and treasurer; S. C. Speer, vice-president and A. P. Pierce, secretary. The company has a ciptal of $3,000. The incorporators were formerly operators of the N. L. Pierce Detective agency of Birmingham.

Alf Winchester, tred in Tuscaloosa on charge of murder in connection with the finding of the charred remains of a woman in a burned negro church near there last October was given a verdict of not guilty by the jury. The jury was out an hour and a half, including time for supper.

PLAY AT LAWLEY

There will be a play at the Lawley Schoolhouse on next Saturday night, February 16th, 1924. Come and enjoy a big laugh. Name of play "Old Maids Club."

Cast of Characters:—Lucila Matilda Primrose, president, Cornelia Jefferson; Susan Jane Hopewell, vice president, Mary Maunt; Marie Hopewell, treasurer, Roberta Lawrence; Sallie Brown, secretary, Mrs. W. H. Gwin; Dora Dolittle, an old maid, Pearl Jefferson; Tonny Dolittle, pet of the club, Charlie Collins; Julia Jones, old maid, Cozy Lawrence, Viola Longfellow, typical old maid, Mrs. V. R. Kelley; Maud Hopeworth, poetess, Mrs. T. Collins; Mary E. Smithe, old maid, Ruth Lawley; Faith Snowmore, old maid, Mary Barnes; Lucreta DeWitt, old maid, Mrs. Bedford; Lucy Rosebud, old maid, Mrs. Fannie Haley; Phillip James, newspaper reporter, Pervis Hicks; Betsy Babenet, old maid from the country, Thelma Martin; Martha Weinhauber, German maid, Curtis Hocks.

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Just So—First Angel—How did you get here?

Second Angel—Flu.

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Our business is growing and present force is inadequate. We need a resident Collector and Salesman at

CLANTON, MAPLESVILLE, BILLINGSLEY, VERBENA

Experience is not necessary. The applicant must be able to furnish his own conveyance and make bond.

Apply in person or write—

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Montgomery, Ala.

AUCTION SALE

John W. Cox will conduct Auction Sales at Fox old stand in Clanton every Saturday. He proposes to auction off anything anyone has to dispose of.

JOHN W. COX
CLANTON, ALA.

WATCH US GROW

This Bank solicits your account on the strength of its conservative business policy.

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THORSBY, ALABAMA

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Among the thousands of Alabamians who own stock in the Alabama Power Company there is possibly a neighbor of yours. Ask your neighbor what he thinks of this stock. In the distribution of—

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There is today hardly a community in the State where a stockholder of the Alabama Power Company does not reside.

THIS STOCK YIELDS 7.14 PER CENT

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—One good sized five-year old mule, sound and a good worker, real cheap, for cash, or on time, with good security. The mule is at my house.—B. F. Higgins, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

POTATO PLANTS—Pure Porto Rico Potato Plants at $2.00 per 1000 up to 5000; $1.85 per 100 up to 10,000 and above. Place your orders early as plants will be scarce this season. All orders must be accompanied by cash. Plants ready April 1 to 10.—O. L. JACKSON, Thorsby, Ala. 2-14-4t-pd

WANTED—a man for a permanent good paying position with a splendid chance for advancement. Write G. E. Griffin, First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 2-14-3t-c

FOR SALE—Grist Mill, 15 H.P. electric motor and supplies, also one dwelling and one mill house and lots at West End, Clanton, Ala., also six stands of bees. See Oliver C. Duke, West End, Clanton, Ala. 2-14-3t-pd

FOR SALE—One registered Berkshire sow; sell cheap.—Jessie A. Davis, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. 1t-p.

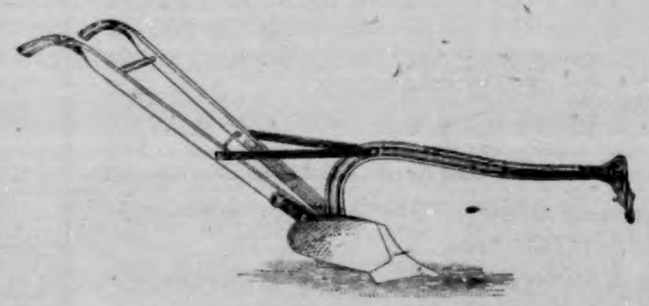
FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on B. & M. Highway, 3 miles south of Clanton.—W. L. Powell, at Powell Pressing Co., Clanton, Ala. tf

HOGS FOR SALE—One Duroc brood sow, 1½ years old, and several pigs about 3 months old. Will sell cheap or trade for ribbon cane syrup or fat beef cattle.—H. H. Hayes, Clanton, Ala., Route 4. 31-4t-pd.

LOST DOG—Red male hound, slender, with leather collar on bearing name of Dr. Moore, Birmingham, Ala. Left Chasteen's Store on Route 3 about three weeks ago. Reasonable reward will be paid for his return to Broadhead's Store, Clanton, Ala. 31-3t-pd.

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

For Fall and Winter
PREPARATION



GET GENUINE B. F. AVERY & SONS PLOWS, STALK CUTTERS, DRAG HARROWS. WE HAVE CAR OF ALL SIZES AND PARTS. GET THE BEST—WE HAVE IT. ALSO ALL KINDS ROOFING, BARB WIRE, FENCING, ETC.

MULLINS & MOORE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

It Depends.—"A man is never older than he feels," declared the ancient beau, bravely. "Now I feel as fresh as a two-year-old."

"Horse or egg," asked the sweet young thing brightly.

They've had to—If all the boarders in New York were placed end to end, they would reach.—Frivol.

POOR OR

MRS. W. P. HICKS WRITES FROM QUINCY, FLORIDA

Quincy is our postoffice address, but we are writing the news from Littman, a flag stop on a branch railroad line that runs from Quincy, Fla., to Havana, Fla. Littman is only a sawmill town, four miles from Quincy, named for Mr. Littman, a very wealthy farmer living here, who owns most all the land near this place.

The people here do most of their trading with Quincy merchants, and also attend church and school there. The company here has a store and keeps a full line of merchandise, but most of the people own a car, so it doesn't take long to run over to Quincy.

Mr. T. Holmes, who sprained his foot some time ago, is able to be up again. His many friends will be delighted to learn of his improvement.

Mr. Eugene Thompson, a former sawmill operator of Shoults community, Chilton county, now a contractor here, went to Quincy last Saturday night and Sunday afternoon. We suppose he has found him a Florida girl.

Mrs. Culp from Billingsley, Ala., who has been here nearly two years, was a very delightful hostess last Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in her home, when she entertained at an informal sewing party. Eleven members of the party enjoyed her hospitality. Carnations and ferns were used in decorating. At the conclusion of the fancy work done by the ladies, cake, hot chocolate and and Jello was served.

Assisting Mrs. Culp in looking after the pleasure of her guests, was Mrs. Freeman, a former resident of Alabama.

The new members of the party were: Mrs. W. P. Hicks and Mrs. Homer Kornegay.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Tom Love next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Culp and Mrs. Freeman motored to Havana last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Walker McGee, who is chief clerk for the company's store here, has just returned from a short visit to parents near Maplesville, Ala.

Mr. Milford Thompson left last Sunday for his home in Alabama.

JASPER J. DAVIS SICK

Mr. Jasper J. Davis, former resident of Chilton County now of Elmore, is in Hill's Infirmary in Montgomery undergoing treatment. Mr. Dennis has been mighty sick suffering from complications of rhumatism. Mr. Jasper N. Dennis, who is a nephew of the above named man, was in Montgomery to see him Sunday and reports that he is improving.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

REYNOLDS & REYNOLDS
LAWYERS
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CLANTON, ALA.

AROUND CALERA

Misses Mayme and Catherine Clark's school closed at Minooka last Friday with a very successful year.

Mr. Roy Rogers from Birmingham spent Monday with his two brothers at South Calera.

Mrs. Vonzell Shrader of Birmingham made a short visit to her sister, Miss Ruth Mooney, who is teaching at South Calera, last Tuesday.

Mr. Charlie Thames was visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Busby last Sunday.

A number of people from Birmingham were down Sunday looking at some of the places around South Calera that are probably for sale.

Mrs. Jessie Cox was the guest of Mrs. Frank Shaw in Calera last Wednesday.

A number of young people were socially entertianed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glass's Sunday night, music being the main feature of the evening.

Mr. Amy Boswell was a week-end visitor in South Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones enjoyed a "spend-the-day" with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Busby Sunday.

Mr. Holen Crim entertained a number of friends at his home last Thursday night.

Mr. Edd Seales from Calera was a South Calera visitor Sunday.

Birthday Party.

Mr. Holen Crim delightfully entertained at his home last Sunday with a birthday party. Plates were laid for the following: Miss Lutie Jones, Mr. Leon Busby, Miss Hazel Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess, Mrs. Jessie Cox, including members of the family. The center of the table held a large birthday cake with 21 pink candles on it, while the rest of the table was covered with delicious eats. Music on the Edison was enjoyed throughout the day and the entire crowd had a delightful time.

Mr. Homer Martin was home for the week-end.

Miss Ruth Mooney came back from Columbiana Sunday afternoon, accompanied by a number of friends.

Miss Mayme Clark left Monday for Birmingham to be gone several weeks.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham was a distinguished visitor in South Calera Sunday, being the dinner guest of Miss Mexa Tate.

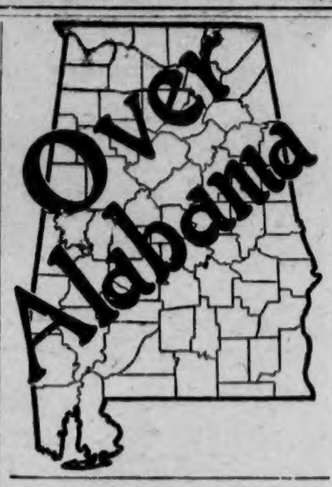
A few of the young people motored to Calera Sunday to see the viaduct that is being constructed on the new "speedway."

Miss Mexa Tate and Miss Catherine Clark enjoyed a few social hours at Miss Lutie Jones' Sunday night.

Miss Hazel Cox gave a Rook Party to several friends at her home last Tuesday night.

Mrs. E. D. Crim spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. W. Burgess.

Mrs. Hiram Busby and Miss U. V. Busby enjoyed last Monday at Mrs. W. N. Jones.



ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

If a person learned 180 laws a day it would take that person just 10 years to learn all of the laws that are now on the statute books in this country and that person would then only know what the law was 10 years ago, because he would not have had time to learn the new ones adopted during his period of study, according to the statement of W. J. Wynn, in an address before the League of Women Voters at Fairfield.

Something over $350,000 is being spent in the way of improvements in Russellville and Franklin county at this time. The expenditures include a new water system, a new ice plant the finishing of the Jackson highway between Russellville and Phil Campbell, Ala., a distance of 25 miles, installation of new lighting and power wiring by the Alabama Power company and several new dwellings.

All necessary arrangements for holding the state primary set for March 11 will be made and carried out, R. B. Evins of Birmingham, chairman of the state democratic executive committee, said in a statement issued. Mr. Evins stated that the ruling of Attorney General Harwell G. Davis, that the primary set for March 11 is within the party jurisdiction was correct.

Experiments under way at the Southern Experiment Station of the Department of the Interior, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, under the direct management of the United States Bureau of Mines, will bring about wonderful results in a recovery of profitable products in the blast furnaces flue dust, heretofore a waste product, it is said.

The fact that Joe Lucy, a child under 16, was allowed to work in a coal mine of the Railway Fuel company, despite the provisions of the state labor law and that he met death through accident in the mine, gave the administrator of his estate ground for action under the homicidal law of Alabama, according to a decision by the supreme court.

John Windham of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company, R. B. Watts, lawyer and former federal commissioner, and a young woman who said she was "Mrs. Ash" but failed to describe herself further, are the latest applicants for the Birmingham postmastership, which is to be settled by civil service examination on February 19th.

A. M. Tunstall of Greensboro, chairman of the Underwood campaign committee for Alabama announced that he had asked Gov. B. B. Comer to name at least half of the Alabama delegation to the New York democratic convention in case Senator Underwood receives the indorsement of the votes of the state in the preferential primary.

Seven convicts were indicted for alleged conspiracy to kill convict wardens and restoration of the lash in "extreme cases" was recommended by the Shelby county grand jury which returned a comprehensive report on the mutiny of convicts at Aldrich mines of the Thomas-Weller coal mines on January 12.

The various counties of the state will not be called on by the state highway department to maintain the roads to be built in the year beginning 1924, and for which sale of $7,000,000 worth of state bonds has been authorized, according to Chairman John Rogers of the highway commission.

Etowah county convicts are now engaged in rebuilding the Cox Gap road from the brow of Sand Mountain to Boaz, a distance of seven miles. It is understood that a base of slag is to be surfaced with chert. The Civitan clubs of Boaz and Gadsden and traveling men of Gadsden have been urging the improvement for some time.

The Alabama Public Service commission has granted the petition of the Alabama Power company, for authority to issue and sell 50,000 shares of its cumulative, preferred stocks.

A whirlwind swooped down upon a 10-acre plot on the farm of M. A. Boyette, located near Searight, Ala., on which five buildings were located and made kindling wood of all of them.

The board of education of Fairfield has tentatively approved plans for a $75,000 grammar school.

'Retired broker to run newspaper.' Past tense, broker; future tense, broke.—Hagerstown (Md.) Herald.

CEDAR GROVE

The singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon. There were several visitors present whom we were glad to have with us. Directors were Harrson Hayes, Claudie and Neacie Smith; organists, Claudie M. Smith and Bonnie Littlejohn. We elected new officers for the coming year—Chairman, Harrison Hayes and Secretary, Bonnie Littlejohn; program committee, Myrtle Littlejohn, Flora Hayes and Zemmie Collins. We will meet again on the fourth Sunday afternoon, and will be glad to have visitors with us.

Next Saturday and Sunday are preaching days at this place. The time has been changed from the 4th to the 3rd Sunday in each month.

MAPLESVILLE BASKET BALL TEAM DEFEATS ISABELLA

On Friday afternoon, February 8, Maplesville defeated Isabella in the basket ball game of the season, with a score of 6 to 8. Not until the third quarter could you tell which way the game would break. Isabella scored first by Leevie Smith taking a hard throw from extreme corner of the court, which netted two points, followed shortly by Maplesville scoring field goal. Then it was a tuggle until the whistle blew for first quarter to end score, 2 to 2.

Second quarter was a beautiful display of passes and breaking up of passes, both teams fighting desperately for their goals. Whistle blew for half to end, score 2 to 2. Third quarter Maplesville came back strong throwing three field goals, under ferocious fighting on the part of Isabella. Third quarter ended, score 2 to 8 in favor of Maplesville.

Fourth quarter, Isabella rallied and threw two field goals, game ending with score of 6 to 8, Maplesville's victory.

The boys displayed the clearest cut sportsmanship that has ever been witnessed on a basket ball court, and was the hardest fought game that either team has ever engaged in.

Langston McCraw standing guard fought the ball off its goal with super natural power. Preston Williams, at forward, though a beginner, handled himself as an old player. Jethro Hayes played at center as never before. Harold Smith played running guard as usual with his sturdy never-give-up spirit. Earl Williams, substitute for Lewis Smith, played an excellent game.

As for Maplesville, I do not know the players' names but they too played a hard, open-fisted game. Timekeepers were Prof. Harris and Clarence LeCroy; Referee, Prof. H. W. Caldwell.

Riley Robnison of Providence was in Clanton Wednesday.

THOUGHT 3 LITTLE CHILDREN NEEDED MOTHER'S CARE

"My stomach suffering was so severe that I could not have lasted much longer. I did not care so much for myself but did not want to leave my three little children who needed a mother's love and care. A cousin in California wrote me about Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and I took a course of it. I have since been entirely well." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

Notice of Road Laws

No tax is required of any person for hauling over the public roads of the county with a wagon.

A tax or license is required for trucks hauling timber, lumber or minerals equal to one-half of the tax levied by the State. This tax was due Jan. 15th and will be delinquent Feb. 15th, 1924.

Any person subject to road duty may be exempt for the year by paying $5.50 on or before March 1st.

All of the above licenses and fees are payable at the Probate Office and any person subject to same may be prosecuted for a violation thereof, except that person subject to road duty may work seven days of ten hours in lieu of payment.

This the 28th day of Jan., 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-31-mch. 1. Judge of Probate.

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After Every Meal

It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.

Wrigley's means benefit as well as pleasure.

Seventh Grade Examination

The regular County Seventh Grade Examination will be held at the following points in the county on March 28 and 29, 1924.

Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Maplesville, Stanton, Isabella, Fairview, and at any other point in the county where a sufficient number of applicants may request same, provided, this request is made in time to make necessary arrangements for conducting the examination.

The subjects on which this examination will be based will be:

Arithmetic, English Grammar, U. S. History, Agriculture, Geography and Spelling.

The standards to be followed in making the questions for this examination will be the same as last year and any one desiring a list of these requirements may secure same from my office.

This examination is being held earlier than heretofore through courtesy to the short term schools and any pupil attending a school which runs for nine months will not necessarily have to take this examination as another will be given the latter part of August for any who may not take at this time.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
31-2t. County Supt. Education.

TENDER AND TASTY

Steaks and chops—yes, a complete line of the best Meats, always fresh and reasonably priced. Shop here for them.

Moatts Brothers Market
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1 CAR GALVANIZED ROOFING

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1 CAR EXTRA CLEAR RED CEDAR SHINGLES.

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WE HOLD UP OUR SHOE REPAIRING

as a model for all to follow. It gives perfect satisfaction to all, men and women, yoong and old. Our soles and heels last as long, if not longer than the original. Our moderate prices enable you to save money.

BEST SHOE SHOP
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Announcement

Along with the distribution of Woco Pep motor fuel and Woco Pep motor oils, we are pleased to advise that within a short time we will begin the wholesale distribution of another of The Wofford Oil Co. products,

Sunlight Kerosene

Material is now being placed on the ground and we will begin within a few days the erection of another Woco Pep storage tank, and one for the storage of Sunlight Kerosene Oil.

To the merchants and retailers throughout this territory we invite a liberal share of your business, strictly on the merits of our products, and the service we will be able to give you.

Thanking you for this, as well as past patronage, we are

Yours for Service,

John T. Ellis & Sons
CLANTON, ALA.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The Secretary of War has extended the time limit for ex-service men to become members of the officers' reserve until November 1. Alabama ex-officers of the World war may obtain their commission in the reserve without an examination.

The Alabama Power company is rebuilding torlley lines in all parts of Tuscaloosa. With the exception of a short stretch, the work on the Holt line has been completed and the loop line is now being given a thorough overhauling.

Reappointment of C. H. Nesbitt as chief state mine inspector has been confirmed by receipt of his commission from Governor Brandon. Mr. Nesbitt has held this office for a number of years, with headquarters in Birmingham.

J. Fred Johnson, Jr., representing the Florence Chamber of Commerce at the annual convention of the Lee highway association in Washington, has obtained for Florence the 1925 meeting of the association, to be held on Lee's birthday.

The Walker County Hospital has just completed its steam laundry in the basement of the hospital, and the plant has been put into operation. The plant is well equipped with up-to-date machinery for washing, cleaning, drying and pressing clothes.

Charles and Don Barber, proprietors of the Barber Drug company, Birmingham, were fined $2,500 each by Judge W. I. Gubb in federal court when they pleaded guilty on charges of selling morph[illegible] in violation of the anti-narcotic act.

Crushed beneath the trucks of a Southbound Alabama Great Southern freight train as she attempted to cross the tracks at Collinsville, Mrs. Anna Wheeler Smith, wife of one of the most prominent business men of this district, was instantly killed.

A majority of the new prisoners received into the penitentiary in January were sentenced for violating the prohibition statutes of the state. Twenty-two out of a total of 43 new arrivals in January of this year were convicted on this charge alone.

Within a short time Florence people will use the "score card" setting forth health conditions of restaurant employes and soda fountain clerks which will be placed in conspicuous places in eating houses and drug stores.

One pipe manufacturing plant was destroyed, another damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars, a lunching place burned out, one dwelling wiped out and another slightly damaged in an epidemic of fires in Anniston during a period of 24 hours.

The total assessed valuation on real estate and personal property in Huntsville and Madison county is $23,688,902, according to figures compiled by S. W. Fleming, chairman of the board of commissioners.

The $7,000,000 bond issue for the improvement of roads in Alabama, will be followed by a similar issue if the first one is a success, Senator John A. Rogers, chairman of the state highway commission, declared.

A formal invitation to the Hercules Powder company to locate the contemplated plant in the Bessemer district was extended by the Kiwanis club of that city.

Only six prisoners are confined in the Etowah County jail, three whites and three negroes. The prison is as near empty as it has been at any time since it was built.

The farmers of Franklin county have been taking advantage of the good weather they have been having, and land has been turned in preparation for the biggest crop in many seasons.

Contract for the construction of a $32,000 addition to the Calhoun county court house has been awarded to Scarbrough & Dempsey, of Jacksonville.

Total corporate investments in Jefferson County for the month of January amounted to $3,851,000.

Spring Cleaning

The time has come for you to have all your old Spring and summer clothing cleaned and pressed and made like new. We can fix 'em so you'll think they are brand new — the Hoffman Sanitary Steam press way. Call us right **now**—we'll convince you.

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Clanton, Ala.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

Poor Richard said, 'A penny saved is a penny earned"—n' we're still usin' th' same kind o' money — — — —

TO PAVE CHILTON ROAD COMMISSION STATES

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specifications for concrete paving had been changed by the concrete people themselves 14 times in the last six years. He said the specifications had gradually gone down from a ten inch to a six inch thickness.

Seeks Competition.

Mr. Donelson asked the commission to make is possible for competition in the construction of roads in Alabama. He asked that the specifications be changed so that asphalt and other types of paving could come in and bid with some chance of success. Mr. Donelson suggested that the commission make a specification of 8 inches for concrete types of pavement and see if the difference between that thickness and the 65-8 specified would not be warranted by the additional life that would be added. Mr. Donelson went into a technical discussion of the kinds of paving and pointed to what he said was long-life bituminous paving in various sections of the country as providing that this type of paving can and does stand the traffic that results from modern conditions. He pointed to asphalt streets in Montgomery laid on a 5-inch concrete base which he said had shown little sign of wear in seventeen years and whose cost of upkeep, he said, had been negligible.

Herbert Warren of the firm of Warren Brothers, which use the Warrenite method of surfacing followed Mr. Donelson. He pointed out that under the specifications adopted by the commission his concern would not hope to compete. He said under the specifications his concern would have to lay six niches of concrete and then put the surface on, which would give an eight-inch paving as against the six-inch concrete paving. He said his concern would not bid against concrete under what he said was a handicap.

"I know you gentlemen want competition," said Mr. Warren, "But under this specification you do not get it." Mr. Warren pointed to what he said was 15-year old bitulithic pavement in Birmingham which he said stands up better than concrete paving only ten years old. He pointed to Highland Avenue in Birmingham, which he said had two inches of bitulithic an a six-inch slag base. Mr. Warren pointed to Illinois, which he said had raised the thickness of concrete paving to nine inches in 1920 from a 6-inch standard which prevailed in 1913. He said he understood Illinois now has the same standard which the commission has adopted for the Chilton County road.

Mr. Warren said if the commission would specify a 5-inch base with a 2-inch top, it would give his concern a chance to compete.

Mr. Dunn of the Dunn Construction Company said the specifications that the commission has named in the Chilton county road are really non-competitive, that is, there can be no competitive bidding as between types of paving.

Use of Local Material.

Mr. Fitzwalter said his concern wants to use Alabama rock asphalt mined near Florence in its Alabama work but thtat under the specifications fixed by the commission, this Alabama material cannot compete with concrete. He said the Texas federal roads engineer prescribes a 5-inch concrete base with a 13-4 inch top of rock asphalt.

E. G. Berneike said brick would not be able to compete in the bidding under the specifications. He pointed to brick pavement in Montgomery, Dothan, Troy, and other places as showing how brick would stand up under modern traffic conditions.

The commisison did not take any action on the matter presented by the paving representatives.

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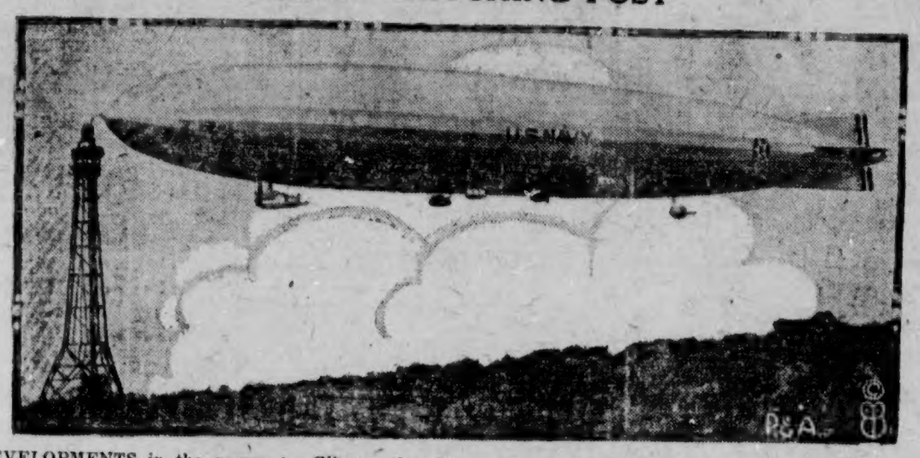

DEVELOPMENTS in the government's aircraft program become more interesting and more wonderful every day.

Glimpse the above picture of the Shenandoah ("Z-R 1")—the navy's great dirigible which recently made such an eventful trip half way across the continent—testing out its mooring tower at Lakehurst, New Jersey, a sort of aerial "hitching post" we'd call it.

TO ENTERTAIN AT CANE CREEK

Don't forget the Valentine Entertainment at Cane Creek next Friday night, February 15th. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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You are cordially invited to visit our store and inspect our beautiful display of new Musical Instruments.

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We handle only Standard Brands of Instruments, including the famous and well-known Starr Pianos and Starr Phonographs, O-Keh Phonograph Records, and Wurlitzer String and Band Instruments.

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MISS CURRY TO SING OVER RADIO ON MARCH 13th

Miss Curry Has Been Added to The New York Times' Staff of Radio Artists.

The announcement has just been made that Miss Roberta Curry, who is now in New York City taking voice under Henry Stickles, has been added to the New York Times staff of radio artists, and will sing at that broadcasting station in New York City on March 13th.

Before Miss Curry left Clanton she had already won much fame all over the State as a soprano of rare sweetness, and since going to America's metropolis she has been continually climbing up step by step until she is already recognized among the voice artists of that great city as possessing a voice that commands the attention of the real masters in the music world. An effort is being made by a large phonograph record establishment to get her to allow some of her productions to be recorded, and as soon as such is done a supply of these records will be placed on sale in Clanton and in all other parts of the country.

We are indeed proud of the record Miss Curry has made, which certainly speaks well for her and her family and her home community. There are not many people from Clanton who have risen higher in their chosen profession than has this talented young lady. And the beauty about the matter is that Miss Curry has accomplished what she has largely through her own efforts. Although Mr. and Mrs. Curry have stood behind Roberta and have helped her all they could in her momentous undertakings, yet the initiative and the determination to attain high and enviable standing among the masters in the music world was begun and worked out solely by Roberta herself.

It requires a great deal or courage and ambition for a young lady to take it upon herself to part with her people and her home and her multitude of loving friends and go into a big hustling city of six million people to pursue her studies and battle against the many perplexing obstacles that must necessarily come in her path, but in spite of the facts that her people and friends tried to persuade her againnst her course, yet Roberta based her ambition upon her own will and went into it dead set to win, and she has won. The honor which the young lady has already attained is distinct indeed, and we are all really proud that we can claim her as our own product and take to ourselves esteem and honor for the splendid and salient record the young lady has made for herself and for the people back home who have remembered her so lovingly and have so earnestly watched her development both while she was with us and since she went away.

THE RAT CAMPAIGN

Boys, remember that the rat-killing campaign opens in Clanton on next Saturday, February 23rd and closes March 28th. You will get a valuable prize if you kill the most rats during this time and present their tails on the last day of the contest.

ANNUAL RABBIT HUNT COME OFF TOMORROW

Don't forget that tomorrow, Friday, is the time for the annual rabbit hunt. If you want to go, have your dogs at the court house tomorrow morning at daylight. And don't forget to bring along the annual fee, namely your dinner. That is all it will cost you.

Not Long Till An Election; and No Candidates Out

The regular primary election comes off on May 11th. In Chilton county there will be four vacancies to be filled, nominations for which will be made in this primary. These offices are: Two County Commissioners, to take the places of Mr. Walker and Mr. Littlejohn, a County Treasurer, and one member of the County Board of Education, to take the place of Mr. Dykes.

It is less than three months now till the primary, so it might be well for us to begin to look around and see who is going to run. The County Executive Committee will set a date before which all announcements must be made. This date will be announced as soon as it is set by the committee. So we are listening for something to be said in regard to announcements for these offices.

Farmers Preparing For Big Cotton Crop in County This Year

The past week of dry and sunny weather has given the farmers a chance to put in five or six days of solid work, and the tillers of the soil of Chilton county have been taking advantage of this fact. Farmers from all over the county, who were in Clanton Saturday afternoon reported that they had been busily engaged most all the week in turning their land for the next crop.

All indications thus far point to a heavy cotton crop in this county this year. Preparations are being made for a greater acreage than was had last year. The fact that most of the winter grain has been killed by the severe cold makes it necessary that something else be planted instead of the grain, and in most cases cotton will supply this vacancy. Mr. J. N. Dennis, who lives near Clanton and who is one of the most progressive farmers in this section, says that the farmers over the county are making arrangements for a greater acreage to cotton this year than last year. Mr. W. H. Conway, another progressive farmer of near Jemison, says that the same indications prevail in his section. J. H. Benson of the Collins Chapel community near Thorsby reports that the farmers of his community are preparing for the planting of fully as much if not more cotton than last year.

The dealers in commercial fertilizers in Clanton and the other towns of the county report that they have been doing a rushing business for the past few days. So, from all indications now, if the weather man and the boll weevil will deal favorably with the farmers this year Chilton county will produce a record cotton crop.

"OH, FOR A BEAR'S LIFE!"

FOLKS, here's "Winnie"—a very temperamental female bear of the London zoo—who does not seem to be leading such a hard life in captivity. At least, not according to the story the camera tells in this picture.

Getting this picture, however, is another story. As we said before, "Winnie" is very temperamental. So when they decided to take some official motion pictures in the London zoo, "Winnie" was very adverse to posing. Nothing could be used to convince her that the publicity she was to get would gain her popularity.

Finally, the girl in the picture—Miss Gladys Callow—hit upon an idea. A package of delicious figs was secured. The ruse worked. "Winnie" was sitting in front of her, begging for figs.

Instead of handing a fig at a time to "Winnie," however, Miss Callow placed one between her own fair lips and extended them to the bear. Gently and tenderly, "Winnie" reached for it, munched it and looked to the same sweet lips for more.

And, all the while the movie camera man was grinding out the film from which this photograph was taken.

Very Destructive Fire at the Home of Rev. W. S. Cox

On Wednesday night of last week the barn of Rev. W. S. Cox of Fairview community was destroyed by fire. The family of Mr. Cox was at the home of their neighbor when someone looked out and discovered that something was on fire at the Cox home. The folks rushed up there as fast as possible, but when they reached the place the fire was so well under way that nothing could be done to save the barn. Two fine cows were trapped in the fire and burned to death. A quantity of corn and fodder and other feed stuff was destroyed, the total loss running up into seven or eight hundred dollars.

Musical Treat to Be Given at Weldon's New Music House

On Thursday night of this week the Thorsby Orchestra, assisted by Mrs. Jatie Middleton at the piano, will give a musical entertainment at Weldon's Music House in Clanton. After several musical numbers are rendered Mr. Bice, leader of the Thorsby Orchestra, assisted by Mr. Weldon and other interested parties, will organize a band for Clanton. The public has a cordial invitation to come and hear the music and help in the organization of the band.

A Chilton County Boy Dies Up in the State of Michigan

Hugh Madison Foshee, son of our Mr. Charley D. Foshee of Billingsley, died in Grand Rapids, Mich., Saturday, February 16th. At the time of his death Hugh was staying with his brother, Dr. J. C. Foshee, where the young man had been for months past. Hugh was subject to some kind of nervous spells, and he was up north with the hopes of overcoming these spells and regaining his health.

The young man went into the bath room supposedly for the purpose of taking a bath. It is assumed that after he had drawn the bath tub partially full of water, one of the spells jumped him and he fell into the tub on his face, drowning himself, as he was a few minutes later found dead in the tub.

It will be remembered that Hugh entered high school here about a year ago, but was forced to quit school since the confinement of his studies seemed to be against his health.

The body arrived at Clanton Monday night on the Pan-American and was taken to the home of his father near Billingsley. The remains were buried the next day at New Cedron cemetery, Rev. W. S. Cox conducting the services.

Work Being Pushed On Securing Deeds to Chilton Highway

The work of getting the deeds to the right-of-way for the State Highway through Chilton County is being worked up as fast as possible. The matter of getting the deeds signed up in legal form has been placed in the hands of Col. Thos. A. Curry, who reports that he is having scarcely any trouble in getting the deeds signed up. The people owning the land through which the road will pass seem as a rule to be very reasonable in their demands on the highway department, for they all realize that it will be a distinct advantage in having the highway pass through their lands.

It appears that the bids will be let in the near future for the grading of the part of the highway between Lomax and South Calera. Practically all the attention of the State Highway Commission is now turned toward the work on the Chilton County division of the big project.

45 Subscriptions Are Received By Banner

During the past week The Union-Banner has written forty-five receipts for subscriptions to the paper. Following are the names of those subscribing:

Mrs. Eula Cofer, Siluria.
H. H. Armstrong, Jemison, R. 1.
W. H. Harris, Stanton.
N. L. Broadhead, Selma.
Tom J. Robinson, Clanton, R. 4.
Myers Hicks, Lawley, R. 2.
E. C. Lawrence, Lawley, R. 1.
W. M. D. O'Neal, Stanton, R. 1.
J. R. Lovelady, Stanton.
N. A. Gray, Clanton.
R. W. Kendrick, Plantersville.
Curtis Moore, Cooper.
O. J. Glenn, Titus.
W. T. Herrod, Plantersville.
R. M. Glenn, Titus.
Mrs. A. S. Villadsen, Thorsby.
T. B. Hull, Titus, R. 2.
Mrs. S. C. Wood, Thorsby.
J. B. Deason, Clanton, R. 4.
T. F. Patterson, Verbena, R. 1.
Doctor Robinson, Clanton.
B. E. Little, Jemison, R. 4.
R. R. Norrell, Clanton, R. 6.
J. W. Gore, Clanton, R. 8.
D. C. Mims, Clanton, R. 7.
G. L. Moore, Clanton, R. 2.
H. M. Burnett, Clanton, R. 4.
W. H. Wilson, Clanton, R. 2.
T. S. Johnson, Clanton, R. 1.
P. P. Bonnett, Titus, R. 2.
A. D. Gordon, Clanton, R. 3.
Lewis T. Dennis, Verbena, R. 2.
Ralph Oden, Clanton, R. 3.
Amos Oden, Clanton, R. 3.
Mrs. T. C. Snead, Centerville.
R. J. Williams, Maplesville, R. 1.
Ben Brown, Clanton, R. 3.
Archie Hall, Clanton, R. 3.
O. O. Calfee, Clanton, R. 7.
John Campbell, Jemison, R. 2.
H. B. Mahan, Luverne, Ala.
R. T. Robinson, Jemison, R. 2.
W. C. Fair, Duncanville, Ala.
Dr. J. P. Hayes, Clanton.
C. N. Rasberry, Clanton.

MAXIM HOLDS THAT TEA VIOLATES VOLSTEAD ACT

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 18.—Hudson Maxim, scientist and inventor, today stated he had engaged counsel to take action under the eighteenth amendment against restaurants and other places selling tea and coffee. A prominent hotel in Newark or New York City, will be selected for the first raid.

Commissioners Court In Session at Clanton During This Week

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County was in session at the court house Monday and Tuesday of this week. The principal matters taken up and passed on were regarding the road work in the county. The commissioners ordered Judge Reynolds to buy for the county one Catipillar tractor which will be used on the roads of the county. The commissioners announced that they were going to work right away on the main roads of the county and as soon as these are fixed up work will begin on the mail route roads.

A committee went before the commissioners asking that the wagons engaged in regular hauling be placed under a special tax the same as the trucks are. The commissioners did not grant this request, however. The reason that the commissioners have exempted the wagons from taxation is because they consider that a comparatively small number of wagons engage in regular hauling, and it would be a hard matter to tax any wagons without taking them all as several farmers do a little hauling with their wagons after they get through work on their farms. They only haul for a few weeks, and of course to tax them for the whole year around would not be right. The most of the regular hauling now is done with trucks.

The Huntsville Star New Morning Paper of Edward Doty

Mr. Edward Doty has brought into being another newspaper. This time it is The Huntsville Morning Star, the first issue of which appeared on the morning of February 10th. The officers of the new paper are: Edward Doty, editor and president; W. R. Jordan, associate editor; D. G. O'Neal, secretary and treasurer. The Star is printed in Huntsville, Ala., at a brand new plant.

Mr. Doty is a hustling newspaper man, he having edited papers all over the State. The first paper connected with was the Andalusia Star, which paper Mr. Doty edited for several years. He then went to Tuscaloosa and bought out the Tuscaloosa News, a daily paper, which he managed for six or seven years. He then went to LaFayette where he assumed control of the LaFayette Sun, running this paper for a couple of years. He is now in Huntsville at the head of The Morning Star.

The Morning Star is a very creditable daily paper, which is published every morning, including Sunday. Huntsville is a hustling town and Doty is a hustling editor, which two things make failure an impossibility.

PRESIDENT WILL PURGE PARTY OF LEASE SCANDAL

President Tells 2,000 Republicans What He Will Do to Guilty Men In Oil Lease Case.

New York, Feb. 18.—The promise to purge the party of the oil lease scandal marked the opening here tonight of President Coolidge's campaign to again hold the highest office in the land.

He told 2,000 members from the National Republican club that he would remove every corrupt official. But as stated, when he defied the senate on the Denby ouster resolution, he will stand by every one until found guilty by his special investigation counsel.

"There have been most startling revelations," he declared. "It is my duty to extend to every individual the constitutional rights to the presumption of innocence until proven guilty. But I have another duty—enforcing the law. In that I do not intend to fail."

He will be cautious, he said, and seek to avoid the hue and cry, the mingling of innocent and guilty.

Theodore Roosevelt, who must rise or fall with Secretary Denby and who also is under attack, sat near the president.

The presdeint reserved his declaration on the oil fraud scandal for the last.

It was his parting shot—a declaration that he does not need the suggestion of congress to enforce the law.

The object of the republican party dinner was to pay a tribute to Abraham Lincoln. The eulogy to the martyred president was brief but high. With Washington, Lincoln was one of the greatest men of all time, said the president.

Far away from the fashionable banquet room and the display of luxury there were thousands of other listeners by radio.

The president went from one subject to the other rapidly—from measures of aid for the farm to government finances and the condition of the country economically.

Inferentially he scored America's allies who have failed to pay their war debt. He commended the British for paying.

On taxes he issued a warning that unless the people launch a nation-wide propaganda campaign on congress the Mellon bill will fail. For himself he pledged opposition to material changes in the proposal.

His foreign policy has changed, he said. He intimated that the time has come when the United States must participate in European debt settlements. He said that the mission of General Dawes would fail without United States aid. There is a moral obligation to share the world burden, he said.

The sale of arms to Mexico was stoutly defended. He said that this policy had gone a long way to compose the situation and assure the Obregon government of lasting friendship.

He added that he does not approve traffic in arms, however, and would

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Close of business December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$204,151.62
Overdrafts	1,100.73
Banking House	2,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,727.25
Bonds and Warrants	10,700.00
United States Bonds	66,500.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	198,879.00
Total	$486,758.60

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 15,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	65,784.01
Deposits	$408,974.59
Total	$486,758.60

MEN AND FIGURES

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures. A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK'S service to you is based on men of tried character.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

CONDENSED STATEMENT
of the condition of the

First National Bank

of Clanton, Alabama, December 31, 1923.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$363,456.00
Overdrafts	383.02
United States Bonds	30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	24,420.90
Furniture and Fixtures	2,565.78
Redemption Fund	1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Cash in Vault and in Banks	207,432.18
Total	$631,557.88

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	22,505.93
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	529,051.95
Total	$631,557.88

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MULBERRY NEWS

Everybody around here is busy fixing for a crop.

We are sorry to say that there is some sickness around here.

A good many people enjoyed the Valentine party given by Misses Annie and Gelais Manning last Thursday night.

A large crowd attended the candy breaking at Mrs. Myrtle Williams last Saturday night week, and all reported a grand time.

Miss Pauline Veazy and Miss Ella Giles motored to Clanton Sunday p.m.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day. Everybody is invited. We want to do more for our heavenly Father.

A recent letter from Mr. Jas. W. Lowe, better known as "Jim," who holds a position on the Selma Times-Journal as linotype operator, states that he likes his new place fine.

Mrs. H. B. Mahan of Luverne, Ala., spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Chilton county.

Gained Ten Pounds

Mrs. George S. Hunter, of Columbus, Ga., says she suffered severely with female troubles.

"I had to go to bed and stay sometimes two weeks at a time," says Mrs. Hunter. "I could not work. My . . . were irregular and I got very thin. I went from 126 pounds down to less than 100. My mother had been a user of

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The Woman's Tonic

and she knew what a good medicine it was for this trouble, so she told me to get some and take it. I sent to the store after it and before I had taken the first bottle up I began to improve. My side hurt less and I began to mend in health. I took four bottles in all during the last ten months. Cardui acted as a fine tonic. . . I am well now. I have gained ten pounds and am still gaining. My sides do not trouble me at all and my . . . are quite regular. I know that Cardui will help others suffering from the same trouble."

Take Cardui.

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MAPLESVILLE DOTS

Maplesville is progressing very nicely at the present. The mumps and measles are all about gone. No report of any sickness of any kind.

There was a good meeting here last week. Everyone reported a very good week's meeting.

Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. are still very good. Sunbeam is progressing nicely.

Our school will be out Friday, Feb. 22nd. We are very sorry it won't last any longer. We were in hopes that it would last longer so that we could get in the new school building, but looks impossible this year. We truly hope we can put in a full term next year in our beautiful new building.

There was preaching Sunday a.m. and p.m., by Bro. W. T. Edwards.

We are glad to say that Mr. T. R. Williams has his new cafe almost complete.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Foshee of Clanton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. Fox Sunday.

Mrs. Audrey Wyatt of Clanton was visiting Miss Elva Seales Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Williams and Miss Estell Davis made a business trip to Selma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint McGee spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Lawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oden spent Sunday with Mrs. Oden's mother, Mrs. Anna Latham.

Mrs. R. R. Seales and little son, Kelly, spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. Homer Ratliff of Sardis community.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Oden and little daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Sewell.

Mrs. Sallie Perry and little son, Melvin Dotis of Plantersville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Clint Cobern.

Messrs. Paul and Kermit McCrary spent Sunday with home folks at Antioch community.

Mr. Howard Kemp of Birmingham spent last Saturday and Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kemp.

Misses Esther and Zadie Bell Smith were visiting Miss Stella McGee last week.

Mrs. C. N. Parnell was out motoring Sunday p.m. to see the Sunday school members of her class.

Messrs. Rother and Elmer Harris spent the week-end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harris.

Mr. Julian Merchant of Centerville was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Gewin of Lawley were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Gewin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Abney were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brooks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady McAfee and Miss Mattie McAfee spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. McAfee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seales.

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WEST CHILTON

Noting the voluminous correspondence in The Union-Banner causes us to think some one would be interested in reading a brief review of the happenings in this part since the first of the year.

Among the accidents is L. D. Atchison in cranking his truck broke his arm.

At this writing Joe Atchison is low with pneumonia.

John S. Waldrup has opened a new store at his residence just east of Randolph.

Great many people have gone from this section, so much so it looks as if the churches would not be able to function,—a good time to develop new workers.

Mr. John Crumpton and family, Mr. J. C. Veazey and family, Mr. Pratt Crumpton and family have gone to Childersburg.

W. M. Merchant and family, and Lon Brown and family have gone to Sylacauga.

Miss Bevie Smith has secured a position in Birmingham.

Mr. Arch Crumpton's little child died Monday.

Mr. George Dawson of Autauga was buried at Pleasant Grove Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brockmeyer of Ensley are visiting the latter's brother, Mr. Joe Atchison. Mrs. Brockmeyer was formerly Miss Norene Atchison, one of the finest young ladies this section ever produced.

Mr. M. McCary has moved his family back to Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barrett of Thorsby were at the burial here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Barrett are among Thorsby's finest people.

Mr. Newt Atchison and wife of Ensley are visiting here.

Mrs. Bird Smith has recently been visiting in Blocton.

Commissioner Mims was here recently to erect a new bridge on Jemison mail route No. 1. Our people have great faith in our county officials.

Miss Clements closed her school at Freeman last week, the training of the young to be real men and women, to lead them away from the low groveling things that appeal to the foolish, to the high realms of purity and perfection the intended destiny of man, is largely in the teachers' hands.

Miss Effie Atchison has recently been visiting at Dogwood.

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PLETCHER NEWS

This place is as lively as ever, if there hasn't been any news from here in a long time.

We are glad to say health of this vicinity is fine at present.

Most of the farmers are plowing and preparing for their crops.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Abbott from Autaugaville, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Myrtle White spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Sudie Keen.

The Valentine party at Mr. Gerald Smith's Thursday night was enjoyed by a very large crowd.

Mr. G. B. Williams attended the preaching services at Highland church near Clanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Reed visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Gracie, Ruth and Jewel Abbott and Miss Gladys Williams dined with Miss Willie Poole Sunday.

Miss Gladys Williams spent Saturday night with Miss Gracie Abbott.

A few of the young folks from around here spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Bertha Rainwater.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Keen.

A truck load of the young folks from Alpine community was out joyriding Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. T. Abbott spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Abbott spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams.

There was a candy breaking at Mr. George Chandler's Saturday night.

Mrs. J. L. Abbott and Mrs. D. T. Reed visited Mrs. G. B. Williams Saturday.

WEST JEMISON

Mr. W. E. Sims spent Sunday with his brother at Dargin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowson are the proud parents of a baby girl, whom they will call Frances Lucile.

Mr. Raymond Merchant and sister, Ruby, and a few friends motored to Oak Grove to the singing Sunday afternoon.

A truck load called to see Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowson Sunday afternoon. Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Childress, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sims, and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Merchant. Other visitors there were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Merchant spent awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Parker Sunday night.

Miss Bertha Crowson entertained Miss Ruby Merchant and her brother, Raymond awhile Sunday night.

Mr. J. B. Wells, linotype operator on the Selma Times-Journal, spent Sunday and Monday in Clanton. Mr. Wells is moving his family to Selma this week, where he will reside in future.

Mr. J. Wiley Smith is planning to make a trip out in the north-west. He intends to go out in Oklahoma and probably some of the other north-western states.

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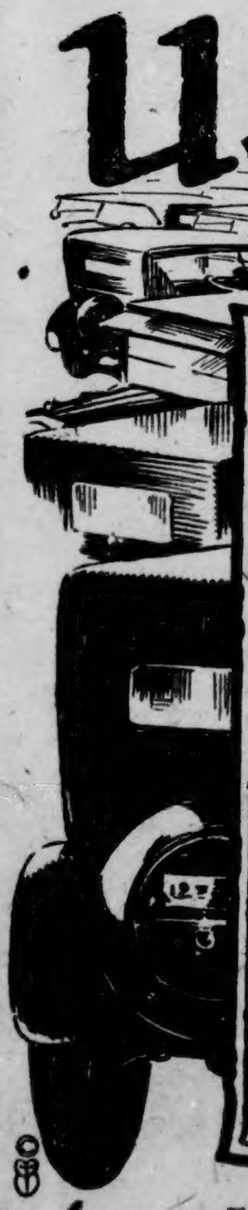

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Sophomores Entertain Seniors.

The Sophomores of the C. C. H. S. were hosts on last Thursday evening to the Senior class at a pretty Valentine party at the high school auditorium. The stage was decorated with a profusion of red hearts and red balloons and ferns. An interesting program, consisting of readings and music was enjoyed, and later in the evening refreshments were served to the following:

Misses Sarah Mullins, Jewel Minor, Prudie Smith, Estelle Littlejohn, Lila Bell Smith, Evelyn Littlejohn, Lurline Minor, Ida Mae Doster, Rubye Armstrong, Sarah Luckie, Erin Danforth, Jewel McDowell, Frances Lowery, Mary Sue Hinds, Tate, Carter, Mrs. Middleton, Mr. Peterson, Mr. Dark, Prof. Stephens, Charles Moore, Udah Curlee, Burton Mullins, Reese Mullins, Jafie Jones, Billie Smith, Raymond Roberts, Barney Burnett, Thomas Gragg, Grady Parrish, Luther Vines, Lester Glenn, James Higgins.

Spend-the-Day Party Given.

One of the loveliest of the season's social affairs was given Tuesday by Mrs. O. Kyle, entertaining at a bridge spend-the-day party at the home of Mrs. Victor Heard. An attractive arrangement of yellow johnquils in baskets tied with green tulle brightened the apartments. Bridge was played at four tables and at noon a lovely 3-course luncheon was served. Afterwards the game was continued and at the close of the day the top score was held by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, who was presented a set of parfee glases. On the cut for the consolation, Mrs. T. C. McSwain was presented a hand-made handkerchief, while the "booby," a tiny French doll, fell to Mrs. Lyman. Delicious home-made candy was served during the afternoon. Included in this courtesy were Mesdames Hance Alred, John Browder, L. F. Gerald, Arthur Johnson, Oscar Jones, T. C. McSwain, Grady Reynolds, Hugh Simpson, Guy Higgins, Carrie Mullins, Eric Hart, Frank Callen, Guy Roberts, Willis Lyman, Victor Heard and Miss Bettie Mullins.

Sims-Higgins Wedding Solemnized.

On Sunday at Alexander City, a quiet but sweet home wedding occurred at the home of the bride in Alex City, when Miss Grace Sims became the bride of Joe Higgins of Clanton. Rev. Johnson, pastor of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony. Only members of the family and close friends witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple left immediately for Montgomery and came to Clanton on Monday afternoon, where they will make their future home.

The bride is of a charming brunette type and has endeared herself to her many friends here. Mr. Higgins holds a responsible position with the Clanton Mercantile Co.

Mrs. White Hostess.

The hospitable home of Mrs. M. L. White was thrown open to a number of friends and members of the Wednesday sewing club last week. Flowering begonias were used to decorate the living room and music on the Edison was enjoyed. Fancy needle work and social conversation was enjoyed and late in theh afternoon a lovely salad course with hot coffee was served. Those present were Mrs. V. J. Elmore, Mrs. M. A. Gore, Mrs. Grady Taylor, Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. Macy Jones, Mrs. Ervin Luckie, Mrs. John Armstrong, Mrs. Barney Roberts, and Miss Olive Rainer Elmore.

Ma Jong Party Given.

Mrs. John Browder entertained at three tables of Ma Jong on last Thursday afternoon at her home. Lovely carnations were the effective means of decorations. Those included in this hospitality were Mesdames N. S. Johnson, T. C. McSwain, Victor Heard, Eric Hart, Frank Callen, Arthur Johnson, Hugh Jones, R. C. McDavid, J. C. Jones, Hugh Simpson, Hance Alred and O. Kyle.

A salad course with hot tea was served by the hostess.

Bridge Club Entertained.

Mrs. John Browder was a charming hostess to the members of her card club on last Wednesday afternoon. The home was prettily decorated with pot plants and red and white carnations. The Valentine idea prevailed also in the score cards and dainty refreshments served at the close of the game. Bon Bons were served during the game. Besides the club members, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Guy Roberts, Mrs. O. Kyle, and Mrs. McSwain were guests of the club.

The score prize basket of white carnations tied with white tulle was won by Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Mrs. Victor Heard has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Kyle from Heflin.

Mrs. Callie Licker is visiting relatives in the Capital City this week.

Mrs. Bob Jones spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mr. Tom Littlejohn made a business trip to Prattville Tuesday.

Mr. Ira Pegues from Scottsboro is visiting in Clanton this week.

Mr. Tom Johnson made a trip to Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. C. B. Cox spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mr. Percy Pitts made a business trip to Columbiana Monday.

Mr. J. C. Page made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. Lige Jones made a business trip to Anniston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince were visitors to Sylacauga Thursday.

Mr. M. A. Gore made a business trip to Birmingham this week.

Mrs. Willie Jones had as her guest Sunday her son, Wallace, from Birmingham.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton and Miss Margaret Smith spent Tuesday in Columbiana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Monroe from Fayette, Ala., were visitors to friends in Clanton Friday.

Dr. E. E. Upchurch was called last week to Carrollton on account of the death of his brother there.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie spent Tuesday in Montgomery with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn.

Mr. Ralph Jones was a visitor to Alex. City Sunday to attend the Sims-Higgins wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds and Children from Montgomery, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Mrs. Morgan from Montgomery came up Tuesday afternoon for a week's visit to her daughter, Mrs. Grady Reynolds.

Mr. Joe Retherford from Gorgas, and Mr. Ab Retherford from Jemison were visitors to Mr. Green Retherford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curlee had as their guests for the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Curlee from Birmingham.

After spending some time in Clanton with his mother, Mr. John Hayes has returned to his home in Southern California.

Prof. Edward Howe of the University of Alabama, was in Clanton Saturday giving instructions in the University course at the high school.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson are expected to return home the last of this week from a motor trip to South Alabama, where they are visiting his father.

The friends of Mr. Bob Jones will be delighted to learn of his being home after a seven weeks under treatment at Yarbrough Hospital in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds and Mrs. Guy Roberts motored over to Montevallo Sunday to be the guests of Miss Willadean Reynolds.

Child-birth

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CENTRAL ALABAMA HOSPITAL SHOWS A SPLENDID RECORD SINCE IT BEGAN OPERATION

The Union-Banner is in receipt of a letter recently issued by Miss Gardner, Superintendent of the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton, which points out some of the things this home institution has done for the people of Chilton County and central Alabama since it went into operation. Below we are reproducing in full the letter furnished by Miss Gardner:

"Clanton, Ala., Feb. 19, 1924.

At the request of the local papers, we are giving out a few figures regarding the work of the Central Alabama Hospital in the past.

The cases treated up to January 1, 1924 include the following:

Eye, ear, nose and throat,	42
Obstetrics,	1?
Pelvic Surgery,	24
Appendicitis,	52
General Surgery,	103
Medical cases,	91
Total,	325

There are in addition to these a number of small emergency dressings and accident cases that have not been enumerated.

These cases were the patients of nearly every doctor in the county as well as some doctors from Birmingham and Montgomery. The hospital is now, as it has always been, open to all ethical physicians and their patients at all times. Our office and library are open to all physicians who patronize our hospital, and all ethical physicians and surgeons are now, and always have been, treated in an equal and ethical way.

These doctors and patients have our sincere thanks for all past favors as well as the assurance of our appreciation of future patronage.

Respectfully,

ANNIE H. GARDNER, R.N., Supt."

By taking the above figures and using the arithmetic a little, one can readily figure what the hospital has meant to the people of this section in the matter of dollars and cents. It is a very conservative estimate to asume that by the cases being treated in Clanton instead of having to be carried to the big cities, an average of $50 was saved to the patients in each case. Of course, some of the cases were minor ones and less than this amount was saved, but there are others such as the fifty-two appendicitis cases where very likely double this amount was saved, and taking them all as a whole, we feel sure that this estimate is very conservative. One can readily see that 325 times $50 equals $16,250, which amount nearly equals the cost of the hospital. So you see, as to money the hospital has already nearly paid for itself in the money which it has actually saved, which means a great deal to the people whom it has served.

But then, the actual money saved is a small item when the general benefits of the institution are taken into consideration. How many lives do you suppose have been saved by us having at our immediate command an up-to-date place for patients to be treated? And too, what is the value of even one human life? These things are inestimable, but one can readily see that from his point of view the Central Alabama Hospital has been of untold value to our people.

One rather heavy stockholder in the corporation the other day was told that the institution had not actually cleared very much money recently, to which the stockholder replied: "We don't care so much about the hospital making money, just so it is serving the needs of our people." This is indeed a very commendable attitude for men to have toward a home institution of this kind. So long as the hospital is taking care of the medical and surgical needs of the people of the community and paying its expenses, we would be rather selfish to expect a great deal from it in the way of dividends. Of course, it is making actual money for its stockholders all the time, but this is not the thing to consider. What we want the hospital to do is to render service, and it is doing this in perfect fashion.

The present officers of the Central Alabama Hospital., Inc., are: Dr. V. J. Gragg, President; Dr. S. C. Wood, Vice-President; T. E. Wyatt, Treasurer; Dr. T. J. Marcus, Secretary. The Directors are: Dr. N. S. Johnson, J. Q. Wade, M. A. Gore and C. B. Cox. The Superintendent is Miss Annie H. Gardner, R. N.

Since the hospital first began operating there have been a number of improvements made to the facilities and accommodations of the institution. Principal among these are the installation of the electric elevator and the building of concrete walks in the yards. This elevator fills an untold need in handling the patients from one floor to another, and the walks around the building materially add to thet appearance of the location. Shade trees have been planted around the yards, which when grown will make the hospital look good indeed.

Since this hospital is strictly a home institution and owned and operated by home people, it behooves not only the officers and stockholders but all the citizens of our county to be continually awake to its interest and to boost it on every hand. It is a thing of which we are all justly proud and it is the duty of everybody to support it every time occasion presents itself, and also see that our neighbors and friends do the same thing. There is absolutely no excuse for patients to be carried fifty or a hundred miles away from Clanton to get the same treatment which they could get right here at home and at much less cost. Let everybody stand behind out hospital and make it continue to serve us and grow as it has in the past. This is not only our privilege but our solemn duty.

MT. PLEASANT, BEAT 12

Sunday being our regular preaching day, we enjoyed a fine sermon by our pastor, Rev. Martin.

We wish to ask everybody to join our Sunday School and come every third Sunday to preaching service. We need you and you need us.

Mrs. Docie Fair of Duncanville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Robinson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Mahan and Mr. C. Hill of Luverne visited Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Robinson Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Northcutt visited Mrs. R. A. Barnett Sunday.

Miss Eula Barnett visited Miss Grace Robinson Sunday afternoon.

Several from this place attended the play at Union Grove Saturday night.

Miss Grace Robinson returned to work Monday afternoon after a brief visit home.

Womankind in the Making.—"How long before she'll make her appearance?"

"She's up stairs making it now."—Royal Caboon.

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OAK GROVE

There will be a chicken supper at this place Saturday night, February 22nd.

Health of this place is improving and the sun is shining bright.

Sunday School is doing fine with Mr. A. T. Cobb superintendent.

Our singing society met Sunday afternoon. After a song by the president, W. J. Northcutt, the following directors filled up the evening: Elon Cobb, Jack Cobb, Carl Wilson, Ivey Matthews, Lassie Northcutt, Allie Glass; quartet by Mabeth Northcutt, Lois Martin, Lorene Matthews, Carl Wilson; Bill Cofer, Burl Martin of Providence, Abe Robinson from Union Grove; quartett by E. H. Foshee, Lester Cobb, Abe Robinson, B. Martin; quartett by Ivey Matthews, Burl Martin, Lesta Cobb and Allie Glass.

War Preferable.—The reason the war drags on in Mexico may be because the inhabitants have no desire to be landed wiht one of these terrible modern Peaces.—Opinion.

Purely Medical Reasons.—"Now tell us about it—why did you steal the purse?"

"Your honor, I won't deceive you—I was ill and thought the change might do me good."—Sydney Bulletin.

Smilin' Charlie Says..

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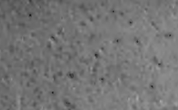


We are going to nominate a County Treasurer, two County Commissioners and one member of the County Board of Education on May 11th. We are expecting somebody to break the ice by announcing for one of these offices. Who will be first?

Te New York Central Railway is reported to be in the market for 100 new locomotives, to cost around $10,000,000. Apparently there is no anticipation of a change in the prosperous conditions that now prevail, or in the Republican Administration that has brought them about.

In The Literary Digest's poll on the Mellon Tax Reduction plan taken in all the States of the Union, 635,876 votes were cast in favor of the plan and 251,908 against the plan. These figures indicate a very fair proportion of how the people feel about the matter in question.

The opponents of President Coolidge are trying hard to get him tangled up in the Teapot Dome Oil Scandal, but he is going to come out of that as slick as a button. A thorough probe is being made of everything connected with the scandal, and every official, high and low, who carries the odor of oil on his record will be dealt with strictly according to law. Coolidge believes in justice to everybody and he is going to deal it out in this oil case.

The Standard Oil Company has put out revised road maps of five of the southern states with the names of highways designated, distances between important points shown, and indication made as to what roads are paved, graded, or under construction. The maps are most complete in every respect and up to date. Road maps of Alabama may be obtained on request from most any dealer in motor oil and gasoline, particularly those handling the products of the Standard Oil Company. Maps of Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, Kentucky and Tennessee cannot be had at the places of motor oil and gasoline dealers, but can be obtained at any service station owned by the Standard Oil Company at Birmingham, Ala.

A school teacher once asked one of her little girls to mention something that God had given her for which she was thankful, and the little girl replied, "My beautiful golden locks of hair." The teacher then turned to another little girl and asked her the same question to which she replied, "My beautiful big dark-blue eyes." The teacher then turned to Johnnie, a ragged, dirty, freckled-face lad of nine years, and asked him what God had done for him for which he was thankful. The boy replied: "I don't think I know of a single thing, teacher, for God just made a plum mess out of me." Most of the people of Chilton county feel toward Messer's contest just like Johnnie felt about himself. Messer has just made a plum mess out of it and that is all there is to it.

REV. EZELL URGES FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN PEOPLE

Since Rev. S. J. Ezell preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday night, there has been quite a bit of favorable commenting done on the splendid message which he delivered. Besides being a thorough Christian gentleman, Rev. Ezell is very efficient when it comes to handling current matters of local concern. Politics is a very intricate and tedious subject for a preacher to attempt to handle from the pulpit especially where his congregation is likely to be composed of people of different political beliefs, but Dr. Ezell took up this question Sunday night and he thrashed out the subject in such a way that everybody is commending him very favorably.

Taking his text from John 4:9, and also reading the parable about the Good Samaritan, the preacher said in way of introduction: "Feeling for a long time that some things should be said on our political situation in Clanton and also on some other things that are hurtful to our common good, according to previous announcement, I am going to preach on this subject tonight. In the beginning I want it thoroughly understood that I am not interested in issues nor personalities which may be involved, but I am interested only in some practical results."

We could not obtain Bro. Ezell's entire address for publication, but below we are printing a brief outline of the points discussed:

"As a remedy for our hurtful situation I would advise that we put into practice these three fundamental principles:

"First. We should all allow every man the inalienable right to his own views. A lack of respect here is the source of our trouble I disagree with folks about religious views and political views and persons, but I never fail to respect their views and their rights and to love them. Intolerance is the child of 'Mrs. Little' and the sister of 'Miss Ignorance.'

"Second. We should think much more and talk much less. My plea is that we bridle our unruly tongues which are full of deadly poison and evil and which destroy our unity, love, fellowship and co-operation toward obtaining worth-while objects. —James 3:6-8. I suggest that many of us need an injection of Scapolomin's new truth-telling drug. However, I fear that the drug would not suffice for some but the only thing really effective would be a surgical operation for some tongues, taken out root and all. We have talked too much for our good.

"Third. The development of the sense of brotherhood. We should all be brethren, no matter if our views are different. Neither Democrats nor Republicans are dogs, but all people look very much alike. The Christian spirit of brotherhood and love for our neighbors will kill out the spirit of intolerance and solve our every difficulty."

The points laid out above and discused by Bro. Ezell in his sermon are matters which all of us should consider and put into practice. The absence of brotherly love and even friendship in Clanton is entirely too prevalent, and it is to the common interest of us all that we lay aside so much of personal enmity. Just because your neighbor votes against you on election day is no reason that you should hold a grudge aganist him all your life. People have always had different views on different matters and we suppose they always will, but even though this is true, we are all just folks, made out of the same stuff and subject to the judgment of the same God. It is just littleness in a person that causes him to hold a grudge against his neighbor just because they happen to differ a little on politics or religion. What Clanton needs is more honest clean politics and less personal hatred and strife among our fellowmen.

THE NOBLEST OF THEM ALL

Tomorrow, February 22, 1924, is the 192nd anniversary of the foremost American of all time. There has of late been a large amount of propaganda distributed to belittle our Revolutionary heroes, and this man has been a center of attack. Internationalists have been charged with this propaganda, particularly Englishmen. But no decent Englishman would lend himself to such practice. For the benefit of his traducers, the following are taken from foreign opinion of George Washington:

"I have a large acquaintance among the most exalted class of men, but you are the only human being for whom I feel an awful reverence." —Lord Erskine, in letter to Washington, 1797.

"It will always be well with Washington. He is the greatest of men, and he will be venerated by mankind when my fame shall be lost in the vortex of revolutions."—Napoleon Bonaparte.

"The purest and noblest character of modern times—possibly of all time."—Duke of Wellington.

"Of all great men he is the most virtuous and the most fortunate. In this world God has no higher favor to bestow."—Guizot, French Historian.

"No nobler figure ever stood in the forefront of a nation's life."—Green, British Historian.

"Washington invested everything he touched with a kind of sacredness."—von Holst, German Historian.

"If, among all the pedestales supplied by history for public characters of extraordinary nobility and purity, I saw one higher than all the rest, and if I were required at a moment's notice to name the fittest occupant for it, I think my choice at any time during the last forty-five years would have lighted, as it would not alight, upon Washington."—W. E. Gladstone.

"Washington is indeed a far more perfect character (than Hamilton.) Washington stands alone and unapproachable, like a snow-peak rising above its fellows in the clear air of morning, with a dignity, constancy, and purity which have made him the ideal type of civic virtue to succeeding generations. No greater benefit could have befallen the Republic than to have such a type set from the first before the eye and mind of the people."—James Bryce, American Commonwealth, Vol. 2, page 8.

"The greatest of our own or of any age."—Lord Brougham.

"From the oldest soldier of Europe to the greatest soldier in the world." Frederick the Great, when he presented Washington with his sword.

Allison, the British historian, said of Washington's Farewell Address: "Unequalled by any composition of uninspired wisdom."

When the younger Pitt was challenged to give his meaning of the principles of neutrality, he replied: "The principles laid down in the presidency of Washington."

The opinions of such men should shame to silence the voices of Washington's defamers, and strengthen the faith of American youth in the virtue and manhood of the Father of our Country.

Stop the children's coughs at once!

DON'T let them run on until dangerous complications set in. Nothing so quickly stops coughing as Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It combines just the medicines your doctor prescribes with the old-time remedy, pine-tar honey. Hard packed phlegm loosens and clears away—the inflammation is reduced—normal breathing is restored. Excellent for young and old, alike! It tastes good, too. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

Curlee Clothing Co.

ONE PRICE MANUFACTURERS

Trade CURLEE CLOTHES Mark

SAINT LOUIS

February 14th, 1924.

Parrish's

Clanton, Ala.

Gentlemen:-

We are just in receipt of a copy of the Union-Banner, and note your ad featuring Curlee Clothes.

In our opinion, this is one of the most attractive ads that has passed through our advertising department. Advertising gotten up in this manner will surely bring results.

As it is the policy of this institution to co-operate with our good friends and customers in pushing the line of Curlee Clothes forward, we in turn, ask that you co-operate with us by letting us know whether we can furnish you with newspaper cuts, etc.

Very truly yours,

CURLEE CLOTHING COMPANY.

TOG-el T. O. GORE.

The letter above refers to half-page ad of Parrish's appearing in The Union-Banner on Feb. 7th, and is published to show how the Curlee Clothing Co., and all progressive concerns must believe in advertising.

Press Pickings

Manufacturers Record—We need no more of the class of people from Russia and from Southern Europe tinged with bolshevistic, socialistic, communistic, anarchistic ideas, whose hearts and lives and brains are fertile soil for the sowing of the seed of revolutionary overturning of this government.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—The people of the United States are not thinking about relief from high taxes from any partisan point of view and Democratic Congressmen who oppose the Mellon plan on any political ground will pay a heavy indemnity for their obstruction.

New Orleans States—Previous to the revolution the French nobility was exempt from taxation. The nobility of this country has never enjoyed such a privilege but it manages to get along very nicely by investing its money in tax-exempt securities.

Los Angeles Times—The Democrats claim that there is a powerful "lobby" behind the passage of the Mellon tax reduction bill. So there is, and the extent of the "lobby" may be gauged by looking over the telephone directory.

Portland (Ore.) Telegram—It is remarkable how few words are necessary for thorough expression of ideas when one's mental processes and vocabulary are as clear and adequate as Calvin Coolidge's.

Detroit Free Press—Secretary Mellon has brought more trouble on the politicians and more joy to the average citizen than any public official the country has known in a long time.

Houston Post (Dem.)—The Democratic leaders in Congress are disposed to play politics with the issue of tax reduction, and in that they are making a fatal mistake.

Indianapolis News—The Mellon tax bill is being vigorously debated in Congress, but the people have consulted their pocketbooks and long since passed beyond the debate stage.

Troy Times—Mr. McAdoo wanted the privilege of explaining. A man who asks leave to explain is a long way from a Presidential nomination.

Philadelphia North American—Some of the Democrats seem to have been among those people who never learn if you start a fire with oil it spreads.

New York Tribune—Since tax relief is urgent, relief in 1924 will be twice as welcome to a long-suffering public as relief in 1925.

Washington Post—The Soviet regime may be losing some of its redness, but it's still far from the pink of perfection.

Springfield News—Mr. Bok is a fortunate gentleman; he can settle every argument he gets into merely by offering $100,000.

New York Herald—Neither grass nor candidacies will grow where oil splashes.

Providence Journal—A reduction of taxation means an increase of prosperity.

TOO EARLY SUPERLATIVES

The New York World is rather free with its superlatives. "By the death of Woodrow Wilson," declares the editor, "the greatest figure in world history that has ever risen from American soil is removed from the scene of his labors." We profoundly respect Mr. Wilson as a sincere man who fought valiantly for his ideals. But what of George Washington? And what of Abraham Lincoln? Where would the world be today if the former had not won and the latter not preserved the independent American Union which Woodrow Wilson found at hand ready to throw into the scales in Europe? By his own admission, Mr. Wilson sought from his countrymen a "supreme sacrifice"—the sacrifice of the very independence which had enabled them to exert such decisive strength in the war. We are bold enough to predict that the men who led in preventing that sacrifice have a surer place in history than the man who urged it.

President Coolidge—"Wisdom and experience have increased our admiration of the Declaration of Independence."

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.

Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

Royster's "*cured*" fertilizer is *certified* fertilizer

More profitable crops result from the use of fertilizer that has been thoroughly "aged"

You can't look at the ordinary bag of fertilizer and tell how good it is. You have to risk the time and money of a season's work before you KNOW. It isn't *known* to be good until you get your money!

Certified Fertilizer

But Royster's "cured" fertilizer is like a certified check.

It is certified by the forty years we have spent in learning the needs of the soil you work.

It is certified by the experience of successful farmers all about you, who say "Royster's fertilizer increased my earnings."

"Cured" Fertilizer is better plant food

It is certified by the "curing"—a feature of Royster's fertilizer which increases its value because of a more complete chemical action, making the plant food readily available to the plant. (Royster's goods age in great bins for four to six months. They are then remilled and bagged).

Ask for "Royster's"

Stop guessing about fertilizer. Look for the name "Royster" on your bags of fertilizer and you have found the assurance that your crops will have proper feeding from seed time to harvest.

F. S. ROYSTER GUANO CO.
NORFOLK - COLUMBIA - ATLANTA - MONTGOMERY

F.S.R

ROYSTER

Field Tested Fertilizers

C-3

Tom Kemp, Agent, Clanton, Ala.

POOR OR

See the Snappy Barqains in Our Used Car Sale

Are You in the Market for Used Cars?

If So, Be Sure and See and Look Over Our Stock at

CARTER'S GARAGE

Before Buying.

We Can Offer You Real Bargains in the Following Cars

3 FORDS, Each	$ 75.00
1 OVERLAND CAR	$125.00
1 PREMO CAR	$125.00

POLK BROS.

DEALERS

STUDEBAKER and GRAY CARS

CLANTON, ALA.

CONCRETE SATISFIES AS ROAD MATERIAL

Stone and Cement Makes Long Wearing Highway.

Concrete roads, properly made with good Portland cement, offer considerable choice of basic materials, according to the local market, and a satisfactory long wearing road when completed. For suburban and rural roads concrete is an ideal road material. Concrete consists of a mixture of water, cement, sand, and gravel or stone of many varieties. Engineers call the sand part the "fine aggregate," and the pebbles or rock the "coarse aggregate." Given clean aggregates and good cement and the road when finished will be durable, dustless, easily maintained, and smooth.

The two disadvantages, cracking and breaking at the edges, can both be overcome. Cracking, a result of temperature changes, and stress does little or no harm if the crack is promptly filled. Proper shoulders at the edge of the road eliminate the dangerous depression caused by the earlier neglect of this part of the road building, before it was understood how water and weather wear away the edge-protecting earth.

The two general types of concrete pavement are known as one-course and two-course pavement. The former consists of one course of concrete, all of which is mixed in the same proportion and composed of the same kind of materials, while the latter consists of two courses, usually mixed in different proportions and containing different kinds of aggregate. The one-course pavement is much simpler to construct than the two-course type.

In the two-course type of construction local coarse aggregate of average or low wearing qualities is used in the lower course and imported aggregate with high resistance to wear is used in the top course. If the only materials locally available for use as aggregate are of inferior quality, it is more economical to use them for aggregate in the lower course of a two-course pavement and import aggregate for the wearing course than to employ a one-course pavement and import all the aggregate.

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Buy Your Ford Now

WITH spring almost here thousands of families, anticipating the demand that is certain to exist for Ford Cars and Trucks are placing their orders for immediate delivery.

Sales now are far ahead of sales at this time last year. Advance orders calling for delivery under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan have already reached a total of 255,758 Cars and Trucks.

The prospect of securing prompt delivery is daily becoming more uncertain. We cannot urge too strongly, therefore, the necessity for placing your order immediately, if you are planning to drive a Ford Car this spring.

See the nearest Authorized Ford Dealer

Ford Motor Company

Detroit, Michigan

It is not necessary to pay for your car in full in order to secure delivery. You can get on the preferred list for early delivery by making a small payment down. Or, if you wish, you can arrange for delivery under the terms of the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan.

DAIRYING HOLDS ITS OWN IN ALABAMA

Estimated That 6,000,000 Pounds of Butterfat Was Produced In State Last Year.

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 18.—Despite unfavorable conditions, dairying held its own in Alabama last year. This is reported by Wm. Hardie, dairy specialist for the Extension Service, who estimates that the Alabama creameries handled 6,000,000 pounds of butterfat during 1923.

The condition of dairying in Alabama is of special interest at this time, because commercial dairying, in the State, has just passed its tenth birthday. In January, 1914, the first Alabama creamery was opened by the Animal Husbandry Department at the Agricultural College here, and from this beginning the number has increased to 33 creameries. Practically every Alabama farmer has access to one or more creameries.

The employment of W. R. Anderson of Selma, by the State Department of Agriculture, as creamery inspector is considered a very important step by Mr. Hardie. He has urged it for several years. Creamerymen have requested an inspector, and Mr. Anderson will work in the interest of both dairymen, creamerymen and farmers. He has had experience as a dairy farmer, and also in all phases of dairy manufacturing. He is, therefore, especially qualified for his present position.

Other states have had a creamery inspector for many years and the appointment of Mr. Anderson gives additional official recognition to Alabama's large and growing dairy industry.

CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The society met in regular session Sunday afternoon. Was called to order at 2 o'clock by Chairman, and Bro. Yates led in prayer.

The following directors were then called and directed from 2 to 3 songs each: S. M. Yates, Lee Robinson, W. M. Devaughn, Fonza Cleckler, and a quartet by the home quartet; Archie Devaughn 2 songs, and then we had a recess for about 15 minutes. At the tap of the bell the class came back promptly and did some more good singing.

L. T. Grant was then called and directed 3 songs, followed by a quartet. After which Rev. J. S. Castleberry 2 songs, O. L. Devaughn 2 songs; quartet. Mrs. Alice Baker, Ralph D. Grant, Lee Robinson, Lee J. Grant and Lena Mae Devaughn were the organists for the evening.

The secretary thinks this was one of the best singings the society has had in quite awhile. We noticed that the house was filled almost to its capacity and the singers seemed to have sang in the spirit and understanding.

We thank each and everyone who has helped to make this society what it is today; yet we shouldn't be satisfied—let's try and make it better. Your presence helps, so come along all you folks that sing and you that love to hear good singing. You have a hearty welcome.

The services were closed with prayer by Bro. N. J. Jones of Corinth community.

We meet again the first Sunday in March.

Exasperating COUGHS—

NOT only you—but all those around you are annoyed by the constant hacking of a persistent cough. Dr. King's New Discovery breaks coughs quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off the clogging secretions. Has a pleasant taste. At all druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

BREAD YOU'LL ENJOY.

Either in sandwiches or with your meal, our White or Rye Bread is a mighty tasty and wholesome item. Try a loaf or two today.

The City Bakery

JOHN WELLS, Prop.

CLANTON, ALA.

Mr. Emit Thomas, who has been in Philo, Ohio for the past month working for the B. & W. Boiler Co., is in Clanton for a few days. He will return to Philo Friday of this week.

Mr. R. T. Robinson of Jemison was in Clanton Monday.

TWO TO-NIGHT

for loss of appetite, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness. Without griping or nausea

CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

Set your liver right—only 25c

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON

Lawyer

Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.

CLANTON, ALA.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Armour's BIG CROP Fertilizers

The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS are made from the choicest materials, thoroughly cured and dried, and will easily go through any make of distributor.

Wrapped in every sack of ARMOUR'S goods are those qualities which manifest themselves in all of the undertakings of those master men whose name it bears.

MAKE EVERY ACRE DO ITS BEST

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS, for sale by

J. N. DENNIS, Clanton, Ala., Agent

W. H. GOODGAME, Thorsby, Ala., Agent

Manufactured by

Armour Fertilizer Works

MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation	Wind Colic
Flatulency	To Sweeten Stomach
Diarrhea	Regulate Bowels

Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

RIGINAL

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

An interesting letter was received from Mrs. John L. Winslow, and we are sure that the friends of this family in Thorsby will like to hear something of them in their new home.

When they left Thorsby in 1922, they went to the old Winslow farm at Carthage, Ind., but they have now sold that place to a cousin and moved to a farm near Newcastle, a distance of 18 miles from Carthage. They have only 40 acres of land, all in cultivation. They are near a railroad, inter-urban electric lines, also bus lines, so they feel quite well located. Mr. Winslow holds a position with a canning company at Carthage to grow tomato plants for them, he also acts as field director for them. The canning company has farm factories. The company furnishes Mr. Winslow a Ford machine, which he uses for his family as well as in the business.

Their daughter, Luella, now Mrs. Earl Webb, lives about 75 miles from them. Mr. Webb is principal of a high school and Luella teaches the English classes in the four-year high school course. She also has the music in the high school, so she must be very busy.

The mass meeting held at the Wadesonian theatre last Thursday night was well attended by representative citizens of Thorsby. Prof. C. N. Williams presided. Rev. J. M. Graham, Rev. Joseph E. Each and Mr. William Billingsley gave interesting talks. The Thorsby orchestra furnished music. The subdject of the meeting was the building of a new public school house, which now appears to be in sight. By vote of the meeting, the chairman was instructed to appoint a committee of three to confer with the Town Council, with a view to securing the comparatively small sum needed to complete the amount necessary for the enterprise.

The annual declamatory contest of Thorsby Institute will be held at Bates Hall February 23rd at 7:30. The program is as follows:

Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, Ethel Peterson.
Cuddy, ... Lorena Graham
For love of Mary Ellen, Cola Ruffin
By the rule of Contrary, Lillian McKee.
Benefits Forgot, ... Plato Deason
For his Mother's Sake, Gordon Sorrell
Wilson's Flag Day Speech, 1917, Codie Bell.

The proceeds from the ten cents admission will go into the desk fund. The judges for the contest will be Mrs. Hattie Gerald, Rev. Joseph Each and Prof. C. M. Williams.

On Saturday night, February 16, Queen Esther Sunday School Class of the Congregational church entertained the Loyal Helpersclass of young men at the Thorsby Institute dining hall. The two classes have been holding a contest with the understanding that the class that won was to be entertained by the losing class. The points were as follows: Each Sunday one point if every member of the class was present; one point if every one present in the class brought a bible collection and had read over the lesson. The party given was a valentine party, and the games were along that line. The refreshments were strawberries, ice cream, cake, cookies and heart-shaped mints. The dining hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Thorsby Institute divided two basket ball games last week. On Wednesday they lost to the fast five of Siluria Cotton Mill by three points, 20 to 17. They hope to avenge the defeat on February 26th when Siluria returns the game. Thorsby has previously defeated Siluria 25 to 5 and they hope to make it two out of three.

On Friday Thorsby completely upset the dope by defeating Marbury High on the latter's court. Thorsby defeated Marbury previously this season on Thorsby's court 16 to 14 but had not played on the indoor court, so all were expecting them to lose. But with the odds against Thorsby she went in and fought every mniute and came out victorious 15 to 10.

Friday of this week Thorsby plays Clanton, and an intensely hard fought game is expected, due to the rivalry of the two schools. The game with Siluria February 26th will probably close the season.

The Christian Endeavor Society held its regular meeting last Sunday night. In spite of the fact that there was no leader, the meeting was carried out very nicely. The topic under discussion was "What is sin and how does it affect one's character?" It is remarkable to note the interest that everyone seems to be taking in these meetings; and that is what it takes to make a good society. Interest plus pep and energy, and you've got the stuff that it takes to make a society a success. Let us all come to the meeting next Sunday evening with all these things and see if we cannot have a better meeting than we have ever had before.

Miss Nettie LouGraham, a teacher in the Clanton Public School, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Eugh of Ostrandes, Minn., arrived in Thorsby last Thursday. The Eughs were among the pioneers of Thorsby, it being now nearly 20 years since they left here. Mr. Eugh assisted in dedicating the Norwegian Lutheran Church, afterwards bought and now occupied by the Congregational Church. Rev. Eugh will preach in the Lutheran Church next Sunday, speaking in the Scandinavian language in the morning and in the English language in the evening.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid meets this Thursday with Mrs. K. A. Ekblad.

Mr. Felix Eiland has gone into business in Sylacauga. Mrs. Eiland expects to join him in the future.

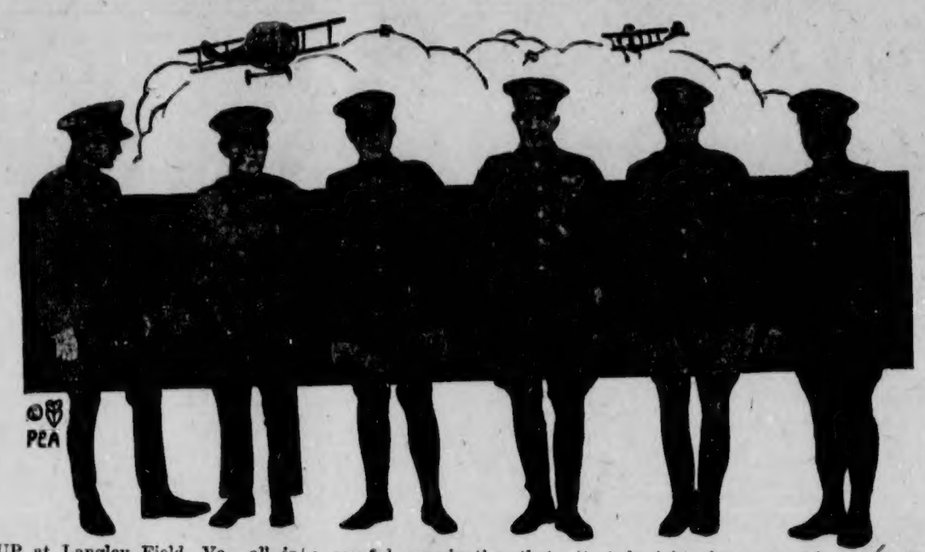
Mr. Ernest Hansen and wife moved back to the farm last week after having lived in town about one year.

Mr. H. V. Thompson was in town Sunday and Monday. He has obtained work in Birmingham after the hold up in work at Cherokee Bluffs.

The farmers have been busy hauling crates and fertilizers for the past week, thus showing their faith in crops on the coming spring and summer.

The Ladies Guild social will be held at Thorsby Institute dining hall Thursday, February 28th. Miss Helen C. Jenkins and Miss Lois Leech will be hostesses. All ladies cordially invited.

"GLOBE CIRCLING" AVIATORS



UP at Langley Field, Va., all is hustle and bustle these days as preparations are being made for the proposed great 'round-the-world flight this spring by half a dozen of the army's best air men. The fliers who are to attempt the trip—you see them pictured above—were selected after a careful examination that attested to their ability to carry out so remarkably a feat. They are now at Langley Field for the purpose of training in all branches of maneuvers for the flight.

In the photo, reading from left to right, they are: Lieut. Eric Nelson; Lieut. Leigh Wade; Lieut. LaClaire Schulze; Major F. L. Martin, commanding flight officer; Lieut. Lowell Smith and Lieut. Arnold. Mighty snappy looking lot of officers, aren't they?

POLITICS IN CHILTON COUNTY

It would be the height of injustice to try to implicate Rev. S. J. Ezell of the Clanton Baptist Church in any of the political issues and scraps in Chilton County, because this man is not dealing in politics and is altogether above the idea of such a thing. However, the sermon which this man preached at his church last Sunday night is food for much and serious thought by the politicians of our town and county.

Bro. Ezell expressed our views exactly. We have always contended for exactly the things which he advocated in his sermon. The Republicans of Chilton County have always contended for equal rights for all, and although we enter the elections with our candidates and fight hard for the principles of our party, yet, after the elections are over we are ready to lay down everything, concede to the majority, and drop politics and scrapping. It is very true that The Union-Banner and the Republicans of the county have been engaged in a political skirmish almost ever since the last election in this county, but we will ask who it was that started the fight and forced others to enter it in order to maintain their own rights.

The Republicans of this county have always been on the defensive in politics. The first fire of the battle was opened by a few Democratic politicians in the county, and the Republicans either had to enter the fight against our will and stick out for our rights or else just surrender to the adversary and let them walk off with the spoils.

Although we were opposed to being a party to an unwarranted and drawn-out political harrangue, yet in order to protect ourselves, we were forced to roll up our sleeves and go into it for all we were worth. It is a bad idea for a political battle to be kept up from one election to another, thus keeping men on both sides mad at each other and keeping the people continually stirred up over matters that have already been settled and ought to be forgotten. As the old saying goes, "There is a time for alll things and there is a limit to all things."

Politics is the life of a government and we cannot hope to live in a civilized country of over a hundred million people without having some kind of political parties, but it is a big mistake to let your politics enter into your every-day life and affect the personal feeling between you and your neighbor. If your neighbor sees fit to vote against you, it is his inalienable right, and for you to think hard of him is simply narrowness on your part. Politics is like a negro—it is perfectly all right so long as it stays in its place, but when it is allowed full sway over all other faculties of a person's life it is going beyond its limit and a halt should be called.

As we said in the outset, we do not want anyone to get the idea that we are attempting to draw Bro. Ezell into either faction of the politics of Chilton County at all, because our intention is far removed from this. He has given no one any reason to believe that he is taking any hand in our petty skirmishes. He has simply laid down the law to us and we should all take it for what it is worth. He is absolutely right in his contentions, no matter if he hits you or if he hits me. So let us take the medicine and receive the benefits which are bound to come from it.

MEET AT COURT HOUSE TO CONSIDER TRUCK TAX

Pursuant to a call of Mr. J. N. Scott, about a dozen of the truck owners of Chilton County gathered at the court house last Saturday for the purpose of discussing the extra road tax which the county commissioners have placed on trucks engaged in hauling over the roads of the county.

Mr. Scott acted as chairman of the meeting, and after some discussion by those present the chearman appointed a committee to go before the commissioners court to see if they could either get the truck tax repealed or get the same tax placed on wagons. This committee consisted of C. C. Atchison, H. T. Gore and R. J. Williams.

CANE CREEK

Mr. Luke Hadnot, Mrs. Slimmer Beard and Mr. Jim Retherford are very sick, but we hope they will soon recover.

The school program carried out last Friday night was enjoyed by all present. Miss Parrish, the principal, promised us another entertainment at the close of the school.

Mrs. Minnie Moatts and Rev. W. A. Long visited Mrs. Fannie Retherford Sunday.

Everybody has the farming spirit and are anxious to begin a new crop.

LIBERTY HILL

The Liberty Hill Singing Society met here last Sunday afternoon, and with the aid of visitors from Collins Chapel and Cedar Grove, we rendered a nice little program. The directors for the afternoon were: Akins Collins, Leonard Culp, Zack Lowery, Misses Etta Foshee, Neacie Smith and Frances Lowery. Organists were: Misses Bonnie Littlejohn, Marietta Walker and Mrs. Marie Littlejohn.

We were glad to have the visitors, and ask them to come again. We meet every first and third Sunday afternoon.

JOHN ROLLINS, Secy.

JACKSON CHAPEL

A few people around Jackson Chapel have decided to try to wake up our community. It seems as if Jackson Chapel community is dead, so we want to revive it. We have the material for the work and the only question is, can we do it? We want to organize a Sunday School, a singing class, a B. Y. P. U., or something. We want everybody who will work to help build up this community. So everybody, both old and young, who are interested in Jackson Chapel, be out next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock and show your spirit.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LIBERAL REWARD offered for return of female collie dog, white body, small amount of tan on head and ears, was raised at Lock 12; left my place Tuesday, the 12th.—P. T. Hinkle, Clanton, Ala. 2-21-tf

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STRAYED—One black and tan male dog, named "Trailer" left Dr. Crumpton's home in Clanton Saturday night February 16th. If you know anything of his whereabouts, notify either Dr. J. P. Crumpton, Victor J. Heard or J. D. Armstrong, Clanton.

FOR SALE—White Rhode Island eggs and pansy plants.—Mrs. C. G. Lehrman, Clanton, Route 4, on Jess Woodyard place. 2-21-2t-p.

LOST—Saturday morning, Feb. 16, between Jones Hardware Co. store and my shop, one small black pocketbook containing one $20 bill and three or four $1 bills, and about one dollar in change. Reasonable reward if returned to me.—T. E. Carlton.

FOR SALE—One good sized five-year old mule, sound and a good worker, real cheap, for cash, or on time, with good security. The mule is at my house.—B. F. Higgins, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

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POTATO PLANTS—Pure Porto Rico Potato Plants at $2.00 per 1000 up to 5000; $1.85 per 100 up to 10,000 and above. Place your orders early as plants will be scarce this season. All orders must be accompanied by cash. Plants ready April 1 to 10.—O. L. JACKSON, Thorsby, Ala. 2-14-4t-pd

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WANTED—a man for a permanent good paying position with a splendid chance for advancement. Write G. E. Griffin, First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 2-14-3t-c

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FOR SALE—Grist Mill, 15 H.P. electric motor and supplies, also one dwelling and one mill house and lots at West End, Clanton, Ala., also six stands of bees. See Oliver C. Duke, West End, Clanton, Ala. 2-14-3t-pd

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FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on B. & M. Highway, 3 miles south of Clanton.—W. L. Powell, at Powell Pressing Co., Clanton, Ala. tf

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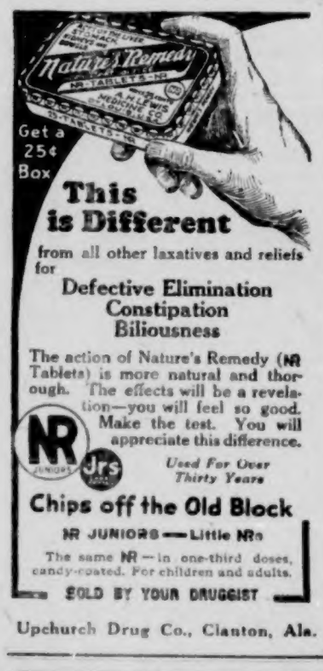
HOGS FOR SALE—One Duroc brood sow, 1½ years old, and several pigs about 3 months old. Will sell cheap or trade for ribbon cane syrup or fat beef cattle.—H. H. Hayes, Clanton, Ala., Route 4. 31-4t-pd.

Mr. Durwood Foshee of Cherokee Bluffs was in town this week.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.



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For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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THORSBY, ALABAMA

MR. B. L. DENNIS

On February 2nd the death angel visited the home of Mr. B. L. Dennis and carried him safely home above. He had been sick for a long time, but bore his infirmities with patience. He had been a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist Church for about 40 years. All was done for him that loving hands and physicians could do, but the Lord saw fit to carry him away.

We wish to thank all the people and doctors for their kindness shown us during his illness and death. His remains were laid to rest on Sunday, February 3 at Bethel Cemetery, Rev. Joe Howell officiating. He leaves a wife, 9 children, 28 grand children and a host of friends to mourn his death. HIS CHILDREN.

New Exclusive
Music Store

We take great pleasure and pride in announcing that we have opened up in Clanton a complete store in which nothing will be sold except Musical Instruments and Musical Supplies.

You are cordially invited to visit our store and inspect our beautiful display of new Musical Instruments.

O-Keh Records

We handle only Standard Brands of Instruments, including the famous and well-known Starr Pianos and Starr Phonographs, O-Keh Phonograph Records, and Wurlitzer String and Band Instruments.

We carry a full line of the latest in Sheet Music.

Weldon's Music House
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POOR OR

FARMERS PREPARING TO PLANT COTTON EARLY

That the farmers of Alabama who will plant cotton this year, are profiting by last season's experience and will do their planting early and force the growth of the plant to maturity to beat the boll weevil is apparent from the sale of fertilizer tags recorded recently in the State Department of Agriculture and Industries.

These records indicate that fertilizer is now moving to the farms at a rapid rate which is increasing steadily day by day. It is presumed that in order to force the growth of cotton as much as possible fertilizer is being used in larger quantities than formerly. On one day during the past week, $5,400 worth of fertilizer tages were shipped from the Department of Agriculture, for use on fertilizer shipments.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

How to build up your Weight

TO be under weight often proves low fighting-power in the body. It often means you are minus nerve-power, minus red-cells in your blood, minus health, minus vitality. It is serious to be minus, but the moment you increase the number of your red-blood-cells, you begin to become plus. That's why S. S. S., since 1826, has meant to thousands of underweight men and women, a plus in their strength. Your body fills to the point of power, your flesh becomes firmer, the age lines that come from thinness disappear. You look younger, firmer, happier, and you feel it, too, all over your body. More red-blood-cells! S. S. S. will build them.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

LIBERTY HILL

Mr. Ernest Mims of Siluria visited his father, Mr. J. M. Mims Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Delene Maddox Saturday night.

Miss Mattie Sansom was the guest of Miss Senora Culp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward and Miss Gussie Littlejohn were the guests of Mr. Earl and Verbie D. Williams Sunday.

Miss Meadie Sansom was the guest of Miss Minnie Taylor Sunday.

Miss Lucile Lowery visited Miss Eva Varden Sunday.

Mr. Akin Collins and Misses Mariettn and Pauline Walker of Thorsby attended the singing here Sunday.

Mr. Leonard Culp and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ward motored to Highland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Lowery motored to Thorsby Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Tippett of Clanton visited Mr. Dolphus Baker Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Sewell of Birmingham visited Mr. Lum Wells Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Littlejohn visited relatives at Maple Springs Sunday.

Mr. Willie Burke and Miss Zula Littlejohn were married at the home of Rev. A. L. Foshee Sunday at 5 o'clock. We wish them a long and happy life together.

Our B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school are improving since the weather is warm.

Mr. H. F. Thompson, wife and daughter of Cherokee Bluffs, were in Clanton visiting relatives the first of this week. Mr. Thompson has been moved away from Clanton for about a month.

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Housecleaning time no longer holds terrors for women who let powerful Red Seal Lye do 90% of the hard work. Red Seal Lye cuts up dirt and grease in a surprisingly short time without harming the most delicate fabric.

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Red Seal Lye instantly destroys bad odors and sweetens and purifies the air.

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If you store preserves, vegetables and canned goods in the cellar you will want that part of the house as clean and sanitary as possible. A frequent washing of the walls, steps and floors with Red Seal Lye will bring about this desired result.

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EDUCATIONAL STATESMAN IS COMING TO ALABAMA

Dr. Hugh S. Magill, general secretary of the International Sunday School Council of Religious Education will attend the State Convention of the Alabama Sunday School Council, Montgomery, April 21-23, 1924.

Mr. Magill for ten years was general secretary of the International Association, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., and is conceded to be one of the most foremost educational statesmen of the Nation. Dr. Magill's passion is to see the spiritual and social life of the childhood and youth of America developed along with the mental and physical life, so that American citizenship will be foursquare.

Many religious leaders of the state, heard Dr. Magill at the great State convention in Birmingham last year and were delighted with him.

The committee of the Alabama Sunday School Council congratulates the Sunday school workers of Alabama, that they will again be privileged to meet and hear this outstanding religious educational leader.

L. B. Broadhead of Clanton Ford was in Clanton Monday on business.

Mr. R. J. Williams, lumberman of Mulberry, was in Clanton Monday. Mr. Williams went before the Commissioners in regard to some road matters.

TENDER AND TASTY

Steaks and chops—yes, a complete line of the best Meats, always fresh and reasonably priced. Shop here for them.

Moatts Brothers Market
CLANTON, ALA.

STUDEBAKER SMASHES ALL PREVIOUS SALES RECORDS DURING 1923

Year Just Completed Is Greatest By Far In History of Studebaker Corporation.

145,162 Cars Sold During 1923 As Against 110,269 In the Previous Year.

Nineteen twenty-three was a banner year for the automobile industry in both production and sales of cars. Coming after the year 1922, which showed a remarkable improvement over the "off year" 1921, the increase in automobile business during 1923 is even more impressive.

Studebaker's record in making 1923 its banner year with the sale of more than 145,162 cars follows a series of phenomenal sales records. Each year for the past six years Studebaker sales have greatly exceeded those of the previous year.

Students of statistics will recall the story that 1921 told. In that year the sales of Studebaker cars were 29.4 per cent greater than in 1920, while the total number of cars sold of all other makes except Ford was 40 per cent less than in 1920.

Stated otherwise, Studebaker's ratio of sales in 1921 was 129 and the total of other makes except Ford was 60, as compared with 1920.

In 1922, therefore, Studebaker had the showing of a record year to surpass and plans were laid for a production of 100,000 cars, as compared with 66,643 in 1921. Even with this large increase in production, at no time was Studebaker able to supply the demand for its cars. 110,269 cars were produced and sold during 1922, an increase of 65 per cent over 1921 which up to that time was the greatest year in the history of Studebaker.

The increasing demand for Studebaker cars continued in 1923. By the end of August, the 1922 record was exceeded, and by December 31 Studebaker sales had passed 145,162—making 1923 the greatest year, by far, in Studebaker history.

Notice of Road Laws

No tax is required of any person for hauling over the public roads of the county with a wagon.

A tax or license is required for trucks hauling timber, lumber or minerals equal to one-half of the tax levied by the State. This tax was due Jan. 15th and will be delinquent Feb. 15th, 1924.

Any person subject to road duty may be exempt for the year by paying $5.50 on or before March 1st.

All of the above licenses and fees are payable at the Probate Office and any person subject to same may be prosecuted for a violation thereof, except that person subject to road duty may work seven days of ten hours in lieu of payment.

This the 28th day of Jan., 1924.
L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-31-mch. 1. Judge of Probate.

INDIAN GRAVE NEWS

Everybody is rejoicing over the beautiful weather that we are having. Seems as tho spring has come once more.

We were glad to see so many at Sunday school Sunday morning. We invite everybody to come back the first Sunday.

Our United singing society met Sunday afternoon with a large attendance. We were glad to see so many visitors. Directors for the afternoon were Messrs.. H. G. Carter, R. M. Brigance, Olin Williams, Furnice Shepherd, Alonza Askins. Organists were: Messrs. H. G. Carter, Hudson Williams and Mrs. H. G. Carter. We especially invite everybody to come back next third Sunday afternoon.

Miss Katie Limbrick was the guest of Miss Lora Billingsley Sunday.

Miss Isabel Messer was the guest of Miss Alma Askins for dinner Sunday.

Mrs. H. G. Carter, principal of Indian Grave school, spent the weekend at her home in Prattville.

Mr. Alonza Askins dined with Mr. Pratt Billingsley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Limbrick were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Adams Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Billingsley was the guest of Mrs. L. F. Askins Sunday.

Messrs. Carl Bookholdt and Leon Pierce were the guests of Misses Isabel Messer and Alma Messer and Alma Askins Sunday afternoon.

Our road machine is doing some good work in our community now, and the roads surely do need it.

Misses Katie Limbrick and Alma Askins spent the day at Enterprise school last Tuesday.

Miss Jettie Adams spent a little while with Miss Katie Limbrick last Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Fair of Duncanville, formerly of this place, was here visiting a few days ago.

WHAT IS PREFERRED STOCK?

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The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

D. D. Easterling, Prop.

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CLANTON, ALA.

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THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURAL CHEMICAL CO. MONTGOMERY, ALA.

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Bradley's BD Sea Fowl Guano measures up to this rule in every respect, as do all our other brands. Behind them are the discoveries, not of one man, but a whole group of the foremost authorities in the history of the fertilizer industry.

Why take a chance when with this brand you know that you are right?

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ORIGINAL

A Sale That Will Never Be Imitated---The Leader's Great

RE-ORGANIZATION SALE

IS NOW ON IN FULL BLAST. DON'T WAIT UNTIL ALL THE BARGAINS ARE GONE AS FIRST COME FIRST SERVED. BELOW ARE A FEW OF THE SELECT BARGAINS OFFERED:

Coats 150-yard Spool Thread, all sizes from 8 to 80, black and white, special during big Reorganization Sale, the spool, ... 4c	65c Ladies Silk Hose, furnished in black and colors. These are real bargains. While they last we will sell them special at 25c	Don't forget to see our beautiful line of Ladies Hats. They are priced so low you can hardly believe it; From ..... 98c to 4.39	One lot of fine Dress Goods; sells everywhere at 15c to 20c per yard. During Reorganization Sale, special, per yard, ... 9c	One lot of Mens all-wool Blue Serge Suits, at the exceptionally low price, during Reorganization Sale, Special, ... 12.98
We have just received our new Capes. We are going to sell them at cost for our Reorganization Sale, Prices from ..... 6.98 to 9.48	One lot of Ladies Oxfords that sold from $3.00 to $5.00. They are new ones, and we are going to sell them, Sale price, ... 2.39	One lot of girls 1-strap Satin Oxfords—a rare bargain during this Sale. You can never beat this price, All sizes, ... 1.98	One lot of Mens Shoes, well worth $3.00 per pair, but we are asking only a little over half that price, per pair, ... 1.98	One lot of high grade Gingham Dresses for Children. We are going to sell them while they last, all sizes, for 94c
One lot of fine Apron Checks, worth 15c per yard; during big Sale we are going to sell these good for only per yard, ... 10c	Mens $1.00 Triple Stitched Work Shirts, made with full faced sleeves four button front, Sale price, Each, ... 65c	It is a real treat to see our new line of Mens and Boys Suits. We have a large display of Odd Pants, and our prices are amazingly low. See them and you will believe what we tell you. Dress Snaps, 1 dozen on card for only 2c	Mens best grade Overalls, all sizes. While they last we are going to sell them at the special price of, Best quality, ... 1.24	Ladies 15c Hose, ... 10c Mens 15c Hose, ... 10c 65c Work Gloves, ... 48c Crochet Thread, ... 8c 12c Hand Towels, ... 8c 15c Curtain Scrim, ... 10c 25c 32-inch new Spring Gingham, Best Grade, ... 19c

REMEMBER THIS SALE IS NOW GOING ON. WE ORIGINATE AND OUR COMPETITORS TRY TO IMITATE. WE ARE BACK IN OUR OLD BUILDING, NEXT TO FARMERS HARDWARE.

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THE LEADER
MANAGER M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

WOULD PURGE PARTY OF OIL LEASE SCANDAL

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be willing to enter the world conference for further limitations.

Mrs. Coolidge sat in the balcony opposite the speaker's table. The president sent her a bouquet of pink roses. When she arose to acknowledge the courtesy she was given a great ovation.

Chauncey M. Depew, veteran of the G. O. P., occupied a seat to the right of the president, nodding occasionally but alert when Mr. Coolidge talked. Charles D. Hilles, head of the New York republicans, sat at his left.

Mrs. August Belmont read Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

Senator Wadsworth who spoke before Coolidge, said that he (the president) uttered a great simple truth in his statement Monday night in which he defied the senate. He compared this with the simplicity and truth of the Gettysburg address.

Another sound and simple truth, he said, was to befound in the tax reduction program.

The president received a long ovation when he arose to talk. He was visibly embarrassed at the outburst. It was his maiden appearance as an aspirant for the presidency. Mrs. Coolidge was radiantly happy.

Mr. Coolidge began to read slowly and in a somewhat subdued voice. As he proceeded it developed tone and resonance. He realized that there was a greater audience by millions in country beyond and talked for to the little radio transmitter in front of him.

The president enjoyed his first campaign trip despite inclement weather. At every station he went to the rear platform to wave at those gathered at the station.

Upon reaching New York he went to the new club of the Republican women for tea. From there to the hotel where the banquet was held. He had only an hour in which to prepare for dinner.

After the dinner he went directly to his room to doff his evening clothes and shortly after midnight was on his way home.

He was anxious to be in Washington early Wednesday to go into conference with Pomerene and Strawn, special counsel to probe the naval oil scandals.

The president has definitely made up his mind, it was learned, to expedite the inquiry in every way possible so as to put an end to senate pressure and halt the criticism for any delay in political quarters.

SARDIS NOTES

We are glad to say that our Sunday School is moving on nicely now. We didn't have many out Sunday but all who were present seemed interested. Sunday School was conducted by our Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. H. L. Ratliff. We hope to have a large crowd out next Sunday consisting of both old and young. Mr. Enzo Klinner was chosen teacher for the Advanced class. Everyone remember the request of Mrs. Ratliff to answer roll call next Sunday with a verse from the Bible. Mrs. Susie Roper, teacher of the Junior class, gave a bible to some of the students of her class for regular attendance. Some of the ones to receive bibles were: Misses Bessie Green, Jettie Spigner, Alma Anderson and Agnes Ratliff.

All the young folks are looking forward to the singing at Antioch the fourth Sunday in March. The Pilgrim Rest class is to be there, and all lovers of music are invited to come.

Our school at Vermont Closed February 8th. We had a good school Prof. G. S. Milsap was principal and Miss Ruth Carter assistant, and if we had picked the State over we could not have found any better teachers. We already hear talk of trying to get them back next term.

We hope to have a nice consolidated school building by the time school opens next year.

The going-away party given by Miss Anthel Ratliff February 7th in honor of Mr. G. S. Milsap and Miss Ruth Carter, was much enjoyed. Many interesting games were played, after which cake was served the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fisher and children have returned to their home in Carbin, Ky., afetr a few days visit here.

Mrs. Eula Seals of Maplesville visited relatives here recently.

Mr. Charley Carter of Clanton was visiting here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Verge Christian and Joe Motley were out car riding Sunday p.m.

Mr. J. M. Ramsey of Tyler visited parents here recently.

Mr. Sam Christian spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. J. P. Milford was thte dinner guest of his sister, Mrs. Henry Hayes Sunday.

Mr. Harmon Broadhead made a business trip to Pletcher last week.

Mr. George Anderson has gone for an extended visit to friends near Verbena. While there he will repair the organ of Mr. Floyd.

Mr. W. W. Jones of Clanton Route 3 spent Sunday with his uncle, Mr. Henry Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayes of near Selma are visiting parents here this week.

The Misses Mary, Addie and Frances Christian visited Miss Bernice Broadhead Saturday night.

Messrs. John Foshee, Plesant Lenore and Misses Willie and Lennie Foshee of near Stanton were the guests of Miss Anthel Ratliff Sunday afternoon.

BETHSALEM

We are pleased to state that health conditions in this community is good at this time.

The farmers are looking very happy after having had several days of pretty weather.

Mrs. Susan Moore spent the week with her nephew, Mr. Otis Filmore.

Last Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days, but there was not very many visitors because the weather was so cold.

Miss Eunice Boyd spent last Saturday night with Miss Alta Belle Vinson and reported a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mims of Clanton are spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnson. They will leave Sunday to make their future home at Prattville.

Miss Mae Bowles dined with Miss Dollie Pierce Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Williams and children spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. F. W. Johnson.

Miss Pearlie Mims of Maplesville is spending the week end with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Bowles.

Mrs. Susie Headley and sister, Mrs. Lela Spignor spent Monday and Monday night with their sister, Mrs. Nellie Bowles.

Mrs. Jim Pierce and children visited their grand mother, Mrs. Silas, on Wednesday. Mrs. Silas has been on the sick list for quite a while.

Miss Alta Belle Vinson spent Wednesday night with her friends, Misses Dollie and Jessie Mae Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mims and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson motored over to Mr. Clem Billingsley's Sunday and spent the day.

Miss Eunice Boyd spent Sunday with her friend, Miss Mary Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. A. M. Mims and family.

Messrs. Alvin Billingsley, Olen Bice, Newton Vinson and Hubert Traywick were the guests of Misses Josephine and Alta Belle Vinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mims spent Friday night with Mr. C. C. Vinson and family.

Mrs. Doshie Vinson and children dined with Mrs. Emma Pierce and children Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Wilkins spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. C. C. Vinson.

Miss Dollie Pierce spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mrytle Bowles.

Mr. J. B. Boyd and family spent Thursday with Mr. Jim Pierce and family.

Mr. Joseph Boyd spent Sunday with Mr. Newton Bowles.

Miss Mary Frances Boyd spent Sunday with Miss Mabel Wilkins.

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PROMINENT MEN FROM AUBURN TO BE HERE AT FARMERS MEET MARCH 1

Dr. Spright Dowell, Mr. F. E. Boyd and Mr. E. E. Binford Will Speak to Farmers Here.

Mr. Jasper N. Dennis has handed us a letter which he has from Auburn, which will be of interest to the farmers of Chilton county. The above mentioned men are thoroughly acquainted with agriculture, and it would be to the interest of every farmer in the county to be here and listen to the lectures of these men. Below we publish the letter which Mr. Dennis received:

"Auburn, Ala., Feb. 23, 1924.
Mr. J. N. Dennis,
Clanton, Ala.
Dear Mr. Dennis:

"Your letter of February 20 received and in reply will say that I will be at Clanton March 1 to attend the farmers meeting on that day. I will have with me Dr. Spright Dowell, president of the college here, and Mr. F. E. Boyd, our fertilizer and farm crops man, and hope to have a good audience for them.

"Dr. Dowell will talk about the relation of Auburn to the farmer and Mr. Boyd will talk about fertilizers. Both Dr. Dowell and Mr. Boyd will have a message that is of vital importance to every farmer. I will be glad if you will help to give publicity to this meeting. I will be especially glad if you will help to get all the county commissioners out to this meeting.

"While I am there I shall be glad to talk with you about a series of meetings in your county and will arrange to hold them if possible.

"With kind personal regards, I am

"Yours very truly,
E. E. BINFORD,
District Agent."

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Inasmuch as the last State Legislature passed a special law providing for the election of the county treasurer of Chilton County, and as the Republican Executive Committee is issuing a call for announcements for this office, Mr. J. Wiley Littlejohn has given us his announcement as a candidate for this office.

Mr. Littlejohn needs no introduction to the people of Chilton County, as he has been in public life for several years. We will say though that the above named man has been one of the Republican party's most faithful workers for the past several years. He has never been called upon to serve the interests of his party when he was too busy or had any other excuse to offer. Mr. Littlejohn has been county treasurer before and is thoroughly acquainted with the duties of the office.

Mr. Littlejohn asks us to state to the people of the county that he wanted to assure them that however they felt about him being county treasurer would be perfectly satisfactory with him. If the majority of the people see fit to nominate him he will appreciate it and do his best to be elected, but if the Republicans of the county prefer some other of our men to him, then he will be right with the crowd.

GOOD NEWS REGARDING HIGHWAY IN CHILTON

The people of Clanton and Chilton county have been more or less anxious about the work on the Chilton county link of the Montgomery - Birmingham State Highway, so we are now prepared to tell you that something definite is being done in regard to this matter. The Union-Banner is carrying this week a call from the State Highway Department for bids on a little over 17 miles of this highway. As will be noticed in this call, the bids will be opened on March 31. Shortly after this date, the contracts will be let, and by the time the winter weather is over arrangements will be made for the work on the grading to begin. The Union-Banner for one is glad that the road through Chilton county will soon be built. As will be seen from the specifications in the call for bids, this link of the road will be a dandy when put into concrete form.

It is stated in the call for bids on this project that the bridges on this road will have a clear roadway of 20 feet, and the plans for these bridges will be ready for distribution to prospective bidders about March 10th.

LESPEDEZA WILL BE GROWN IN ALABAMA THIS YEAR

It is a Great Soil Builder and also Makes a fine Pasture

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 26.—During the next few weeks farmers throughout Alabama will plant lespedeza (Japan clover) seed, which is widely recognized among farmers and agricultural leaders as a very valuable crop. J. T. High, District Agent for the Extension Service, regards it as one of the leading soil-improving crops for north Alabama, and the county agents are encouraging farmers to plant it. A special advantage of lespedeza is that it is practically a sure crop. Failures are very rare indeed.

Lespedeza is easily started and builds soil very rapidly. In addition it is a splendid pasture crop, furnishing a large amount of nutritious grazing during the summer and fall. It stands drouth well. It is also a great hay crop where conditions are such as to cause it to make sufficient growth. It will grow practically any where in Alabama, but makes its best growth on the lime soils of the central and northern part of the State. It grows wild in most sections.

According to Mr. High, one to one and a half bushels of seed to the acre is sufficient. They may be sown in oats or in other small grain, or they may be sown on a freshly prepared seedbed, which is a little safer.

MAKING MOONSHINE SPIRITS IN AUTOMOBILE RADIATOR

We have heard of them making it in coffee pots, lard cans and wash pots, but this is the first time we have ever heard of whiskety being made in old automobile radiators. Federal prohibition agents recently captured a moonshine outfit in Shelby county, the condenser of which was the radiator of some kind of an automobile. We do not think it was a Ford radiator, but reports say it was a standard make. But whatever make it was, this incident certainly adds one more star to its crown of usefulness. We just wonder what they will be doing next in Shelby county.

CLOUDLAND RADIO STATION

KEEPING in touch with land is no longer a problem for aeroplane pilots. Not for Jack Knight, the American Air Mail Ace whose likeness we picture here. He's made Radio solve the question for him and is finding it a very efficient method of communication indeed. In fact, his merry voice is listened for daily by many radio fans while he is making his flights through cloudland in the middle west.

Knight, who is said to hold the world's record for the number of miles flown, carries with him a complete receiving and transmitting set while in the air. With it, he is in constant touch with his Central Division Headquarters at Omaha. It has proved so successful that he never attempts a flight without it. You see him here, all ready to set forth with the radio receiver adjusted to his helmet and the transmitter suspended from his neck.

A very interesting and useful contrivance, we should say.

COMMISSIONERS COURT IN SESSION AGAIN THIS WEEK

Failing to get all of the business before them passed up last week, the commissioners court of Chilton County was in session again the first of this week. One of the principal matters under consideration this week was the special road tax on trucks. Not all of the commissioners were present Monday and Tuesday on account of the bad weather and nothing permanent was done, but it is generally understood thtat either the special tax will be extended to all wagons doing heavy and regular hauling or else the tax now holding against trucks will be repealed. The former, however, seems more probable now.

The Commissioners have a hard problem before them in getting the new road law in operative form. They have worked hard trying to get a system established which will work satisfactorily, and they are going to do their best to be fair to everybody and at the same time build us some roads.

WADESONIAN THEATRE MOVES TO NEW PLACE ON WEST SIDE

Mr. C. W. Wade has moved his picture show from the Downs Warehouse building into the building on the west side of the railroad recently vacated by Mr. B. L. Jones. The new location is much better than the old one and new seats have been installed which will make the show much more desirable. Mr. Wade is showing three nights each week now, and he is putting on some mighty good pictures. A specialty is made of clean and interesting pictures in the Wadesonian shows, which no one could find any objection to. Besides his show in Clanton Mr. Wade now runs a show in Thorsby, Calera, Montevallo and Columbiana. By running his pictures in all of these towns, he can afford to show very high class productions.

PECULIAR FOWL BROUGHT TO CLANTON ON SATURDAY

Mr. Luther Patterson of New Salem was on the streets of Clanton Saturday with a curious looking fowl which he had shot down at his place on the previous Tuesday. The bird measured exactly 48 inches from tip to tip and had the resemblance of a wild goose, however several who have seen lots of wild geese say that it is different from any they have seen before. Mr. Patterson shot into a drove of six, killing one and only slightly injuring the one which he had here Saturday.

NEXT FRIDAY UNCLE DOCK WELLS HAS A BIRTHDAY

Uncle Dock Wells' birthday being on the 29th day of February, he is permitted this occasion only once in every four years. Uncle Dock has just returned from a week's visit to his children in Sylacauga, and he wishes to let his friends know that he is now back home and at their service.

Uncle Dock would also have you bear in mind that his birthday comes only one-fourth as often as other folks', so in selecting your presents for him, you may be governed accordingly. He also said that if you did not happen to be coming to town Friday, it would be perfectly all right for you to just bring his presents along Saturday. Although a day late, they would be acceptable just the same.

A BEAUTIFUL WEDDING IN BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

The marriage of Miss Mae Wright, the beautiful and charming young daughter of Mrs. Lily Wright, to Mr. Ozzie R. Poore of Birmingham was solemnized Thursday evening at 8:00 o'clock, February 21st, 1924.

The bride was lovely in a grey satin crepe costume with accessories. Never has a more radiant bride been given at the altar of marriage.

A reception at the home of the bride's mother followed the ceremony. After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Poore will be at home in Birmingham. Mrs. Poore has been a popular and admired member in church, social and intellectual circles, and is well known in east Chilton where she spent several years of her life. Mr. Poore is connected with one of the largest companies in business in the City of Birmingham.

GETTING READY TO DO A BIGGER DAIRY BUSINESS

Mr. Ed W. Miller, who is a rural mail carrier from Clanton, and who has been running a dairy farm for the past several years, is making extensive improvements in his facilities for the dairy work at his place a mile out of town. Mr. Miller has recently completed a big fine barn which he intends to use in connection with his dairy. This building is distinctly modern in design and structure, and from all appearances Mr. Miller is going to bring his dairy up to a high standard. "Boss" is a hustler and never goes at a thing with the possibility of failure in his mind.

HAWK KILLED WITH STICK; MEASURED 48 INCHES

Mrs. John Ramsey of Mulberry performed a rather unusual feat one day last week when she killed an exceptionally large hawk with a stick. The hawk had caught a duck in a small pond of water and the attention of the lady was called by the squawks of the duck. Upon entering the scene Mrs. Ramsey saw that a large hawk had caught the duck and was trying desperately to raise him from the water. Mrs. Ramsey procured a good sized stick and striking the hawk with it killed him instantly. Upon measuring the hawk's wings it was found that from tip to tip he measured exactly 48 inches, which is rather unusual for a hawk.

COMMISSIONER WALKER IN CLANTON TUESDAY

Mr. C. T. Walker, County Commissioner from the Third District, was in Clanton the first of this week attending to some court matters. Mr. Walker was in The Banner office, and we noticed a twinkle in his eye which means that he may have a bee in his hat which means that he may intend to become a candidate to succeed himself as county commissioner.

CIRCUIT COURT WILL CONVENE IN CLANTON MONDAY, MARCH 24

The next regular term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County will convene at the court house in Clanton on Monday, March 24th. Judge Geo. F. Smoot, Circuit Judge for the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit, will have charge of the court. This is a regular jury term, and a Grand Jury will be empanelled to make usual investigations.

ALL BANNER SUBSCRIBERS PLEASE TAKE NOTICE!

In mailing out notices to our subscribers notifying them that their subscriptions are about out, we sometimes make mistakes by mailing notices to parties whose time is paid up well in advance. In such case, we are always glad to correct the error if our attention is called to the matter. The purpose for which we issue receipts to all subscribers when they pay is to be sure that any error that may appear in your record may be straightened out. So it is a mighty good idea to hold on to your receipt. Of course, we are not likely to get your record entered wrong, but you know we are just folks and subject to mistakes. So, we always appreciate our subscribers calling our attention to any error which may be made in your record. We want everybody to get the paper who pays for it. So if your address is wrong or if you are getting two papers or if your date of expiration is not properly entered on your label according to your receipt, please call our attention to the matter at your earliest convenience, and we will gladly correct anything which may be wrong.

TOLBERT SHOW COMING AGAIN FOR WEEK HERE

Popular Tent Theatre Company Will Open Here March 3rd.

With probably the largest and most complete entertainment ever offered under canvas in Clanton and an entirely new program of plays, vaudeville acts and musical comedy features the Milt Tolbert Tent Theatre Company will open a week's engagement in this city Monday, March 3.

"All New But the Name" might well be the slogan of this popular company for their entire program, personelle, scenery and special effects have never before been seen in this section. This Tolbert company has the largest organization of artists and stars of the big vaudeville circuits that has even been gathered together under a tent in the South.

The opening play announced for Monday night is that Metropolitan comedy-drama "When Dreams Come True," which has created a furore of complimentary expressions in every large city in the country and in the many cities in which the Tolbert company has presented it.

"When Dreams Come True" will make you lough, cry and thrill, with its intense situations and dramatic climaxes. It is a clean, moral play that has the endorsement of press and pulpit alike and is as refreshing as a sweet summer breeze.

A feature of the Tolbert program this season is their musical comedy concerts featuring such stars of musical comedy and vaudeville as Roy E. Butler, Helen Yearger of the New York Revue, Alice Richy of musical comedy fame, Bessie Leighton of the Keith vaudeville and a beauty chorus that leaves nothing to be desired.

The citizens of Chilton County know the Tolbert company, know of its clean personelle and its reputation for presenting clean, wholesome plays that will entertain men, women and children without leaving a bad taste. A large crowd is expected to be present Monday night when the show opens here to enjoy a week of pleasure and profit during their stay in this city.

SPORTSMEN OF COUNTY ENJOY ANNUAL RABBIT HUNT ON LAST FRIDAY

Forty Hares Run Down and Cought by Sport Lovers; About 90 Men and 30 Dogs in Races.

If those who might have considered the annual rabbit hunt of Chilton County a joke had had occasion to drive out the Lock 12 Road last Friday about noon, they would doubtless have changed their minds.. In the neighborhood of Uncle Jack Vines' about 8 miles from Clanton there were parked 21 cars and one truck, which had been driven there to carry the members of the Chilton County Hunters Association to and from the hunting grounds.

There were about 30 dogs and 94 men and boys, which together caught and killed 40 rabbits. About 3:30 or 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon the men, boys and dogs began gathering around the cars, getting ready to return home. Practically every one present expressed himself as having enjoyed a day of good clean sport and hoped to live to see another day of just such sport on February 22, 1925.

During the day there was a very funny thing happened. Of course, there were several funny things, but there was one which was especially amusing. There was an old brindle cow out there that jumped a total of 10 rabbits all at one time. Should anyone doubt the truthfulness of this statement, we refer you to either Mr. G. O. Foshee or Uncle Jimmy Broadhead.

The following is a list of those who participated in the hunt: Floyd Gore, Robert Davis, Sam Pate, Joe Maddox, John M. Robinson, Percy Pitts, J. D. Cox, J. D. Collins, Phillip Headley, Geo. Davis, Robert Gore, J. W. Gore, J. E. Jones, Clarence Cleckler, Madison Davis, Girrus Moody, Clarence Popwell, Earl Martin, Henry Gore, G. O. Foshee, J. D. DeLoach, Jesse Connell, Tom Wyatt, Zed Robinson, Joe Moore, Tom Rockett, Tom Johnston, Jody Lansford, J. M. Wyatt, J. N. Dennis, Steve Henley, John Gore, Jack Vines, Ervin Williamson, Briggs Crumpton, Andrew Cleckler, George Gore, Lee Gore, Ed Popwell, R. L. Friday, Grady Bates, W. M. Headley, Caldwell Wells, Homer Bruce, Robert Jones, W. P. Patterson, D. A. Wingard, Archie DeLoach, Eddie DeLoach, Ernest DeLoach, Emmett C. Powell, Ernest Connell, Darvin Giles, Lonnie Giles, Paul Williamson, Carlee Cleckler, Ocie Powell, J. D. Armstrong, Charlie Hand, Alfred Gentry, Aurvell Burnett, Clarence Burnett, Marvin Giles, Cliance Hand, Aaron Dennis, Oscar Williamson, Howard Jones, Jim Broadhead, R. E. Jones, Lish Headley, Arthur Headley, Luther Headley, H. M. Simpson, Dalton Giles, T. P. Gore, Ed Miner, Lon Parrish, Tom Mims, J. P. Crumpton, Sr., J. P. Crumpton, Jr., Lucien Duncan, Kenneth Danforth, Arthur Littlejohn, Jess Retherford, Jasper Oaks, Chester Oaks, Rube Rhodes, R. L. Duffey, Ewart Corley.

Prof. G. C. Weldon of Indian Grave was in Clanton Saturday.

Saturday is the last day to pay your county road tax. Arter then you will be required to work 7 days.

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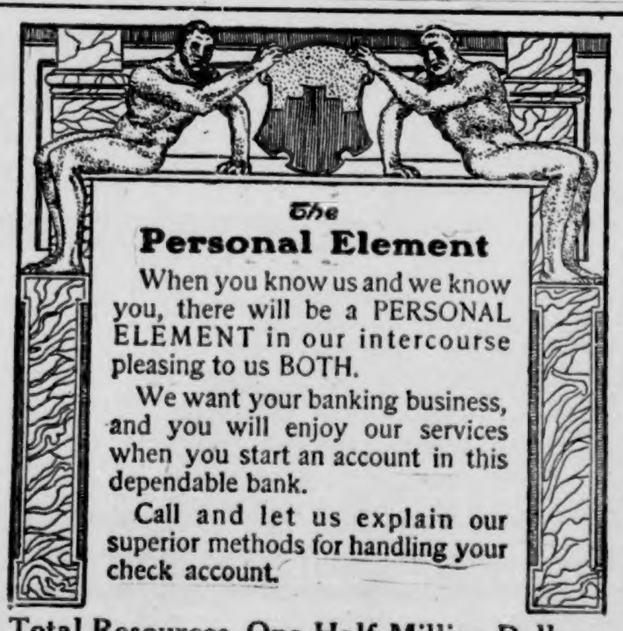

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PLETCHER NEWS

We are pleased to state that health in this community is well at present.

The farmers all seem very pleased with the few days pretty weathere we had recently.

Miss Herald Mitchell of near Stanton spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Gracie Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Rainwater of Montgomery spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greene are the proud parents of a fine baby girl whom they have named Lonnie Cleo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crane spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Pounds.

Miss Herald Mitchell and Miss Gracie Abbott spent Saturday night with Miss Gladys Williams.

Mr. Ellie Mitchell and Mr. Malcolm Chambers were visiting here Saturday night.

Misses Gladys Williams, Herald Mitchell, Gracie Abbott, little Mattie Pearl Wilson and Messrs. Ernest Wilson, Morris Rainwater went riding around Saturday evening.

Mr. Alvie Turner attended the candy breaking at Mr. Westley Ratliff's Saturday night.

Mr. Union Chambers of Adams was the honorable guest of Miss Louise Rawlinson Saturday nigh.t

Mrs. J. L. Abbott spent a while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. I. F. Pounds.

Miss Morrie Belle of Prattville spent the week-end with her friends, Misses Elsie and Louise Caldwell.

Miss Gladys Williams entertained quite a large crowd of young folks at her home Saturday night.

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AROUND CALERA

Funds have been raised and a new cover put on the Shiloh Methodist church near South Calera. Quarterly conference was held there Sunday, Rev. Morten, the pastor, being present, also the Presiding Elder, Rev. Holcombe, who delivered the morning sermon. Quite a crowd remained over until afternoon when the business meeting was held.

Mrs. Henry Robinson from Pelham was visiting relatives in South Calera Sunday, returning home Sunday night.

Mr. Clyde Tate visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate last week. Mr. Tate holds a responsible position with the telephone company at Tuscaloosa, where he is now permanently stationed.

Miss Mayme Clark has returned from Birmingham where she has been visiting for the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby were visitors in South Calera last week-end.

Mr. Elmer Campbelle from Montgomery was home last week.

Mr. E. D. Crim, who has been holding a position at Cherokee Bluffs, came home last week, accompanied by his father, Mr. R. L. Crim.

Mr. Homer Martin was home for the week-end.

Mrs. Morten, Misses Morten and Miss Glass from Jemison came up Sunday to Shiloh church to attend Quarterly Conference.

Mr. Carl Glass, who is now working in Walker county, spent the week-end with his home folks in South Calera.

Mr. Amy Boswell was among the Pelham visitors to South Calera Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen was the guest of Mrs. G. S. Tate Monday.

Miss Ruth Mooney went to Birmingham Friday night to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Shrader. She returned Sunday afternoon to be ready to take up her school Monday morning, this week closing the school.

The community was very much shocked to hear of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Martin of Calera, which resulted from pneumonia. Much sympathy is extended to them in their loss, many of the relatives being residents of South Calera.

Mrs. Jessie Cox spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Anderson of Minooka.

Mr. Roy Virgin from Birmingham spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Virgin last week.

Miss Dora Campbelle came home from Montgomery last week, where she has been visiting for quite a while.

A number of people from Minooka attended church at Shiloh Sunday.

Mr. Clarie Vines from Pascagoula, Mississippi is visiting relatives in Clanton this week.

Old Folks' Ailments

"I began taking Black-Draught over fifty years ago and my experience with it stretches over a good long time," says Mr. Joe A. Blakemore, a Civil War veteran and former Virginian, who is now a prominent citizen of Floyd, Texas. "It is the best laxative I know of for old people. . . A good many years ago, in Virginia, I used to get bilious and I found that

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was the best and quickest relief I could get. Since I came to Texas I have these bilious attacks every now and then—a man will get bilious anywhere, you know—and I find that a little Black-Draught soon straightens me out. After a few doses, in little or no time I'm all right again."

Thedford's Black-Draught is a purely vegetable liver medicine, used in America for over eighty years. It acts on the stomach, liver and bowels in a gentle, natural way, assisting digestion and relieving constipation. Sold everywhere.

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REPUBLICANVILLE

Health of our community is not so good at present.

Capt. J. B. Hutchinson went to Montgomery last Saturday night to see his father who got hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Gray of Clanton spent last Friday night with Mr. J. H. Williams.

Miss Roberta Collins spent part of last week with her brother, A. D. Collins.

Mrs. Mattie Pruitt of Shelby county visited her father, J. A. Langston Sunday.

Mr. V. A. Whatley spent last Sunday at Mr. A. D. Collins.

Jim and Frank Nelson spent last Sunday with Wallace Vickers.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Langston visited Mr. Stephen Pate last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. R. L. Duffy and family of Mt. Creek visited at Mr. Rube Williams last Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Williams of Birmingham visited his father, Mr. J. H. Williams last Saturday night.

If Oscar Underwood is as mean as Musgrove's crowd claims that he is and if Musgrove is as mean as the Underwood crowd says that he is, I don't see how that any voter can vote for either with a clear conscience.

CLYDE J. DAVIS IS NOW LOCATED IN DOTHAN

A letter from our good friend, C. J. Davis, who is working with Bradstreet's commercial agency, says that he has been transfered from Montgomery to Dothan, Ala. Clyde's letter follows:

"Dothan, Ala., Feb. 24, 1924.
The Union-Banner:

I am now located in the metropolis of Southeast Alabama, and will appreciate it very much if you will change the address of "The Dear Old Union-Banner" to Dothan, Ala., c/o Bradstreet's.

Kindest regards to all.

Very truly yours,
C. J. DAVIS."

A SUNDAY NEWSPAPER FOR SYLACAUGA, ALA.

We are in receipt of a copy of The Sunday Advance, published at Sylacauga, Ala. This paper contained sixteen pages consisting of local news, advertising and a real colored comic funny sheet. From all papearances The Advance is stepping out, as well as the hustling town in which it is published.

THIS HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AS BETTER MAILING WEEK

Thorsby, Ala., Feb. 25, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

In view of the fact that the Postoffice Department has set aside this week as Better Mailing Week, I wish you would print in this issue of your paper the following helpful suggestions and instructions.

The Public Can Help Make the Postal Service Better

By depositing outgoing mails in postoffice early in the day and as frequently as possible.

By tying out letters and circulars in separate bundles for states and cities when the quantity justifies.

By addressing all mails plainly and sufficiently. See that they are addressed to an existing post office, and if to city the street and number or P. O. Box is included. By securely wrapping and preparing for mailing all parcel post packages, especially those liable to be damaged or to damage other mail or the persons who handle the mails.

Before mailing packages for destinations abroad ask your postmaster for information relative to the regulations of the country of destination. These regulations vary greatly.

When in any doubt about amount of postage required for foreign mail ask the postmaster. Packages to go abroad should be packed even more securely than those for domestic destination.

Address to Be Complete and Plain.

The address should always be complete and plain, mail for delivery on rural routes should indicate that fact in the address and include the route number.

Abbreviations Should Be Avoided.

The names of the addresses should be written in full to assure proper delivery, as frequently two or more patrons of the same postoffice have identical initials.

Return Card Essential

A definite return card giving the complete address of the sender should be placed in the upper left corner of the address side on all mail. This is required on all fourth class mail matter, on all mail inclosed in window enveloped, on all registered matter, and is highly desirable in the case of all mail. Buy stamps where used. The mailing postoffice is entitled to the revenue from the sale of postage stamps used on mailings.

Preparing parcel post matter, patrons should acquaint themselves with the various provisions that have been made to promote the usefulnes of the postal service. Among these is the provision under which parcels of fourth class matter mailed at the fourth class rate of postage may be sealed if properly labeled in printing. This facility enables mailers to prepare their parcels in a better and more substantial manner, thus assuring the safer transmission of the parcels and at the same time effecting an economy to the mailer.

Attaching Communications to the Parcels

It is often a great convenience to have a communication concerning a shipment reach the addressee at the time the shipment does. This can be accomplished by attaching the communication prepaid at the first-class rate of postage, to the parcel containing the shipment on which the regular fourth-class rate is paid. This is another advantageous facility and its use is constantly increasing.

Cut this out and put in some convenient place to refer to when in doubt as to proper method.

Consult the postmaster for any other information regarding the postal service.

Help us to make the postal service better.

Yours very respectfully,
GROVER A. BICE,
Postmaster, Thorsby, Ala.

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

On February 21st the death angel visited the home of Mr. Emmett Smitherman, Tuscaloosa, Ala., and carried his faithful and loving wife, Mrs. Mary, safely home above. She was from Tuscaloosa, though she is friend from Maplesville. She had been sick for a very long while. All was done for her that loving hands and physicians could do, but the Lord saw fit to carry her home.

Her remains were brought to Maplesville and laid to rest in the Maplesville cemetery, Rev. Jones officiating.

She leaves a husband, eight children, one sister, Mrs. Monroe Lawrence; two brothers, Messrs. John and George Fox, and a host of friends and relatives to mourn her death.

We are indeed glad to say that our beautiful new high school building is completed at last. Will open school in it Monday, Feb. 25th. We are proud to know that Maplesville has progressed that much. We hope to have a good school next year.

Maplesville Boys' B. B. team played another game with Isabella Friday p.m., Feb. 22nd, on Isabella court. I don't suppose Isabella will tackle us any more as we have defeated them every game. Looks like they would know we can beat them if they will just treat us fair. The game Friday was 20 to 4 in favor of Maplesville. Our boys haven't lost a single game this season, we are glad to say.

Our Sunday school is still increasing. We had present Sunday 75. Let's make it 100 next Sunday. We were very sorry that our superintendent was absent on account of sickness. We thought the mumps were gone, but Mr. H. A. Harris has them, we are sorry to say, and hope him a quick recovery.

Little Charles Parnell was carried to Selma to the hospital last week for an operation of appendicitis. We are hoping him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. John Fox of Birmingham spent the week-end here with relatives and attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Smitherman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Seales spent the week-end in Selma with his daughter, Mrs. Jessie Bloss.

Mr. Sam Seales spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Emmett Christian.

Misses Mattie and Fae McAfee, Allie and Lucy Walker were visiting Maplesville Sunday p.m.

Mrs. Alpha Grooms and Mrs. Odra Wyatt spent Sunday p.m. with their aunt, Mrs. R. R. Seales.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Dennis are the proud parents of a little girl which arrived February 18th, whom they named Willie Mabel.

We are very glad that Mrs. Stanley Hays has recovered from a recent spell of sickness.

Mr. Arthur McGee of Tuscaloosa came home Sunday visiting wife and children.

Quickly Destroys Disagreeable Odors

EVERY careful housewife takes special pains to make toilets, sinks, closets, drains and out-houses clean and sanitary. Red Seal Lye does this very thing in a jiffy. Little cost and no trouble.

Have you bought a can recently? Red Seal Lye is extra high test and goes much further than inferior substitutes.

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Reduce The Railroads' Bills -and They Will Reduce Yours

Many people seem to think that by simply repeating the magic words "We will reduce rates", the railroads can make a big cut in rates. Evidently they do not realize that existing rates are based upon what it costs railroads to furnish transportation. About 80c on every $1 collected by the railroads now goes for operating expenses, leaving only 20c to pay interest; replace worn-out equipment; make necessary improvements and expansions; pay taxes and the dividends to which stockholders are legitimately entitled.

While railroad rates, on an average, are 50% higher than in 1916, operating expenses are 100% higher; and these costs are not fixed by the railroads and cannot be regulated by them. Before the public can enjoy the benefit of lower rates, the railroads must be given the benefit of lower costs on the essentials of operation. *This means that everyone depending on the railroads would have to accept smaller pay.*

Through greater efficiency in all operations, railroads have been able to effect many savings; which have been passed back to the public in improved service *and in rate reductions amounting to more than one billion dollars during the past three years.*

If the railroads are to continue to furnish adequate service, a general reduction of rates will not be possible until operating expenses can be reduced; which can be done only when those things which the railroads purchase are reduced in price.

In the final analysis, lower railroad rates hinge entirely upon the public's ability and willingness to live at lower cost.

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Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

George Washington Party Given.

Among the most delightful affairs of the season was a Washington party given at the home of Mrs. R. E. Luckie on Friday, when she and Mrs. Clyde Jones, were joint hostesses at a "42" party. Patriotic decorations prevailed throughout the apartments, also the score cards, being tiny red hatchets and the refreshments. Baskets of red and white carnations were effectively arranged, and red, white and blue draperies further carried out the Washington idea. Music on the Victrola was enjoyed, Mrs. Grady Taylor presiding here. Eight tables were grouped in the living room, dining room and bed room. Salted nuts were served in red baskets during the game. After several games were enjoyed the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. McSwain, Mrs. M. A. Gore and Mrs. M. L. White and Mrs. Armstrong served a lovely salad plate with iced tea. Miniature silk flags were used as favors. On a draw for a bunch of red carnations, Mrs. Percy Pitts proved "lucky."

Enjoying the game were: Mesdames Pitts, L. C. Ross, Grady Reynolds, John Vanderveer, M. L. White, John Armstrong, M. B. Arant, Geo. Polk, J. P. Hayes, J. C. Jones, Claud Jones, Earl Gowan, Eric Hart, L. F. Gerald, Hugh Simpson, Hugh Jones, John Browder, Arthur Johnson, Victor Heard, Hance Alred, McSwain, Grady Broadhead, W. Z. Hodges, R. C. McDavid, V. J. Gragg, P. D. Wilson, Hosea Downs, Barney Roberts, Morgan from Montgomery, O. Kyle from Decatur, Bill Lanier from Tallassee and Miss Madelyn Orr.

Missionary Society Meets.

Mrs. Thad McSwain was hostess on last Monday afternoon to the members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. C. Jones, president. Opening song "Guide Me Oh Thou Great Jehova." Devotional was conducted by Rev. Wilkerson and a splendid talk on unity in the church was enjoyed. Mrs. Barney Roberts gave the report from the Annual Conference held recently at Dothan. Mrs. Wilkerson delighted her hearers with a talk on Christian stewardship. A couple of papers on the superannuate preacher or the forgotten man was read by Mrs. Luckie and Mrs. Petrey. During the business session plans were made to serve a dinner down-town next week and plans for the Bazaar were discussed.

A contest was put on to create interest and attendance for the Mission Study Book, with Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. Luckie captains. After the book is finished, the winning side is to be given a spend-the-day party by the losing side. No further business, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Simpson, served chocolate and cake.

The society gladly added the name of a new member, Mrs. Petrey, who has recently moved into our midst.

Lovely Children's Party Given.

Little Miss Mary Heard was a charming young hostess on last Saturday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Heard. The entire apartments were lovely with Washington decorations. Baskets of white narcisuss tied with red tulle were an added interior decoration. A unique game of "George" was played at four tables and Miss Exie Jones was the lucky contestant, and was given a box of George Washington cherries. An interesting red, white and blue spider web contest was enjoyed. Miss Myra Johnson was the successful contestant and was also presented a box of candied cherries. Cream and cake further emphasizing the color note, was served late in the afternoon to Misses Jones, Madelyn Orr, Myra and Elizabeth Johnson, Josephine Littlejohn, Gertie Mae Fiquett, Nell Neighbors, Charlsie Pyron, Mayme Maroney Middleton, Manette Wallace, Kathryn Hayes, Mary and Louise McSwain, Julia Hester and Jane Roberts.

Miss Jones Becomes Bride of Mr. Todd.

A marriage of much interest to a large circle of friends was that of Miss Billie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bowen L. Jones of Clanton, Ala., to Mr. Robert Cecil Todd, of Montgomery. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Nicol Huggins, in the Dulion Apartments, Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock, with Rev. W. R. Hendrix officiating.

The bride has been quite popular in Montgomery and in Clanton, having attended the Woman's College, and later making her home there. She was unusually attractive on this occasion, wearing a dress of brown trimmed with Viatka squirrel, and hat of harmonizing hue. Her corsage was of Butterfly roses, valley lillies and rainbow freesias.

Mr. Todd is an Auburn man and prominent in automobile circles in the state. After an extended wedding trip, this popular couple will be at home, temporarily, in Selma.—Birmingham News.

Card Club Meets.

The attractive home of Mrs. Hance Alred was the meeting place of the Wednesday card club. Baskets of yellow jonquils were used to brighten the apartments where the tables were arranged for the game.

After several games of bridge were enjoyed the top score was held by Mrs. Grady Reynolds, who was awarded a table cover with filet corners. A dainty salad plate was served at the close of the game. Besides the club members, Mesdames O. Kyle, Mrs. Eric Hart and Mrs. T. C. McSwain were present.

Mrs. Armstrong Hostess.

Mrs. John Armstrong was hostess on last Wednesday afternoon to the members of the sewing club. Yellow jonquils were used to brighten the reception rooms. Fancy work was the diversion for the afternoon and later a refreshing salad plate with hot tea was served to Mrs. Barney Roberts, Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. M. L. White and Mrs. O. O. Roper.

Mrs. Watts Moore will be hostess next week at a spend-the-day party.

WILL SING OVER RADIO IN NEW YORK CITY ON MARCH 13

MISS ROBERTA CURRY COURTESY BIRMINGHAM NEWS

WHO was "Queen of Chilton County" in the Birmingham Semi-Centennial October 26th to 29th, 1921, has been added to the New York Times staff of Radio Artists and will sing at their transmitting station Thursday, March 13th. Mis Curry is studying voice under Henry Stickles.

Mrs. Bill Lanier from Tallassee was a visitor to Clanton for the week-end.

Clarence Evans was the guest of his mother a couple of days the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart were visitors to the Capital City Sunday to hear the concert given by the famous Sousa Band.

Mr. Joe Hester and son, Joseph, Mr. Marion Gore, Sam Upchurch and Dr. Gragg were visitors to Montgomery Sunday to hear the Sousa Band.

Miss Carter was a visitor to the Magic City Friday.

Joe Luckie was the guest of his grandmother in Montgomery Saturday and Saturday night.

Mrs. Earl Gowan spent Saturday in the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince and Miss Ruth Prince spent Friday shopping in Birmingham.

Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins was among the Clanton visitors to Birmingham Friday.

After a few days visit to her mother in Birmingham, Mrs. Grady Heflin returned home Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and Mrs. Guy Roberts motored over to Montevallo Friday.

After a week's visit to Mrs. Grady Reynolds, her mother, Mrs. Morgan, returned to her home in Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. Watts Moore made a business trip to Montgomery Friday.

Mrs. S. J. Kicker has returned home from a busines trip to Macon, Ga., and a brief visit to her brother, Mr. Dunn in Montgomery.

Mr. A. N. Minor made a business trip to Montgomery Frida. y

Miss Mitt Moon is the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. H. Neighbors this week.

Mr. Geo. Polk was a recent visitor to Columbiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Jones have returned home from a motor trip to Montgomery.

Misses Pearl Guy and Hazel Herring from Deatsville were recent visitors to Clanton, being the house guests of Mrs. M. B. Arant.

Miss Willodean Reynolds, a student of the A. G. I. at Montevallo spent the week-end at home.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Neighbors are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a fine baby boy, which arrived at their home Feb. 24.

Miss Johnson spent the week-end with relatives at Hartselle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page have returned home from a motor trip to McMinville, Tenn.

Mr. Tom Jones from Montgomery spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Tate was the week-end guest of relatives at Anniston.

Burton Higgins from Montgomery is visiting relatives here this week.

Dr. Arthur Johnson left Monday for Chicago, Ill., where he will be for several weeks.

Mr. Joe Maddox made a business trip to Montgomery Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lande and Mrs. Higgins motored to Montgomery Sunday to hear Sousa's Band.

Mr. T. C. McSwain and Mr. Macy Jones are on a business trip to Russell county this week.

Mr. L. N. Henderson made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Hoyt Reynolds from Hardaway is a visitor here this week.

Otis Jones spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

BEE MEN WANT HELP; APPEAL TO AG. BOARD

Alabama Leads All Other States In Shipping of Bee Hives and Highly Bred Queens.

Montgomery, Ala. Feb. 23, 1924. Although handicapped by lack of funds at the present time for this particular work, Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries J. M. Moore has advised officials of the Alabama Bee Keepers' Association that he will make every possible effort to render them assistance on behalf of the State, in preventing the spread of a disease peculiar to bees, which is causing the bee-keepers considerable worry.

The disease in question is known as "foulbrood," and is said to be one of the most destructive to honey bees that is known to the bees and honey industry of this country. The appeal for aid in fighting this pest in Alabama, has been made to the State Board of Agriculture through Commissioner Moore as executive officer, by J. M. Cutts, of Snowdoun, and M. C. Berry, of Montgomery, president and secretary, respectively, of the Alabama Bee Keepers' Association. Provisions for the assistances asked is made under Article 13 of the New Agriculture Code.

In connection with the appeal, attention is called to the fact that with a much smaller bee and honey industry than Alabama, the State of Florida is now spending approximately $15,000 a year in the production of the industry, and its promotion. There are 153,766 colonies of bees on 24,266 farms in Alabama, according to the census of 1920, not including bees owned by persons living in cities and towns, who in many instances are among the largest bee keepers in the State.

It is claimed that Alabama not only ships more hives of bees and more queens than other states, but as many as all the other states combined. These shipments, of course, represent many thousands of dollars. It is apparent from the figures indicating the proportions of the bees and honey industry in Alabama that it is of the highest importance that every assistance be given in keeping the apiaries free of disease, and that this industry which contributes much to the wealth of the state, should be adequately protected and its growth be promoted and encouraged to the greatest possible extent.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity, February 22, 1924.

Alabama Machinery and Supply Company, a Body Corporate, Complainant, vs. Ralph Calloway and Mrs. Geneva Calloway, Defendants.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Grady Reynolds that the Defendant, Ralph Calloway, is a non-resident and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Ralph Calloway, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 24th day of March, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 22nd day of February, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

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MEMBER

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION

CHEAPER ROADS BY STATE PURCHASES

Wholesale Buying Saves Taxpayers Much Money.

That wholesale purchases of road materials by States is a method of saving taxpayer's money is demonstrated by the records of several States which have adopted a central purchasing department for all road materials. North Carolina, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Delaware, Connecticut, and Indiana are among the good-roads States thus cutting out waste and centralizing their buying.

B. H. Piepmeier, State engineer for Missouri roads, estimates that centralized buying has saved the "show me" State over $3,000,000. In addition to the saving due to low prices on large lots in wholesale quantities, the unified purchases save time, red tape, and duplication. Regarding the plan, Mr. Piepmeier says:

"It could be tried with success in other states. The plan secures steady supply of cement, speeds up delivery, and reduces the expense to the tax payer. North Carolina has saved in three years in this way $350,000. The contractors are better pleased, too, on account of competition with privately operated plants. Because of the great expense in getting started, it was decided that it would be inadequate for the state to manufacture; so the commercial plants were enlarged. In my opinion, a government operated plant can not be so efficiently operated as a privately owned one in which keen competition keeps the managers active all the time. A privately operated plant does not suffer from political turnovers or other such influences."

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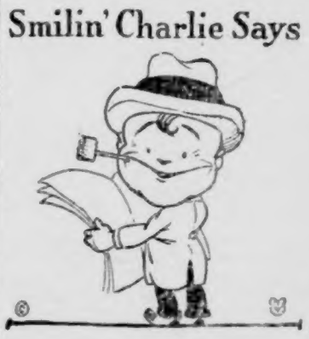

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.
(Paid pol. adv., by J. Wiley Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924. H. B. GLENN.
(Paid pol. adv. by H. B. Glenn, Clanton, Ala., R. 6.)

The political pot in Chilton County is beginning to simmer a little. The announcement of Brewer Glenn for County Commissioner opened the way for the real fun to start. Who will be the next one to throw up his hat?

From the bad weather we are having this week, we believe that the Ground Hog must have got scared at his shadow on Feb. 2 and run back into his hole so far that he has forgotten the way back out, or else hung his head behind a root and broke his fool neck. It is a fact that we are having some more bad weather all right, whether the ground hog has anything to do with it or not.

The date for the big Democratic presidential preferential primary is only a few days off, but from what we can hear, the people are not looking forward with much anxiety to this event. They must figure there is something dead up the branch. Some say that everybody who participates in this election will commit a misdemeanor against the State Constitution. The question arises, which is the bigger, the State Legislature which brought the law into being or thte State Constitution which says that no primary can be held except on thet regular specified dates?

ANOTHER REMINDER DUE

It is likely that another reminder may soon be sent to foreign debtor countries advising them that the United States stands ready to consider any funding offers they may wish to make. There is at present more than $7,000,000,000 of the foreign debt still outstanding, of which there has been no arrangement for repayment. The Treasury holds demand notes for the full amount, but no attention is being paid to them by the signers, and there will be no receipts of interest or principal until detailed terms of repayment have been decided upon.

THE PEOPLE'S FIGHT

In his New York address the President told the people that the fight for sane tax reductions was their fight. "They alone can win it," said he. "Unless they make their wishes known to the Congress, without regard to party, this bill will not pass. I urge them to renewed efforts." The decision of the House Democrats to stand solidly behind the Garner substitute for the Mellon bill intensifies the need for emphatic and unrelenting effort by the people. If it had not been for the flood of letters received at the Capitol favoring the Mellon plan, that bill would now be reposing in the files of the Ways and Means Committee, and a compromise measure would be before the House for consideration. But public pressure succeeded in getting the Mellon bill out of committe and on to the floor of the House with little substantial change. It will be passed in that form only by the renewed and unremitting efforts of the taxpayers. The situation is vividly presented by one eastern editor when he says:

"Not until the revenue measure is out of joint conference and on its way to the White House should the taxpayer cease his drum-fire of personal letters, telegrams, petitions and resolutions upon the bomb-proofs, strong points, dugouts and funk holes of Capitol Hill. Neither oil scandals nor political smoke screens should be permitted to draw the public attention away from this vital tax-relief legislation. If the taxpayer fails to follow up his Congressmen, he will sup with trouble and eat the bitter bread of disappointment."

It Wouldn't Take Much More Energy to "Skin Up" That Tree

THE CORNER OF THE SHROUD IS DROPPED

To adopt the circumlocutory language of Frank A. Vanderlip, several million people are broadcasting the fact that a rumor is being broadcasted that Mr. Vanderlip left the witness stand a sadly discredited man, following his testimony before the Committee on Public Lands recently. Admitting that he had not a shred of evidence nor a morsel of fact to support what his Briar Cliff audience of a few evenings before must have accepted as inference that the late Warren G. Harding's sale of the Marion Star was open to suspicion, the retired banker presented a pitiable spectacle of Dame Gossip unfrocked.

The committee rooms were crowded with the four estates on the day Mr. Vanderlip took the stand to explain his poisonous thrust at the memory of the dead President. Washington thought that this man of high financial and social standing might have had justification for his strictures and that the corner of "the shroud," which he had raised was to be followed by the exposure of the entire body. The audience listened to Mr. Vanderlip's feeble explanations with disgust amounting to nausea. The committee turned the gentleman inside out and they discovered nothing but a disordered imagination. The most that Vanderlip could say was that he had heard rumors from a dozen sources that the sale by Mr. Harding of the Marion Star to Messrs. Brush and Moore would not bear the light of day; that he believed it a "patriotic duty" to peddle these rumors wholesale to his audience in order that his "broadcasting" might precipitate an investigation of the transaction by the committee. "I was a lifelong friend of Mr. Harding," declared Mr. Vanderlip. "I wanted to clear his memory. That was my only purpose." The sense of the audience, individually expressed, seemed to be, "Heaven protect me from such a friend!"

In his speech directing invidious attention to the Marion Star sale Mr. Vanderlip had inquired: "Where did the money come from? Where did it go? These are matters of public interest." As was well pointed out by Senator Adams, Democrat, of Colorado, such a question must of necessity have caused the auditors to speculate on the matter. Yet Mr. Vanderlip declared these questions to be "all a part of the rumor." Following them, in his address he intimated the Senate "did not go further in investigating Secretary Fall, because Fall was ready to preach and what he would have said would have gone into high places. They didn't dare." Having passed that on to his audience in Briar Cliff, he told the committee in Washington, "that was my own personal inference." The committee showed Mr. Vanderlip that to have insisted on Fall's testifying would have rendered the former Secretary of the Interior immune from criminal prosecution.

He pleaded ignorance of that fact. He pleaded ignorance of any fact. He had disseminated base rumor without inquiring of "the two young men of no financial standing who purchased" the Marion Star, or of the committee investigating the oil scandal, or any one. If he had been uttering counterfeit money in this manner he would have been indicted by legal process. But to spread a rumor which traduced the dead was "a patriotic duty." As the investigation progressed the aged banker became highly nervous. His face twitched, his fingers fluttered. One was reminded of the line, "his coward lipe did from their color fly." He attempted to distinguish between gossip and rumor. "I was stating there was such a rumor, not giving currency to it," said he. But the report of his address, which he was given opportunity to correct, purported to state facts, not rumors.

There was suppressed laughter among the press representatives as Vanderlip made his rhetorical distinctions which lay him open to the flat charge of scandal-mongering. As the banker quit his chair it became manifest that though the last long sleep of Warren G. Harding may have been rudely interrupted, it could be resumed without fear of another disturbance from this source. Vanderlip had failed miserably to make out a case or an excuse. The corner of the shroud had dropped back to its wonted position.

MEXICO CONVALESCING

The Mexican revolution seems to be subsiding, thanks in large measure to the wise policy of President Coolidge in selling munitions to the Mexican government. There will probably be more outbreaks in the future, until the generation of professional revolutionists, who seem to have formed the habit in the last ten years, have become too old to fight. Had Mr. Coolidge been less accurate in reaching conclusions and equipped with less courage in carrying them out, there might be a different story to tell of Mexico. The issue was squarely presented to the President When Obregon asked permission to buy arms. He had either to reject the request or grant it. We had recognized the Obregon government, and to have refused it aid would have been equivalent to expressing the wish to see it destroyed and another set up in its place. Mr. Coolidge saw where justice pointed and did not hesitate to give practical expression to our approval of the Obregon regime. The arms we supplied contributed to an earlier peace, not to a prolongation of war.

WHY NOT REAL SUPPORT?

The leading Democratic newspapers of the country are supporting the Mellon plan for the reduction of taxation. Yet all those papers will just as earnestly support for re-election those Democrats in the House and Senate who are opposing the Mellon recommendation. If the "World" and the "Times" are sincere in their desire to have the Mellon plan adopted, why do they not announce that they will oppose the re-election of any Democrats who fail to support that plan?

There is no more important issue before the country today than that of reduction of taxation. While it is true that Federal taxes are a far smaller burden upon the people than state and local taxes, and while it is also true that Federal taxes have been going down while state and local taxes have been going up, yet it is highly desirable that further reductions be made in Federal taxes—for both small and large taxpayers.

That is what the Mellon plan proposes, and those Democratic editors who favor it ought to be willing to go the limit in its support.

JAPAN INVESTMENT

The readiness with which the American public absorbed the $150,000,000 worth of Japanese bonds recently placed on the market not only indicates confidence in the character of the Japanese people, but also is a reflection of the improved relations with that country growing out of the Washington armaments conference. Had the Washington meeting not settled the long-standing controversies between the two governments, and definitely removed the shadow of war, there would have been little desire to invest in Japanese securities.

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REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE CALLS PRIMARY FOR TUESDAY, MAY 13

In pursuance of a resolueion passed by the Republican Executive Executive Committee of Chilton County in regular session at the court house in Clanton on January 21, 1924, a primary election of the Republican party of Chilton County is hereby called to be held at the various voting places in Chilton County, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, for thte purpose of nominating condidates for the following offices:

One member of the County Board of Education; a County Treasurer; a Commissioner from the 3rd District; a Commissioner from the 4th District.

All announcements for nomination shall be made on or before Saturday, April 12, 1924.

All qualified voters who will agree to support nominees of said primary election shall be permitted to participate therein.

This the 26th day of Feb., 1924.
W. G. CLUP,
Chm. Repub. Ex. Committee.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Repub. Ex. Committee.

BALDWIN AGREEMENT SAFE

The labor government of Great Britain has let it be officially known that no attempt will be made to alter the terms under which the British debt to the Unied States will be paid. Apparenly all classes of the British people are united in the determination to uphold their country's credit. Of course a few individuals are found who are ready to denounce the Baldwin debt agreements, but their statements merely serve to emphasize the prevailing sentiment throughout the country.

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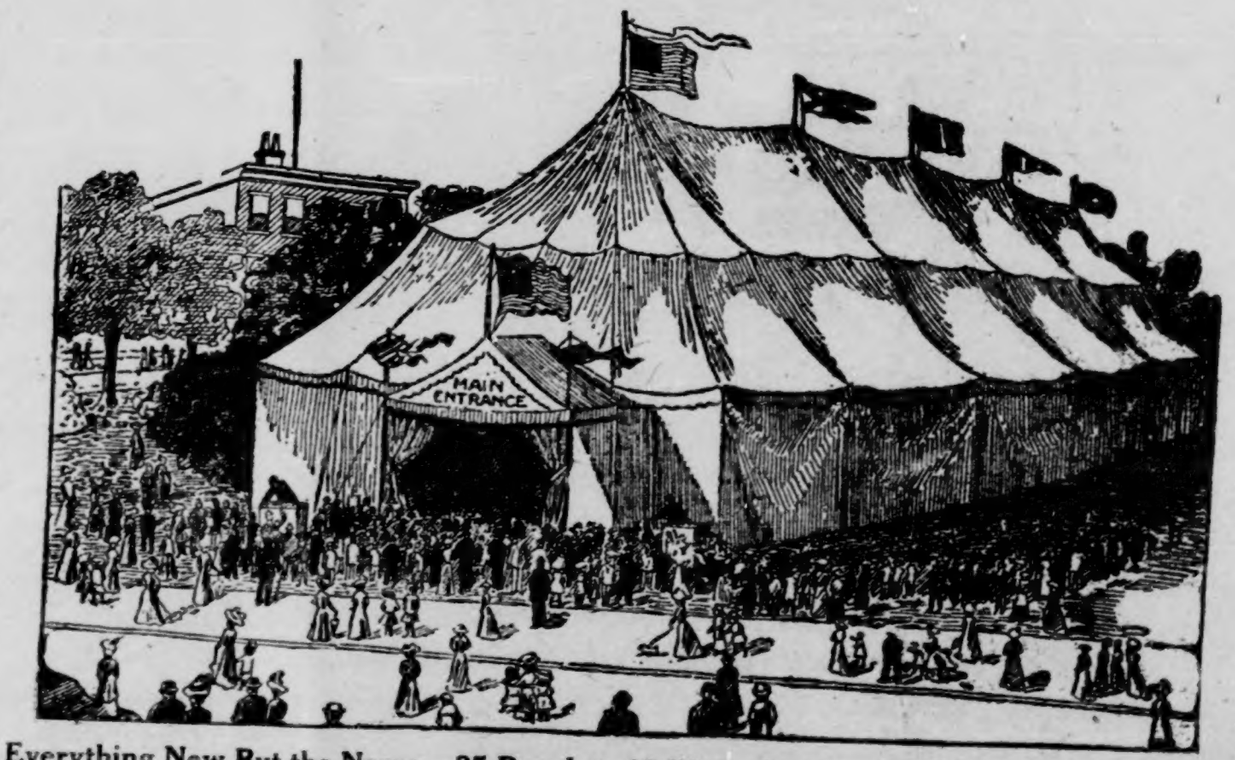

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LIBERTY HILL

The singing at Mr. Zack Lowery's Sunday afternoon was fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wells and Miss Katie Lee Wells motored to Sardis community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward and Miss Minnie Taylor dined with Misses Meadie and Mattie Sansom Sunday.

Misses Jessie Lee Littlejohn and Miss Gertie Baker spent Sautrday night with Miss Frances Lowery.

Miss Mae Sansom was the guest of Miss Frances Lowery Sunday.

Miss Lamurel Littlejohn spent Saturday night with Miss Birdie Bridges.

Mrs. B. H. Vickers was the guest if Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn Saturday.

Our Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. are still progressnig nicely. We had a large crowd Sunday and hope to have a still larger one next Sunday. Come on, people, and help us to make our Sunday school one of the best.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening. All have an invitation to come.

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CEDAR GROVE

The singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon, February 24. There was a large crowd present some of whom were from Thorsby, Liberty, Pate's Chapel and other places. The singing was good. As the chairman was absent, Rev. Long acted as chairman. Directors were, Rev. Long, Spurgeon Kelley, Gresham Smith, Harrison Hayes, Claudie Smith and Flora Hayes. Organists were, Bonnie Littlejohn.

We thank the visitors for coming. We aprceciate your presence and help any time. Our regular meeting days are the Second and Fourth Sundays.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Alice Shepard, convicted at the spring term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County of murder in the first degree in 1910 and sentenced to life imprisonment, will make application to the Board of Pardons and the Governor for clemency.

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STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The Alabama Water Company began work this week on laying one mile and one-half of water pipe in West Jasper. This section of Jasper has long been in need of water and it will fill a long felt need. Previous to the time West Jasper has only had one fire plug, but Mr. Salmon, manager of the Jasper Water Company, announced that fifteen plugs will be put in at an early date.

The city commission of Florence has granted a request made by the women who compose the Woman's World War Memorial Association and the legion auxiliary to honor the name of Woodrow Wilson by changing the name of Seminary street to Wilson avenue and the name of the city park to Woodrow Wilson park.

Miss Edna Donaldson, 21, and her sister, Miss Maude Donaldson, 25, of Andalusia, were suffocated in a fire that swept the Standard Telephone Exchange, in the Knox Building. Miss Edna Donaldson sacrificed her life in turning in a fire alarm. Her sister, who was her guest, died by her side.

Alabama farmers will be represented by Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries J. M. Moore at the hearing to be held by the federal tariff commission, in Washington, D. C., March 5, dealing with the proposed reduction of 50 per cent in the tariff on imported vegetable oils.

Terracing is being taught by the county agent and others to the farmers of Randolph county and recently several schools have been held. The farmers of several districts have become so enthusiastic that the proper terracing machines have been purchased and are expected daily.

Hunters of Alabama may now legally gun for turkey gobblers and bear. The limit on the shooting quail expired February 20th. The open season for the gobblers expires April 1, while one may shoot bruin only for a few days more, his period of immunity beginning March 1.

Announcement that Dr Payson Smith, state superintendent of education for Massachusetts, will address the Alabama Education Association, when it convenes in annual session at Montgomery in April, is made by Frank L. Grove, chairman of the program committee.

John G. (Jack) Cleveland, member of the board of revenue and road commissioner of Mobile county, was found guilty of second degree murder by a circuit court jury and given 15 years in the penitentiary. He was charged wtih complicity in the death of Stephen Lassing.

The community chest plan of community welfare and charity work in Tuscaloosa was unanimously adopted at a big mass meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium in Tuscaloosa, and the budget figure for the first year's work was set at $30,000.

A carbide lamp left burning in drying the clothes of a prisoner is indicated by State Fire Marshal Chester E. Johnson as the cause of the fire which destroyed the Flat Top prison baracks in which four convicts lost their lives in the night of February 15th.

A seven-story, 150-room hotel for Tuscaloosa in the very near future, is promised in the announcement of the formation of the Calloway Hotel Company to take over control of the Burchfield Hotel and make certain additions and improvements therein.

Knox Sexton, 35, was burned to death in his home north of Jacksonville. Sexton, who is said to have suffered from heart attacks, had been sitting by the fire and got up to go to bed to lie down when he fell, his clothing becoming ignited.

Dairymen of Huntsville and Madison county are preparing to organize an association. Efforts will be made to arouse more interest in the breeding of dairy cattle and an expert from Auburn Polytechnic Institute will give instructions.

A chain consisting of the parents and 14 children, their wives and husbands and children, was broken for the first time in 50 years recently with the death of Elbert Browning at Akron, O., according to word received in Birmingham.

Water rates in Montgomery will be increased April 1 instead of March 1. The city commission corrected the ordinance adopted so as to make the 50 per cent raise operative at the end of the present quarter, which will be March 31.

Realizing advantages offered by Jasper as a suitable location for a creamery, W. H. Phillips, of Tuscaloosa, has definitely decided to establish a creamery there.

The Bank of Moulton has shown its interest in the school of the county by making a series of weeklyoffers of $1 to the pupil sending in the best essay or set of answers to questions suggested weekly.

The Webster Lumber Company is Huntsville's newest business enterprise, being incorporated with a capital stock of $20,000. P. W. Webster secretary and treasurer.

G. R. Gregory, a deputy sheriff of Franklin county, and C. E. McWright chief of police at Vina, were bound over to the grand jury at a preliminary hearing on a charge of murder, and their bonds fixed at $2,000 each. The trial grew out of the killing of Hughes Vinson, which the officers are alleged to have committed on the night of February 10th.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

CHARGE IT !

She can say it with a smile:
"Charge it!"
Picks a hat right in the style:
"Charge it!"
Shoes and underwear and lace,
Ribbons, powder for her face,
Anything at any place,
"Charge it!"

What a handy little phrase:
"Charge it!"
Earning every woman's praise:
"Charge it!"
"Yes, I think this one will do,
And I'll take the other, too,
And the pink one and the blue,
"Charge it!"

"Send this costume up today,
"Charge it!"
This is all she has to say:
"Charge it!"
Rocking chair, new kitchen range,
Something striking, something strange,
And she needn't wait for change:
"Charge it!"

It is good to hear her say:
"Charge it!"
For she has a queenly way:
"Charge it!"
But the monthly bills I dread,
For I always shake my head
When I find how oft she's said:
"Charge it!"
—Birmingham News.

LADIES!

For your Spring Hat and Dress, you will not only save Money but you will be delighted with your Selection, if you buy from McDONALD MERCANTILE CO.

Mr. Chester Mims of Walco-Sylacauga was in Clanton Sunday. Chester says that he is going to move back home after a few months.

INDIGESTION causes bloating—gassy pains that crowd the heart—constipation. *Always find relief and comfort in* **CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS** No griping—no nausea—only 25 cents

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
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Neglected coughs—

A cold often leaves behind a cough that hangs on and on—wearing you out with its persistent hacking. Dr. King's New Discovery will stop it quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off the clogging secretions. It has an agreeable taste. All druggists.

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Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

BREAD YOU'LL ENJOY

Either in sandwiches or with your meal, our White or Rye Bread is a mighty tasty and wholesome item. Try a loaf or two today.

The City Bakery
JOHN WELLS, Prop.
CLANTON, ALA.

Armour's BIG CROP Fertilizers

The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS are made from the choicest materials, thoroughly cured and dried, and will easily go through any make of distributor.

Wrapped in every sack of ARMOUR'S goods are those qualities which manifest themselves in all of the undertakings of those master men whose name it bears.

MAKE EVERY ACRE DO ITS BEST
ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS
for sale by
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W. H. GOODGAME, Thorsby, Ala., Agent

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Armour Fertilizer Works
MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN
CLANTON, ALA.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

At the meeting of the Town Council last Thursday night, the committee appointed as a result of a mass meeting a week previous to arrange some plan for raising funds needed to secure the building of a new public school building in Thorsby, was ready to make a proposition to the Council.

There has been a good deal of objection to any plan looking to raise the money wholly by subscription or gift to the enterprise, because it would provide a way for any who would not assist in this way to wholly escape their responsibility in the matter.

Last year the Town Council had an accumulated sum of upwards of $1,000 in the treasury, and they were easily induced to use it in the purchase of a desirably located 5-acre tract as a site for a new school building. Knowing this, the committee presented a plan which would authorize the Mayor and Clerk to borrow, in the name of the Town, from citizens of Thorsby and vicinity a sum not exceeding $3,000, for which one, two or three year notes would be given by the Town Councol. These notes would bear 6 per cent interest and payment of them be provided by income from taxes, which is a just and equitable way of ultimate payment for the improvement desired.

The legality of this proceeding is pointed out by Judge Mayfield of Montgomery, an authority on Alabama statutes, who is reported to have informed the committee and Council that there is a statute of Alabama which specifically provides for just such proceedings.

It must not be understood that $3,000 is the whole sum which it is contemplated to invest in this new building. This is simply the amount which the people of Thorsby must raise AT ONCE to secure about $8,500 from other sources, which is now available for this purpose, but the opportunity to get it will pass soon if Thorsby fails to do the part assigned to her.

Mrs. Martha Grothy and daughter, Nellie, entertained a few friends last Saturday afternoon in honor of Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Engh. Rev. Engh was one of the pioneers of Thorsby and returns after an absence of about twenty years to spend a few weeks away from the rigors of a Minnesota winter.

Mrs. James Bosworth visited Jemison last Monday.

The many friends of Rev. George Eaves of Birmingham, who reside in and around Thorsby, will be pleased to learn that he is now convalescent after a long and serious illness.

We are pleased to note that Miss Marie Flummer is at home, much improved since her sojourn in a Birmingham hospital.

The declamatory contest among Thorsby Institute students who had been selected as the best from a large number of former students, was of a very interesting character and manifested no small degree of ability on the part of some at least who took part. We note that every one of the seven gave long recitations without hesitation, showing capacity to memorize, which is a most worthy accomplishment. The winners were for the boys—Gordon Sorrell, who gave "For His Mother's Sake" in a very effective manner; for the girls, Miss Lorena Primm was easily the favorite in "Cuddy" by Margaret McCarter. Miss Ethel Peterson was handicapped by a severe cold which would have discouraged most any one, bu: she put it over in a way to receive honorable mention, and Miss Cora Griffin also received honorable mention. The prize in each case was $5 in gold.

The Ladies Guild social will be held Thursday afternoon, February 28th at the girls dormitory. Misses Jenkins and Leech will be hostesses.

The Congregational Ladies Aid social will be held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Goddard Thursday afternoon, March 6th.

Fourth term examinations will be held at Thorsby Institute Thursday and Friday, March 6 and 7.

Miss Bertha Littleton, assistant cashier at The Bank of Thorsby, has been drafted by the Alabama Bank Inspector to supply, for a few days, the place of the cashier of the Bank of Maplesville, who is sick. On arriving there she found that there was no other bank official on dufy and she was the only authority on the job. She says it has kept her pretty busy, but she at least kept the bank open during business hours until relieved.

Little Lucile Each, next to the youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Each, has been quite ill since Sunday. There were fears of pneumonia at one time but it is hoped that is now past.

Next Sunday night, March 2nd at 7:15 there will be held at the Congregational church another of those delightful praise services, which have become a popular part of the regular activities of this church, the first Sunday night each month being given over to a service of song.

The Thorsby Institute basketball team defeated Clanton high last Thursday by the decisive score of 18-9. There were no features of the game as the game became too rough in the last quarter for real basketball. Thorsby closes its season next Saturday, when they play the Buck Creek cotton mill team of Siluria.

Thorsby Institute now claims the championship of Chilton county, as she holds wins over Verbena and Clanton, while Jemison only holds victories over Thorsby. Clanton holds one victory over Verbena, while Clanton and Jemison tied each other. Thorsby holds two victories over Marbury which we think, no other team in Chilton county does.

Honor Roll Thorsby Public School

Below is a list of the names of pupils of the Thorsby public school who are entitled to honorable mention in the following respects:

Scholarship, good deportment, and punctuality. Those making an average grade of 90 and above are placed on first honor roll. Those averaging 80 and above are placed on second honor roll.

Second Honor Roll, 7th Grade

Kendall Franklin, Erchell Martin, Muriel Carden, Ruth Champion, Hugh Sorrell, Lewis Johnson.

First Honor Roll, 6th Grade.

Annie Mae Blackmon, Martha Williams, Loyd Howard.

Second Honor Roll, 6th Grade.

Louise Collins, Lucile Howard, Lota Mae Hayes, Rosa Lee Collins, Andrew Sorrell, Jas. Nelson.

First Honor Roll, 1st Grade.

Katheryn Lenoir, Myradine Martin, Dorothy Von Franklin, Grady Popwell.

Second Honor Roll, 1st Grade.

Lena Barrett Williams, Leroy Peterson, Freda Collins, Agnes Collins, Edith Foss.

First Honor Roll, 3rd Grade

Pearlie Mae Riley, Helen Diefenderfer, Ralph Pate, Dewey Robinson, Leo Spivey, Reese Mims, Odell Higgins, Horace Kendricks, Eulalia Sorrell, Virginia Bice.

Second Honor Roll, 3rd Grade.

Jarrell Burdette, Frank Wood, Chas. Clecker, Ottis Litteton, Juanita Each, Helen Lowery, Cecil Flummer, Grover Parker.

First Honor Roll, 2nd Grade.

Conradine Pate, Marjorie Turner, Delene Durbin, Grady Scott, Pauline Williams.

Second Honor Roll, 2nd Grade.

Minnie Pearl Mims, Jessie Mae Driver, Norwood Johnson, Jr.

First Honor Roll, 5th Grade.

Jessie Martin.

4th Grade.

Irene Leslie, Kathryn Foss, Orville Littleton, Christine Bosworth, Reuben White.

Second, 80 and above, 5th grade

Edith Johnson, Edna Childress, Mary Sue Robinson, Elsa Turner, Hilma Collins, Roma Lee Pate, Don Long, Mable Johnson.

Second Honor Roll, 4th Grade.

Ruth Blackmon, Willis Peterson, Ellen Blackmon, Redemer Blackmon, Euel Pate, Ella Howard, Van Deason, Albert Johnson, Robert Williams.

LADIES!

Be sure and see the New Hats, Dresses, Capes and Blouses on display at

McDONALD MERCANTILE CO.

Two Hundred Thousand Men to Feed Rats!

The biological survey says, "The nation's rat population needs 200,000 men working full time to support it." That's the damage by rats each year, some of which you pay for. Rats carry disease, endanger your health, are a menace to you and yours. DESTROY them with Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug oC., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

WATCH US GROW

This Bank solicits your account on the strength of its conservative business policy.

YOUR MONEY deposited with us MUST be safeguarded and protected.

THE BANK OF THORSBY
THORSBY, ALABAMA

CLASSIFIED ADS

LIBERAL REWARD offered for return of female collie dog, white body, small amount of tan on head and ears, was raised at Lock 12; left my place Tuesday, the 12th.—P. T. Hinkle, Clanton, Ala. 2-21-tf

STRAYED—One black and tan male dog, named "Trailer" left Dr. Crumpton's home in Clanton Saturday night February 16th. If you know anything of his whereabouts, notify either Dr. J. P. Crumpton, Victor J. Heard or J. D. Armstrong, Clanton.

FOR SALE—White Rhode Island eggs and pansy plants.—Mrs. C. G. Leitzman, Clanton, Route 4, on Jess Woodyard place. 2-21-2t-p.

LOST—Saturday morning, Feb. 16, between Jones Hardware Co. store and my shop, one small black pocketbook containing one $20 bill and three or four $1 bills, and about one dollar in change. Reasonable reward if returned to me.—T. E. Carlton.

POTATO PLANTS—Pure Porto Rico Potato Plants at $2.00 per 1000 up to 5000; $1.85 per 100 up to 10,000 and above. Place your orders early as plants will be scarce this season. All orders must be accompanied by cash. Plants ready April 1 to 10.—O. L. JACKSON, Thorsby, Ala. 2-14-4t-pd

WANTED—a man for a permanent good paying position with a splendid chance for advancement. Write G. E. Griffin, First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 2-14-3t-c

FOR SALE—Grist Mill, 15 H.P. electric motor and supplies, also one dwelling and one mill house and lots at West End, Clanton, Ala., also six stands of bees. See Oliver C. Duke, West End, Clanton, Ala. 2-14-3t-pd

FOR SALE OR RENT—My farm on B. & M. Highway, 3 miles south of Clanton.—W. L. Powell, at Powell Pressing Co., Clanton, Ala. tf

HOGS FOR SALE—One Duroc brood sow, 1½ years old, and several pigs about 3 months old. Will sell cheap or trade for ribbon cane syrup or fat beef cattle.—H. H. Hayes, Clanton, Ala., Route 4. 31-4t-pd.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in first class mechanical condition; lock steering wheel, two good cord tires on rear, shock absorbers, and 1924 tag. Price $175.00; terms to responsible party. Car can be seen at Lawrence Garage any time. 1t-p

COTTON SEED For Sale—I have 40 bushels of Toole's Wilt-Resistant Cotton Seed, kept straight, for $2.00 per bushel, as long as they last. H. B. Glenn, Clanton Route 6. 2-28-3t-d

NOTICE—PRICES CHANGED

The Just-Right Barber Shop desires to tell the public that beginning Saturday, March 1st, their prices will be 35c for a hair cut and 20c for a shave. We have tried the present prices for a year and cannot make more than expenses, so we have concluded to make the raise.

Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting your future work.

JUST-RIGHT BARBER SHOP
Jesse C. Jones, Clanton, Ala.

GREAT USED CAR SALE SATURDAY

We have no place to store our used cars, and will give you the benefit of these great prices:

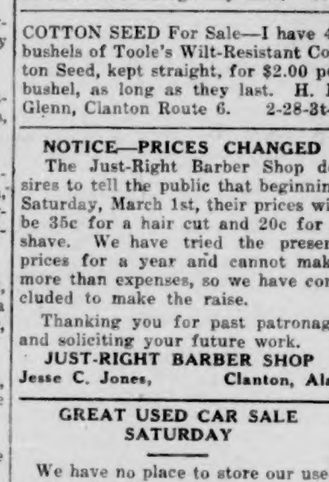
One Ford Touring, good tires and runs good, ... $75
One Ford Cut-down, just overhauled
One Overland, good tires and in good running shape, ... $50
One Ford Truck, just overhauled, good tires, ... $175
One 5-pass. Buick, new tires, new battery, ... $200
One Oldsmobile, good shape, good tires, ... $325

Several Ohters—Terms if Desired.
JOHN T. ELLIS & SONS, Clanton, Ala.

Breed Like Sixty

"Rats breed like sixty near the water here," said Frank A. Zunser, "and we have to get rid of them every few months. We can only do it, we find, by using Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake, which is the best rat killer we have ever found." Get a package today and destroy ALL rats. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper Ala.

D. M. Apperson and C. J. Mitchell of Pletcher were in Clanton Wednesday attending to business.



Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

IN 1859 THE GIRLS WERE DIFFERENT FROM 1924's

Through the courtesy of Mrs. J. H. Gore of Friendship community, The Union-Banner is in the possession of a leaf from a Christian publication called "The Child's Paper," which was published in August, 1859. We notice on this sheet an interesting little story of two girls which we are publishing below:

A Visit From the Angels

Two young girls found Jesus, and they were so happy they wanted, like him, to go about doing good; so they went to see a poor old blind woman, and took her a basket full of food and hearts full of love. "Now," they said, "don't you want us to read you a little from the Lord Jesus Christ?" "Oh yes," answered the poor blind woman. And after they read, "Now shall we not have a little prayer meeting with you?" they said. "Oh yes," answered the poor blind woman; and that was the best of all.

When the pastor made his next visit, what do you think the old lady told him? "Oh, I have had a visit from the angels since you were here," she said.

Now, how often do you hear of the girls now-a-days doing a deed like this? The attention of most of our girls today is turned toward automobile riding, dancing, going to swimming parties, vamping and "having a good time". It is very seldom that they find time to visit the afflicted and try to console them in their infirmities, but such people are generally ignored and very often sneered at and made fun of. The girls of today are very different from those of our grandmothers' time.

COME and SEE the New Spring Millinery, Dresses, Capes and Blouses, now on display at
McDONALD MERCANTILE CO.

Much Ado About Nothing

If you find roaches, don't let it bother you—Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder will soon get rid of them because it is so made that when the large ones walk in it they live just long enough to carry it to their holes where the young are also destroyed as they hatch! Try it. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
M. D. & D. D. S.
Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
Office in New Hayes Bldg.

MILT TOLBERT SHOWS TO BE HERE ALL NEXT WEEK

"When Dreams Come True" will be Introductory Offering on Monday Night.

After exhibiting a full week in Selma this week, the Milt Tolbert Tent Shows will be in Clanton next Monday, March 3, to begin a full week's series of performances in our city.

"When Dreams Come True" has been chosen as their introductory vehicle. We say introductiry advisedly because this tent theatre company is new in everything but the name. New performers will appear for the approval of Clanton theatre-goers, while the equipment is new from the ground up, a fire a few weeks ago having cleaned out the entire show from its trunks to its tent.

An extraordinary week's entertainment is promised by the management. No expense has been spared, they claim, in order to give the best possible productions. Aritsts with the company are headliners in epery respect and will satisfy the most critical. Some idea of the effort put forth may be had when it is realized that there are 35 people in the company.

Their introductory offering "When Dreams Come True" is a comedy that is bound to chase away worry and care.

The Milt Tolbert Shaws are well known in Clanton and should be accorded a hearty welcome. Theatre patrons are advised to read the advertising matter in The Union-Banner and see the good things that are in store for them.

Smilin' Charlie Says —

What with th' wimmen folks visitin' th' barber shop about as regular as th' men nowadays we're losin' a powerful factor in th' settlement o' world affairs — — — — —

Nitrate of Soda, The Miracle Fertilizer Shown in

"White Magic"

A MOTION PICTURE

SHOWING THE EFFECT OF NITRATE OF SODA ON COTTON—WILL BE SHOWN AT

VERBENA, TUESDAY, MARCH 4th
2:30 p.m., in School Building

THORSBY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5th
10 a.m., in Theatre

CLANTON, TUESDAY NIGHT, MARCH 4th
7:30, in Theatre

THERE WILL BE NO CHARGE FOR ADMISSION

The picture tells the story of how a brave young girl—the ward of an old cotton planter whose crops and fortune had been destroyed by the coming of the boll weevil; who was made desperate by the fact that their poverty had forced her sweetheart, the son of the old planter, to leave his home to try to make his fortune in the North. Seeing the good crops made on a neighbor's land, she goes to him and later to an experiment Station to learn how it was done. Unable to persuade the old man to try modern methods, she decides to try what she can do to restore their fortunes and bring back her sweetheart.

THE PICTURE SHOWS HOW NITRATE OF SODA WAS HER BEST AID

—ALSO—

"WHITE MAGIC TURNED INTO GOLD"

A TWO-REEL SHOW

A cotton cultural picture with some of the best suggestions in terracing, fertilization and methods of applying fertilizer, as well as improving and grading cotton seed. And better methods of Fertilizing will be discussed by a representative.

Don't miss seeing in one hour's time what the experience of the most successful growers and experimental men have demonstrated to be our best method of fertilizing cotton.

Presented By William S. Meyer, Director in Chief Chilean Nitrate Committee, New York.

MAKE OUR STORE Headquarters

We carry most everything that is carried in general merchandise. We want you to visit our store and let us show you our stock of goods. We have a complete line of Spring Slippers and Silk Hose for ladies. We expect to give the most attractive prices you have ever seen on this line of merchandise, beginning the first of March and continuing through the month.

For the information of some who are writing the Purina Mills for prices, wish to say that we carry this line in Poultry, Dairy and Horse Feeds. Also can furnish you with literature on all these feeds. All orders given special attention.

Don't forget that we buy and sell country produce. If you will visit our store one time we believe you will come again. You are welcome at all times.

HELP US TO HELP YOU.

Clanton Mill & Gin Company

J. A. MADDOX, Mgr. Clanton, Alabama

POOR OR

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100
Section "A".

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala., until 12:00 noon March 31st, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.455 miles of road in Chilton County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

The items entering into the construction of this road will be divided into three proposals:

Proposal No. 1 will cover items for the surfacing only.

Proposal No. 2 will cover all grading and drainage with the exception of bridges having a length exceeding 20 feet.

Proposal No. 3 will cover all necessary work for the construction of concrete bridges and an overhead crossing on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Contractors in submitting bids on the surfacing will bid in two ways; first, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials; second, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials with the exception of Portland Cement, which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. If the State furnishes the cement, the contractor will be required to unload and pour the cement at his own risk and expense.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless otherwise permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

PROPOSAL NO. 1
Alternate Types of Surfacing.

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course Portland Cement Concrete pavement.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Warrenite Bitulithic pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Bituminous concrete, modified Topeka pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Sheet asphalt, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Vitrified brick pavement on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Rock asphalt pavement on concrete base.
187,250 Sq. Yds. Portland cement concrete base course, 1:2½:5 mix.
1,670 Lin. Ft. 6"x14" granite curb headers.
1,000 Lin. Ft. blind drains.

PROPOSAL NO. 2

66.63 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
197,738 Cu. Yds. Common excavation.
10,429 Cu. Yds. Solid rock excavation.
296,085 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation.
275 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed.
338 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
296 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
224 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
254 Lin. Ft. 15" D. S. V. C. Pipe (New).
1,392 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe (new).
788 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe (new).
279 Lin. Ft. 21" pipe (new).
294 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe (new).
10 Standard drop inlets (complete)
137.3 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls.
808.46 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete in culverts.
84,810 Pounds steel reinforcing in culverts.
216 Concrete R. O. W. markers.
23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4" galv. cable for guard rail.
1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.
102 Concrete end post braces for guard rail.
57,828 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting.
300 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap.
8 Structures to be removed from right of way.
3,770 Lin. Ft. 4" drain tile.

PROPOSAL NO. 3

542.8 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete.
56.5 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete.
89,370 Pounds steel reinforcing.
8 Sets steel expansion plates.
433 Cu. Yds. dry excavation.
126 Cu. Yds. wet excavation.
75 Cu. Yds. rock excavation.
538.5 Sq. Yds. 1" concrete surfacing, 1:2:3½ mix.
380 Lin. Ft. concrete piles.
8 Test piles for bridge at Station 848—86.

The new pipe used on this project may be either triple strength terra cotta, reinforced concrete or cast iron.

The bridges on this project will have a clear roadway of 20 feet. The plans for these bridges will be ready for distribution to prospective bidders about March 10th.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Ala. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash, certified check or bid bond of the following amounts: $10,000 to accompany Proposal No. 1; $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 2; and $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 3. Certified checks or bid bonds are to be made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama, and must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

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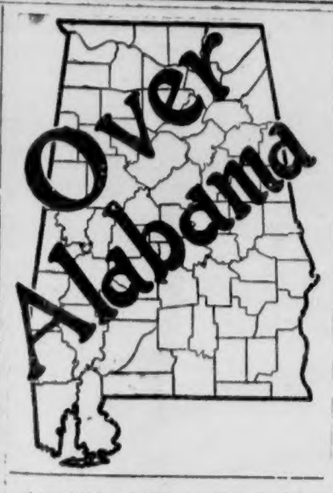

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Sale of 126,672 acres of state swamp and overflow lands for 10 cents an acre, during the days of "carpet bag" rule in Alabama immediately following the Civil War, has just been brought to light through investigations by R. W. Manning, special agent for the resident committee for the Alabama Insane Hospitals. Most of these lands, it is stated, are located in the counties of Mobile, Baldwin and Washington. The tract book shows that the sales took place in the years 1871 and 1872, it is stated.

Although not generally known, a dry rot fungus is doing considerable damage to buildings in Alabama, Dr. L. E. Miles, plant pathologist for the Alabama extension service, and Dr. C. J. Humphrey, of the United States department of agriculture made a ten-day scouting trip through the state to determine the extent of the occurrence of this fungus, and found 21 infestations in churches, dwellings, lumber yards, warehouses, stores and other buildings in Montgomery, Opelika, Troy, Selma, Orrville and Eclectic.

Detectives are reported to have recovered 24 automobiles in Cherokee county which had been stolen from the streets at Atlanta in the past four months, and news from Centre indicated that sensational developments might follow. Some of the best known farmers of the county bought the cars, paying from $150 to $300 for them, it is stated. The thieves welded new number plates over the original engine numbers and these were burned off by the detectives, enabling them to recover the cars, reports say.

It is now but a question of a few years until the Alabama National Forest in Northwest Alabama will be accessable as a national park to all lovers of the out-door life in north Alabama and nearby territory. Plans are being made by government officials to enter at once into the construction of the road between Moulton and the reservation by way of Wren. This road is to be graded by the government and rocked by the farmers with crushed material furnished by the forestry officials.

The first carload of seed Irish potatoes, ordered cooperatively, has been distributed to the farmers of Scottsboro community. The car is made up of certified potatoes absolutely free of any disease. Last year three carloads of potatoes were shipped from Scottsboro and the farmers were well pleased with the returns and this year it is expected that several car loads will be produced.

Owen R. Lovejoy, of New York, general secretary of the National Child Labor Committee, and known as "The Children's Statesman of America," has notified Mrs. L. B. Bush, president of the Alabama Conference of Social Work, of his acceptance of the invitation to deliver an address at the annual meeting of the conference, in Tuscaloosa, March 9, 10 and 11.

Alabama City is preparing to spend $25,000 for additional paving, the council having ordered asphalt paving on Fourth Street, between Kyle Avenue and Forrest Avenue. The improvement will be started during March. It will "tie-in" a lot of paving now being completed on Forrest Avenue and Kyle Avenue.

Tom McClellan, living near Lincoln, was the victim of a peculiar accident resulting in the loss of his right eye. He was yoking up a team of oxen according to reports, when one of the oxen gored him in the eye with its horn.

J. R. Thompson has been appointed license inspector of Tuscaloosa county by the board of revenue and his duties will be mostly to round up those who have failed to get licenses for their trucks.

Two men wearing black masks and heavily armed entered the store of E. B. Halliday at Plateau, near Mobile, and robbed the cash register of $19.

Plans have been set on foot to enlist the support of all civic organizations in Huntsville in the Boy Scout movement inaugurated two weeks ago.

At a meeting of stockholders of the Decatur Brick and Tile Company, an addition to the local plant was authorized.

Mr. J. C. Page was out of town Monday on business.

OAK GROVE

Health of this place is very good at the present.

Our Sunday school is doing fine with our new Supt., Mr. Oscar Cobb.

The B. Y. P. U. is doing better now than it has for quite a while. We had a fine program. Miss Myrtle Martin had charge of the program.

1st. The general principle of stewardship by Miss Myrtle Martin.

2nd. A principle of society by Miss Leta Mae Lowery.

A quartet, "I Have a Guide."

3rd. The Christian principle by Miss Flossie Cobb.

4th. Recognize our Creator's rights by Miss Ollie Glass.

A duet by Misses Ollie Glass, Lesta Cobb.

5th. Stewardship, no less, by Miss Jessie Cobb.

6th. Stewards, no more, by Miss Roberta Martin.

A quartet, "When the Glory Morning Comes."

7th. Denial does not profit us, by Miss Lesta Cobb.

8th. The practice of stewardship, by Mrs. C. L. Martin.

A quartet, "What Is He Worth to Your Soul."

The Juniors also had a fine program. Miss Carrie Glass had charge of the program.

Quite a crowd from here attended the singing at Oak Hill Sunday p.m.

The birthday dinner in honor of Mr. C. L. Martin Sunday was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass and family, and Misses Jessie Cobb and Leta Mae Lowery.

Miss Rosa Lea Martin and little sister, Lillian returned home Sunday after a week's visit at Birmingham.

Messrs. Earl and Walter Johnson of Dogwood were week-end visitors here.

Miss Mattie Lea Glass is visiting her sister in Sylacauga.

Misses Esther Atkinson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Flossie Cobb.

Misses Lola Mae Martin and Ollie Glass spent Saturday night with Myrtle Martin.

Misses Roberta Martin dined with Miss Flossie Cobb Sunday.

Misses Lola Martin dined with Lesta Cobb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cobb dined with Mr. and Mrs. Lasie Northcutt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Matthews spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Matthews.

The chicken supper at the school house Saturday night was fine.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening. Everybody come.

Notice of Road Laws

No tax is required of any person for hauling over the public roads of the county with a wagon.

A tax or license is required for trucks hauling timber, lumber or minerals equal to one-half of the tax levied by the State. This tax was due Jan. 15th and will be delinquent Feb. 15th, 1924.

Any person subject to road duty may be exempt for the year by paying $5.50 on or before March 1st.

All of the above licenses and fees are payable at the Probate Office and any person subject to same may be prosecuted for a violation thereof, except that person subject to road duty may work seven days of ten hours in lieu of payment.

This the 28th day of Jan., 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1-31-mch. 1. Judge of Probate.

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Coats 150-yard Spool Thread, all sizes from 8 to 80, black and white, special during big Reorganization Sale, the spool, ... 4c	65c Ladies Silk Hose, furnished in black and colors. These are real bargains. While they last we will sell them special at 25c	Don't forget to see our beautiful line of Ladies Hats. They are priced so low you can hardly believe it; From ..... 98c to 4.39	One lot of fine Dress Goods; sells everywhere at 15c to 20c per yard. During Reorganization Sale, special, per yard, ... 9c	One lot of Mens all-wool Blue Serge Suits, at the exceptionally low price, during Reogranization Sale, Special, ... 12.98
We have just received our new Capes. We are going to sell them at cost for our Reorganization Sale, Prices from ..... 6.98 to 9.48	One lot of Ladies Oxfords that sold from $3.00 to $5.00. They are new ones, and we are going to sell them, Sale price, ... 2.39	One lot of girls 1-strap Satin Oxfords—a rare bargain during this Sale. You can never beat this price, All sizes, ... 1.98	One lot of Mens Shoes, well worth $3.00 per pair, but we are asking only a little over half that price, per pair, ... 1.98	One lot of high grade Gingham Dresses for Children. We are going to sell them while they last, all sizes, for 94c
One lot of fine Apron Checks, worth 15c per yard; during big Sale we are going to sell these good for only per yard, ... 10c	Mens $1.00 Triple Stitched Work Shirts, made with full faced sleeves four button front. Sale price, Each, ... 65c	It is a real treat to see our new line of Mens and Boys Suits. We have a large display of Odd Pants, and our prices are amazingly low. See them and you will believe what we tell you. Dress Snaps, 1 dozen on card for only 2c	Mens best grade Overalls, all sizes. While they last we are going to sell them at the special price of, Best quality, ... 1.24	Ladies 15c Hose, ... 10c Mens 15c Hose, ... 10c 65c Work Gloves, ... 48c Crochet Thread, ... 8c 12c Hand Towels, ... 8c 15c Curtain Scrim, ... 10c 25c 32-inch new Spring Gingham, Best Grade, ... 19c

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SILURIA NEWS

Editor Union-Banner:

If you will allow me space in your good old paper, I will write a few lines. I haven't seen anything from here in some time.

Health conditions around Siluria are very good now.

Mr. David Shaw spent Saturday night with Howard Smith.

Mr. Almon Edwards and Miss Della Smith were out walking Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lilly Smith visited her brother, Allen Smith Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Smith and little son, Luther, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Smith.

Miss Ellar Shaw and brother, David and Howard Smith will leave soon for Birmingham to work. We all hate to see them leave, but wish them good luck.

CONCORD—DISTRICT 32

There will be a special meeting of the United Farmers of America here next Friday night, February 29, 1924 at 6:30. All members of Local No. 418 are urged to be present. Come even if you have not paid your dues. Visitors welcome.

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MR. H. BREWER GLENN FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

The first fellow to get in his little canoe and venture out onto the sea of politics in Chilton County this year is Mr. H. Brewer Glenn, who comes out as a candidate for County Commissioner from the Clanton or Fourth District. Mr. Glenn is rather well known in Chilton County and especially so in the south-eastern portion of the county, as it has been here that he has lived all the time he has been in the county.

Mr. Glenn was born in Verbena in this county in 1875. When he was only three months old his parents moved with him to Coosa County, where he lived until 1900. While in Coosa Mr. Glenn lived in the famous old Providence community, which is more or less known to the people of our county. After moving back to Chilton, Mr. Glenn lived at Rushton on the river for around twenty years. When the operations at Mitchell Dam began Mr. Glenn was forced to leave his old home and look for new quarters, so he came to the old Newt Calloway place, two miles south of Clanton, where he has lived for the past four years.

Although Mr. Glenn was born in this county and has spent the past twenty-four years of his life here, yet he grew up in good old Coosa and carries with him today several of the noble qualities which are found in the natives of that county. The qualities refered to are loyalty, honesty, truthfulness, personal accommodation and unwavering in convictions. These are all found in the above named man. Some people have the idea that folks realed in Coosa county are all kindly backwoodsmen, but if you shoot at Brewer Glenn with this kind of an aim you will miss him a hundred yards. Mr. Glenn hasn't a high education, but he has taken advantage of the experiences of his past life and is thoroughly qualified for the job for which he aspires. He has always been a farmer.

Mr. Glenn cast his first vote in the Populist pary about 1897. When this party went dead de joined the Republicans, to which party he has been very loyal ever since. We are sure that a more staunch Republican could not be found in Chilton County and if he should be nominated and elected he would do his duty well as a county commissioner.

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"Given up by five doctors, my only hope an operation. I rebelled on cutting me open, as I am 75 years old. A neighbor advised trying Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble. I got relief right away. I had not eaten for 10 days and was as yellow as a gold piece. I could have lived only a few days but for this medicine." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and all good druggists.

MR. BICE WRITES MORE ABOUT CANNING FACTORY

Clanton, Ala., Feb. 20, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words. I saw a piece in the paper week before last stating something about our canning factory. I don't know whether it was to deceive the people or whether the writer had been deceived. If he had signed his name, I would have had a better idea.

We all know that "Baxley" went through this country getting the people to sign up and take stock in a cannnig factory. There has been between twelve and fifteen thousand dollars collected, and the factory is not yet paid for. Mr. Baxley doesn't seem to know where the money is and I have been informed that he says the canning factory is paid for. People don't believe this statement is true. Let them inquire of Dr. Gowan and others.

Very likely, the canning factory will not do anything this season and may never do anything. I feel it my duty to state to the people that they would not be safe to raise fruits, berries, or vegetables for the canning factory.

I want to state to the people that five thousand dollars would have been an overwhelming price for the whole business of the canning factory. I could say a lots more concerning the canning factory, but I will wait a little later on.

With good wishes to the Union-Banner and all of its readers.

I. W. BICE.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON GOES TO CHICAGO, ILL.

Dr. Arthur Johnson left Monday night for Chicago, Ill. He will be there for about six weeks where he is taking a special course in the diseases and treatment of eye, ear, nose and throat. Dr. Arthur has already made a specialty of these diseases, and when he returns he will be even more proficient in the treatment of them.

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NEXT SATURDAY IS LAST DAY TO PAY COUNTY ROAD TAX

Next Saturday, March 1st, is the last day on which those subject to road duty will be allowed to pay. Those who do not pay by this time will be required to work 7 days on the roads of the county.

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FARMERS MEETING HELD AT COURT HOUSE HERE ON LAST SATURDAY

Prominent men from State Department of Agriculture Speak on Vital Questions.

As announced in The Union-Banner last week, three Auburn men were in Clanton last Saturday and addressed the farmers at the court house. There were not a great number of farmers present, but those who were there heard some mighty fine lectures and received some mighty good and timely advice.

Mr. A. B. Baxley, State manager of the United Farmers of America, called the meeting to order, and asked Prof. Caldwell of Isabella school to act as chairman of the meeting. After a few remarks by Prof. Caldwell, Mr. E. E. Binford of Auburn was introduced, who made a very interesting lecture. Mr. Binford dwelt principally on the importance of a farm demonstration agent for Chilton County.

Next came Dr. Dowell, president of Auburn College, who spoke very interestingly on general educational problems and their solutions of the State. Dr. Dowell made a splendid speech, which everyone enjoyed.

The principal speaker for the meeting was Mr. Boyd, Auburn's fertilizer and farm crop man. According to Mr. Boyd's speech and statistics furnished by Mr. J. N. Dennis of Clanton, the following is given as sound fertilizer advice to the farmers of Chilton county:

Fertilizer needs of cotton for soils in the upper coastal plains, which includes practically all lands in the western two-thirds of Chilton County, was explained to the farmers by Mr. Boyd.

The following recommendations by the Alabama Experiment Station, known as the "Auburn Method" of fertilizing cotton, are the results obtained by twelve years of experimental work with 143 practical farmers in fifty-seven counties representing every soil division in the state.

For cotton on all the gravely soils in Chilton county, the smallest amount of plant food recommended per acre is 32 pounds phosphoric acid, 18 pounds ammonia and 12 pounds of potash, which may be obtained by using 200 pounds of 16 per cent. phosphate, 100 pounds of nitrate o fsoda and 25 pounds of potash or 100 pounds of kainit per acre.

However, for the best results use 300 pounds phosphate, 200 pounds of soda and 25 pounds muriate of potash per acre.

Apply all the phosphate and potash and one-fourth the nitrate of soda at planting and the other three-fourths of the soda may be applied as a top dressing immediately after chopping the cotton.

Special stress was put on the necessity of as much as 12 pounds of potash for each acre planted to cotton if the best results are to be obtained, also the need of a quick-acting ammoniated fertilizer was stressed and nitrate of soda was recommended as one of the best sources obtainable.

For corn following cotton the only fertilizer recommended was 100 pounds of nitrate of soda per acre to be applied as a side dressing by the time the corn was knee high.

We wish every farmer in Chilton County could have heard Prof. Boyd's talk Saturday. His recommendations were simple, easily understood and easy to apply, and, coming from results obtained by 143 farmers in 57 counties, naturally carry conviction with them. If the recommendations made by him were applied by three-fourths of the farmers in our county it would be worth many thousands of dollars to us each year.

MANY PAY ROAD TAX DURING LAST DAYS

The probate judge's office was a rush and a jam most all last week by those in the county subject to road duty who came there to pay their road tax. Last Saturday was the last day allowed to pay, and when the books closed Saturday night a total og 1220 had paid up. The estimated number of road subjects in the county is about 2,000, so there are less than 800 who have chosen to work their seven days in preference to paying the tax of $5.50.

Up to the present 19 special truck tax receipts have been issued by the probate's office. This tax was due and became delinquent on February 15th. We understand that there are quite a few truck owners of the county who as yet have not paid their special county tax.

MISS GENIE COLLINS IN THE RACE FOR CO. TREASURER

The second announcement to be made for the Republican nomination for county treasurer is that of Miss Genie Collins of Thorsby, which we are carrying this week.

Miss Collins is well known to the people of the county, she having been clerk in the tax assessor's office for the past three years. She is the daughter of J. H. Collins, formerly of Collins Chapel but now living in Thorsby. The Collins family is one which has always stuck close to the Republican party, and Miss Genie has certainly been true to the traditions of her family. Besides being a staunch Republican, this young lady is thoroughly competent to take care of the affairs of the office of treasurer. Before going to work in the tax assessor's office, which was during the last year of Mr. Dennis' term, Miss Collins spent most of her time teaching school.

So far as competency and ability is concerned, a better person could not be found for this job. The only possible objection that anyone could find of her is the fact that she is a woman, and some people have the idea that a woman should not be given a public office. We are not going to argue this question, because this is purely a matter for the people to thrash out among themselves. All we will say is that we believe that Miss Collins is as capable of performing the duties of this office as any man, and it is up to the Republican voters of the county to do as they see fit. Miss Collins is a lady from every angle and her service to the party thoroughly justifies her in asking for this office.

NOTICE—COMMISSIONERS WILL MEET AT THORSBY ON MONDAY

The Commissioners Court will meet at Thorsby at 9 o'clock a.m. next Monday, March 10th, for the purpose of obtaining right-of-way for the proposed State Highway through Chilton County. We invite all parties whose land this road will cross to meet the Court at the above time and place as we want to obtain the titles to the said right-of-way at once.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

COMMISSIONERS COURT WILL SPEED UP WORK ON CHILTON HIGHWAY

Meeting to be Held at Thorsby Next Monday to Discuss Matters with Land Owners along Road.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Union-Banner we are carrying a call by the Commissioners Court of Chilton County for a meeting at Thorsby on next Monday for the purpose of getting together with the land owners through whose land the Montgomery-Birmingham Highway will pass regarding the right-of-way for said high way. The Commissioners have selected Thorsby as the meeting place since it is about the center of the territory through which the present link of the highway will pass.

In order to expedite the work of getting the highway started in Chilton County, it behooves the land owners along the proposed route to be on hand at this meeting and use your influence to get things on a working basis. The next necessary thing to do is to get the deeds to the right-of-way properly sgined up, and this is what the commissioners hope to do at this meeting.

So let those who want the work on the highway to start discuss the matter with the land owners and get them to be present at Thorsby at 9 o'clock next Monday morning.

WHITE MAGIC TURNED INTO GOLD COIN

How to Use Nitrate of Soda

At the court house Tuesday night Prof. E. F. Cauthen of Auburn showed to a good number of farmers two reels of motion picture. These pictures brought out the advantages of large open fields which dry out and warm up quickly after heavy rains, as a means of combatting the weevil; the selection of better seed and the variety best adapted to this section; the advantages of a good stand of plants, declaring that skips in rows are "robbers."

These pictures showed how to properly mix fertilizers and explained that there was considerable advantages in home-mixing—a saving to the farmer, the making of the formula that the crop needs, etc. Prof. Cauthen contrasted parts of fields not fertilized with parts fertilized with acid phosphate and 200 pounds of nitrate of soda, showing that the yield was more than doubled. He recommended a mixture of 200 pounds or 300 pounds of nitrate and from 25 to 50 pounds of muriate of potash per acre for cotton and from 100 to 200 lbs. of nitrate alone for corn and this applied at second cultivation.

The urgent need of broad terraces to prevent soil erosion and how to build them was shown. Also he contrasted labor-saving implements in preparation of seed beds, planting, putting out fertilizers and cultivation.

The show was full of valuable suggestions for better farming and was highly enjoyed by those who saw it.

MARRIAGE MARKET DOES BIG FEBRUARY BUSINESS

During the month of February a total of nineteen marriage licenses were issued by the Probate Judge of Chilton County. Following are the names of the parties who were pierced in the heart by the amorous arrow of Dan Cupid shot from his bended bow:

Clyde Davis and Miss Flossie Robinson.

J. W. Kelley and Miss Emmaline Miner.

Leroy Jones and Miss Estell Friday.

Braxton Bragg Comer and Miss Mary Carr Gibson.

Jacob M. Busby and Mrs. Mattie E. Hamrick.

Green Dorminey and Miss Leone Hall.

Wess Partridge and Miss Maggie Smitherman.

W. R. Burke and Miss Zula Littlejohn.

Joseph F. Higgins and Miss Grace Sims.

Walter H. Taylor and Miss Annie Scott.

Ernest Culver and Miss Mary Vick.

Bert B. Burnham and Miss Ella Pate.

Newton Franklin and Miss Agnes Neeley.

Luther Easterling and Miss Lois Headley.

Eugene Deramus and Miss Lorene Jones.

Adolphus Payton and Miss Gussie Broadhead.

Thomas Smith and Miss Allie Evans.

Columbus Broadhead and Miss Maggie Caton.

James E. Smith and Miss Bertha Ratliff.

On last Tuesday night while Mr. Mat Ware, proprietor of a cafe in the Popwell building, was at the Milt Tolbert Show, someone entered his cafe and took off several articles, among them being smoking tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, etc. The burglars went in at one of the rear windows.

COTTON MILL IN CLANTON IS STRESSED BY FORMER CHILTON COUNTY CITIZEN

Oliver W. Dennis of Tallassee Gives People Here Some Good Advice On Cotton Mill Subject.

Tallassee, Ala., March 2, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to Clanton and Chilton County and the location of a cotton mill there. Chilton County needs a cotton mill, and it would be one of the best things that could possibly be located there. It would help the town grow. Just think about 400 or more laborers getting a pay day every week, and how much more business your town would do.

It takes $18,000 a week to pay off the hands that work at the mill here. Of course it would take some time for Clanton to get up to this figure. This mill was started in 1852 and has grown up to the present and is still growing. The contract has already been let for it to double the size of the plant here, which will require about two years for completion.

Clanton could start with a small mill and with good management in ten years be enlarged to a much bigger mill. Opp, Ala., started up its new mill last Friday at noon. It takes money to build a mill, but it would pay every business man and farmer in Chilton County to donate all the money he could to building a cotton mill in Clanton. You get 400 families in a mill village at Clanton and the farmers could sell anything they might carry to them. We are paying 40c a pound for butter and 35c a dozen for eggs, $1.10 a gallon for syrup, which are war-time prices, but we are glad to get it at that price.

There is plenty of money in Chilton County to build a mill and there are plenty of good men to manage it. So I can't see any reason why Clanton should not have a cotton mill. All I see in the way is somebody to go to work for it and keep pulling till they succeed. You have the power from the Alabama Power Company right there. There is one thing Clanton will have to learn and that is that a mill is not coming there if the people all just sit down and wait for it. The thing to do is go to work for it just like Opp and all other places have done.

I was born and reared in Chilton County and one of the old-time Republicans that that county has produced. I would like to see Clanton get a cotton mill. I left Clanton in 1919 and came to Tallassee where I have been ever since. I know what is in a cotton mill from ground to roof. I have taken a textile course since I have been here, which this company gives free to its employees.

I will close for this time and may write some more later.

OLIVER W. DENNIS.

MILT TOLBERT TENT SHOW IS SHOWING IN CLANTON

According to announcement, the Milt Tolbert tent theatre is showing in Clanton every night this week. The show is really bigger and better this year than ever before, and the plays which they are putting on are measuring up well to their promises. "When Dreams Come True" played Monday night was fine indeed. They have a repertorie for every night this week and Saturday afternoon which consists of some of the best dramas of the season. The players which they are carrying with them this year are all real artists. The Milt Tolbert show is an Alabama organization and is the cleanest transient tent outfit we have ever seen. They present real high-class stuff which cannot be objected to even by the most critical.

NOTES FROM CENTRAL ALABAMA HOSPITAL

The Ladies Auxiliary met at the hospital last Friday and discussed plans for the betterment of the hospital and its work. We feel sure that the efforts of these ladies are appreciated by all concerned.

Grady Sammons, who has been in hospital several days went home on Wednesday.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gray was dismissed from the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Jesse C. Jones was able to go home last week after undergoing a minor operation.

Mr. Posey Williamson from Cane Creek is rapidly recovering following an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Willie Williams will be able to return home in a few days.

Vera Mae, the little daughter of Mr. Lindsey Nicholson, is in the hospital very sick.

Miss Mae Williams, who has been in the hospital several days, was able to go home last week.

Several cases have been treated for minor operations for the past few days, which are not mentioned.

WILD CATAMOUNT BROUGHT TO CLANTON ON SATURDAY

Mr. Napoleon Willis of Providence brought to Clanton last Saturday the wild catamount which he caught on Coosa River a few weeks ago. The animal, which was confined in a wire cage, was inspected by several hundred people. It is very seldom that one of these animals is caught and kept alive.

The cat was left in the possession of Dr. J. P. Crumpton. We do not know what Pink is going to do with the wild cat, but we presume that he is going to keep him instead of a dog from now on. He has had awful bad luck with his dogs of late as some body either kills them or carries them off, so we guess Dock figures that no one will hardly have the gall to take off his wild cat. And too, he may have the wild cat there to guard his dogs with.

W. H. ROBINSON OF BEAT 16 ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER

Elsewhere in this issue of The Union-Banner will be seen the announcement of Mr. W. H. Robinson for county commissioner from the Fourth district of Chilton county. Mr. Robinson, better know nas Uncle Henry, hails from Providence in good old Beat 16, and this fact alone goes a long ways in proving his qualifications for the office which he is pursuing. W. H. Robinson is a brother of Riley Robinson of Providence and Till Robinson of Verbena, and all three of these men are quite well known over this county, particularly for their upright Christian character and their faithfulness and loyalty to the Republican party. There is scarcely a family in the county which has made for itself a cleaner record in these respects than the Robinson family.

W. H. Robinson was born in Chilton county in 1861, and has lived here all his life. Like the other older Republicans of the county, he voted with the Populists when that party was in power in this county, and after it saw its day, he joined hands with the Republicans and has stuck to them lkie a leech ever since. However, this is the first time Uncle Henry or any of his family have ever asked for a public office, with the exception of A. L. Robinson, present member of the School Board and a nephew of the above. Uncle Moses Robinson, former county commissioner, was from Beat 16 but is only distantly related to W. H. Robinson.

Although a farmer by occupation, Mr. Robinson has taught singing schools in Chilton, Coosa and Elmore counties for the past forty-three years. He has taught in almost every section of Chilton county with the exception of the north-western part. Very likely no other man in Chilton county has taught more singing schools than Mr. Robinson has.

Having been a practical farmer all his life and having been a careful observer of the things about him, Mr. Robinson, we feel sure, is well qualified for the office of county commissioner. He knows what the duties of the office are and he will at all times be respondent to the wishes and needs of the people whom he will serve.

PINE DALE

Pine Dale School is progressing nicely with Miss Lena Glass and Miss Lona Thompson teachers.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET TO STUDY METHODS OF WORKING THE ROADS

Go to Elmore County and See Road Machinery of that County Doing Work.

The county commissioners of Chilton county came together Monday and went down in Elmore county for the purpose of investigating some road work which was going on down there. The work which they went to look at was being done by tractors, and their purpose in going was to learn what kind of machinery would be best suited for our road work here.

One rather funny thing happened to some of the commissioners while they were down there. Messrs. Walker and Dorminey went in a car following Judge Reynolds and the other commissioners. Somehow the two men in the rear car got in behind another car and, thinking it was the one in which the other commissioners were, followed it away off out of the way and lost track of Judge Reynolds and the other commissioners altogether. Walker and Dorminey went to Wetumpka, from there to Titus, and crossing the river at Noble's Ferry, came back to their own at Coosa River Church. Mr. Walker says that although they lost their way, yet they saw what they went to see. While they were lost they ran upon a crew of men in Elmore county working the roads with a 5-ton Holt caterpillar tractor, which they say was doing some mighty fine work.

Mr. McDavid of the Clanton Motor Car Company went with the commissioners for the purpose of showing them some work that was being done by a Fordson tractor down there. The purpose of the commissioners in making these investigations was to give them a chance to see what would be the best kind of machinery for them to buy for Chilton county. This is a mighty good idea, because after seeing the machinery actually at work they will naturally have a much better idea as to what can be done with different kinds of machines.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS TO SIT AT COURT HOUSE FOUR DAYS

The Board of Registrars of Chilton County has issued official announcement that they will be in session at the court house in Clanton beginning Wednesday, March 26th and staying through Saturday, the 29th. The Board has done this for the purpose of giving those a chance to register who have become 21 years old since the Board was last in session and for the benefit of all others who have not previously registered.

Voters from all Beats in the County will be allowed to qualify during these four days.

MR. J. BICE FOR TREASURER

Mr. J. Bice of Thorsby was in Clanton Wednesday, and just before we went to press, gave us his announcement for County Treasurer of Chilton County.

Mr. Bice needs no introduction to the people of Chilton County. He has been county treasurer several times before and is well known by everybody in the county.

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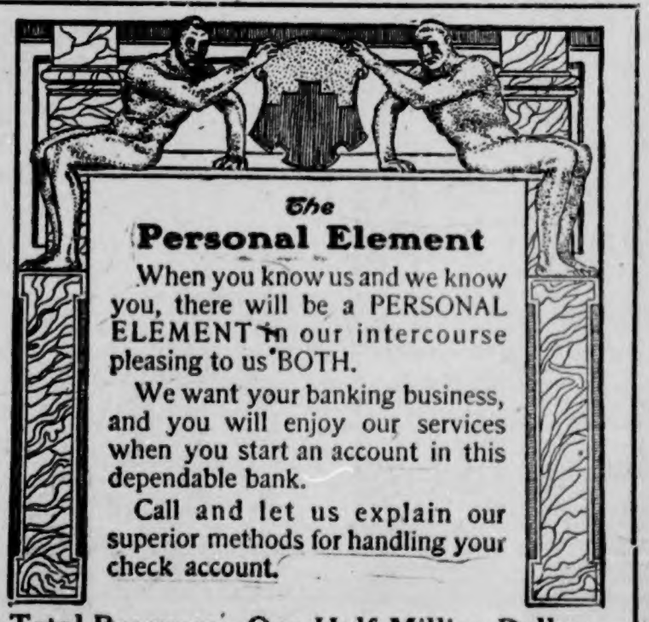

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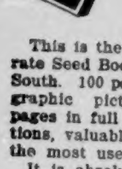
K. M. VINSON ANNOUNCES FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Another announcement has been made for the office of county treasurer of Chilton county. This time it is Mr. K. M. Vinson of Clanton. Kin is a promising young man who has a good record behind him as regards the Republican party of the county.

He was clerk for Mr. J. N. Dennis in the tax assessor's office for three years, and performed his duties there very satisfactorily, both to the public and to his employer. Mr. Vinson also worked in the probate judge's office as chief clerk for a period of six months about a year ago. With the exception of the two years Kin worked for Uncle Sam in the U. S. army, he has been doing office and clerical work of different kinds for the past six or eight years. He is now bookkeeper for the Clanton Motor Car Company, the biggest automobile concern in Chilton county, which position he has held down very satisfactorily for the past year.

Mr. Vinson's record as a true Republican is beyond reproach. Ever since he was old enough to vote he has worked for the success of the party, and whoever the party saw fit to nominate he has stood behind them in the general election and lent the entire ticket his undivided support. His experience in bookkeeping and clerical work makes him thoroughly qualified to handle the affairs of the county treasurer's office, and if he should be nominated and elected, we feel sure that he would handle the county's funds to the perfect satisfaction of everybody concerned.
faction of everybody concerned. He is the son of E. Jerome Vinson of Clanton.

Hastings' Seeds



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"I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

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Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial?

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MR. D. F. JACKS DEAD

On Monday morning of this week at the home of Mr. C. B. Norrell between Clanton and Coopers occurred the death of Mr. Doctor Franklin Jacks. Mr. Jacks was 80 years old and death came as a result of apoplexy. Reports say that he had been sick for several days, but his condition was not considered serious. Death came all of a sudden.

The body was prepared by Martin, undertaker, and removed to Prattville, where burial was made in the Prattville cemetery beside the mother of the deceased. Elder Haughey of the Clanton Seventh-day Adventist church conducted the burial rites.

Mr. Jacks had many close and loving friends in and around Clanton, who will learn with deep regret of his death. Mr. Jacks was a good old man whom everybody enjoyed being acquainted with.

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HONOR ROLL FOR THE CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

First Honor Roll

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent nor tardy:

Seventh Grade

J. D. Evans, Annie Cowart, Arthur Burnett, James Wade, Leroy Mims, Delene Williams.

Sixth Grade

Mittice Duncan, Gertie Fiquette, Pearl Hann, Catherine Hayes, Glennie Mims, Corinne Polk, Gladys Williams, John VanDerveer, J. C. Jones.

Fifth Grade

Erle Ellis, Bill Minor, Mary Louise Foshee, Elizabeth Johnson, Jo Erle Gowan, Bronson Ruffin, Georgia Wood, Julia Ruth Hester, Mary Nell Goodgame, Nelson Parrish.

Fourth Grade

Vivian Gray, Mary Heard, Herman Harris, Erin Littlejohn, Ruth Mims, Jane Roberts, Joe VanDerveer, Jeanette Wallace, Zebbie Gray.

Third Grade

Mary Nell Jones, Byron Bean, Anderson Wallace, Doris Aldridge, Frances Maddox, Ruth Maddox.

Second Grade

Elizabeth Harris, Alice Mae Polk, Myrtle Powell, Hal Broadhead, Lawrence Gerald, Herbert Neighbors.

First Grade

Robert Luckie, J. D. Jones, Joe Moore, John Ezell, Helen Moore, Nell Neighbors, Flora Thomas, Preston Mims, Jewell Taylor, Elizabeth Gragg, James Roberson.

SECOND HONOR ROLL

The following pupils have made an average above 85:

Seventh Grade

Buster Foshee, George Raspberry, Mary Lee Pyron, Clyde Lowe, Jewell Powell, Courtland Retherford, William Simpson.

Sixth Grade

Vera Jones, Myra Johnson, Catherine Littlejohn, Edna Wyatt, Odell Mims, Hubert Ellison, Aubrey Gore, Grover Harris, Clarence Jones, Joe Luckie, Samuel Martin, Chester Wingard.

Fifth Grade

Vivian Sanders, Lester Carter, Arthur Johnson, Janice Danforth, Amie Gray, Foster Miller, Ottis Gray, Martha Foshee, Louise McSwain, Luke Calloway, Edwin Wagoner, Charles Raspberry, Mary Goodwin Jones, Hurst Middleton, Leola Calloway, Ora Mae Lawley.

Fourth Grade

Ila Mell Arant, U. L. Foshee, Myrtle Headley, Ethel Mae Jones, Miriam Kittrell, oJsephine Littlejohn, Leroy aMrtin, Leora Mims, Raymond Taylor, Carwell Tippett, Allie Mae Wesson, Pauline Wells, Charles Simpson, Esther Lee Dennis, Harvey Lee Jones, Mary Lucile Calloway, Gladys Cowart, Eunice Edwards, Frances Higgins.

Third Grade

Clyde Jones, Sallie Mahan, Elizabeth McSwain, Dorothy Sessions, Grady Carter, Carson Eiland, H. B. Glenn, Arnold Grant, Reedless Headley, J. P. Jones, Clyde Morris, Joe Roberson, Eugene Roy, Dewey Williams, Janibeth Johnson, Mamie Middleton, Nathan Tippett.

Second Grade

Julia Edwards, Marie Fraser, Mary Louise Moatts, Rose Mary Pickens, Mary Agnes Welch, Mary Alice Mahan, Ruth Gray, Mary Charles Cox, Monroe Askins, James Dennis, Earl Gray, Alex Hayes, Carl Jones, I. V. Jones, Wilson Maddox, George Popwell, Daniel Lee Sanford, Wesley Danforth, Vernie Parker.

W. E. MARTIN, Principal.

NOTICE OF SALE

At the request of the County Board of Education, I am asking for sealed bids to be presented to the Board on or before Friday, March 28th, for the sale of the Mt. Carmel school building of this county. This building is located about 9 miles west of Clanton.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-6-4t-c. County Supt. Education.

CONCERT AT CANE CREEK

The Cane Creek School will give a concert at the school house on Friday night, March 14th. There will be no admission charges, and everybody has a cordial invitation to attend.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

L&N Employees With Their Families Would Form A City Of 200,000

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad has on its pay-roll 52,000 employees to whom it paid in 1923 over $75,000,000. Most of them have families, and every one, no doubt, contributes to the support of some family.

Computing by the Government average of 4.3 persons to an American family, there are wholly supported or to some extent benefited, by the wages of L. & N. employees, over 200,000 people—a number greater than the population of a city the size of Atlanta, Georgia.

In addition, thousands of other people are given employment in various industries from which the L. & N. purchases materials and supplies of all descriptions, aggregating in 1923 over $37,000,000.

Moreover, these 200,000 people of the L. & N. family constitute a complete city; because there is no class of labor, and hardly a single profession, not represented among the L. & N.'s 52,000 employees.

These, and other facts which the L. & N. is making public, will enable you to realize the economic value of this great transportation system to the territory it serves. They should help you to remember that as this railroad prospers so you and your neighbors prosper, and that whatever hurts the L. & N. and restricts its capacity for profitable public service must necessarily hurt you and your community.

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Chew it after every meal

It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.

Whitens teeth, sweetens breath and it's the goody that

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AROUND CALERA

School closed at Shady Grove last Friday. A delightful entertainment was given Saturday night by the pupils and others in the community which was very much enjoyed by all who attended. A number of good plays were presented.

Mr. and Mrs. Shrader from Birmingham were the delightful guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim last Saturday night. Mrs. Shrader, formerly Miss Mooney, was welcomed back to the community as she is a former teacher of this place, that being the first time she has been back since her school closed here several years ago.

The Misses Campbelle had as their guests for the week-end Miss Hattie Mae Stewart and Miss Grey from Siluria.

Mr. Elmer Campbelle from Montgomery was home Saturday night and Sunday, returning to Montgomery night.

Mr. Carl Glass from Walker county spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Alzie Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, and Mr. Holen Crim motored to Columbiana Sunday afternoon to carry Miss Ruth Mooney to her home there.

Mrs. Flossie Mahew spent Monday with Mrs. Ida Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim enjoyed a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Badie Watts of Ensley last week.

Mr. Bob Tate, who has been working in Walker county, came home Saturday to remain for some time.

A number of young people took advantage of the spring weather Sunday by going kodaking, namely: Mr. Holen Crim, Miss Ruth Mooney, Mr. Alzie Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Mr. Leon Busby and Miss Hazel Cox.

Miss Kate Armstrong from near Calera was a visitor to South Calera Saturday night.

Mr. Homer Martin was home Sunday.

We are glad to say that Mr. Holen Crim was able to go back to work Monday morning after being off several days last week sick.

Mr. R. L. Crim was a visitor to the Magic City last week.

Mrs. Cecil Martin and children spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Miss Lois Busby spent the week-end at home.

Mr. W. N. Jones from Pelham spent th eweek-end at home with his home folks.

Mr. Henry Robinson was a visitor to South Calera last week.

Miss Audie Broadhead and Miss Dora Campbell went to Birmingham Sunday night.

Mr. G. S. Tate attended court in Columbiana last week.

We are glad to say that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahew are moving back to this community.

Mrs. Mary Griffin is visiting in Calera this week.

Mr. R. L. Crim was in Jemison Tuesday.

JEMISON NEWS

Health of this community is good at present, except Miss Astrid Ekblad, who has been on the sick list for several days. We hope to see her well and in school again soon.

Misses Bertha and Iowa Crowson delightfully entertained a number of friends at a fruit and cake supper Saturday night. After having music and several games were played the entire party marched into the dinning room where a tempting plate of cake and fruit was served by Mrs. T. P. Crowson and Mrs. H. M. Dykes.

Miss Nora Lee Lesslie spent Saturday night with her cousin, Miss Persia Lesslie.

Mr. Ruben Crowson of Bessemer spent the week-end with home folks. His mother accompanied him back to Bessemer to spend a few days with her son, Andrew.

Mrs. H. M. Dykes left Sunday morning for Deatsville to spend a few days with her mother.

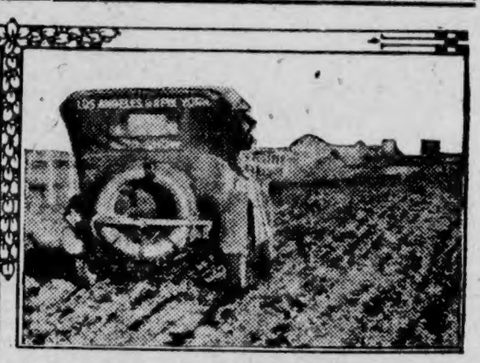
Mr. Marvin Merchant of Birmingham is spending a few days with home folks.

Miss Jewell Lowery dined with Miss Ruby Merchant Sunday.

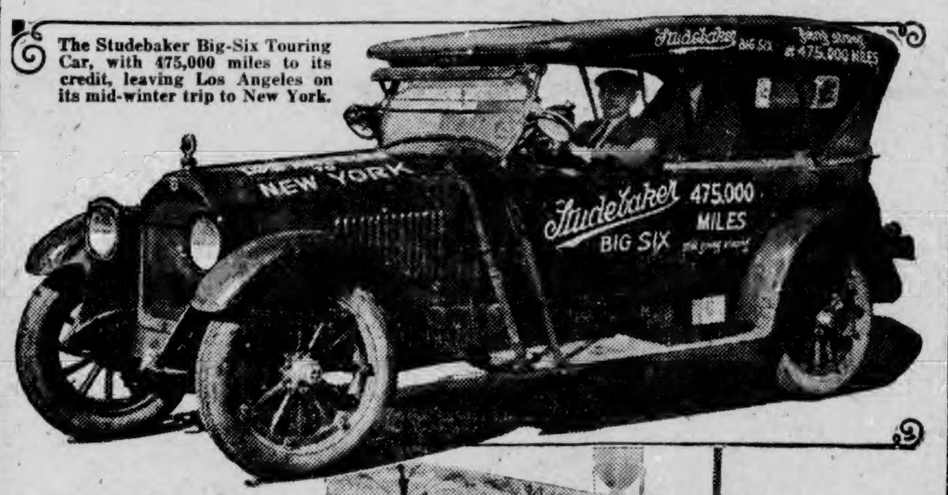
Mrs. F. F. Merchant and son and two daughters and Misses Bertha and Iona Crowison motored to Clanton Monday afternoon.

AUTOMOBILE TRAVELS 475,000 MILES IN FIVE AND ONE-HALF YEARS' GRUELLING SERVICE

The Veteran Big-Six on the Mohave desert near Barstow, California, on its triumphal trip from Los Angeles to New York.



Nowhere else was the power and stamina of the Big-Six put to better test than through stretches of "gumbo" roads along the route.



The Studebaker Big-Six Touring Car, with 475,000 miles to its credit, leaving Los Angeles on its mid-winter trip to New York.

Studebaker Big-Six Crosses the Continent After Piling Up Nearly Half a Million Miles.

This Automobile Covers Greatest Distance Traveled by Any Motor Vehicle in Like Period of Time.

A VETERAN Studebaker Big-Six touring car which recently completed a triumphal trip across the continent from Los Angeles to New York after having traveled more than 475,000 miles, is now being driven to South Bend, Indiana. There it will be placed in the Studebaker museum with other famous vehicles of the last century and a quarter.

It is believed that this car covered the greatest distance ever traveled by any motor vehicle in a like period of time.

Starting today and driving 6,000 miles each year, the mileage of this Big-Six could not be equalled until the year 2004.

Put to Severe Test

This Big-Six was delivered on June 13, 1918, to Fenton Norman, of Santa Paula, California, who, according to his affidavit, drove it 94,000 miles up to October, 1920, when he turned in the car to the John Opsahl Company, Studebaker dealers at Fillmore, California. They sold it as a used car on October 27, 1920, to the firm now known as the Associated Transit Company of Los Angeles.

For more than three years this firm used the car as a "newspaper express." In that time, according to the affidavit of the Associated Transit Company, it traveled more than 400,000 miles. It was used to carry Los Angeles newspapers to Southern California cities.

For three years, rain or shine, this Big-Six made a daily run of 400 miles at an average speed of 30 miles an hour. On each of these trips it carried three-quarters of a ton of newspapers in the tonneau. This burden is equal to ten grown persons.

Also Pulled Ton Trailer

Nor was that all. To make each trip doubly profitable, the car was often called upon to pull a trailer containing an additional ton of newspapers.

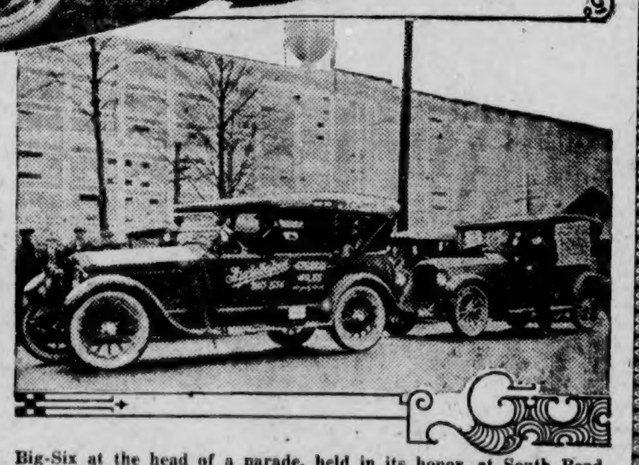
According to the records of the Associated Transit Company, fuel mileage for this Big-Six averaged fourteen miles per gallon of gasoline. With frequent drainings of the crank case, the oil mileage averaged from 200 to 300 miles per quart. And tires covered from 15,000 to 30,000 miles to the set.

The trip from Los Angeles to New York was begun on November 26th and ended on January 5th. No attempt at unusual time was made. Studebaker dealers all along the route welcomed the car into their territories with parades and the car was exhibited at important points for a day or more, in order that the public could examine it.

Complete Cross-Country Trip

However, an average far above the gait of the every-day tourist was maintained. The 2,500 miles from Los Angeles to St. Louis were covered in eleven and one-half days in spite of stops made for exhibition purposes.

The veteran bucked the hot, arid desert, conquered the bad roads that sometimes lead into treacherous, snow-covered mountain trails, ploughed through many stretches of the quagmire in the Middle West, and completed the entire journey from coast to coast without any road delays except for three punctures.



Big-Six at the head of a parade, held in its honor, at South Bend, Ind. Mammoth new Studebaker closed body plant in background.

POLK BROS., Dealers

CLANTON, ALA.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. P. E. Luckie, Editor

Leap Year Party Given.

A delightful affair of Saturday was a luncheon given by Mrs. E. E. Upchurch in celebration of her daughter, Mary's fifth birthday anniversary.

Silver baskets and vases of roses and carnations were in evidence throughout the entire apartments—the dining table was centered with yellow roses and place cards in same colors were used. An elaborate six course dinner was served. Music by the different guests were a rare treat between courses.

Included in the "house party" and guests for the dinner were: Misses Warrene Spigener, Frances Hopkins, Gladys Rickles, Maud Sutton, Fannie Speers, Beverly and Margaret Hester, Frank Mullins, John Ellis, Jr., Kendrick Upchurch, Douglas Braswell, Frank Norris, Laurie Sairier, Mr. and Mrs. Latham Ellis and Sam Upchurch.

Mrs. Upchurch was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. John T. Ellis and Mrs. Jasper Calloway.

After the luncheon a delightful musical program was enjoyed.

Messrs. Guy Higgins and Burt Higgins made a business trip to Cullman Tuesday.

Mrs. Bessie Hayes Poyner from Selma was the guest of her mother here last week.

Mr. J. W. E. Gulledge attended a meeting of the U. C. V. at Camp Hardee in Birmingham Saturday.

Miss Abbott McKinnon, a student of Montevallo, spent the week-end in Clanton as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Walter A. Calloway. Miss McKinnon is a charming young woman with a wonderful musical talent. She is president of the Montevallo glee club, which she agreed to bring to Clanton about the 15th of March.

Miss Frances Hopkins from Birmingham was the week-end guest of Miss Mary Upchurch.

Mr. Ellis Arant of Athens, Ala., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Arant.

Mr. L. N. Henderson made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. C. A. Mitchell from Louisville, Ky., was in Clanton on business last Thursday.

Miss Marjorie Murphy, who is teaching at Oak Grove, spent Monday night at home.

Mr. Geo. Polk was a recent visitor to Birmingham.

Mrs. M. B. Arant spent a couple of days in Montgomery this week.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Barney Roberts was a visitor to Birmingham Saturday.

Miss Mary Upchurch from Judson College was home for the week-end.

Miss Warrene Spigener from Marion was included in Miss Upchurch's week-end house party.

Surprise Party Given.

Varieties of yellow jonquils and white carnations formed a colorful setting for a "surprise" party given by Mrs. John Armstrong, entertaining in honor of her mother's 56th birthday anniversary.

The luncheon table held for its central ornament a large white cake holding 56 flickering candles, and was surrounded by yellow jonquils. Baskets of cut flowers were effectively arranged throughout the apartments. Rev. C. C. Wilkerson was toastmaster and rendered an effective prayer.

Covers were laid and dainty cards bore the names of Rev. and Mrs. Wilkerson, Mrs. O. O. Roper, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, Mrs. J. Q. Wade, Mrs. B. L. Jones, Mrs. J. R. Broadhead, and Miss Florence Headley.

Mrs. Armstrong being assisted by Mrs. Luckie and Mrs. M. L. White.

Mrs. Roper was the recipient of several useful remembrances and each wishing many happy returns of the day.

Mr. A. G. Erin and family of Birmingham spent a few hours in Clanton Monday enroute to Jacksonville, Florida.

Pretty Luncheon Given.

Mrs. Watts Moore's lovely home was thrown open to the members of her sewing club and friends when she entertained at a spend-the-day party on last Wednesday.

Lovely baskets of white carnations adorned the rooms and also used as central table decorations. A delightful 4-course turkey dinner was served. Dainty hand painted cards marked the places of Mrs. Clyde Jones, Mrs. J. D. Armstrong, Mrs. Geo. Polk, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Evin Luckie, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. E. E. Upchurch, Mrs. Guy Higgins, Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mrs. M. L. White, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. John Ellis, Mrs. J. P. Hales, Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Hugh Simpson and Mrs. T. C. McSwain.

In the afternoon tables were arranged for the game of Mah Jong and "42."

Mrs. Wilkerson will be hostess on next Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. Will S. Wilson from Fairfield was a visitor to Clanton the first of the week.

Mr. Diefenderfer was a visitor to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. Higgins Entertains.

Among the many delightful events of this week was a luncheon given by Mrs. Guy Higgins when she paid a special courtesy to Mrs. O. Kyle of Decatur.

Bridge was the diversion of the day, a pair of silk hose being the high score favor and was won by Mrs. Willis Lyman. Mrs. Artheur Johnson was awarded a guest towel on cut for the consolation, while Mrs. Kyle was presented a box of dainty handkerchiefs.

Exquisite spring flowers of every variety were used in decorations. Bowls and vases of jonquils and narcissus combined with fragrant carnations made an attractive combination.

After the game an elaborate luncheon in 4-course was served. Included in this hospitality were Mesdames Kyle, Heard, A. Johnson, Hance Alred, W. Lyman, Grady Reynolds, Percy Pitts, Eric Hart, Hugh Jones, Hugh Simpson, John VanDerveer, Guy Roberts, L. F. Gerald, Lande, Carrie Mullins, N. S. Johnson, T. C. McSwain, Misses Madelyn and Louise Orr and Bettie Mullins.

The hostess was assisted by Mrs. P. T. Hinkle and Mrs. Watts Moore.

Miss Gladys Pickles, a student of the Judson College, was a visitor to relatives here the past week-end.

Misses Gladys Mae and Evelyn Nix from Wilson were the week-end guests of Mrs. J. M. Potts.

Miss Mary Bess Sims from Alex City was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Joe Higgins.

Miss Beverly Hester from Birmingham was a guest of the Upchurch house party during the past week-end.

Mr. J. Q. Wade returned home on last Sunday from a month's stay at Russellville where he is installing an ice plant.

Mr. Jasper Calloway has returned home from a visit to relatives in Tampa, Fla.

Mr. Wallace from Birmingham visited his children here Sunday.

Mr. Claud Reynolds was caled to Nashville, Tenn., Sunday on account of the sudden illness of his father-in-law, Mr. Sid oJhnson.

Frank Mullins of Howard College was home for the week-end.

Card Club Meets.

A profusion of jonquils were the effective means of decorating the pretty home of Mrs. L. F. Gerald on last Thursday, when she was hostess to her card club and extra guests at a pretty luncheon.

Four tables were grouped for the game. The members of this club are proficient players and an interesting game was enjoyed. The prize for top score was a bon bon dish filled with home-made candy, and was won by Mrs. Hugh Simpson. Mrs. O. Kyle was recipient of the guest prize, a similar trophy.

A four-course luncheon was served. The guests of the club for the day were Mesdames Kyle, John VanDerveer, Guy Higgins, Guy Roberts, John Page and Grady Broadhead.

Miss Margaret Hester, who is teaching music in Columbiana was at home this week-end and was a guest at Miss Mary Upchurch'e House party.

Mr. Joe Mullins from the University of Alabama was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

Mrs. L. C. Reynolds went down to Montgomery Sunday for a few days visit to her mother, Mrs. S. A. Johnson.

The friends of Mr. Sidney Johnson will be grieved to learn of his illness in Nashville, having had a stroke of paralysis Sunday.

Sam Upchurch and Joe Hester were visitors to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. H. T. Pipes made a business trip to Birmingham Saturday.

Mrs. P. I. Hopkins from Dothan was the house guest of Mrs. E. E. Upchurch last week.

Mrs. Ruben Lowe and Mrs. Lee Smith were visitors to Montgomery Thursday.

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Bert Winslow writes, "We lost several hogs and discovered they were cholera infected. Rats spread the germ . A neighbor told me about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. We used it. In a short time there wasn't a rat to be found. The job was so easy, it was like rolling off a log." Get Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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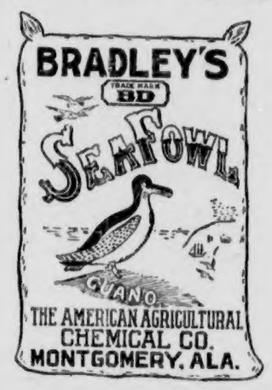

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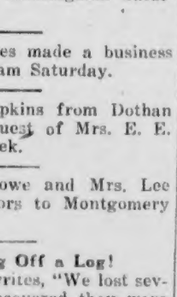
Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:



"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

New Meat Market

I have opened up a Meat Market in the back end of Miner's Grocery Store, and I invite my Friends to come here to buy their Fresh Meats.

I shall strive at all times to furnish Meats of the Better Kind and to give Service that will be pleasing. I will appreciate your Business.

J. A. Baker

Registration Notice

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In accordance with the provisions of an "Act to provide for the Registrtaion of Electors," enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the County of Chilton, Alabama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4, at the Court House on March 26, 27, 28, and 29, 1924.

This 29th day of February, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chm.,
J. L. JOHNSON,
E. H. ADAMS,
Registrars Chilton County.

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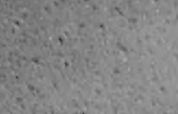


IN TRUE McADOO STYLE

Tammany is proposing municipal ownership of all public utilities in New York City. Telephones, telegraphs, electricity, gas, and transit are included in bills introduced by Mayor Hylan. If the measures pass, the Democrats will fill the offices, taxes will pay the deficits, and the people will get along as best they can under the poorer service delivered.

NO PLACE FOR COWARDS

Chairman Adams of the Republican National Committee has been deluged with letters and telegrams of congratulation on his call to his party associates to rise up and begin an aggressive warfare against their "political traducera." The people of this country want their leaders possessed of the fighting spirit. Apologists never commanded public support, and the man who flinches every time his opponent makes a face at him can never win popular favor.

POOR BASIS FOR CANDIDACY

Mr. Doheny thinks Senator Walsh is laying the groundwork for his own candidacy for the Presidency. Perhaps so, but no man ever was elected to the White House upon such a tissue of falsehood and innuendo as has marked the testimony before the Walsh committee. Mr. Walsh will have to find something more substantial with which to attack the Republican Administration before he can command votes.

UNSOUND FINANCIAL PLANS

It is the opinion of experts that the Garner rates, substituted for the schedules in the Mellon tax bill, will not only wipe out the surplus in the Treasury but incur a deficit of $300,000,000 the first year. President Coolidge will never permit such a catastrophe to overtake the country, and will veto any tax measure that has such an effect. But the mere fact that it is supported by Democratic and radical votes shows how some men will disregard public welfare for a chance to manufacture political capital.

THE COOLIDGE CARTOON

We ask our readers this week to notice carefully the big cartoon of President Calvin Coolidge and the excerpt from a speech recently made by him. The oil scandal picture as painted by southern newspapers attempts to cast a dark shadow over the Republican administration at Washington, but when we are permitted to view both sides of the scene it looks entirely different. It is true that some prominent Republicans are implicated in the muddle but these men are going to be handed what is coming to them. Those really in power at Washington had nothing to do with the illegal transactions regarding the Teapot Dome.

TRADE BALANCE FAVORABLE

The balance of trade in our favor for January 1924 was $95,000,000, imports totaling $299,000,000, or at the rate of about $3,600,000,000 a year, while exports totaled $394,000,000, or at an annual rate of $4,700,000,000. If this rate should be maintained throughout the current year it would give us a favorable balance considerably in excess of a billion dollars.

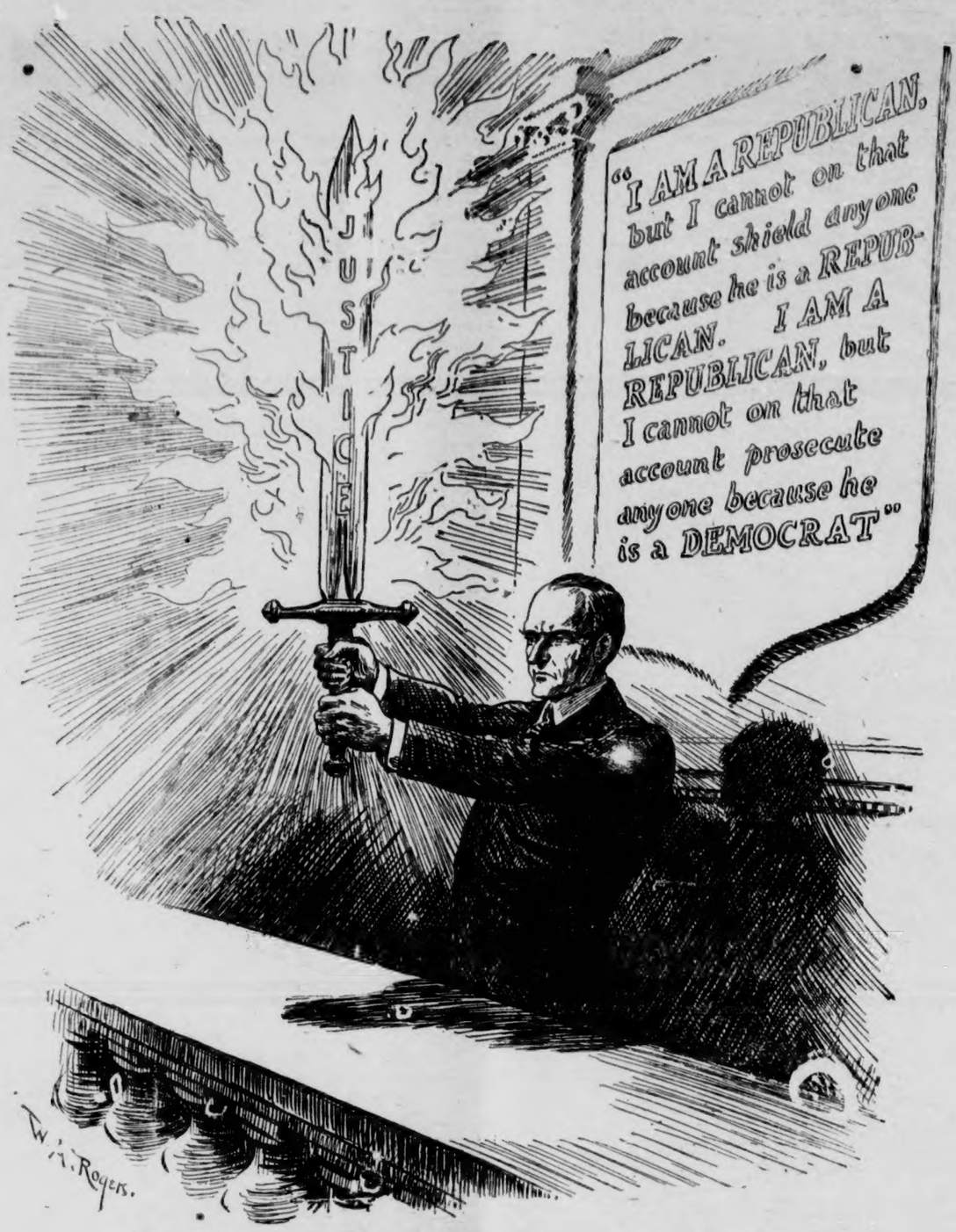
For the seven months ended January 31 imports totaled $2,003,000,000, while exports totaled $2,616,000,000, or a favorable balance over the period of $613,000,000. This is an average of $87,500,000 a month, or over one billion a year.

During March, April, May and June of last year the trade balance ran against us, the aggregate for the four months being $151,815,000. This roused the opponents of the tariff to attack the measure on the ground that it was curtailing exports and increasing imports, the characteristic effect of a Democratic tariff law. It was freely predicted, however, by the Republicans that the law would make a better showing when it reached running heat.

The prediction has been justified.

Schenectady Union-Star—It must be conceded, withal, that the President's mental processes are unerring and his conclusions sound.

"A Parable in a Few Words" is Specialty of Prsident Calvin Coolidge



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UNCLE TED'S VALUE OF OIL; SAYS A BARREL IN A TANK IS WORTH TWO IN GROUND

"Here comes Uncle Ted," cried Jack, as he and Ruth spied their popular relative coming up the walk. Uncle Ted had been on a trip to Washington, but he had telegraphed his frenids that he would be back that evening. They knew that every time he visited the National Capital he heard and saw many things that would be put into stories for their evenings' entertainment.

"Hullo, children," called Uncle Ted as he saw their eager faces. "Don't ask me to talk much now. I am tired and cold and hungry after my long trip. Just let me have a warm dinner and a little rest, and then I will tell you something of what I saw at Washington."

It was not long before the familiar group was gathered around the fireplace. Jack began, "When you were gone I saw a lot of headlines about navy oil, Teapot Dome, and tanks. I didn't try to read about them, because I was afraid I could not understand it even if I tried. Now, won't you tell us what all this talk about oil has to do with our Navy?"

"You are a very observing young man," was Uncle Ted's comment. "This matter of oil may decide the next war in which the United States may become engaged, but most people do not realize its importance and know little more about it than you do. When I was in Washington I learned some things that, I hope, will make you understand it.

"Nearly all our battleships burn oil instead of coal. During times of peace it is easy enough to buy oil from private sources, but in times of war they cannot be depended upon, so the Government determined to have an oil supply of its own. Some large tracts of land in California and Wyoming, known to contain oil, were therefore reserved by the Navy for its own use. Those reservations were made by Presidents Taft and Wilson. It was thought at the time that the oil could stay in the ground, where it would be perfectly safe until needed by the Navy.

"But all the ground around those reserves contains oil, too. It is all owned or leased by private companies which have been busily taking out oil and gas for several years. Now, the oil is contained in sand several thousand feet underground, and when a well is bored into that sand and the oil pump begins to work the oil is drained from the sand in all directions. Then there is a great deal of gas in the sand with the oil. It is under great pressure and forces the oil part way up the well where it can be easily brought to the surface. But the gas, after awhile, is all blown out, too, and then it is almost impossible to get any more oil, even with the most powerful pumps.

"With those wells all around the naval reserves, each one pumping out oil and gas as fast as it could, the oil was being rapidly drained and the gas pressure speedily lowered in the naval reserves themselves. In other words, the reserves would soon be nearly worthless as a future source of fuel for the Navy. Everybody knew what was going on, so what did the Government do? It made a contract with two of the biggest oil men in the country to dig wells all over the naval reserves in California and Wyoming and begin to get the oil out of them at once. They were Mr. Doheny and Mr. Sinclair. They were not only to dig wells and pump oil, but were also to build pipe lines to carry the oil to the seacoast, where big tanks were to be erected to hold the oil until needed. The tanks were to be located at Atlantic and Pacific ports and in Hawaii, where our ships could just run up to the dock and have it pumped aboard ready for burning.

"Payment to the oil men for all their work was not to be made in money, but in part of the oil they took out of the reserves. It didn't make any difference to the Government how or when it was paid for. The cost would have had to be paid some time if the oil was ever to be taken out, cleaned and refined, carried to a seaport, and put on a ship. Another thing. Even if the oil could have been kept in the reserves without drainage, and a war had come upon us, it would have taken months to drill wells, pump, refine, and trnasport the oil where the ships could get it. Meanwhile the war might have ended, without our war resreves of oil playing any part in it whatever.

"So you see that the Government accomplished two very wise objects in arranging to get the navy oil out of the reserves now. It prevented the loss of the oil by drainage, and it put the oil into storage tanks on the coast where it could be instantly available for our big battleships.

"While I was in Washington I attended the hearings before the Senate committee that is investigating the oil reserves. Some Senators think that a former Secretary of the Interior was dishonest when he made the contracts with Mr. Doheny and Mr. Sinclair. Maybe he was, but the Democrats seem almost to have forgotten him now and appear anxious to tear up the leases of the reserves and prevent the pumping, refining and storage in tanks of any more oil. Special lawyers have been hired to do that very thing through the courts. If they are successful every well in the reserves will be plugged up, but every well round about the reserves will run merrily on, draining out just as fast as it can, the oil and gas that really belongs to the United States Navy.

"That is the real story that runs through the pages and pages of oil news that you see in the papers nowadays. Why do the Democrats dare to do a thing that may cripple our Navy if it ever gets into another war? I'll tell you why. All over the country people are contented with the way President Coolidge and the other Republicans at Washington are handling things. Prosperity, high wages, plenty of work, lower taxes, and reduced cost of government seem to make certain Mr. Coolidge's reelection. The Democrats have been about crazy for some way in which to fight the Republicans. All of a sudden they thought they had found it in the oil inquiry. With a hint of dishonesty in one individual Republican, they have been willing to cast slander at every Republican official, and throw to the winds the vital means for making our future naval defense effective. All for a chance to lick the Republicans in the elections next fall.

"Now, tomorrow you tell that story to Freddie Jones, and anybody else you can find to talk to. I want their fathers to know just what is going on at Washington."

Fort Wayne Sentinel—Our national honor survived slackers and profiteers—and Burleson. So we guess it will not be entirely eclipsed by the Teapot Dome Scandal.

Omaha Bee—Produced more, spent more, saved more. That is the record of the United States for 1923. It can not be touched, or even approached by any other nation.

Minneapolis Tribune — President Coolidge puts his finger unerringly on tax reduction as the foremost immediate need of the people of this country.

Keeps the Doctor Away!

If you want to keep the doctor away, kill all the roaches in your kitchen! They carry germs, breed disease—contaminate the food you eat! Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder is the most famous formula known. It kills the young ones too, as they hatch! Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.
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SCISSORETTES

Omaha Bee—Prosperity has been restored, debt has been reduced, exasperating and onerous tax levies have been done away with, and further cuts in the schedule are certain to be made. Our Democratic brethren will find it difficult to get under, over, or around that wall of actual achievement.

Troy Times—America still has room for a selected number of aliens, but this privilege should be restricted to those who will become citizens and assume the responsibilities of citizenship as well as participating in the distribution of the wealth of the country.

Houston Post—Cato learned Greek after he was 80. Frank A. Vanderlip learned one of the greatest lessons of his life at 59, that being that peddling slanderous gossip about the dead is never becoming in a man who claims the respect of his fellows.

Detroit Free Press—If Mr. McAdoo had his eye on the Presidency when he left Washington a few years ago and went into the law business, the character of his clientele indicates that he is a mighty poor politician.

Corvallis (Ore.) Gazette Times—As we understand McAdoo's explanation it was perfectly proper for him to accept Mr. Doheny's money for the use of his influence with the Wilson administration—until the public found it out.

Boston Transcript—Americans are told that they are getting round-shouldered under their burden of taxation, but if the President and Secretary Mellon have their way, we can all straighten up a bit.

Marion Star—Secretary Mellon is one of those old-fashioned individuals who think that the way to reduce taxation is to reduce it, and not chase about everlastingly talking about doing it.

Portland Oregonian — William Gibbs McAdoo is going to use the radio to broadcast his campaign addresses. His opening song selection will be, "Yes, We Have No Retainers Today."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

(Paid pol. adv., by J. Wiley Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala.)

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(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

(Paid pol. adv. by Miss Genie Colline, Thorsby, Ala.)

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K. M. VINSON.

(Paid pol. adv. by K. M. Vinson, Clanton, Ala.)

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J. BICE.

(Paid pol. adv. by J. Bice, Thorsby, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

(Paid pol. adv. by H. B. Glenn, Clanton, Ala., R. 6.)

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W. H. ROBINSON.

(Paid pol. adv. by W. H. Robinson, Clanton, Ala., Route 1.)

Stop that cough right now—

YOU can often prevent serious complications by giving Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey at once. Dr. Bell's loosens hard packed phlegm, soothes inflamed tissues and restores normal breathing. Made of just the medicines that up-to-date doctors recommend—combined with the old-time favorite, pine-tar honey. Children like its pleasant taste.

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YOUNG MULES

I have at my stables in Clanton a few fine young mules which I will sell at right prices.

C. B. COX

CLANTON, ALABAMA

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ALPINE SCHOOL CLOSES

The Alpine school closed Friday, Feb. 22, 1924, with honor to Miss Hazel Phillips, teacher, after an applicable program with great honor to the teacher and pupils. The dinner was most appetising and plentiful. We had a match ball game with Vine Hill school team which all enjoyed sumptuously. The score was 8 to 10 in favor of Vine Hill, owing to the Alpine school team only having had two weeks practice. There was a large attendance; the community of Alpine was well represented.

After the program, we had a short address by J. E. McCullough. We were glad to have Mr. J. C. Walker to grace the table, after it was so bountifully spread upon, which there was plenty and some to spare.

The patrons of the school were unanimous in choosing Miss Hazel Phillips for our teacher for the next school, on which they agreed to add one month to whatever the county board agreed on—if a 6 months school they would make it a seven months school by supplement.

We can say as a truth that Miss Phillips has by far taught us the best school we have had for three years. Every pupil that attended any ways near regular made a grade with honors.

One of the patrons,
J. E. McCULLOUGH.

NOTICE !

Bibb County Farmers Union will meet at Lawley on March 20th at 10 a.m. All farmers and their friends are cordially invited. Will have dinner and music, and speaking by the best of speakers.

W. R. K. STANFORD,
State Organizer.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity, February 22, 1924.

Alabama Machinery and Supply Company, a Body Corporate, Complainant, vs. Ralph Calloway and Mrs. Geneva Calloway, Defendants.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Grady Reynolds that the Defendant, Ralph Calloway, is a non-resident and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Ralph Calloway, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 24th day of March, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 22nd day of February, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.
2-28-4tc.

SAXON & PITTS
Lawyers
Office in Johnson Bldg.
CLANTON, ALA.

SHE MAY WIN HIM—IT'S LEAP YEAR !

FARMERS TO MAKE STUDY OF COTTON

Fertilizer and Poisons for Boll Weevils Receive Special Attention. Old Methods Being Improved.

Auburn, Ala., March 5.—More information about the effects of different kinds and amounts of fertilizers on cotton, and also more information about poisoning boll weevils are the chief reasons why a record number of Alabama farmers will conduct practical demonstration tests this year.

Interest in these demonstrations appears to be greater this spring than at any other time in the history of demonstration work. Farmers thruout the State appreciate the fact that the Experiment Station has worked out definite fundamentals regarding cotton fertilizer and poisoning of boll weevils, and, in co-operation with their county agents, they are making practical application of this information to their local conditions.

District Agents W. D. Barton, W. O. Winston, E. E. Binford, and J. T. High are giving special attention to these cotton demonstrations because cotton is the outstanding cash crop of the State, and also because yields have been entirely too low because of poor soils, wrong varieties, methods, and the ravages of the boll weevils.

Demonstration tests have been a leading feature of demonstration work from its beginning, and the test plans for this year are in line with those of previous years. The chief difference is that they are more comprehensive and will be put on in a more effective manner. In most instances one farmer will conduct a test for the benefit of a community and by means of the community and county organizations the information gained will be used to maximum advantage. They are being directed by the county demonstration agents.

J. L. Burnett and wife of Lawley and three sons, Rush, Buck and Glenn, motored to Clanton Saturday on business, and visited The Union-Banner office. Mr. Burnett has been taking The Banner for 23 years.

ZE BACK "BIEN JOLIE!"

DON'T suppose many of you readers know what "bien jolie" means, so we'll let you in on the secret. It's French for "very pretty" and it's the description everybody—that is, most everybody who has seen her—applies to the back of Miss Margaret Irving, the well known vaudeville actress. And we're inclined to agree with the description after one glimpse of the photo reproduced above.

Ben Ali Haggin, the internationally famous artist, goes the popular verdict one better. He calls it the "most beautiful back in vaudeville." Mr. Haggin ought to know a good back when he sees one, for—his job is that of selecting the most beautiful girls the world affords for places in the Tableaux Vivants of Flo Ziegfeld's Follies. So naturally, it's made him quite a connoisseur of beautiful shoulder blades.

Mr. Haggin, it is said, has made several attempts to spirit Miss Irving from the vaudeville ranks but she has always refused. She would rather be a featured player on the "two a day" circuit than one of the many beautiful girls in the Follies' tableau.

RESIDENT HAS AWFUL EXPERIENCE

"I was twice confined in hospitals, in the last one nothing but gruel water was injected into me 4 times a day, as my stomach would not retain any food. I suffered terribly; was reduced to a skeleton. My folks saw an ad of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and it has surely saved my life. I weigh 180 lbs. now." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

Prof. E. F. Cauthen of Auburn was in Clanton Tuesday night and put on a motion picture at the court house.

CONSTIPATION
A cause of many ills. Harmful to elderly people.
Always relief in taking
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Easy—pleasant—effective—only 25c

Spring Cleaning

The time has come for you to have all your old Spring and summer clothing cleaned and pressed and made like new. We can fix 'em so you'll think they are brand new — the Hoffman Sanitary Steam press way. Call us right **now**— we'll convince you.

Powell Pressing Co.
New Walker Bldg., Next to Parrish's
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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE CALLS PRIMARY FOR TUESDAY, MAY 13

In pursuance of a resolueion passed by the Republican Executive Executive Committee of Chilton County in regular session at the court house in Clanton on January 21, 1924, a primary election of the Republican party of Chilton County is hereby called to be held at the various voting places in Chilton County, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, for thte purpose of nominating condidates for the following offices:

One member of the County Board of Education; a County Treasurer; a Commissioner from the 3rd District; a Commissioner from the 4th District.

All announcements for nomination shall be made on or before Saturday, April 12, 1924.

All qualified voters who will agree to support nominees of said primary election shall be permitted to participate therein.

This the 26th day of Feb., 1924.
W. G. CLUP,
Chm. Repub. Ex. Committee.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Repub. Ex. Committee.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON
Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

Coughs that hang on—

Break them now before they lead to more serious trouble. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

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Armour's
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The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS are made from the choicest materials, thoroughly cured and dried, and will easily go through any make of distributor.

Wrapped in every sack of ARMOUR'S goods are those qualities which manifest themselves in all of the undertakings of those master men whose name it bears.

MAKE EVERY ACRE DO ITS BEST

ARMOUR'S BIG CROP FERTILIZERS

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MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN
CLANTON, ALA.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

The matter of "paramount importance" in Thorsby these days is "What's Doing" about a new public school building. Because of the manifest need and the hope now almost universal in Thorsby hearts, we are pleased to report substantial progress in the enterprise.

At a meeting of the Town Council last Thursdaay night the committee of citizens appointed to secure pledges for loans to the Town Council to the amount of $3,000 which Thorsby would be required to raise to augment other funds available sufficient to finance the project, reported that they had secured practically the entire amount of subscriptions needed, within the one week they had been at work, and notified the Council to proceed with their part of the program.

The next step is to supmit the deed to the property to be used as a building site to our County Board of Education for examination and approval. This is the part of the work now under way. If the deed is approved by the State, both State and county departments of Education will make appropriations covering their share of the funds and collections will be made on the Thorsby pledges and then building plans, provided by the State must be examined and approved by our local authorities, a building committee provided and work can begin either by contract or under direction of the building committee, in either case under supervision of the State and county building inspector.

Mr. C. R. Foss and family are enjoying the luxury of a new car, bought for them by Mr. J. L. Foss, who makes his home with this interesting family.

Dr. Junkerman and Mr. Jones, proprietor of Thorsby Drug Store, both returned to Thorsby last Monday after an absence of several weeks at different sanitariums.

Mr. Clifton Wells of Jemison moved into one of Mrs. Villadsen's cottages, and Clyde Sims has rented and now occupies her green bungalow.

Mr. Archie Robinson has moved from the Neil house near the Lutheran church to the Judge Adams place north of town.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Ed Piper Thursday afternoon, March 13th.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Goddard Thursday afternoon, March 6th.

The Helen Keller Literary Society will have a debate Saturday night, March 8th at 7:30 in Bates Hall. The subject will be, "Resolved that the Bonus should be granted to the Soldiers." For the affirmative Edmund Lakeman and Plato Deason; Negative Gordon Sorrell and Palmer Lefstead. A part of the program will consist of reading from "The Cernival Scene" written by Schuman about 1870. This will be in the nature of descriptive music and will be interpreted by Miss Parker at the piano.

The monthly Praise Services(Singing) at The Congregational Church last Sunday night was attended by a capacity audience who genearly enjoyed all of it.

The United Singing Society met at the Baptist church at Thorsby last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. On account of the absence of the president, Gresham Lowery acted as chairman. The directors for the afternoon were: Gresham Lowery, Spurgeon Kelly, Gordon Sorrell, Akins Collins, H. H. Hayes and A. H. Glascock. The pianists were: Misses Genie Collins, Alithea Parker, Mrs. Enoch Cox and Mrs. O. H. Garrick.

We had a full house and lots of good singers.

The society meets here every first Sunday in each month, and we cordially invite all to attend.

I. H. C. DEMONSTRATION AT THORSBY HARDWARE CO.

Through the courtesy of the Thorsby Hardware Co., Thorsby, Ala., we desire to cordially invite you to attend a demonstration we are going to hold in their store on Saturday morning, March 8th, at 9:00 o'clock, of a Primrose Cream Separator, together with a small 1½ H.P. Type "M" McCormick-Deering engine.

On that date, if you will bring in your morning's milking, we will be glad to have one of our men present separate the milk for you, turning over to you the sweet cream and warm skim milk.

It will pay you to attend this demonstration. Rapid strides are being made at this time in diversified farming and dairying is coming into its own.

Come, bring your friends along, and have a regular get-together meeting. Don't forget the time and the place; Saturday morning, March 8th at 9:00 o'clock at the Thorsby Hardware Company's store.

Yours very truly,
INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF AMERICA.
By N. W. HOFFMAN.

The Thorsby Institute Basketball team closed the season last Friday by a decisive win over the Buck Creek Cotton Mill team of Siluria. Thorsby jumped to an early lead due to the sensational shooting of Captain Littleton and were never in danger. The final score was 35 to 11. Siluria passed well but could do nothing with the ball when near the basket.

Besides Littleton, Davenport starred with nine points, while Turner and Pate put up good games at guard. Ziderhoeck and Carey were the whole show for Siluria.

This closes the most successful season of any basketball team in the history of the school. The team at the beginning of the season was pronounced "no good," but by hard work and practice it has come thru with an enviable record.

The season's record:

Jemison	17	Thorsby	16
Isabella	0	Thorsby	61
Jemison	20	Thorsby	11
Calera	7	Thorsby	25
Verbena	10	Thorsby	19
Jemison	20	Thorsby	10
Montevallo	13	Thorsby	20
Clanton	11	Thorsby	14
Montevallo	14	Thorsby	32
Siluria	5	Thorsby	25
Verbena	11	Thorsby	16
Marbury	14	Thorsby	16
Siluria	20	Thorsby	17
Marbury	10	Thorsby	16
Clanton	9	Thorsby	18
Siluria	11	Thorsby	35
Opponents	192	Thorsby	351

Percentage for Thorsby:

Played	Won	Lost	Percent
16	12	4	750.

Individual score:

Arnold Littleton	172
Eugene Davenport	75
Harris Turner	53
J. C. White	26
Edmund Lakeman	14
Hollis Pate	7
Plato Deason	2
Floyd Mims	2

The following received their letters Tuesday morning when the Chapel service was turned over to the awarding of letters:

Arnold Littleton, captain.
Codie Bell, manager.
Eugene Davenport.
Harris Turner.
J. C. White.
Edmund Lakeman.
Hollis Pate.

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Leaves a bad cough. So does "flu" and la grippe. But these lingering coughs yield easily to the healing and curative qualities of

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Every user is a friend

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What Men Admire Most in Women is Perfect Health—The Sign of Strength

Sylacauga, Ala.—"I wish the world to know that I say Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription is worth its weight in gold. My wife was down and out with feminine trouble. She was advised to try this medicine, so she did, and it did her more good than all the other medicines she ever took. I am doing this in the hope that this medicine may help others as it did my wife."—B. M. Jacobs.

Your health is the most valuable asset you have. You should procure this Prescription of Dr. Pierce's from your druggist, in tablets or liquid, or write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and receive free medical advice.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LIBERAL REWARD offered for return of female collie dog, white body, small amount of tan on head and ears, was raised at Lock 12; left my place Tuesday, the 12th.—P. T. Hinkle, Clanton, Ala. 2-21-tf

STRAYED—One black and tan male dog, named "Trailer" left Dr. Crumpton's home in Clanton Saturday night February 16th. If you know anything of his whereabouts, notify either Dr. J. P. Crumpton, Victor J. Heard or J. D. Armstrong, Clanton.

POTATO PLANTS—Pure Porto Rico Potato Plants at $2.00 per 1000 up to 5000; $1.85 per 100 up to 10,000 and above. Place your orders early as plants will be scarce this season. All orders must be accompanied by cash. Plants ready April 1 to 10.—O. L. JACKSON, Thorsby, Ala. 2-14-4t-pd

COTTON SEED For Sale—I have 40 bushels of Toole's Wilt-Resistant Cotton Seed, kept straight, for $2.00 per bushel, as long as they last. H. B. Glenn, Clanton Route 6. 2-28-3t-d

$15.00 REWARD will be paid for information leading to the recovery of one black and tan male dog, named "Trailer." Notify either John Armstrong, Dr. J. P. Crumpton or Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-3t-pd.

YOUNG MARE FOR SALE—4 years old, weighs 1000 lbs., works gentle anywhere. Will sell for cash or trade for truck. If interested see F. A. Ellison, Clanton, Route 1. 3-6-3t-p

NOTICE!—Found an overcoat near Stanton, Ala. Owner can describe coat and get it at C. T. Walker's, Lawley, Ala.

FOR SALE—10 acres of land with dwelling house. All that part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14, East of L. & N. R. R., Chilton County, Alabama.—See Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-2t-c

100 YOUNG White Leghorn Hens for sale at $1.20 each.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala., Box 76. 3-6-5td

LOST DOG—one Spitz-Collie, white and brown spotted, left two weeks ago. Any information will be appreciated by E. R. Wilson, Clanton Route No. 4. 1t-pd

UNION GROVE

Health of this community is very good at present. Everybody is busy starting their farms.

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting are still just fine. Sunday was such a beautiful day, we had a larger crowd out than usual.

Miss Lessie Vinzant of Siluria is spending this week with relatives and friends here. We are very glad to have Miss Vinzant back with us.

Miss Ethel Mize spent the week-end with Miss Pearl Chandler.

Mrs. Nancy Cofer spent Sunday with Mrs. Nealie Jones.

Miss Lonnie Scott of Jemison spent the week end with Misses Lula and Florence Cofer.

Miss Eula Barnett spent Saturday night with Miss Edna Robinson.

Mr. Bernie Chandler of Birmingham spent Sunday with home folks.

Misses Lula Cofer, Rebecca Dorminey and Nettie Chandler spent Sunday with Misses Iris and Amy Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vinzant of Siluria spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vinzant.

Mr. and Mrs. Huston Willis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Robinson.

Misses Florence Cofer and Lonnie Scott spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Chandler.

Don't forget that next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days. The United Singing Society will meet at this place on Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and help out in the singing.

Bought Tires For Rats!

H. H. Johnson says, "Rats gnawed right through the fabric of a new $30 tire while my car was in the garage. Thanks to Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake, I won't have to buy any more tires for rats." Rats do terrific damage to property. They menace your health! Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake DOES destroy them. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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One of the Things Mr. Royster Discovered About the Feeding of Crops

Cured Fertilizer Has Increased Farmers' Earnings

Haven't you heard about the more thorough and scientific feeding for plants—hastening maturity and helping to grow crops that bring higher prices? Everywhere you find farmers talking about the remarkable results through the use of Royster's Cured Fertilizer.

Why Cured Fertilizer Grows Better Crops

Mr. Royster discovered that by aging or curing fertilizer for four to six months he could increase its value as a plant-food. He found that this curing brought about a certain chemical action which prepared the fertilizer for the use of crops and made food elements available *at the very time they are needed.*

Why Mr. Royster can Cure his Fertilizer

Naturally it requires vast quantities of material in order to anticipate a season's supply, half a year before it is needed. (This half year representing the aging period). It also requires strong financial resources. Thus;—only a company like Royster's can offer this improved type of fertilizer.

Look for the Name on the Bag.

Don't guess about fertilizer. Look for the name "Royster's" and *know* that your crops will be well fed—for the sake of greater earnings.

What Farmers are saying:

"I have used other guano, but Royster's is the best for me."

"I have used no other brand of fertilizer for three years."

Royster's Fertilizers distribute better and retain their fertilizing power longer."

"———used your fertilizer for the past two years and have had the best crops I've had for many a year."

"———I shall continue to use Royster's as long as I farm."

"——— better results than I have ever gotten before from use of fertilizer."

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TOM KEMP, Agent, Clanton, Ala.

MINERAL SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Robinson are the proud parents of a new baby girl.

Misses Olice Bean and Lizzie Robinson spent last Saturday night with Miss Minnie Gore.

Miss Curtis Bean spent Saturday night with Miss Lilla Heflin.

Mrs. Virgie Glass dined with Mrs. J. W. Heflin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gore Sunday p.m.

Miss Minnie Gore spent Sunday night with Miss Lizzie Robinson.

Mrs. Virgie Glass and her little brothers, Lester and Cecil Robinson, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roper.

Misses Bell Davis, Leona Hilyer, Evie Davis, Mattie Hilyer and Mr. Charlie Hilyer were seen motoring over to Thorsby Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Roper and daughter spent Sunday p.m. with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Robinson.

MRS. ANDERSON TEEL DEAD

Mrs. Anderson Teel died at Shannon, Ala., Tuesday of this week. The body will be brought to Lomax today, Thursday. Funeral services will be conducted at the Primitive Baptist church and interment made in the cemetery there beside her husband who died of flu three or four years ago.

WILL PREACH AT MINOOKA

Uncle Dock Wells asks us to announce to the public that he will preach at Minooka next Sunday at 11 o'clock. He invites everybody to come out and be with him.

Miss Virginia Cook Likes It!

Miss Virginia Cook of New York says Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder is the best she has ever used. "I got rid of them quickly." If you are visited with roaches, remember the name. Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder DOES destroy all roaches! If you have them now get a can TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

MAKE OUR STORE Headquarters

We carry most everything that is carried in general merchandise. We want you to visit our store and let us show you our stock of goods. We have a complete line of Spring Slippers and Silk Hose for ladies. We expect to give the most attractive prices you have ever seen on this line of merchandise, beginning the first of March and continuing through the month.

For the information of some who are writing the Purina Mills for prices, wish to say that we carry this line in Poultry, Dairy and Horse Feeds. Also can furnish you with literature on all these feeds. All orders given special attention.

Don't forget that we buy and sell country produce. If you will visit our store one time we believe you will come again. You are welcome at all times.

HELP US TO HELP YOU.

Clanton Mill & Gin Company

J. A. MADDOX, Mgr. Clanton, Alabama

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100
Section "A".

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala., until 12:00 noon March 31st, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.455 miles of road in Chilton County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

The items entering into the construction of this road will be divided into three proposals:

Proposal No. 1 will cover items for the surfacing only.

Proposal No. 2 will cover all grading and drainage with the exception of bridges having a length exceeding 20 feet.

Proposal No. 3 will cover all necessary work for the construction of concrete bridges and an overhead crossing on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Contractors in submitting bids on the surfacing will bid in two ways; first, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials; second, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials with the exception of Portland Cement, which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. If the State furnishes the cement, the contractor will be required to unload and pour the cement at his own risk and expense.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless otherwise permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

PROPOSAL NO. 1
Alternate Types of Surfacing.

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course Portland Cement Concrete pavement.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Warrenite Bitulithic pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Bituminous concrete, modified Topeka pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Sheet asphalt, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Vitrified brick pavement on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Rock asphalt pavement on concrete base.
187,250 Sq. Yds. Portland cement concrete base course, 1:2½:5 mix.
1,670 Lin. Ft. 6"x14" granite curb headers.
1,000 Lin. Ft. blind drains.

PROPOSAL NO. 2

66.63 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
197,738 Cu. Yds. Common excavation.
10,429 Cu. Yds. Solid rock excavation.
296,085 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation.
275 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed.
338 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
296 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
224 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
254 Lin. Ft. 15" D. S. V. C. Pipe (New).
1,392 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe (new).
788 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe (new).
279 Lin. Ft. 21" pipe (new).
294 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe (new).
10 Standard drop inlets (complete)
137.3 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls.
808.46 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete in culverts.
84,810 Pounds steel reintorcing in culverts.
216 Concrete R. O. W. markers.
23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4" galv. cable for guard rail.
1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.
102 Concrete end post braces for guard rail.
57,828 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting.
300 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap.
8 Structures to be removed from right of way.
3,770 Lin. Ft. 4" drain tile.

PROPOSAL NO. 3

542.8 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete.
56.5 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete.
89,370 Pounds steel reinforcing.
8 Sets steel expansion plates.
433 Cu. Yds. dry excavation.
126 Cu. Yds. wet excavation.
75 Cu. Yds. rock excavation.
538.5 Sq. Yds. 1" concrete surfacing, 1:2:3½ mix.
380 Lin. Ft. concrete piles.
8 Test piles for bridge at Station 848–|–86.

The new pipe used on this project may be either triple strength terra cotta, reinforced concrete or cast iron.

The bridges on this project will have a clear roadway of 20 feet. The plans for these bridges will be ready for distribution to prospective bidders about March 10th.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Ala.

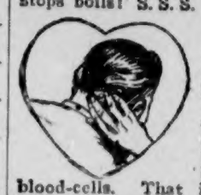
Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Ala. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash, certified check or bid bond of the following amounts: $10,000 to accompany Proposal No. 1; $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 2; and $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 3. Certified checks or bid bonds are to be made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama, and must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
2-28-3t State Highway Engineer.

Boils

THERE is a reason for everything that happens. Common-sense kills misery. Common-sense also stops boils! S. S. S. is the common-sense remedy for boils, because it is built on reason. Scientific authorities admit its power! S. S. S. builds blood-power, it builds red-blood-cells. That is what makes fighting-blood. Fighting-blood destroys impurities. It fights boils. It fights pimples! It fights skin eruptions! It always wins! Mr. V. D. Schaff, 557 15th street, Washington, D. C., writes:



"I tried for years to get relief from a bad case of boils. Everything failed until I took S.S.S. I am now absolutely cured, and it was S.S.S. that did it."

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

CANE CREEK NEWS

Estelle Giles, who has been real sick with head trouble, is about to recover.

Mr. Rutherford, and also Mrs. Beaird are better.

Mrs. Posey Williamson is in the infirmary suffering with appendicitis but is improving very fast.

Last Saturday and Sunday were regular preaching days at Cane Creek. The Pastor, Mr. Parrish rendered two excellent sermons. The regular preaching day has been changed from the first Sunday to the fourth, and there will be preaching the fourth Sunday of this month.

Our school lasts only two weeks longer and we are sorry to see our teachers leave, Miss Julia Parrish and Miss Claudia Mooneyham. They have done some excellent work this school term.

At the close of school there will be a concert on Friday night, March 14. Everybody come, and we promise you some fine music, at least.

Misses Bertha Giles, Claudia Mooneyham and Era Lee Williamson spent the day in Montgomery last Sunday.

Miss Maggie Giles spent last Saturday night with Miss Pearl Giles.

Miss Hermie Gentry spent last week-end with Miss Julia Parrish.

Misses Bertha Giles and Claudia Mooneyham spent last Thursday night with Misses Sara and Delene Lambert.

Mrs. Lula Giles spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Nola Giles.

Mrs. Cora Thompson visited her mother, Mrs. Newt Minor last Sunday.

Miss Claudia Mooneyham spent Saturday night with Miss Era Lee Williamson.

Sheriff Littlejohn and his deputy, Harvey Foshee, went to Prattville on business Tuesday

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Spectacular 100-Hour Circuit Drive Over Mountainous Trails—Washouts and Mud Put Car to Severe Test.

Stock Studebaker Light-Six Completely Encircles Union of South Africa in Less Than Hundred Hours.

Johannesburg, March 3.—Old timers of the Boer trek wgaon trails thronged around a mud-daubed automobile, when it drew up at the curb on a main thoroughfare in Johannesburg today.

The machine, a Studebaker Light-Six touring car, had just written a new page in the colorful history of the Union of South Africa. Without a pause in the motor's steady throb, it had set four records in retraveling the older settler routes, completely circling the Union, in less than 100 hours—a perilous trip that once took weeks for the bullock carts.

Made Three Other Records

Not only did the Studebaker establish a new round-trip record around the Union, but it also shattered three other records between points along the course. Notable among these was the new running time of 35 hours and 57 minutes between this city and Cape Town. This was a distance of 996 miles.

A standard stock model was driven out of Johannesburg by H. F. Payne, Fred Scantlebury, L. O. Bright and W. B. du Preez. They drove over mountainous roads thick with mud to Cape Town, then through Port Elizabeth, East London, Kokstad, Durban and return. The car made a 2,687-mile circle.

Running time from the start here and return was 99 hours, 46 minutes. Gasoline consumption averaged 21.5 miles per Imperial gallon. The gasoline mileage was unusuall yhigh, motorists agreed today, considering that an average spede of 26.75 miles an hour was maintained along roads broken by frequent streams, which compelled fording.

Numerous washouts, due to heavy rains, forced the car to travel along long stretches of hilly, slippery roadway, subjecting the Studebaker and its drivers to severe test. For this reason thhe trip proved one of the most sensational ever staged in South Africa.

Lost In Diamond Diggins

The maze of roads running around hundreds of diamond diggins, near Kimberley, brought confusion to the record-breakers. The running time suffered serious disadvantage thru time lost in opening and closing cattle gates. Metropolitan motorists may be surprised to know that actually 309 gates barred the Studebaker's path.

Returning to Johannesburg, the Light-Six was examined by several hundred motor car owners. The engine was still running smoothly. The body was uninjured—although it was thickly coated with mud, from axles to top. Then a careful examination of the chassis showed that the car had gone through the gruelling strain without the slightest breakdown.

PLETCHER NEWS

Health of this place is fine at present.

Sunday afternoon was our regular singing evening and we are glad to say we had a truck load of Bethany and Bethsalem singers with us, whom we all welcomed very much, and invite them to come back again. We invite all visitors to come back again and bring somebody with you.

We were all glad to see Mr. A. D. Huett, our singing school teacher last summer, with us again. He looked natural standing before the class.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Abbott Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abbott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Traywick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poole dined with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kendrick Sunday.

Miss Gladys Ousley spent Saturday night with her esteemed friend, Miss Gladys Williams.

Miss Gracie Abbott spent Saturday night with Miss Willie Poole.

Miss Bertha Rainwater dined with Miss Gracie Abbott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gentry visited Mrs. Gentry's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Deramus near Billingsley Sunday.

Miss Ruth Abbott spent Saturday night with her cousin, Miss Jewel Abbott.

We invite all singers and lovers of music to visit our singings at Pilgrim on the first Sunday evenings, and at Alpine the second Sunday evenings.

Next Sunday is our singing evening at Alpine. Everybody has an invitation.

Messrs. John Foshee and Moody Chambers were at the music entertainment at Mr. Gerald Smith's Saturday night.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Alice Shepard, convicted at the spring term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County of murder in the first degree in 1910 and sentenced to life imprisonment, will make application to the Board of Pardons and the Governor for clemency.

2-28-2t-d ALICE SHEPARD.

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CONCORD—BILLINGSLEY NEWS

Dear Editor and Readers:

As I haven't seen any news from this part of the world lately, thought I would write a few lines.

Concord is one and a half miles north of Billingsley. Sunday was our regular singing evening and we had a large crowd out, which we were very glad to see. Directors for the afternoon were: Prof. H. G. Carter, Messrs. Olin Williams, Furniss Shepard, Horace Williams, Miss Willie Mae Shepard, and the organists were Hudson Williams, Mrs. H. G. Carter. We had some visitors from New Cedron, Indian Grave and Billingsley.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely and hope it will continue.

We are glad to see the sun shining again as we have had a lot of rain.

CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING

The Chestnut Creek Singing Society met Sunday afternoon in regular session with a large class and a house full of listeners. The chairman opened services by singing song No. 6 in the Showalter book, after which prayer was offered by Rev. J. D. Hughes. Ralph D. Grant, F. M. Taylor sung three songs each and a quartet wes rendered by home quartet. Mr. Huff Buckhalter and Ye Scribe directed three songs each, followed by a quartet. After a 15-minute recess, Bro. S. M. Yates, Jr., directed three songs after which we had a splendid duet and quartet rendered by W. M. Devaughn, L. T. Grant, Lena Mae Devaughn and Ralph Grant. J. R. Robinson directed one song followed by Prof. L. T. Grant who introduced the 1924 Ganus book by singing three splendid selections. We then had another quartet by L. T. Grant, W. M. Devaughn, Ralph D. Grant and Ye Scribe.

Lee Robinson, Ralph D. Grant, Lena Mae Devaughn, Letha Taylor, Claudie Hughes and Mrs. Alice Baker very ably performed at the organ. Bros. T. L. Robinson, D. S. Robinson and Rev. Hughes made some short but very interesting talks at the close of the song service.

We thank everyone who helped to make this meeting the success it was and invite you all to meet with us again next third Sunday at 1:30. We are always glad to have visitors. If you have a quartet come along. We like 'em and asure you that they will be welcome and given a chance.

Services were closed with prayer by Rev. J. D. Hughes, to meet again the third Sunday.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Secy.

Watch "His Smoke" This Season

"HOT STOVE" league baseball prophets predict great things from this young pitching star this season. He is Wayland Dean, a 21-year-old right-hand flinger whom the New York Giants recently purchased for a price reported at $50,000 or its equivalent in players and money. The youngster is at present preparing for his southern training trip with McGraw's outfit.

Dean has had a meteoric rise in the baseball world. Just two years ago he came into the limelight and last season was the second most effective hurler in the American Association, winning twenty-one games and losing eight as a member of the Louisville club.

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Louisville Courier-Journal—Benjamin Franklin's picture is on the new $100 bills. In order to get one of these handsome engravings just follow the lines indicated by Poor Richard.

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HIGHWAY COMMISSION ASKS FOR NEW BIDS IN CHILTON

Highway Commission Changes Specifications on Base For 17-Mile Road in Chilton; Lifting Limitation.

Published specifications for the base of the first seventeen miles of the Chilton county link of the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway were changed Monday from Portland cement to cement. On motion of Commissioner Suttle, seconded by Commissioner Scruggs, and unanimously voted by the State Highway Commission, the highway engineer was authorized to re-advertise for bids for this section of road.

The action of the commission makes competition possible among various types of road building material in the bidding on this seventeen mile section. The original specifications for this road named Portland cement exclusively for both base and top. This was later changed to take in such types as asphalt, bitulithic, Warrenite, etc. However, representatives of these types of paving appeared before the commission and protested that even with the allowance of bids on these types, it would be impossible to compete with concrete in the bidding because of the specifications. It was argued that while only six inches was demanded for concrete, bidders on asphalt, Warrenite, bithulithic, etc., would have to put in a six inch base of Portland cement concrete and then a two inch top on that. They argued they could not do it and that really only concrete bidders could take part.

Following the action of the representatives of these different types of paving, the commission Monday decided to re-advertise for bids taking out the Portland cement from the specifications and naming merely cement on the base. Under this wording slag cement can be used as a base and bidders can take this into consideration when making up their bids.

To Make Survey

The commission by unanimous vote decided to make a preliminary survey of a proposed route of the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway beginning at Reese's Ferry across the Alabama river, thence northward taking in Prattville, thence White City and to Clanton. The proposed new route would make the road run ten miles west of Verbena, the present route of the Birmingham - Montgomery Highway. After this survey is completed, the commission will decide definitely on the location of the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway from Clanton south to Montgomery. It will either be from Clanton via Verbena, Marbury and Prattville to Montgomery or from Clanton via White City, via Prattville to Montgomery. It is claimed the proposed new route would be four miles shorter than the present survey and would cost $100,000 less to construct.

A delegation of citizens headed by W. A. Gulledge of Verbena, appeared before the commission to urge the Lower route for the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway. This route would run from a point one and one-half miles east of Prattville to Marbury, thence through Verbena to Clanton. These citizens pointed out that there is a 90 per cent white pop-

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COMMISSIONERS MEET AT THORSBY ON ROAD MATTERS

On Monday of this week the County Commissioners and Judge Reynolds went up to Thorsby and held a meeting with the land-owners along the right-of-way of the proposed State Highway in the northern part of Chilton county. As the county commissioners are required to obtain the right-of-way and turn same over to the State, the purpose of this meeting was to find out how the people felt about the highway going through their land and how much damage they would charge the county for the right-of-way.

From the general expressions of the landowners, they do not want the highway to go through their lands at all, since most all of them ask enormous damages for the road to go through their property. Judge Reynolds states that from the way the people talked at the meeting Monday, the right-of-way between Lomax and the north county line would cost Chilton county around $10,000. The county cannot afford to pay this price, so it appears now that either an arbitration committee will have to be provided to condemn the right-of-way and set a fair price for the damages or else the right-of-way will have to be changed over on the west side of the railroad. It appears that the people over on the west side want the road to go through their land and most of them are willing to donate the right-of-way This being the case, very likely the highway commission will consider putting the road over on the west side of the railroad near where the old highway now goes.

TO DEMONSTRATE AVERY FARMING IMPLEMENTS

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, March 20, 21 and 22, B. F. Avery & Sons, big farm implement manufacturers, will have representatives in Clanton to demonstrate the work of the famous Avery implements. A big lot of the various kinds of implements will be brought up from Montgomery and put to various tests. The demonstrations will be held at the store of Mullins & Moore, local representatives of the Avery line. Different kinds of entertainment is promised, and if the weather is agreeable some actual work will be done with the implements to show the farmers how they are used. The farmers of this county should attend at least some of these demonstrations, as you will learn something which will be of value to you. Read their announcement in this paper and watch for their big advertisement in The Union-Banner next week

PUBLIC NOTICE

All who are interested in making some changes in Harris Road west of Riderville, will please meet me at Shelby Barnes' place next Saturday, March 15th at 10 o'clock.

C. T. WALKER, Co. Comm.

Mrs. Dock Culver of Dadeville spent the past week in Fairview community, being the charming guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams. Mrs. Culver will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Everee Williams.

OFFICIAL CENSUS OF CLANTON IS 1,714

Complete Returns Give Clanton A Total of 1,336 Whites and 378 Colored.

By order of the Mayor and Town Council of Clanton the program of taking the complete census of the population of the town was instituted a few weeks ago, and the work has now been completed. The following figures have been compiled which are sworn to as being the correct number of those bona fide residing within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton:

WHITE	
Males	658
Females	678
Total Whites	1336
COLORED	
Males	175
Females	203
Total Colored	378
Total Population	1,714

The government census taken in 1920 gave Clanton only 1,411 population, which must have been incorrect. The town officials were very careful in computing these figures, and no doubt, they are very nearly if not absolutely correct.

If the corporate limits of Clanton were extended to take in the people who live out in the edges of town we would have up close to 3,000 people. These people really belong to be considered in the population of Clanton, so why can't we put on a move to get them in? It would be a great boost to Clanton if we could go before the world with a population of 3,000. This would help us out in more ways than one. We could command much more recognition from the railroads and other big corporations if we could tell them that our population is 3,000. This would enable us to make the L. & N. build us a big fine brick and stone depot and make other needed improvements. Let's get busy and do it.

CHILTON COUNTY MUSIC CLUB IS ORGANIZED

A meeting of the music lovers of Clanton was held in the Wadesonian Theatre Tuesday night. The purpose of the meeting was the organizing of a music club of Chilton County and the forming of a band.

The Weldon Music House of Clanton had a number of their new band instruments on display at the meeting and some talented people were there to demonstrate them. Mr. Williams of the Williams Music House in Birmingham played the saxaphone and Mr. Bice of Thorsby performed on the violin. Mr. Foss of Thorsby drummed and Miss Kemp of Clanton accompanied with the piano. Some fine music was made which commanded much applause from the audience.

Col. J. O. Middleton was called upon to act as spokesman, who came forward and briefly stated the purpose of the meeting. Mr. E. T. Weldon acted as temporary chairman to begin the organization. Hon. J. O. Middleton was unanimously elected president of the Chilton County Music Club, who came forward and took charge of the meeting. Percy M. Pitts was elected Secretary, J. Z. Mims Treasurer and T. J. Beutell, Business Manager.

After a couple of nice vocal solos by Percy M. Pitts and a short talk by J. L. Johnson and Mr. Williams, the meeting was closed. Those who wished to take part in the band met at the Weldon Music House after the meeting, where the organization of the band was completed

It will be very gratifying news to the people of Clanton and Chilton County to learn that we are going to have a real honest-to-goodness band here. There is nothing quite so attractive and admirable as a well organized and well trained band, and we are indeed proud that the movement is well on foot.

MISS CURRY'S PROGRAM OVER RADIO THIS P. M.

Following is the program which Miss Roberta Curry will present over the radio in New York City this (Thursday) afternoon. She will sing at 3:35, our time, and 4:35 New York time. Miss Curry will sing the first group of songs and after a brief interval sing the last group. Those who have radio receiving sets may tune in with New York at this time and hear Miss Curry sing.

(I).

1. The Lass With the Delicate Air—Michael Arne.
2. The Mither Heart. — William Stickles.
3. Ma Little Banjo.—Dichmont.
4. Solvejg's Lied.—Edward Greig.

(II).

1. Who Knows.—William Stickles.
2. In An Old-fashioned Town.—Squire.
3. Pale Moon.—Logan.
4. The Answer.—Robt. Huntington Terry.

Jessie C. Jones, Irving Williams, Tom Mims, Roy Clayton and George Wyatt went to Lockhart Monday.

WAY IS SHOWN TO BIGGER INCOMES

Prof. Duncan Declares That Big Increase in Profits Will Follow Application of New Information.

Auburn, Ala., March 10.—Application of the latest scientific information regarding agriculture is one of the easiest ways for farmers to increase their incomes this year, in the opinion of Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director of the Alabama Extension Service.

To illustrate the advantages of this information Prof. Duncan calls attention to the results of variety tests conducted by the Alabama Experiment Station last year. Valuing lint cotton at 30 cents a pound the difference between the highest and lowest yielding varieties in north Alabama tests was worth $37.50 per acre; and in the south Alabama tests $35.10 an acre; and in tests on the Experiment Station at Auburn, $52.80. "Think what it would mean," said Prof. Duncan, "if every cotton grower in Alabama would plant good seed of the best and highest yieylding varieties. Millions of dollars would be added to the value of the cotton crop of the State."

Similar results were obtained in corn variety tests. Over a four-year period nine varieties of corn on the Experiment Station at Auburn were judged worthy of being reported, and the average difference in yields of the highest and the lowest varieties was 8.6 bushels per acre. Results in line with these were obtained in central and south Alabama tests.

The same is true of fertilizers. During the last twelve years the Alabama Experiment Station has made a special study of fertilizers for cotton, and by following information gained as a result of these experiments farmers may receive much larger profits from the use of fertilizer.

UNCLE JOE POPWELL DEAD

After an illness of several days and after being in declining health for the past year, Uncle Joe Popwell of Fairview community, died last Thursday evening. "Uncle Joe," as he was most familiarly known, was 68 years old and was the father of nine children, four boys and five girls. The boys are Lee, Iven, Rufus and Joe, Jr. The five girls are all married and live near the old homestead of their parents. Lee and Iven also live in the Fairview community, but Joe lives in Birmingham and Rufus lives in Seattle, Washington.

The old man was a member of the Baptist church at Highland, and has been a most faithful worker in his church for a number of years. He furnished his children with a fair education, and was a true husband and father from every standpoint.

The remains were buried at Highland cemetery Friday afternoon, Rev. T. J. Deason preaching the funeral. During the funeral services, the church house was filled to overflowing with sorrowing friends and relatives who were there to pay their last respects to the noble life which God had seen fit to separate from this world. Uncle Joe was indeed a faithful worker in his church and community, both of which, together with his loving wife and children, will sorely miss him.

30,000 NEW SPINDLES FOR TALLASSEE MILLS

Tallassee, Ala., March 10.—Extensions to the Tallassee Mills provide for an additional 30,000 spindles and an expenditure of a million dollars or more. Bids have been asked for, says J. E. Harris, agent, who recently returned from Greenville, S. C., and Baltimore.

Approximately 150 new houses are to be erected in addition to the additions to the mill. The mill now employs about 1,400 people and consumes approximately 25,000 bales of cotton every year. When extensions are completed, the mills will employ 1,800 people and consume over 40,000 bales annually.

Good people of Clanton, just read the above and think how stupid and how unconcerned we are and how our neighboring towns are taking from us the things which we need so badly and which they could get along all right without. Tallassee already had a big cotton mill and now it is being doubled in size and capacity. Clanton has no manufacturing industry at all and we just continue to snooze on and let all the good things go by. Why in the world don't our citizens and business men get in behind our Chamber of Commerce and get something started here? Our people all want the Chamber of Commerce to do something for our town but they don't want to be bothered with the trouble themselves. The Chamber of Commerce can't accomplish anything unless the entire citizenship attends its meetings and backs it up. Let's get together and have some action.

Rev. C. C. Wilkerson is on a business trip to Albany, Ga., and South Alabama this week.

FORD'S OFFER FOR SHOALS IS PASSED BY THE HOUSE

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK FOR COUNTY OFFICES

In reading over our column of political announcements this week our readers will notice a number of new candidates. The candidates for commissioner from the Fourth district and for County Treasurer are piling up rather high, but those for Commissioner from the Third district and member of Board of Education are not commanding much attention so far, as only one candidate has announced for each of these offices.

Mr. A. P. Vinson of Clanton, Route 6, comes out as a candidate for Commissioner from the Fourth district. It will be remembered that Mr. Vinson was commissioner the term preceding the present one, during which time he made one of the best commissioners we have had. He also ran in the primary last time and was defeated by Mr. Littlejohn. Mr. Vinson took his defeat like a man and stood squarely behind the ticket in the general election.

Mr. C. T. Walker of Lawley carries his announcement for re-nomination as commissioner from the Third district. Mr. Walker has made a good record in this office and he is highly recommended for re-nomination by the citizens of his home district comprising Beats 7, 8 and 15. We are carrying elsewhere in this issue of the paper a long list of names from these beats who are backing him up in his race for re-nomination.

Another announcement for County Treasurer is that of Mr. C. D. Hughes of Verbena, Route 2. Mr. Hughes is a school teacher and the son of Rev. J. D. Hughes. Cherly is a fine young man and no doubt possesses all the makings of a good county treasurer.

Mr. J. L. Burnett of Lawley Route 1, better known as Lonza Burnett, has come out for county commissioner from the Third District. Mr. Burnett lives in Beat 7 near County Line School house and is a close neighbor to Mr C. T. Walker, the present commissioner from that district. We learn that Mr. Burnett stands well in his home community and in his district. He is a firm believer in the principles of the Republican party and if nominated and elected will no doubt make us a good commissioner.

RAT KILLING CAMPAIGN EXTENDED TO MAY 1

The rat killing campaign put on in Clanton by the Civic Club, which was to have closed on March 28th has been extended to May 1st. The purpose of the extension of the time was on account of the late cold weather hindering the killing of rats. It is hoped that the boys may be able to destroy a good many rats before this date.

ROAD LAW AMENDED

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County has amended the road law, and where it was a violation to haul in 36 hours after a rain, they made it 24 hours after March 15th. They decided that after this date the roads would dry out in 24 hours.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

After Two Years, McKenzie Bill Starts to Senate With 227 For and 142 Against Its Adoption.

Washington, March 10. — Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals, pending before Congress for more than two years, was approved today by the House of Representatives.

By a vote of 227 to 142 the McKenzie bill, which would authorize acceptance of Ford's bid, was passed and sent to the Senate where there is uncertainey as to what action, if any, will be taken on it at this session. Continuously before the House for a week, the McKenzie measure was approved practically in the form in which it was reported by the military committee, which had been informed by Mr. Ford that he would take over the government's nitrate and power project on the Tennessee River under the terms embodied in the bill.

To the last, advocates of the Ford offer resisted attempts to modify the proposed contract. Amendment after amendment, aimed at the heart of the bill, was thrown out by decisive vote, and as passed the measure carried less than half a dozen of minor amendments which proponents of the bill were willing to accept.

Gets Amendment.

Attached to the bill, however, was the Madison amendment, approved by the military committee, which obligates the government to replace the Gorgas steam plant, recently sold to the Alabama Power Company. Provision is made that this plant, which is not to cost, with a transmission line to nitrate plant No. 2, more than the $3,472,487 received for the Gorgas property, is to be sold to Mr. Ford, along with nitrate plants Nos. 1 and 2 and the Waco quarry near Russellville, Ala.

Under terms of the bill, Ford will have the right to lease for 100 years dams 2 and 3 at Muscle Shoals and adjacent power stations. Outnumbered but fighting stubbornly to the last roll call, opponents of the offer made a futile last-minute attempt to bring him under the terms of the federal water power act, thereby limiting his lease to fifty years and to keep in the bill an amendment adopted Saturday, which would enable the government to "recapture" the properties in the event the Detroit manufacturer failed to live up to his contract in any particular.

On the demand of Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee, one of the leading Ford offer advocates, a roll call was demanded just before the final vote on the amendment, and it went out of the bill by a vote of 197 to 176.

UNDERWOOD COMES OUT ABOUT 30,000 AHEAD IN RACE

Unofficial and incomplete reports Wednesday at noon said that Underwood won over Musgrove in the preferential primary election by around 30,000 votes. Eleven boxes from Chilton County gave Underwood 275 and Musgrove 81 and Dinsmore 1.

Musgrove speaks of contesting the primary on the ground that the count was turned in wrong by the election officers of the State.

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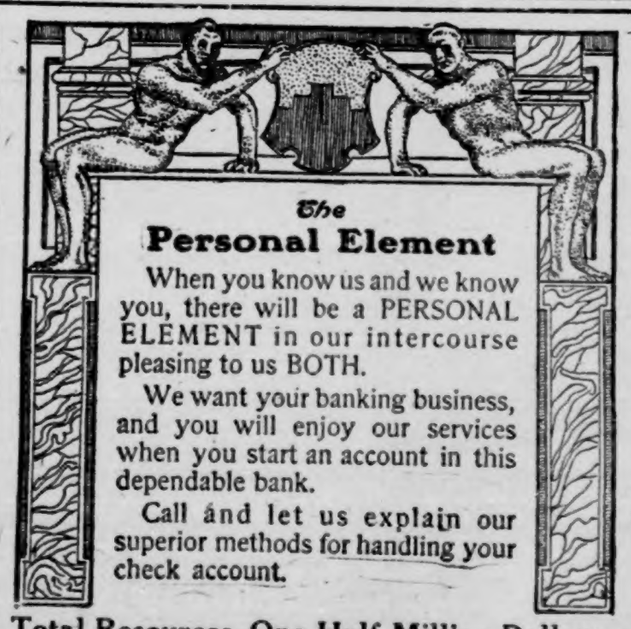

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Study of Relationship of Transportation and Taxes Interesting.

A study of taxes as they pay for, or are paid by, transportation, and the interrelation of roads, tax, transport, and expenditure, has been made by Mr. John E. Walker, former tax adviser, U. S. Treaury.

According to this report, the counties of the United States administer 60 per cent and the States 40 per cent of all the highway funds spent. Of all highway expenditures, 60.5 per cent is spent for new or reconstruction and the balance of 39.5 per cent for maintenance, amortization, and interest. Of the general tax dollar, 5.6 per cent—slightly more than one-twentieth—is expended for highways.

A very interesting angle is brought out in the statistics which show that the total taxes levied on motor vehicles are now more than equivalent to the cost of highway maintenance. In other words, after the road is built the users pay for its upkeep without cost to the State or county doing the building.

All transportation together, which includes all motor vehicle, both passenger and freight, all electric railways, all steam railways, and all boats of all kinds, pay 8.1 per cent of the Nation's total tax bill, which would indicate that a fair proportion of what is being spent on highways comes from highway users direct instead of from the general tax dollar contributed by everyone, yet everyone benefits from highways.

It is also interesting to note that of the $1,150,000,000 of "highway income" reprensented in the chart, 38.1 is derived from bonds, 44.2 from taxation, 10.6 from motor fees, and 7.1 from Federal aid.

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CELEBRATE THEIR 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

On February 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sample at Plantersville, Mrs. Sample celebrated the 50th wedding anniversary for her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Terry of Plantersville. The invited guests present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Terry and family, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Terry, Mrs. Terry's sister, Mrs. Eliza Sanderson of Selma, Mr. Terry's sister, Mrs. Bettie Eaves who resides with him at Plantersville, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sample, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Milling, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Fuller, Mrs. Dewitt Reed and Mrs. Joe Hathcock. A delicious dinner was served at 1 o'clock. The center of the table was a boquet of yellow narcissus and a large white pound cake containing 50 little lighted candles on it to represent the 50 years of happiness spent by Mr. and Mrs. Terry.

After the dinner was served a beautiful wedding march was played by Miss Inez Sample, attractive grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Terry, while little Frances Terry, 6-year-old grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry was the golden ring bearer of a beautiful ring given by their children and grand-children.

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"Since my wife's death, five years ago, I have suffered greatly from stomach and liver trouble and gas attacks. I lost over 50 lbs., and at times was as yellow as saffron. My doctors could not help me. Six doses of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy have entirely cured me. I have regained my weight and every one is congratulating me how well I look." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and leading druggists everywhere.

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QUINCY, FLA.

We are having some beautiful weather here now. The tobacco growers are very busy preparing their shades to grow tobacco, and the saw mills are all running full time. There are about five or six mills near Quincy.

The fish are plentiful here on the little rivers and creeks; almost every day a negro boy can be seen going by with a long string of fish.

All the people who are here from Alabama seem to like Florida. Some say they are going to make Florida their future home. There is plenty of work, good schools and churches, perfect roads and plenty of things to amuse.

On last Tuesday evening the people of Quincy and vicinity enjoyed a band concert given by 16 orphan boys, from the orphanage at Macon, Ga. These boys are now traveling from place to place giving these concerts in the interest of the orphan home in Macon, Ga., and they were given quite a lot of money here for the Home. The bandmaster gave a very interesting talk about giving the unfortunate children "a chance in life," which was very much enjoyed. Those who attended the concert from our mill camps were: Mr. and Mrs. Culp, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Mr. Eugene Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Love, Mr. Lum Hicks and a fe wothers.

Mrs. Mertis Parker and baby of Birmingham are here visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. T. Holmes. Mrs. Parke ris a former resident of Centerville, a graduate of the B. C. H. S. there, and will be remembered as Miss Mertis Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hicks and children were out last Sunday afternoon trying their new Ford.

Messrs. W. P. Hicks, Jack Collins, Eugene Thompson, Moodie Collins and Lum Hicks attended preaching services at Quincy Baptist church Sunday night.

Last Thursday the real "Buster Brown and Tige" was here from St. Louis. The children from here went to see them and hear what "Buster" had to say. Those who saw and heard him were: Warren Culp, Lumon Layden, Philip Hicks and Malcom Hawkins. Buster and Tige gave their entertainment on the streets of Quincy. The children enjoyed this very much as they had never seen Buster and Tige. He gave the children all several toys to take home.

The people here from Chilton and Bibb counties wish all the homefolks and The Union-Banner much success.

NOTICE OF SALE

At the request of the County Board of Education, I am asking for sealed bids to be presented to the Board on or before Friday, March 28th, for the sale of the Mt. Carmel school building of this county. This building is located about 9 miles west of Clanton.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-6-4t-c. County Supt. Education.

CONCERT AT CANE CREEK

The Cane Creek School will give a concert at the school house on Friday night, March 14th. There will be no admission charges, and everybody has a cordial invitation to attend.

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Harold Leonard and His Red Jackets★
No One Knows What Happens IN THE OLD ARM CHAIR—Fox Trot
Harold Leonard and His Red Jackets★

40023 — 10 in. — 75c
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TWO MEN CAUGHT WITH WHISKEY AT COOPERS

Deputies Foshee and Easterling captured and arrested at Coopers last Saturday afternoon two men, whom it is alleged, have been carrying on quite an extensive bootlegging business in Coopers for some time past. These men were Alphus Grant and Jasper Glenn. The officers captured them on the railroad near the north switch at Coopers and they were in the possession of three pints of whiskey. The officers state that the men had with them four Coca-Cola bottles, which it is supposed they were going to use in measuring up their spirits for distribution.

Both Grant and Glenn were arrested and brought to Clanton and lodged in jail, where they remained until bond was procured.

Deputy Culp and John L. Gore, prohibition officer, made a sashay up around Union Grove Saturday night and caught in their net Walter Campbell who had in his possession a pint of moonshine. Campbell was arrested and brought to jail in Clanton. Up until Monday he had failed to make bond.

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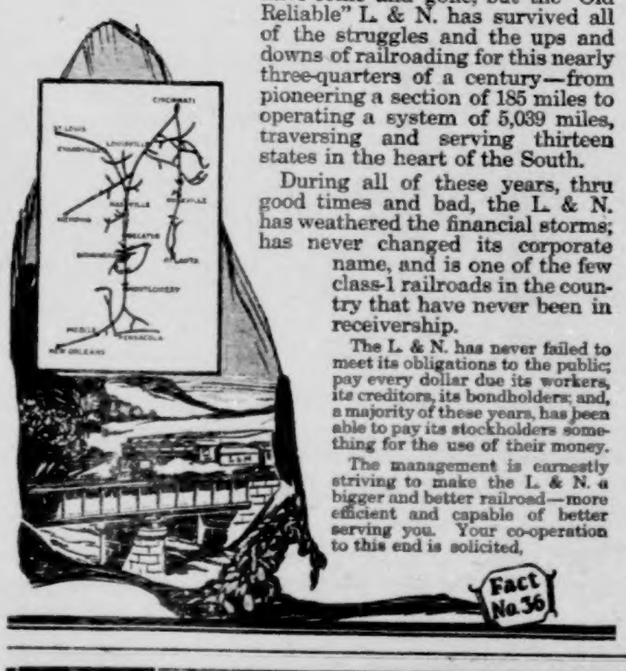
During all of these years, thru good times and bad, the L. & N. has weathered the financial storms; has never changed its corporate name, and is one of the few class-1 railroads in the country that have never been in receivership.

The L. & N. has never failed to meet its obligations to the public; pay every dollar due its workers, its creditors, its bondholders; and, a majority of these years, has been able to pay its stockholders something for the use of their money.

The management is earnestly striving to make the L. & N. a bigger and better railroad—more efficient and capable of better serving you. Your co-operation to this end is solicited.



Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

but it did the work. It just seemed to cleanse the liver. Very soon I felt like new. When I found Black-Draught so easy to take and easy-acting, I began to use it in time and would not have sick headaches."

Constipation causes the system to re-absorb poisons that may cause great pain and much danger to your health. Take Thedford's Black-Draught. It will stimulate the liver and help to drive out the poisons.

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The Avery Shawnee Jr. abundantly supplies the farmer's needs for a walking planter that does all sorts of planting. We will gladly demonstrate it. Come to our store and see for yourself its many good features.

There is a full line of famous Avery walking, riding and tractor plows, tillage implements and Champion harvesting and haying machines

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Thought For the Day:

You're sick of the game? Well now that's a shame!
You're young and you're brave and you're bright.
You've had a raw deal, I know, but don't squeal
Buck up, do your damdest and fight!

It's the plugging away that will win you the day
So don't be a piker old pard;
Just draw on your grit; it's so easy to quit—
It's the keeping your chin up that's hard.—Robert W. Service.

Missionary Society Meets.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds was hostess on last Monday to the W. M. S. of the Methodist Church. The reception rooms were brightened with vases of narcissus and hyacinths. The meeting was opened with a song and the study of the Mission Book, "Building with India" was most interesting. A contest recently put on manifested a bit of enthusiasm. Several instructive papers and talks were heard.

Later a business session was held and plans for a dinner to be served was completed. A short discussion of the Easter bazaar was heard. At the close of the program a lovely plate luncheon with hot coffee was served to the twenty members present. Mrs. Barney Roberts will be hostess in two weeks.

Civic Club Meets.

Questionnaires of yellow jonquils and spring blossoms were the attractive means of decorating the home of Mrs. J. P. Hayes on Tuesday afternoon when she was hostess to the Civic Club. An interesting program on "Better Speech" was enjoyed and Book Week was stressed. Illiteracy week is to be observed by the Club on March 20-28 and a sale of illiteracy stamps will be put on. Later in the afternoon a delightful salad plate was served and a short business session was held. The Club had as its guests Mrs. Daily Miller and Miss Jessie Goodwin who is the guest of Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

Pretty Children's Party.

Master John Ezell was a lovely little host on last Saturday afternoon when he celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell. Red and white were the chosen colors for the occasion. Numerous nice games were enjoyed and the bursting of the peanut bag by the boys who were blind-folded created much merriment. The birthday cake which held seven lighted candles was cut and Easter rabbits drawn as favors of this happy affair. A delightful dessert course was served late in the afternoon to about 18 little guests.

Mrs. Chandler Entertains at Forty-Two.

On Wednesday Mrs. H. F. Chandler entertained at six tables of forty-two. The house was decorated with palms and yellow jonquils and narcissus. At the close of the game a salad course was served, after which the guests drew numbers from a huge jonquil. Mrs. Guy Higgins drew the highest number and was presented with a linen handkerchief. Mrs. L. C. Ross received a hand-made apron for the lowest number.

Mrs. Wilkerson, Hostess.

An enjoyable afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson on last Wednesday, when she had as her guests the members of her sewing club. Fancy sewing and social conversation was indulged in until late when a refreshing ice course was served. The club regretted to accept the resignation of Mrs. Wilkerson, which was tendered on account of her many religious obligations. Mrs. Petrey was a visitor for the afternoon.

Mrs. Heard Hostess for Club.

On Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock Mrs. Victor Heard entertained the members of the bridge club at her lovely home on Seventh avenue.

The living room was tastefully decorated in ferns and baskets of narcissus . Bridge was enjoyed until 5 o'clock, after which a delicious salad course was served.

Mrs. Hance Alred received a beautiful hand-painted tea pot for highest score.

Mr. Jasper Dennis was a visitor to Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Foshee made a business trip to Montgomery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tarpley from Tuscaloosa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds Wednesday.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie and son, Bob were guests of her mother and sister in Montgomery Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds from Ensley were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett from Aliceville were attendants at the funeral of Mr. Sid Johnson in Clanton Wednesday.

Mr. Grover C. Walker made a business trip to Montgomery Saturday.

Miss Peggy Mullins returned to her home in Birmingham Sunday after a stay of five weeks here where she had scarlet fever.

Mr. Fonza Cunningham of the U.S. Navy is a visitor in Clanton this week.

Judge S. M. Adams of Thorsby was a visitor to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. J. Q. Wade and son Jack were visitors to Russellville Monday.

Mr. Bud Jones made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Biles left Friday for their future home near McMinville, Tenn.

Mr. Dewey Rockett was in Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. Frank Higgins visited the Magic City Tuesday.

Dr. E. E. Upchurch made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. J. P. Crumpton made a shopping tour to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Aldrich from Birmingham spent Wednesday in Clanton attending the funeral of her brother, Mr. Sid Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reynolds returned home Tuesday from Nashville where they had been attending the bedside of the latter's father, Mr. Johnson.

Miss Mildred Shaw spent the week end in Birmingham.

Miss Tina Belle Lecroy from Longview spent the week end with Miss Ila Mae Owens.

Hoyt B. Reynolds from Hardaway is visiting his parents here this week.

Mr. Mack Broadhead was a visitor to the capital city Sunday.

Mr. John Gore from Columbus, Ga., spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins and Peggy Mullins were visitors to Montgomery on last Saturday.

Mr. W. A. Reynolds is attending to business interests at Camden this week.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100
Section "A".

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala., until 12:00 noon April 18th, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.455 miles of road in Chilton County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

The items entering into the construction of this road will be divided into three proposals:

Proposal No. 1 will cover items for the surfacing only.

Proposal No. 2 will cover all grading and drainage with the exception of bridges having a length exceeding 20 feet.

Proposal No. 3 will cover all necessary work for the construction of concrete bridges and an overhead crossing on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Contractors in submitting bids on the surfacing will bid in two ways; first, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials; second, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials with the exception of cement, which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. If the State furnishes the cement, the contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless otherwise permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Puzzolan or slag cement will be permitted in the construction of all base courses.

PROPOSAL NO. 1
Alternate Types of Surfacing.

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Warrenite Bitulithic pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Bituminous concrete, modified Topeka pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Sheet asphalt, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Vitrified brick pavement on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Rock asphalt pavement on concrete base.
187,250 Sq. Yds. cement concrete base course, 1:2½:5 mix.
1,670 Lin. Ft. 6"x14" granite curb headers.
1,000 Lin. Ft. blind drains.

PROPOSAL NO. 2

66.63 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
197,738 Cu. Yds. Common excavation.
10,429 Cu. Yds. Solid rock excavation.
296,085 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation.
275 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed.
338 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
296 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
224 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
254 Lin. Ft. 15" D. S. V. C. Pipe (New).
1,392 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe (new).
788 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe (new).
279 Lin. Ft. 21" pipe (new).
294 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe (new).
10 Standard drop inlets (complete)
137.3 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls.
808.46 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete in culverts.
84,810 Pounds steel reinforcing in culverts.
216 Concrete R. O. W. markers.
23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4" galv. cable for guard rail.
1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.
102 Concrete end post braces for guard rail.
57,828 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting.
300 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap.
8 Structures to be removed from right of way.
3,770 Lin. Ft. 4" drain tile.

PROPOSAL NO. 3

542.8 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete.
56.5 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete.
89,370 Pounds steel reinforcing.
8 Sets steel expansion plates.
433 Cu. Yds. dry excavation.
126 Cu. Yds. wet excavation.
75 Cu. Yds. rock excavation.
538.5 Sq. Yds. 1" concrete surfacing, 1:2:3½ mix.
380 Lin. Ft. timber foundation piles.
4 Test piles for bridge at Station 848—|—86.

On proposals two and three the contractor will furnish all labor and materials including cement.

The new pipe used on this project may be either triple strength terra cotta, reinforced concrete or cast iron.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Ala. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash, certified check or bid bond of the following amounts: $10,000 to accompany Proposal No. 1; $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 2; and $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 3. Certified checks or bid bonds are to be made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama, and must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
3-13-3t State Highway Engineer.

FORMER CHILTON CITIZEN DIES IN NASHVILLE, TENN.

The body of Mr. Sid Johnson arrived in Clanton Tuesday afternoon on No. 3, from Nashville, Tenn., where Mr. Johnson died of heart trouble early Monday night. Mr. Johnson's home was in Montgomery, and he was conductor on the L. & N. Pan American. He was one of the oldest conductors on this road. Although having lived in Montgomery for the past several years, Mr. Johnson and his wife were natives of Chilton County.

Mr. Johnson was nearly 61 years old. He is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. Claud Reynolds of Clanton, Mrs. Harry Tarpley of Tuscaloosa and Miss Ruby Johnson of Montgomery.

Mr. Johnson was a Mason, being a member of the Andrew Jackson Lodge of Montgomery. He was also a member of the Clayton Street Methodist Church of Montgomery.

Funeral services were held in Clanton at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Wilkerson, the Methodist preacher being out of town, Dr. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist church preached the funeral. The Masonic order conducted the burial rites, of which order Mr. Johnson had been a faithful member for many years.

Mr. Leon Kemp spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. L. F. Gerald and Charles Moore enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery Saturday.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Posey Williamson, who was operated on for appendicitis went home Tuesday.

Mrs. Willie Williams was able to go home Saturday.

Mrs. D. L. Langston of Jemison was a patient for several days last week.

Mrs. R. P. Mims is rapidly improving since the removal of a tumor.

Mr. K. F. Davis of Autauga County was here this week with a little son who had sustained serious injury by getting his leg and hip crushed under a wagon wheel.

Rev. W. W. Robinson was operated on Wednesday.

Mr. Guy Abram, who was brought in by Dr. Hayes after being crushed under some heavy timber, is recovering.

Mr. George Marcus was a patient in the hospital several days last week.

Mr. Cary Robinson was in Tuesday to have a bullet removed from his leg.

Mrs. Irenus Stewart of Prattville is visiting her sister, Miss Gardner, superintendent of the hospital.

Miss Virginia Cook Likes It!

Miss Virginia Cook of New York says Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder is the best she has ever used. "I got rid of them quickly." If you are visited with roaches remember the name. Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder DOES destroy all roaches! If you have them now get a can TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins was a visitor to Clanton Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Mullins was the week end guest of Miss Marzelle Mullins in Montgomery.

FIRE INSURANCE

The fire loss in 1923 amounted to $1,000 a minute. The total loss of property was $502,000,000.00. The next loss may YOURS. Have you the proper protection? Are the companies in which your property is insured financially responsible?

The Orient Insurance Company has a surplus of $3,000,000 and is anxious to protect your houses and barns from fire. Its rates are cheap and it asures prompt and satisfactory adjustments in losses. It makes a specialty of Farm Insurance.

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New Meat Market

I have opened up a Meat Market in the back end of Miner's Grocery Store, and I invite my Friends to come here to buy their Fresh Meats.

I shall strive at all times to furnish Meats of the Better Kind and to give Service that will be pleasing. I will appreciate your Business.

J. A. Baker

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of an "Act to provide for the Registrtaion of Electors," enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the County of Chilton, Alabama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4, at the Court House on March 26, 27, 28, and 29, 1924.

This 29th day of February, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chm.,
J. L. JOHNSON,
E. H. ADAMS,
Registrars Chilton County.

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Mr. McAdoo's friends say he is going to stick. They may rest assured that his oil reputation will also stick.

THE BREAD SPREAD

A Senator, after investigating the matter, reports that the spread between the cost of a barrel of flour and the bread it would make was $18.30 in 1923 and that a New York baking house made 118 per cent on its 1923 business. Evidently the farmer is being gypped, the consumer is being mulched, and the baking house has been profiteering. Such transactions call for effective organization to combat them, or the modern housewife will have to resume bread baking.

THE FACTS IN THE OIL LEASING MATTER

So much politics has been injected into the oil leasing investigation on Capitol hill that the fundamental facts have been hidden from the public. Briefly, they are as follows:

Under the Taft administration certain portions of the public domain were set aside as oil reserves for the special use of the navy.

On Feb. 25th, 1920, an act of Congress, fathered by Senator Walsh, became a law, authorizing the leasing of public oil reserves to private companies for development on a royalty basis, the Secretary of the Interior being invested with the authority to make the leases.

On March 5th, 1920, Secretary of the Navy Daniels addressed a letter to the chairman of the House Committee on Naval Affairs requesting that the law be amended to give the navy absolute power over all naval reserves, with authority to "develop, use and operate" the oil reserves, directly or by lease, on the ground that drainage of these reserves by wells on adjecent territory made this necessary.

Following this request Secretary of the Interior Payne continued to grant leases on public lands adjacent to the naval reserves, increasing the danger of drainage of the naval reserves of their oil.

In June, 1920, the request of the Secretary of the Navy to assume control of the naval oil reserves with a view to their "development" was granted by a "rider" in Congress.

Thereafter seven leases were granted on these naval reserves to private parties by Secretary of the Navy Daniels, the action being taken by him in conjunction with Secretary of the Interior Payne, without the formality of a presidential order, but only by correspondence between the two offices.

In line with this precedent the leases to Doheny and Sinclair were granted by Secretary Denby and Fall. These leases were based on the same necessity to guard against drainage by adjacent operations mentioned by Secretary Daniels. The terms of the leases were as favorable as any granted under the preceding administration. They involved vast expenditures of money by Doheny and Sinclair which could be undertaken only by a few oil operating concerns. They provided for the erection of storage tanks and the storing of oil for navy purposes at huge expense to the operators, who were to be reimbursed in government oil.

Both Sinclair and Doheny publicly exploited these leases as being immensely profitable in order to boost the stocks of their oil companies, succeeded in doing so, and thus made huge profits in the market. Later the quotations on their stocks dropped. It is the belief of oil experts that the leases are not in fact profitable to the operators, especially in vitw of the fact that the drilling results have been far below expectations.

The scandal in connection with these leases is that Secretary Fall, pressed for money, borrowed $100,000 from Doheny and $25,000 from Sinclair, and lied about the transactions publicly and privately when his financial relations with the two men were made public, thereby leading to the public belief that the transactions were corrupt and detrimental to the public interest.

That is all there is in the oil scandal; there isn't any more. Taft locked up the naval oil reserves, Daniels and Payne opened them and Fall made leases to Doheny and Sinclair under circumstances now on the way to court determination as to whether they were criminal, but which everyon knows were reprehensible.—National Republican.

LOOKING FOR ANOTHER ST. PATRICK

POLITICAL LYNCH LAW

From the Atlanta Constitution (Democratic)

The refusal of Attorney General Daugherty to summarily resgin his office during a storm of political hysteria and congressional mobocracy, without trial or hearing, and without even a flirect charge of wrongdoing again him, was right; and for his courage, and for upholding the faith of a democratic form of government that guarantees fair play to every individual, he will be commended by right-thinking Americans, regardless of party affiliations.

If Attorney General Daugherty has been guilty of corruption, direct or indirect, the latter thruogh shielding, as a federal prosecutor, the guilty, he should be not only dismissed, but punished. But as the defendant before the bar of justice, he should be tried and the facts should be established.

If he has been guilty of subverting justice to party or political exigencies, or of using the great temple of justice over which he presides for personal financial gain, directly or in collusion with other private citizens or officials of government, he should be dismissed and, if guilty of any crime, punished.

But in the absence, as yet developed, of one iota of evidence connecting him with any irrregularity of any kind, his firm, resolute and defiant attitude in not voluntarily surrendering to the political hounds who are on his trail shows a fighting spirit that is admirable, a character that is unafraid, and a will power in defense of the cherished institutions of our government that is commendadble and appealing.

The Attorney General is today a bigger man, though hounded more during his term than any man in public office in a generation, than he has ever been. His failure to show weakness under fire has gripped the public thought.

He asks for a fair trial—and for nothing more. It is the inherent right of every man. Not only is it the inherent right, but it is the bedrock of our system of government.

The present hysteria has developed unfortunately into a mob spirit. It is undermining the institutions built upon the constituted rights of individuals. It is tearing at personal reason and prudence.

The guilty should be punished; those of guilty knowledge who shielded the guilty, should go. But in the name of reason and justice and in the spirit and letter of the Constitution and the Magna Charta of American liberty, let the facts be established through constituted channels, and let justice prevail in the verdict.

We decry lynching—the mob spirit. And yet by those who talk the loudest of law and order and constituted authority and the bulwarks of democrncy, attempts are being made today to lynch public men that are just as reprehensible as is the mob spirit in any of its wild, unfettered rampades.

CATARRH

Catarrh is a Local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.

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GOSSIP IN RHYME

Washington, March 10, 1924.—The gossip style of scandal-mongering, to which the Democrats in Congress have resorted, was very aptly described by Senator Lodge when he recently read in the Senate a parody on "Brothers and sisters I have none." The lines, read in the midst of one of the frequent Democratic outbursts of inuendo, have created much amusement and have served to emphasize the vague character of many of the accusatlions directed at public officials. The parody is as follows:.

"VANDERLIP SAYS"

"Absolute knowledge have I none,
But my aunt's washerwoman's sister's son
Heard a policeman on his beat
Say to a laborer on the street,
That he had a letter just last week—
A letter which he did not seek—
From a Chinese merchant in Timbuctoo
Who said that his brother in Cuba knew
Of an Indian chief in a Texas town
Who got the dope from a circus clown
That a man in the Klondike had it straight
From a guy in a South American state
That a wild man over in Borneo
Was told by a woman who claimed to know
Of a well-known swell society rake
Whose mother will undertake
To prove that her husband's sister's niece
Has stated plain in a printed piece
That he has a son who never comes home
And who knows all about the Teapot Dome."

SHIN BONES FOR SHINTOS

As a general thing, the United States imports raw material and exports the manufactured product. But this process is being reversed in the case of the mah jong sets that enter this country. It seems they have their origin in the Chicago abattoirs. The other day three carloads of selected shin bones from cows were exported to Japan, whence they will be sent to China to be manufactured into "east winds," "west winds," "four seasons," etc., and then brought back to this country for the entertainment of American faddists.

Here is an apparent need for a higher rate in our tariff law. There is no reason in the world why our own workmen should not make the games with which they and the rest of our people find enjoyment, especially when the material that enters into their construction is obtained in this country. But of course our wage earners cannot compete with Chinamen working under their native standards of living, even after ocean freight rates to and from China are added to the cost of their product. The evolution of the mah jong sets offers a striking endorsement of Republican economic policies.

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POLITICAL SITUATION CHANGES

President Coolidge as the nominee of the Republican party and appealing to the conservative element of the voters, would doubtless have his majority in the fall elections materially increased if Mr. McAdoo were to be the candidate of the Democrats. The latter would gather to him the votes of the radical element, but would lose the support of those old-school Democrats who can intelligently appraise the sound policies of the Coolidge Administration. But the disclosures in the Senate oil investigation appear to have seriously impaired McAdoo's chance for the nomination. With him out of the field, the situation must be sized up anew. Of course there are others more or less radical candidates around whom much of the McAdoo strength will gather, but some of the more conservative aspirants may also expect some of the McAdoo support. A candidate like Senator Underwood would attract support of a different sort than that commanded by McAdoo, leaving the lowler strata of intelligence in the Democratic ranks to rally about somebody who might be named by the Farmer-Laborites or some other third party.

Conservative Democrats can look with relish upon the practical elimjnation of Mr. McAdoo. So can those who want to see a third party entered in the Presidential race. So, also, can the Republicans, who are bound to gain whether their opponents stand solidly behind a man of the McAdoo stripe or whether they split into two camps, each with its respective leader.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

There's a great many ways o' advertisin' but th' dentist that puts a gold tooth in a small boy's mouth is certainly in luck—

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Check those violent coughing spells that bring upon you unfavorable attention. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by gently stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

ONE MILLION A DAY FOR OCEAN COMMERCE

While it is important that public attention should be directed to the developments of the oil investigation there are other matters of public concern which it will be folly to neglect. Among these is the necessity of adopting some sort of plan which will insure the permanent maintenance of a merchant marine. We have reached an agreement with the principal nations of the earth as to the relative strength of our fighting navy. That agreement provides that we shall be on an equality with Great Britain, but experience has shown that we can not wage a war without merchant ships. If the war is at home we need the ships to bring in supplies from abroad; if the war is to be fought in other lands we need the ships to carry our armies abroad and to keep them supplied with food and munitions. Nevertheless, under the present trend of events we are steadily losing our merchant marine.

Recently compiled statistics show that we are carrying only 40 per cent of our ocean-bound foreign commerce and, if the oil tank ships be eliminated, we are carrying only 31 per cent. No one proposes that we shall carry 100 per cent of our ocean commerce. The most that anyone has asked is that we should carry not less than 50 per cent. No American should be satisfied with a policy that provides for less than that proportion to be carried in ships bearing the American flag.

It has been common knowledge for many years that foreign ships can conduct carrying trade at less cost than possible to American shipping paying American wages and maintaining American standards for ship employes. Those who oppose the maintenance of an American marine make the very plausible comment, "Well, if other nations can carry our goods at less cost why not let them do it". At first glance this will appear to many as a conclusive argument but experience has shown that although foreign ships are able to carry our commerce at less cost than it can be carried in American ships, they actually carry at less cost only so long as necessary to drive our ships off the seas. When they have a monopoly of our carrying trade they raise their rates.

An illustration of the methods pursued by our competitors was cited recently by a member of the Shipping Board who recalled the experience of American cement producers who, in 1915, secured what was considered a desirable contract in Brazil. There was no American steamship line existing at the time to carry the cement, and European lines at once raised the rates for transportation so high that the order was cancelled. For similar reasons when American manufacturers were the lowest bidders on 50 locomotives to be delivered in Argentina the freight rate was immediately raised to such an extent that the contract was lost and American workmen lost the wages they would have received if the work had been done in American mills.

The fact is that foreign ships are willing to carry our commerce for less than our own ships can carry it, if they are compelled to do so in order to get the traffic. As soon as American ships are driven out of business, foreign ship lines will raise the rates as high as possible.

In round figures, we are paying over a million dollars a day for the carrying of our ocean commerce. At least half of that ought to be paid to American ships. Sixty-six per cent of Great Britain's trade with other nations is carried under the British flag. Ninety-four per cent of her commerce with her colonies is carried in English ships. We are not jealous of her success in those particulars but we may very reasonably ask that at least 50 per cent of our own commerce, export and import, shall be carried in American bottoms.

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Bert Winslow writes, "We lost several hogs and discovered they were cholera infected. Rats spread the germ. A neighbor told me about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. We used it. In a short time there wasn't a rat to be found. The job was so easy, it was like rolling off a log." Get Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

(Paid pol. adv., by J. Wiley Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

(Paid pol. adv. by Miss Genie Colline, Thorsby, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 16, 1924.

K. M. VINSON.

(Paid pol. adv. by K. M. Vinson, Clanton, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. BICE.

(Paid pol. adv. by J. Bice, Thorsby, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. D. HUGHES.

(Paid pol. adv. by C. D. Hughes, Verbena, Ala., Route 2.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924. H. B. GLENN.

(Paid pol. adv. by H. B. Glenn, Clanton, Ala., R. 6.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. H. ROBINSON.

(Paid pol. adv. by W. H. Robinson, Clanton, Ala., Route 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

(Paid pol. adv. by A. P. Vinson, Clanton, Ala., Route 6.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

(Paid pol. adv. by C. T. Walker, Lawley, Ala.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

(Paid pol. adv., by J. L. Burnett, Lawley, Ala., R. 1.)

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

(Paid pol. adv. by J. P. Dykes, Calera, Ala., Route 1.)

YOUNG MULES

I have at my stables in Clanton a few fine young mules which I will sell at right prices.

C. B. COX

CLANTON, ALABAMA

POOR O

MAPLESVILLE SCHOOL NOW IN ITS FINE NEW BUILDING

The new home of the Maplesville Consolidated School has been completed and school is now being held in the fine new building. It has taken lots of work and lots of money to put up this building, but it is something of which Maplesville and surrounding community can be justly proud.

The opening exercises of the school in honor of entering the new building was held on Friday night, February 29th. A nice program was put on by the students of the school, also a box supper was held. Quite a nice sum of money was raised to help pay for the seats in the auditorium. Prof. H. A. Harris, principal of the school made a nice educational address, also Judge L. H. Reynolds was present and at the request of the people there came forward and made a very interesting educational lecture. A large crowd of people was present and everyone seemed very proud of their new school building and filled with enthusiasm in the interest of education.

BEAUTIFUL PICTURES EVERY SUNDAY

On Sunday, March 16th, The Birmingham News, in celebration of its 36th birthday, will present to its thousands of readers a gift, costing more than $100,000.00, an EIGHT PAGE PICTURE GRAVURE SECTION.

The readers of The Birmingham News are entitled to the best that money will buy, and it is with this thought in view that the management has added a Gravure Section to the paper to be included in every Sunday issue. The section will be printed in sepia (brown) ing on beautifully super-calendared book paper. It will contain each week, scores of local, state, national and international news pictures.

If you are not a regular reader of The Birmingham News, place your order with The News Agent today, or send your subscription direct to The Birmingham News.

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SARDIS NOTES

Sunday was our regular preaching day but the weather was so bad that there wasn't many out. Our pastor, Rev. Taylor of Verbena, preached us a short but interesting sermon. Bro. Taylor has been our pastor for 7 years. He wants all the church members to be present on next preaching day on Saturday, as we are going to appoint two deacons. Bro. Taylor will preach on "The Duty of Deacons." The deacons appointed will be ordained on Sunday following.

The patrons of Vermont School called a school meeting for the purpose of electing a teacher for our next school. Prof. G. S. Millsap of Jemison was unanimously elected as principal. It is the intention of the patrons to build a new school building or put the old one in first class shape, as we want to have a three-teacher school next time. We have over one hundred pupils on roll..

Sunday School is moving on nicely under the management of our superintendent, Mr. H. L. Ratliff. We wish to invite the old folks out as most all the young people attend regularly. Let's make our Sunday school one of the best in the history of our church. We have about 75 on roll; let's make it 100 by our next preachinceg day.

There will be an egg hunt at this place Easter Sunday evening. Everybody come and join in the fun of findinng the eggs.

The fruit supper and cake contest at Mr. White's was enjoyed by a very large crowd Saturday night. Miss Ophelia Ratliff won the cake for being the prettiest girl. The proceeds of the entertainment were $18, which goes to pay on the new organ at the new Methodist church. We wish to congratulate the people of Antioch community for their nice new chucrch building.

Mr. Arch Fisher and wife have returned to their home in Corbin, Ky., after several days visit to parents here.

Messrs. David Weaver and Luther Traywick of Selma were the guests of Misses Anthel Ratliff and Anna Hayes Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Enzo and Errest Klinner were the welcome guests of Misses Annie and Tressy Ratliff Sunday.

Mr. Willie McCarty of Stanton was the guest of Miss Anna Hayes Saturday night.

Miss Anthel Ratliff spent Saturday night with her cousin, Miss Anna Hayes.

Messrs. Floyd Ratliff and Charley Deramus are the happy possessors of a Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Deason announce the birth of a fine baby girl, which they have named Annie Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Headley are the proud parents of a fine baby girl which they have named Margaret Odell.

Miss Lennie Headley has returned home after an extended visit to her brothter near Selma.

Mrs. T. J. Klinner is visiting her children in Burnsville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Grover of Adams visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Charley Carter wis visiting here Sunday. He has just returned from a two-weeks tour in Florida.

Mr. H. L. Ratliff made a business trip to Billingsley Friday.

Mr. John Ratliff of near Selma spent last week end with parents here.

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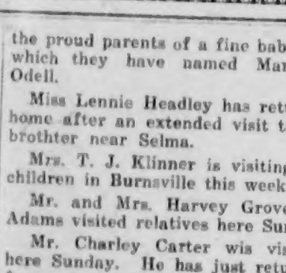
Smilin' Charlie Says—

Th' road t' success seems a lot longer 'n' steeper f'th' young 'ambitious start-in' out than it does f' th' successful lookin' back—



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need not be endured long. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey will stop it quickly by clearing away the heavy phlegm and reducing inflammation in your chest and throat. It combines just such modern medicines as your doctor prescribes—with the soothing pine-tar honey that generations have relied upon to break up coughs. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

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DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar Honey

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As to fit—about twenty different models, longs, shorts, stouts, long stouts, stubs, slims and regulars. All these are designed with mathematical precision to conform witht every normal masculine statue. For each model there are a dozen or so different sizes, hence, it is a very peculiar figure indeed that cannot be properly fitted in CURLEE CLOTHES.

Calling CURLEE CLOTHES "hand-me-downs" is as absurd as calling Shakespeare a lyon taimer. They are as truly custom tailored as any clothing you can order. The only difference is the vast difference in cost—and smart business men don't usually turn up their noses at $10 to $25 saving.

If you want proof of this, you can come here and try on a suit of CURLEE CLOTHTES, or you can ask for the names of our customers, prominent and critical men whom we have weaned from their high-priced tailors

We have now on display all the new thnigs in men's and boys' oxfords, caps, hats, hosiery, underwear, collars, shirts, and lots of other things that we can save you money on. These are all of standard brands.

PARRISH'S

CLANTON, ALA.

AROUND CALERA

Winter time came back to see us Monday with a little "snow".

Mr. Horace Busby from Pelham was a visitor in South Calera Monday.

Miss Dora Campbell went to Siluria Sunday afternoon to be the guest of friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. F. Virgin gave a delightful play at her school last Saturday night. A number of young people from South Calera attended, namely: Miss Mamye Clark, Mr. Elwood Armstrong Miss Catherine Clark, Mr John R. Grubbs, Miss Mexa Tate and Mr. Bob Tate.

Mrs. Jessie Cox was the guest of friends in Calera last week-end.

Mr. Holen Crim was in Columbiana Sunday.

Miss Hazel Cox spenf the week-end in Birmingham as the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs W. R. Cox on Inglenook.

A number of ladies of South Calera were the dinner guests of Mrs. Collum Tuesday.

Mr. Sam Rogers came home from Cherokee Bluffs last week where he has been employed by the Dixie Construction Company.

J. L. Burnett of Lawley, Route 1, was in Clanton on business last Tuesday.

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15 yards of 27-inch Sheeting, ... **$.00**	11 yards of Apron Ginghams, ... **$1.00**	One lot of Mens Hats, Each, ... **$1.00**	One lot of Boys' Knee Pants, pair, ... **$1.00**	One lot of Mens Overalls, pair, ... **$1.00**	2 heavy Blue Work Shirts for men, .. **$1.00**

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THTORSBY SECTION

Now that the success of the public school building project seems to be assured, movements are already on foot to raise funds for equipment of the building, which have not been provided for in the building plans. The first effort in this cause will be made under the auspices of Thorsby Parent-Teachers Association, which through their social committee, composed of Mrs. J. H. Goddard, chairman, Mrs. Joseph E. Each, Mrs. Ed Piper, Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mrs. T. W. Robinson and Mrs. Martin Peterson, will serve a bountiful dinner at 25c per plate at Mr. G. L. Foshee's store on Saturday, March 15th beginning at 11:30 a.m.

It would scarcely be possible to select among Thorsby ladies a more competent sextette in culinary skill and as steering committee they may be depended upon to secure a satisfactory collection of edibles. Remember the day and date, the place, and especially the cause!

Next on the program for the benefit of this project will be a unique entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies Guild of Thorsby to be given in the near future This affair will be of a nature that should attract men, women and children to the capacity of any audience room in Thorsby. Full announcement will be made later.

On Sunday, March 16th at 7:15 in place of preaching service at the Congregational church in Thorsby, there will be a short address or "sermonett" and presentation of a moving picture film entitled "Cain and Abel" under thte direction of Rev. J. M. Graham, who has a good moving picture outfit and knows how to use it.

The day has passed when Thorsby people, as a whole, object to such means being employed, to impressively present religious truths. All innovation find objectors at first. The writer can remember when it was thought sacreligious to use instrumental music in our churches and a violin was regarded as exclusively the property of "his Satanic majesty" and had no place in public worship. Rightly used, there are many things that contribute to spiritual growth.

Mr. C. E. Lucas, president of the Bank of Thorsby, has been ill at his home several days with a severe cold.

Mr. Robert Johnson is reported ill at his home.

Miss Beatrice Johnson is spending several days in Birmingham this week.

The Thorsby Parent-Teachers Association held on interesting meeting at the public school house last Friday afternoon. Several new members were added and work was planned to raise funds for the equipment of the new public school building. Here is an organization all good citizens of Thorsby should join and identify themselves with those who are working for the improvement of educational facilities for our children who, ere long, will have the responsibilities of citizenship.

Mrs. M. J. Soberg entertained a few friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of Rev. and Mrs. H. Engh, who returned last week from a trip to Mobile, Biloxi, New Orleans and other points of interest.

Among Thorsby's week end visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Thompson, Misses Anna Werness, Palma Dahl and Clara Peterson, all from Birmingham. Miss Peterson also had as her guest Miss Effie Donaldson.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday, March 20th with Miss Ida Grenn.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Ed Piper Thursday, March 13th.

The regular meeting of the Helen Keller Literary Society held Saturday evening, March 8th, was well attended and listened to a spirited debate on "Resolved that the Bonus should be granted the Soldiers." Edmund Lakeman and Plato Deason of the affirmative were declared winners.

Now that the basket ball season is over, the boys have organized a base ball team, under coach Lefstead, and will probably be heard from from time to time during thet remainder of Thorsby Institute school year.

Mrs. Martha B. Hunter who for nearly two years past has been not only a member of Thorsby Institute faculty but a devoted house mother for the boys at their dormitory, has resigned on account of poor health, and left early this week for the home of her parents in California. Mrs. Hunter was an efficient church and Sunday School worker and will be greatly missed among her many friends and acquaintances in Thorsby.

Miss Olive Pearson, field worker of Congregational Sunday School Extension Society of New York, was a Thorsby visitor Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Next Saturday night, March 15th at 7:30 the Aeolian Concert Company," composed of three young ladies will give the fifth number in the Thorsby Institute Lyceum course in a varied program which is promised to be exceptionally good.

Mr. A. E. Reagan, manager of Thorsby Hardware company, informs us that as a result of the cream separating demonstration at their store last Saturday, they will establish a cream station at the hardware store to receive and ship cream which the farmers who are equipped with a separator may bring to them. This will be the nucleus for a co-operative creamery business for Thorsby and vicinity which it is hoped will grow to be an extensive and profitable business. Watch The Union-Banner for their ad, which will appear shortly.

While the severe freezing weather of the past few days will probably postpone the shipping of strawberries for a week or more beyond the time it was expected to begin, it does seem likely that the crop is seriously injured, because the blooming of the plants was not advanced to a stage where the first bearing would be killed off. Some peaches, pears and plums which were further advanced were pretty hard hit. So much cold and wet weather is holding back the spring work of the farmers.

In spite of the fact that last Sunday evening was unusually stormy the Christian Endeavor Society met at its usual hour. The meeting was conducted by Miss Shannon. The topic that was discussed was the "Dangers of trifling with God, life, and the Soul." Only a small percent of the members were present at the meeting, but every one that was present took part. The society had the pleasure of adding Mr. Lewis D. Kesley's name to the already long list of active members. It gives us pleasure to add a new name to that list for it shows the interest that the society is creating among the people. Let us all come next Sunday.

WOCO PEP COMPANY HAS A BIRTHDAY

All dealers and agents of the Wofford Oil Company, makers and marketers of the famous Woco Pep benzol-blend motor fuel, will gather in Birmingham, Wednesday, March 19, as guests of the company at its annual "birthday party" celebrating the sixth anniversary of the introduction of Woco Pep to the public, it is announced here today by John T Ellis & Sons, local Woco Pep agents, who will leave for Birmingham, Tuesday to participate in the celebration.

The celebration will be the second of its kind held by the company and more than a hundred dealers and agents from Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Tennessee will be in attendance. Sales conferences, sightseeing drives, novel contests, a big banquet and an evening theatre party are included in plans for the day as announced.

One novel feature of the entertainment will be a contest to establish a new world's record for filling an automobile tank with motor fuel. The present record of two and a half minutes from curb to curb, serving ten gallons of Woco Pep, is held by A. J. Little, Woco agent at Columbus, Ga., and numerous entrants will attempt to lower this mark. Winners in the contest will be awarded handsome medals and already challenges have been received from oil marketers in other territories.

At the Company banquet, new members will be initiated into the "Woco Club," recently organized fun-making body of the Wofford organization. The club is something unique in the oil industry, having been organized to promote goodwill and fellowship among the Wofford employees. Membership is attained by Woco dealers reaching their definite sales quota.

Woco Pep was introduced on Mch. 15, 1918, in Birmingham, being the first benzol-blend motor fuel marketed commercially in this country. Since that date the Wofford Oil company has extended its operations into Georgia, Mississippi and Tennessee as well as throughout Alabama and the Woco Pep trade mark has become one of the best-known in southern motordom.

The Wofford Oil Company as an organization is now in its twenty-first year, having been organized in 1903 by G. T. Wofford, present head of the concern. Its growth during the past six years has been one of the romances of Southern industry.

J. W. Gillespie

Vitality and Strength Follow This Advice

Rockford, Ala.—"I had a bruised hip caused by being thrown from a horse. I was all rundown in health and had liver complaint. I tried all the medicines I could hear of with but little benefit to me. Finally, a friend of mine advised me to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, and after taking four or five bottles I improved so fast that I was soon going without my crutch. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Pellets are the best medicines that I have ever used. I keep them on hand all the time and wouldn't be without them. For the benefit of others who suffer, I am willing to have my testimonial and picture published."—J. W. Gillespie.

Your dealer will sell you Golden Medical Discovery in tablets or liquid, or send 10c for trial pkg. to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and write for free medical advice.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED TO BUY—Good milch cow. Call or write D. W. Ward, Clanton, Route 7. 1t-p.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Ford touring car in good condition. If interested, call or write H. N. Glass, Montevallo, Ala., Rt. 2. 1t-p.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock eggs, Thompson strains, $1.50 per setting of 15.—J. D. Harrell, Montevallo, Ala., Rt. 2. 3-13-4t-p.

DOGS FOR SALE—Four bird puppies, 5 weeks old, and their mother. Males $5.00 each; females $2.50. See Erskin Burkhalter, Clanton, Ala., Rt. 8, c|o E. J. Vinson. 1t-p

NOTICE—This is to notify the public that I still have a large supply of cement curbing at all times. Those wanting same will please call on G. D. Cooper, Cooper, Ala.—H. Connell. 13-1t-pd.

GUARANTEED Hemstitching and Picoting Attachment. Fits any sewing machine. $2.50 prepaid or C. O. D. Circulars free.—LaFlesh Hemstitching Co., Dept. 2, Sedalia, Mo. 1t-p.

STRAYED—One black and tan male dog, named "Trailer" left Dr. Crumpton's home in Clanton Saturday night February 16th. If you know anything of his whereabouts, notify either Dr. J. P. Crumpton, Victor J. Heard or J. D. Armstrong, Clanton.

COTTON SEED For Sale—I have 40 bushels of Toole's Wilt-Resistant Cotton Seed, kept straight, for $2.00 per bushel, as long as they last. H. B. Glenn, Clanton Route 6. 2-28-3t-d

NOTICE!—Found an overcoat near Stanton, Ala. Owner can describe coat and get it at C. T. Walker's, Lawley, Ala.

COMMISSIONERS DENY REPORT CONCERNING THE ROAD LAW

It has come to our knowledge that the report has been circulated that two of the county commissioners have stated that they did not know that certain rules and regulations were in the road law which was recently passed by the Commissioners Court. This is not true. We understood the road law when it was passed and neither of us have made such statement that we did not understand what was in the road law.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.
T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
Commissioners.

$15.00 REWARD will be paid for information leading to the recovery of one black and tan male dog, named "Trailer." Notify either John Armstrong, Dr. J. P. Crumpton or Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-3t-pd.

YOUNG MARE FOR SALE—4 years old, weighs 1000 lbs., works gentle anywhere. Will sell for cash or trade for truck. If interested see F. A. Ellison, Clanton, Route 1. 3-6-3t-p

FOR SALE—10 acres of land with dwelling house. All that part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14, East of L. & N. R. R., Chilton County, Alabama.—See Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-2t-c

LESPEDEZA—Recleaned Lespedeza or Japan clover seed delivered for four dollars and thirty cents per bushel.—Calvin Dennis, Deatsville, Ala., Route 2. 3-13-2t-p

100 YOUNG White Leghorn Hens for sale at $1.20 each.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala., Box 76. 3-6-5td

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to tone and strengthen the organs of digestion and elimination, improve appetite, stop sick headaches, relieve biliousness, correct constipation. They act promptly, pleasantly, mildly, yet thoroughly.

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Get a 25c. Box Your Druggist

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MAKE OUR STORE Headquarters

We carry most everything that is carried in general merchandise. We want you to visit our store and let us show you our stock of goods. We have a complete line of Spring Slippers and Silk Hose for ladies. We expect to give the most attractive prices you have ever seen on this line of merchandise, beginning the first of March and continuing through the month.

For the information of some who are writing the Purina Mills for prices, wish to say that we carry this line in Poultry, Dairy and Horse Feeds. Also can furnish you with literature on all these feeds. All orders given special attention.

Don't forget that we buy and sell country produce. If you will visit our store one time we believe you will come again. You are welcome at all times.

HELP US TO HELP YOU:

Clanton Mill & Gin Company

J. A. MADDOX, Mgr. Clanton, Alabama

POOR O

Mr. Joe Popwell, Jr., of Birmingham was here the latter part of last week on account of the illness and death of his father, Mr. Joseph Popwell.

Keeps the Doctor Away!

If you want to keep the doctor away, kill all the roaches in your kitchen! They carry germs, breed disease—contaminate the food you eat! Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder is the most famous formula known. It kills the young ones too, as they hatch! Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Your children's food

The foods your children eat today, determine their strength and health in later years.

Remember this; they must have well balanced meals. Their food should contain the right amout of mineral salts. These salts act as bone building material.

Bakings that are made of good plain white flour and baking powder contain the necessary amount of mineral salts. Allow your children to eat heartily of these bakings together with fruits and dairy products. This forms an ideal food balance.

When making quick rising breads and pastries such as: biscuits, muffins, cakes, waffles, etc., don't fail to use Calumet—the economy Baking Powder. It contains more than the ordinary leavening strength—it's the purest and surest leavener made. That's why it helps make your flour foods light and easily digested.

Millions of mothers use Calumet daily because they are interested in their children's welfare—their present and future health.

PACKED IN TIN
—KEEPS STRENGTH IN

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

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WE HOLD UP OUR SHOE REPAIRING

as a model for all to follow. It gives perfect satisfaction to all, men and women, yoong and old. Our soles and heels last as long, if not longer than the original. Our moderate prices enable you to save money.

BEST SHOE SHOP
B. H. WOLFE, Prop.
CLANTON, ALA.

CITIZENS OF THIRD DISTRICT ENDORSE MR. C. T. WALKER

Editor Union-Banner:

We, the undersigned voters of the Third district of Chilton County, Alabama, hereby suggest that C. T. Walker announce for re-election as County Commissioner for the Third district of Chilton county.—(Signed):

Beat 7.—Sam Shoults, C. N. Parnell, John McAfee, E. C. Lawrence, E. McGee, C. Hall, J. E. Ellis, C. C. Cobern, H. M. Nix, W. J. Atchison, J. H. Ratliff, E. W. Clinner, F. A. Ellis, Mrs. Mollie Green, J. W. Williams, J. H. Carter, Moody McGee, C. J. Littlejohn, D. T. Green, Viola Littlejohn, E. P. Tucker, B. B. Motley, J. L. Motley, C. M. Rogers, Mrs. Mattie Maness, N. W. Latham.

Beat 8.—D. M. Apperson, Mrs. Ida Apperson, C. J. Mitchell, J. R. Rucker, W. C. Lenoir, J. F. Patterson, John Moore, D. C. Gandy, Sr., D. C. Gandy, Jr., J. H. Ramsey, Lula R. Mitchell, J. C. C. Wooly, Louise L. Johnson, L. D. Parnell, Lamar Huston, M. E. Huston.

Beat 15.—J. T. Abbott, Mrs. J. T. Abbott, G. B. Williams, J. A. Poole, F. D. Wilson, A. J. Turner, J. C. Langston, T. P. Langston, F. Smith, R. R. Rollinson, J. F. Rawlinson, T. D. Abbott, J. H. Turner, O. R. Turner, G. A. Keen, A. L. Turner, A. E. Hicks, Mrs. S. R. Abbott, J. W. Langston, Mrs. J. W. Langston, J. L. Abbott, Mettie Abbott, H. L. Ratliff, E. G. Caldwell, W. M. Giles, J. F. Hicks, J. R. Hicks.

7th. GRADE EXAMINATION

The County 7th. Grade Examination will be held at the following places on March 28th. and 29th. beginning promptly at 9 A. M. Friday the 28th:

Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Maplesville, Stanton, Isabella, Fairview, Shiloah, Maple Springs and Enterprise.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-13-3t.c County Supt. Education.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity, February 22, 1924.

Alabama Machinery and Supply Company, a Body Corporate, Complainant, vs. Ralph Calloway and Mrs. Geneva Calloway, Defendants.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Grady Reynolds that the Defendant, Ralph Calloway, is a non-resident and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Ralph Calloway, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 24th day of March, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 22nd day of February, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.
2-28-4tc.

S.S.S. keeps away Pimples

THERE are thousands of women who wonder why their complexions do not improve in spite of all the face treatments they use. They should not continue to wonder. Eruptions come from blood impurities and a lack of rich blood-cells. S.S.S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood cleansers known. S.S.S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S. S. S. routs out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. S. S. S. is a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pep."

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POULTRYMEN WILL HAVE ASSOCIATION

Membership Campaign Is to Be An Early Event. New Association To Be Ready Nov. 1st.

Auburn, Ala., March 10.—A State organization of the poultrymen of Alabama is to be formed this year. It will be known as the Alabama Farm Bureau Poultry Producers Association. Its purpose will be to market poultry and eggs and to handle poultry feed and supplies for its members.

Information that such an association is to be formed was made known by John E. Ivey, poultry specialist for the Extension Service, after attending a meeting of the executive committee of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation in Montgomery. Although the plans for organizing this Association have not tbeen arranged in detail the general plans are known.

A special committee of the Alabama Farm Bureau officials and others directly concerned will meet in Montgomery at an early date, at which time details of the membership campaign will be considered and arrangements made for a meeting of a State-wide organization committee early in April.

This Association is to be organized and operated under the auspices of the Farm Bureau. Cooperation of county agents, home demonstration agents, district agents, and specialists of the Extension Service is assured. It is to be ready to begin business by November 1, 1924.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE CALLS PRIMARY FOR TUESDAY, MAY 13

In pursuance of a resolueion passed by the Republican Executive Executive Committee of Chilton County in regular session at the court house in Clanton on January 21, 1924, a primary election of the Republican party of Chilton County is hereby called to be held at the various voting places in Chilton County, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, for thte purpose of nominating condidates for the following offices:

One member of the County Board of Education; a County Treasurer; a Commissioner from the 3rd District; a Commissioner from the 4th District.

All announcements for nomination shall be made on or before Saturday, April 12, 1924.

All qualified voters who will agree to support nominees of said primary election shall be permitted to participate therein.

This the 26th day of Feb., 1924.

W. G. CLUP,
Chm. Repub. Ex. Committee.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Repub. Ex. Committee.

Keep Sinks, Drains and Pipes Clean

TRAPS and drain-pipes *will* clog. Ordinary soap is practically useless to clean them. The best way is to sift a little Red Seal Lye into the sink. Its powerful cleansing qualities quickly loosen the grease and dirt and the rinse water washes away the sediment, leaving the drain-pipe clean and sanitary. A can of Red Seal Lye saves many plumbing bills.

Be Sure and Buy only the genuine Red Seal Lye
Write for FREE booklet, "Home Helps"
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HOUSEHOLD HINTS
Things Our Readers Want to Know

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Red Seal Lye is a big help in washing clothes. By softening the water the dirt is loosened without any rubbing being necessary.

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Crevices and corners where roaches and vermin abound should be sprayed with a solution of Red Seal Lye.

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TWO CLANTON MEN TAKEN BY SHELBY CO. OFFICERS

On last Friday Sheriff Falkner and Deputy Frank Fallon of Shelby county came to Clanton and placed in the hands of Sheriff Littlejohn warrants of arrest for Armon Wagoner and Dewey Eubanks, charged with carrying concealed weapons and robbery, said crimes said to have been committed in Fungo Valley in Shelby county on Monday night of last week. Sheriff Littlejohn placed the wanted parties under arrest and turned them over to the Shelby officers, who took them to Columbiana and placed them in jail. We understand that Wagoner and Eubanks are denied bail. Some say that it is a frame-up proposition against these two men and that they are not actually guilty of the charges made against them. However, these men have been implicated in troubles of this nature several times before. Their preliminary trial will be held in Columbiana Friday of this week, it is reported.

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Don't you know you can turn a distressed, feverish, coughing child into a comfortable and happily smiling one simply by giving
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Our special easy payment savings plan makes it possible for the man or woman of moderate means to purchase **Cumulative Preferred Stock** of this Company. Interest at the rate of 6% per annum is allowed on the amount of each payment Special protective features make this an exceptionally attractive savings proposition.

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$5.00 MONTHLY PER SHARE

CLIP THE COUPON

And mail to INVESTMENT DEPARTMENT, Alabama Power Co., Birmingham, Ala., and full details of our stock and selling plans will be sent to you. Also a free booklet on "How to Put Money to Work."

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The price is $98.00 and accrued dividend per share. The yield is 7.14%. It is free from city, county and state taxes, and from the present normal Federal income tax.

Inquire of any employe or write direct to Investment Department

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MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS, LADIES' WAISTS, SWEATERS AND OXFORDS. OUR LINE IS COMPLETE---PRICES VERY LOW---STYLES AND QUALITY BEST. WE GUARANTEE OUR PRICES AND QUALITY AGAINST ANY COMPETITION. WE ARE OFFERING SOME

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

MR. LANDE SAYS

I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

HIGHWAY COMMISSION ASKS FOR NEW BIDS IN CHILTON

(Continued from page 1)

ulation on this route as against a 70 per cent white population on the Prattville-White City route to Clanton. They said the tax values on the Verbena route are ten times what they are on the White City route. They said ten times more local people would be served by the Verbena rote than by the White City route.

At the conclusion of the appeal of the citizens of Verbena, the commission unanimously decided to order a survey of the White City route.

Answering a question from a Montgomery Advertiser representative last Monday, Chairman Rogers stated that work would begin on putting into shape the old Birmingham-Montgomery Highway from the Roy Bridge across the Alabama river to Marbury as soon as the plans could be drawn. A motion was then made that in addition to the $50,000 already voted for this work, an additional $8,000 be voted for the construction of a bridge across Mortar Creek just south of Elmore station. The motion carried unanimously. Three weeks will be consumed in getting the plans ready for calling for bids to improve this stretch of road from the Roy Bridge to Marbury. When this work is completed, there will be a fairly good highway from Birmingham to Montgomery which can be used until the permanent road is constructed. The counties through which this stretch of road runs will be expected to maintain it after the highway commission puts it into shape

ELBERT LITTLEJOHN DOING WELL IN SANITORIUM

The many friends of Mr. Elbert Littlejohn, who is in the W. O. W. Sanitorium in Texas, will be glad to hear that he is getting along nicely and is improving in health rapidly.

Mr. Joseph E. Cobb, whose home is near Jemison but who is now working in Birmingham, was in Clanton Saturday. Mr. Cobb was here on business and while here came in and renewed his subscription to The Union-Banner.

REV. W. W. ROBINSON IN CENTRAL ALABAMA HOSPITAL

Rev. W. W. Robinson of Providence in Beat 16, was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton Tuesday of this week. On Wednesday he underwent an operation for hernia. Bro. Robinson will have to remain in the hospital for about three weeks.

SPEND-THE-DAY QUILT-PIECING AT THE COUNTY ALMS HOUSE

A very enjoyable day was spent Tuesday when Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gentry, keepers of the county alms house, entertained their neighbors at a spend-the-day quilt-piecing. Every one was busy with their needles until noon when a lovely dinner was served. After dinner the work was resumed, and at the close of the days work, by the help of "Julia" the faithful cook, three pretty quilt tops were finished. Included in the activities of the day were Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Varden, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Maddox, Mrs. Grover Jones, Mrs. Callie Teel, Misses Loutishie Bean and Byrdie Teel.

DEATH OF LITTLE MARY FRANCIS WILLIAMS

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you allow me a small space in your good paper to write a few words to thank my good neighbors and many friends for their good help and kindness to us during the sickness and death of our darling little girl. She caught her dress on fire while at play at the wood pile where there was some trash burning. She only lived 15 hours after she was burned. We did all we could to save her little sweet life but it was not in our power to do it. The good Lord saw best to take her and she had to go, but oh how sad and lonely home is with out her. Her little place is vacant every where we go.

May God bless all of our good neighbors and friends and not only them but the good doctor, J. P. Hayes, who did all they could for her. We can not thank them all enough in our hearts. May the Lord be with them all is our prayers.

Mrs. Rosa Williams and Family.

NEW RECORD IN AUSTRALIAN RACE WON BY STUDEBAKER

Special-Six Cuts Over Sixteen Hours Off Best Previous Time Between Freemantle and Sydney, Aus.

Speeding across desert wastes, mountainous roads and rugged mainland, a Studebaker Special-Six touring car has just established a new record in a thrilling race against time from Freemantle to Sydney, Australia.

The car was driven by John Burton, a veteran Australian motorist.

It went through the gruelling grind of 2,889 miles in five days, 21 hours and 45 minutes. This is 16 hours and 12 minutes faster than the previous record of 6 days, 13 hours and 57 minutes.

In addition, Burton drove the Studebaker through to a new record in his race, by clipping off considerable time between Freemantle, Adeline and Melbourne. The Special-Six negotiated the entire 2,889 miles under extremely severe conditions and came through in perfect running order.

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COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County was in session at the court house Tuesday. The matter under consideration was the road work of the county, and we understand that they decided to buy one five-ton Holt tractor and some good graders to use on the roads of the county. A few other matters of minor importance were attended to.

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STATE WILL BUILD 744 MILES HIGHWAY BEFORE JUNE, 1925

Plans For Road Building During the Coming Year Given Public After Sale of Bonds.

Program for highway construction in Alabama from June 1, 1924 to June 1, 1925, formally adopted by the State Highway Commission, and providing for construction of 744.76 miles of road in addition to bridges, in 46 counties, was made public late Tuesday. At the same time a tabulation was also made public showing highway construction either already complete or under construction in the remaining 21 counties.

In connection with the highway construction program for the period indicated, Senator John A. Rogers, chairman of the highway commission, said that the program had not been announced sooner for the reason that the carrying out of the program was dependent upon the sale of the $7,000,000 of state highway improvement bonds last authorized to be issued, and the provision through such sale of adequate funds for the construction work which the program embraces. The seven million dollars of highway bonds were sold by the state bond commission, Tuesday, to Ward-Sterne and company, of Montgomery and Birmingham.

Official Program

Space will not permit us to give a list of each road to be constructed from June 1, 1924 to June 1, 1925, as given public last Tuesday by the highway commission, but we publish below a part of the list, which we are sure will be of interest to our readers:

Chilton County, 34.30 miles; Shelby county line to Autauga county line.

Shelby County, 7 miles, Calera-Montevallo.

Autauga County, 25 miles, Montgomery-Birmingham road from Reese Ferry bridge to Chilton county line.

Elmore County, 16 miles, Wetumpka to Coosa county line.

ANNOUNCES FOR MEMBER OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

To oppose Mr. J. P. Dykes for renomination as a member of the County Board of Education, Mr. Wm. R. Baker of Clanton comes out this week for the nomination for that office. Mr. Baker has taught school in Chilton and Shelby counties for several years, and he is rather well known by the people in this county. He is at present Justice of the Peace in Beat 4. Mr. Baker's experience in school matters ought to make him well acquainted with the duties of the County Board.

WORDS OF APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness shown us during our recent bereavement, and for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. S. A. Johnson,
Mrs. H. E. Tarpley,
Mrs. L. C. Reynolds.

C. T. Walker and wife and their daughter, Mrs. Shoults of Lawley were in Clanton shopping Tuesday. While here they came to The Banner office and saw the Linotype machine set type.

FAVORS WHITE CITY ROUTE FOR MONTGOMERY HIGHWAY

Editor Union-Banner:

I noticed in your last weeks paper a letter about Mr. W. A. Gulledge and some others from Verbena going before the highway commission in regard to the new highway. They pointed out that the White City route would have only 70 per cent white population while the Verbena route would have 90 per cent. Now I do not think that fair or correct, since from reliable sources, I learn that there are only two or three negro families on the White City route.

I have talked with several citizens of this community and the people of this section have not the money to give as daubtless Mr. Gulledge and his friends have, but we are all willing to give the right-of-way, and you certainly can't build a road without a right-of-way. And furthermore, what could be better than having all the county seats connected together? The Verbena route would leave Prattville one and one-half miles west of the highway. To come from Montgomery direct to Prattville and White City on to Clanton would connect all the county seats between Birmingham and Montgomery directly together.

There are ten times more negroes around Verbena than there on the White City route. The tax values around Verbena hasn't a thing to do with the highway, and if the State can save $100,000 on the White City route, why pay that out extra just to please some folks who have money?

The people in this section stand ready to help in every way possible. The good citizens of Prattville should take hold of this proposition also.

Respectfully,
W. D. DYKES.

Verbena, Ala., March 17, 1924.

ANOTHER ANNOUNCEMENT FROM WALKER DISTRICT

Added to the announcement column this week is the name of Mr. J. F. Anderson of Pletcher for commissioner from the Third district. It will be remembered that Mr. Anderson ran for this nomination in 1908 when he was defeated in the primary by Mr. T. G. Milling.

Mr. Anderson has lived in Chilton county all his life except about five years which he spent in Bibb county, and he has always been engaged in some kind of public business. He is a carpenter, mechanic, saw-miller and has also clerked in a store quite a bit. He claims to have been a strict adherent to the Republican party, and after he was defeated by Mr. Milling in the primary, lined up and supported the complete ticket in the general election. The varied experience Mr. Anderson has had in business life would very likely make him thoroughly competent to attend to the duties of the office of county commissioner.

CHARLEY WILKINS OF BEAT 6 IS OUT FOR COMMISSIONER

To the list of announcements this week has been added Mr. Charley Wilkins of Beat 6, who is out for county commissioner from the Clanton or Fourth District. Mr. Wilkins has never run for any office before but served one term as justice of the peace in his beat and has been road supervisor or overseer practically ever since he was old enough to do road duty. He has spent his entire life in the beat in which he now lives.

SOLDIERS BONUS BILL WITH INSURANCE NOW ASSURED BY CONGRESS

No Effort Will Be Made to Defeat Soldiers' Bill Because of "Gag Rule."

Washington, March 17.—Passage of the soldier bonus bill providing paid-up endowment insurance policies for the veterans of the World War was made virtually certain Saturday night. Proponents of the full cash payment plan let it be known they will not attempt to defeat the bill under suspension of the rules.

Friday a movement was started to line up enough friends of the cash plan to join with those who are opposed to the bill on its merits to defeat it when called up under suspension of the rules, so as to force its consideration under some other parliamentary status that would permit the offering of amendments.

Under the suspension of the rules, or "gag rule" plan, no amendments are permissible, thus cutting off any opportunity to get a cash provision in the measure.

Two-Thirds Vote Needed.

Saturday, however, it was stated by the Democratic leaders, who have been the most active in support of the cash option, that there would be no organized effort to defeat the bill because of the "gag rule." There may be a few ardent advocates of cash to oppose it, but it is not expected they can muster enough votes to beat it, although a two-thirds majority is required for passage of a bill under suspension of the rules. Supporters of the cash bonus plan continued bitter in their denunciation of the "gag rule" proposition, however.

Representative Sol Bloom, Democrat, of New York, pointed out what a predicament this method of bringing up the bill places the cash supporters in. It gives no opportunity for the House to say what kind of a bill it desires, the draft of the bill as it comes out of the ways and means committee, must be voted up or down without change, Bloom emphasized.

Yet, the New York congressman said, a vote against the measure when it comes up this way would not insure that it would be brought up in any other manner, and therefore, might leave a genuine friend of adjusted compensation for the soldiers in the attitude of having opposed the legislation.

Leaders responsible for the "gag rule" method, Bloom declared, frankly concede that its purpose is to prevent amendments. The bill formally was introduced by Chairman Green, of the ways and means committee, in its completed form Saturday.

Some of the additional details not heretofore stated since this plan was adopted, are:

The number of days to be counted in determining the amount due each veteran must have been between April 5, and July 1, 1919, with the provision that the term of service must have begun prior to Nov. 12, 1918. The first 60 days, which are excluded in figuring out the benefits under the present bill, are to be regarded as those served at home, where the basic compensation is at the rate of $1 a day, as against $1.25 for overseas duty.

Each veteran eligible for the benefits of the act must make application to the secretary of war or secretary of the navy, according to the branch he served in, not later than Jan. 1, 1928. The secretary then shall transmit to the veterans bureau a certificate showing the applicant is entitled to the insurance or cash if he has $50 or less coming to him, the certificates showing the number of days at home and abroad.

GETS SHIPMENT OF RED-STAR STOVES

The Retherford Furniture Company of Clanton, who recently secured the agency for the famous Red-Star Vapor Oil Stoves, manufactured in Detroit, have just received a shipment of these stoves. The Red-Star is said to be the very best in oil stoves, and several who have used them testify to the truthfulness of this record. Read Retherford's adv. in this week's Union-Banner.

MR. W. J. WATSON IN RACE FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

Mr. W. J. Watson, who lives a mile and a half from Clanton out on the Maplesville road, has added his name to the list of announcements for Commissioner from the Fourth District. Mr. Watson is a farmer and has always voted the Republican ticket. This is the first time that he has ever asked for a public office and says that he will appreciate the support of his friends if they see fit.

CIRCUIT COURT NEXT WEEK

Arrangements are being made for Circuit Court to set in Clanton next Monday, March 24th. This will be a jury term of court and the Grand Jury will be in session.

THE BIRTH OF A NATION TO BE SHOWN HERE AT THE WADESONIAN

Southern Picture of National Fame at Wadesonian Theatre Here March 27, 28 and 29.

Ever since "The Birth of a Nation" was shown in all the big cities of America five or six years ago, we have been looking forward to the time when this wonderful production would be thrown on the screen in Clanton, and through the united efforts of the Ku Klux Klan of Clanton and Mr. C. W. Wade of the Wadesonian Theatre, this picture has been secured for Clanton and Chilton county on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, March 27, 28 and 29.

Several of our people went to Birmingham and Montgomery and saw the picture when it was presented there but most of us were denied that privilege. There will be at least six and probably seven productions of the feature in Clanton during these three days, which will give a goodly number of people around here a chance to see the best motion picture that has ever been filmed. intermingled with a love story between a Southern boy and a Northern girl, "The Birth of a Nation" describes very forcibly the horrors which the South underwent in the days which followed the Civil War—the reconstruction period. It depicts the new nation that was born, and brings out very forcibly the noble work done by the Ku Klux Klan in teaching the negro the difference in living in slavery and living in freedom, also the Klan's work in protecting the womanhood of the South during this period. "The Birth of a Nation" is a picture which every person in America should see. It brings a message which cannot be brought out by any other agency than by that of the motion picture.

"The Birth of a Nation" has been taken off the screen as a commercial picture, which makes it very difficult for it to be obtained for presentation anywhere. It is fortunate indeed that the local Klan in conjunction with Mr. Wade has been able to get the picture released and presented in Clanton. It will give the people of this vicinity a treat which is indeed a grand one and which everybody who sees it will enjoy.

We wish especially to call the attention of our readers to the fact that men and women over 65 years of age will be admitted to the matinees or afternoon shows free of any charge. It is the desire of those in charge of the picture to have as many old people see it as possible, since they are in better position to appreciate the story and the scenes than the younger people due to the fact that they have actually seen lots of the things in the picture happen right before their own eyes. It will be especially interesting to the older people, so everyone that possibly can should take advantage of this opportunity during these three days.

A special orchestra will be here to make music during the performances. Music is one of the main things in "The Birth of a Nation" and those in charge give the assurance that that part of the program will be amply cared for. There will be only 75 reserve seat tickets sold for each performance, so if you want to get a seat you had better get busy at once and purchase one. Reserve seat tickets are now on sale at the Alred Drug Company. The only regret that the management has is the fact that seating capacity is limited, and it is expected that the building will be crowded to capacity at every performance. So, if you want to see the greatest picture ever put on the screen—and you can't afford to miss it—buy your ticket early lest you may not be able to get one at all.

PROF W. M. DEVAUGHN WILL SING AT FRIENDSHIP

We are pleased to announce that Prof. W. M. Devaughn will be at the Friendship Church to sing next Sunday afternoon. This is the regular singing evening at this church, and it is hoped that a goodly number of singers will be present, who are asked to bring along their 1924 Showalter and Ganus song books. The singing will begin about 2:00 o'clock.

Everybody near here knows Prof. Devaughn's ability and talent as a singer of sacred music, and all the other singers in the neighborhood are urged to come out and help him. The Friendship society meets every fourth Sunday afternoon.

An effort has been made to get a preacher to take the place of Bro. Robinson, who is in the hospital, to fill his appointment at Friendship next Sunday, but so far no one has been found.

CLANTON vs. MARBURY

The C. C. H. S. base ball team will open the season here by playing Marbury tomorrow (Friday) at 3:30. Everybody come out and enjoy the first game.

DRAINAGE OF SWAMPS NEAR CLANTON IS BEING PUSHED

Editor Union-Banner:

We have noticed several articles in your paper lately relative to the drainage project of the swamps in and around Clanton.

For your information and others interested we wish to state that the petition was prepared some time ago and signed by more than enough property owners to insure the drainage of our swamps. We have been in touch with several drainage engineers and were considering having the preliminary survey made as soon as the winter rains were over. This survey was to commence within a few days, but we were advised last week that it would be impossible to sell the drainage bonds as the law was materially amended by the 1923 Legislature and it will be necessary that a test case be carried to the Supreme Court and that they should uphold this law. We were further advised that such a test case is now being worked up and we expect to submit it to the Supreme Court at the April call. We expect a decision on it in May. They also advise us that is will be necessary to await this decision on the Supreme Court unless the project can be financed locally.

Yours Very truly.
GRADY REYNOLDS.

REV. W. W. ROBINSON IS IMPROVING RAPIDLY

After undergoing an operation at the Central Alabama Hospital last Wednesday, Rev. W. W. Robinson is getting along fine. Dr. Gragg and the nurses express themselves as being mighty well pleased with the way he is recovering from the operation.

This operation was another one which was done without the patient being put to sleep. The nerve-blocking system was used, and the preacher says that he could not ask for a more painless process than the one used on him. The operation was performed by Dr. V. J. Gragg, asisted by Dr. T. J. Marcus, and from all indications now it is a success from every angle. The patient is praising the doctors and the nurses at the hospital in the highest degree for the splendid service and care they have administered him snice he was placed under their care. Bro. Robinson says that he knows it is complete folly for people to be sent away from Clanton for such operations as he underwent, when we have such splendid accommodations right here in our own county seat. He says that he cannot express in words the splendid manner in which Dr. Gragg and the nurses have cared for him.

Due to the fact that Bro. Robinson is rather chicken-hearted, as some call it, it was feared that he might give down while the operation was going on, being as he was not put to sleep, but the doctors and nurses as well as the friends present say that he stood the knife as well as anyone they ever witnessed. He was perfectly conscious all during the process and his nerves never failed him in the least.

Bro. Robinson asks us to express publicly his appreciation for the kindness shown him by his many friends who have visited him and cheered him up so much during his illness. He also wishes to express his heart-felt thanks and esteem to Dr. Gragg and the nurses for the splendid care and attention they have so attentively given him while he has been in their custody.

STATE ROAD BONDS BRING BIG PREMIUM IN SALE TUESDAY

Commission Gratified at Transaction With Large Tennessee Company.

Highway bonds of the face value of $7,000,000 were taken at a premium of $102,000 by Caldwell and Company, investment bankers located at Nashville, Tenn., at a meeting of the State bond commission held at noon Tuesday in the governor's office at which competitive bids from various securities firms were received and passed upon.

Governor W. W. Brandon, John A. Rogers, chairman of the highway commission, and Harwell G. Davis, attorney general of the State of Alabama, who compose the bond commission, all expressed themselves as highly gratified at selling the bonds at these figures, and the opinion was generally expressed by men versed in financial affairs that the state had made a good bargain.

These bonds bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent per annum. Two million dollars worth of these bonds mature in 1926, 1927, 1928 and 1929; two million more mature in 1937, 1938 and 1939, while in the years 1940, 1941 and 1942 $1,000,000 worth of the bonds will mature annually.

The issuance of these bonds marks a departure in the state's policy of financing the road work of Alabama. Heretofore, it has been the state's policy to use the proceeds of its road bond issue only to match that coming from the federal treasury for road development work in Alabama. With the successful disposition of these bonds the state of Alabama will embark on a program of road construction independent of the federal government.

TIME OF APPLYING FERTILIZER TOLD

Auburn, Ala., March 17.—Farmers throughout Alabama are now requesting information as to the best time to apply fertilizer for cotton. These requests have increased in numbers recently, and in replying to them Frank E. Boyd, of the Alabama Extension Service, points out that "it is entirely satisfactory to apply phosphate and potash fertilizers with the seed."

In discussing cotton planting further, Mr. Boyd said: "Land should be bedded for cotton. These beds should be prepared a sufficient time in advance of planting for them to be settled by rain. A customary and very satisfactory practice is to plant cotton seed and apply fertilizer with the same planter."

It is absolutely safe to apply acid phosphate, nitrate of soda, and muriate of potash or kainit in this way but fertilizer having an organic content, such as cottonseed meal or dried blood, should not be in contact with the seed if good stands are wanted. When in contact with seed at the time of germination they cause rotting.

Results of experiments conducted by the Experiment Station show that the largest returns from nitrate of soda on cotton are secured by applying one-fourth with the seed and the remaining three-fourths immediately after chopping

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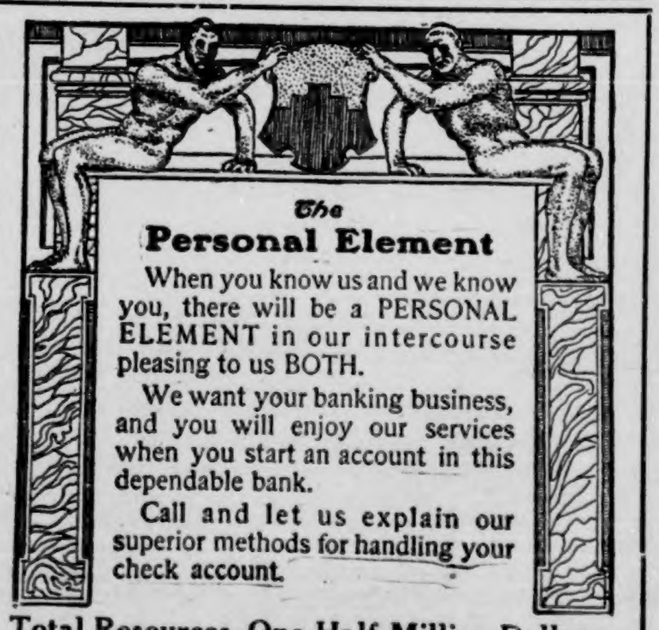

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The Congressional enactment that surplus war material, useful in the construction of roads, be given to the several states for that purpose, has worked out to such good effect that more than $300,000,000 worth of trucks, tractors, shovels, graders, digging machinery, concrete mixers, and other instruments useful in road construction, are now actively at work in the several states carrying out the policy of Congress to further road building by the resources of the Nation as well as those of the states.

Proponents of the idea that the present Federal Aid plan, by which the Government gives money to the states to match their appropriations for road building, is but the forerunner of the day when the National Government will build, own, control and forever maintain a back-bone system of national highways, find in this co-operation of the National Government but another reason for the Nation to take over the building of from 100,000 to 200,000 main north and south and east and west highways.

It is contended by friends of this idea in Congress that if the Nation can give valuable property to the states to build roads, and give national money to the states to help them build roads, there is neither moral, legal, economic or political reason why the Nation can not give the whole cost of a main trunk line system to the states, thus nationally binding the states together in a closer brotherhood for the better unity and preservation of the whole body politic.

Mr. John Wood of Sylacauga, was a visitor to relatives and friends in Clanton last week.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

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WAGONER AND EUBANKS RELEASED ON BOND $500 EACH

Armon Wagoner and Dewey Eubanks, of this place had a preliminary trial before Judge J. M. Leonard, of Columbiana, Alabama, last Friday, charged with robbery of a man near Pelham by the name of Bob Powell.

It developed from the evidence produced before the magistrate that Messrs. Wagoner, Eubanks and Walter Sanford of Clanton, were in Shelby county, in behalf of bondsmen, who were sureties on the bond of Mell Kimbell, and who incidentally are offering a reward of $300 for his arrest. These three men left here in a Ford together seeking the whereabouts of Mr. Kimbell, after securing pistols and a pair of handcuffs from the Sheriff's office. Not being familiar with the country around and near Pelham they stopped there and made inquiries relative to the location of a place they had heard of, that Mell might be located; also as to where Deputy Sheriff Fallon could be found. The first inquiry was made to Mr. Powell and another man, who told them that they would go with the three in their car to a Mr. Collum's house, who could give them the desired information. Upon arriving at this home, the defendants and Sanford got out of the car and went to see Mr. Collum, and when they returned to the car, they discovered that their pistols had been taken or stolen by the two men, whereupon after accusing these two men of stealing the guns, a fuss started, which resulted in quite a scrap about the guns, which were found hidden nearby the next morning, and are now in possession of the Sheriff of Shelby county. When the men first approached the prosecutor, he insisted that they were dry officers, which each denied. Mr. Powell stated that Wagoner and Eubanks, while the latter was beating him up relieved him of $60.15, which the latter denied.

After hearing the evidence, Judge Leonard bound the defendants Wagoner and Eubanks over to await the action of the grand jury, under $500 bonds, which were immediately furnished by Wagoner and Eubanks, and at that time he and the solicitor made the following statement: "We are confident that there was no robbery there; but only a free-for-all fight about the guns, and in all probability some whiskey, and we desire the two defendants to be summoned before the grand jury."

The State was represented by W. W. Wallace, the solicitor, and the defendants by Saxon & Pitts. Among the citizens of Clanton who motored up through the snow to attend the trial Friday were: W. W. Fox, Mack Broadhead, Tom Parrish, J. M. Robinson, Ed Wagoner, Leonard Eubanks, Walter Sanford and Percy M. Pitts.

SHOULTS NEWS

As I haven't seen any news from Shoults in several weeks, thought I would write a short note.

Health of this community is good at present.

The farmers are glad to see the sun shining and the white mantel melting off of Mother Earth. It was a great show to the children, for there isn't any children or grown people either under twenty years of age that has ever seen such snow as this. Maybe the farmers will make good crops this year, as I have heard it said that a big snow was good for the soil.

Our school closed Friday, March 7th, with Mrs. A. C. Maness, formerly known as Miss Ethelyn Reynolds as teacher. We, as patrons, think Miss Ethelyn did all she could to teach the pupils as far as she knew. Of course she is young and can learn more herself yet—we never get too old to learn.

The program for the day was carried out nicely, the little play being the best of all. The songs were also good. After the program a bountiful dinner was spread on the table, which was in the beautiful sunshine. After the table was graced by Mr. Frank Adams from Lawley, everyone ate all they wanted and carried some back home with them.

There was a large attendance, it being busy times for the farmers too. We are glad to see them lay down their work and help out in our schools and churches, because it takes co-operation to make a success at anything.

After dinner the crowd was entertained by a basket ball game played by the girls and boys of the school. Everyone seemed to enjoy the day fine. We all wish Miss Ethelyn much success.

Bro. W. T. Edwards filled his regular appointment at this place Saturday night. Those who were present enjoyed a good sermon. We were sorry that no more were present. We hope everybody that can will come and be with us the first Sunday afternoon in April, as that is Bro. Edwards' next appointment.

We meet every Sunday at 10:00 o'clock and have a good Sunday school. We would be glad that every father and mother would come and bring their children. We need you. We need your co-operation. We ought to get together and go to work. We have the material if we can get it together.

We have put a new cover on our church and have the paint at the station to paint it. We hope to have it fixed up right soon.

Miss Eva Hall, who has a position in the Gay Teague Hotel in Montgomery, spent the week-end with her father and sisters.

Mrs. G. C. Latham and children, and Miss Etta Mae Hall spent the day with Mrs. Latham's parents last Tuesday.

Mrs. Della Shoults has been with her daughter Birdie, who lives in Texas, ever since Xmas. We hope she will soon return.

Mr. E. J. Lawrence and family spent the day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cassie Lawrence Sunday.

Mr. Chancie Bearden and wife from Plantersville motored up to Mr. G. C. Latham's Sunday.

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PROGRAM CHILTON COUNTY FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The next Fifth Sunday Meeting will be held with New Salem Church, near Thorsby, March 30, 1924.

9:30.—Devotional, Rev. Durbin.

9:45.—A Religious Survey of the Chilton County Association, Rev. S. M. Adams and B. Lawrence.

10:45.—Stewardship, Dr. S. H. Bennett.

11:15.—Sermon, Rev. J. L. Whorton.

12:15.—Adjourn for Dinner.

1:30.—Devotional, T. J. Maddox.

1:40.—The Importance of the minister giving his entire time to pastoral work and what will it take to bring to pass—to be supplied.

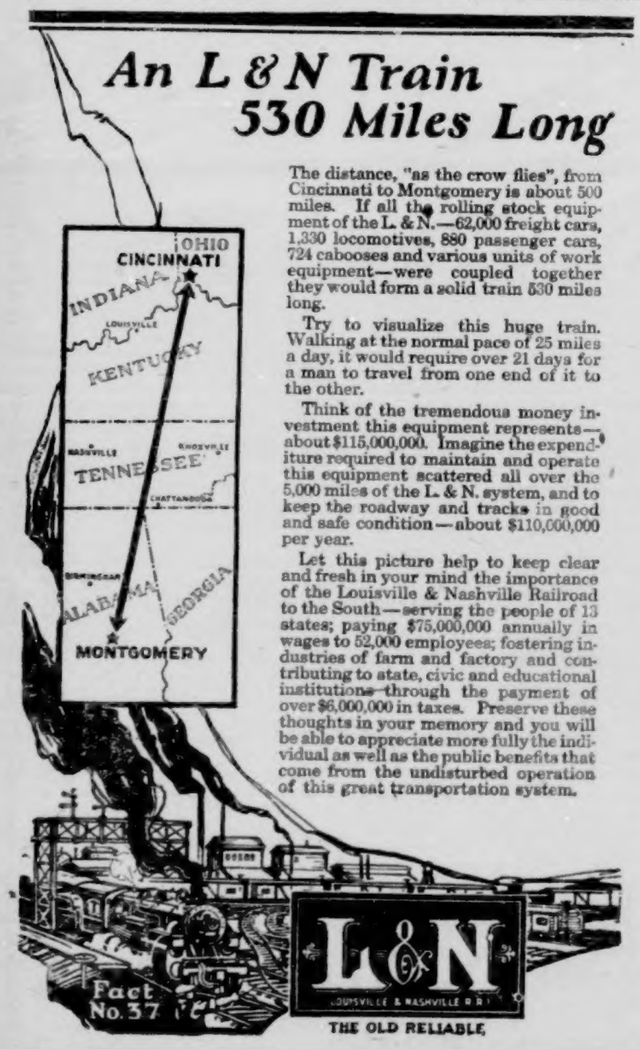
2:10.—The Need of a Religious Awakening in Our Association, Round Table, led by T. J. Deason.

3:10.—Miscellaneous.

3:30.—Adjourn.

Let every church in the Chilton County Association send delegates to this meeting. 3-20-2t.

An L & N Train 530 Miles Long



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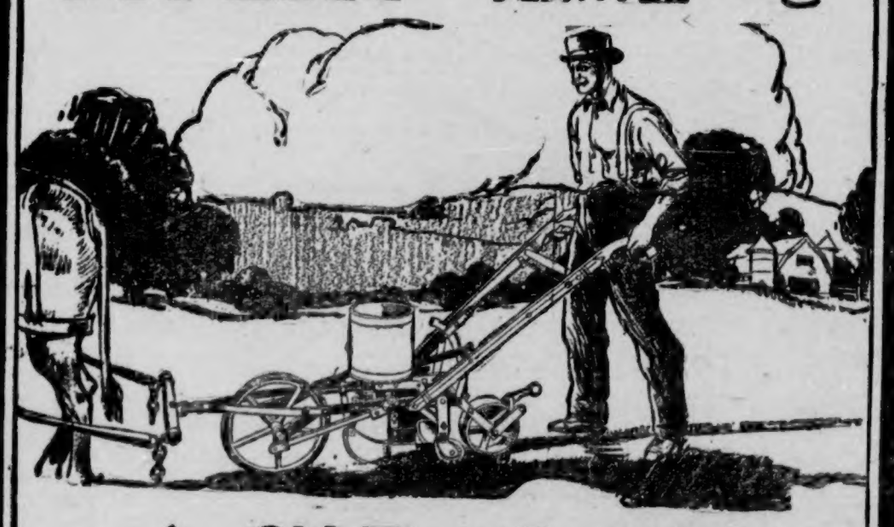

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Thought for the Day:

I believe in myself as a child of God,
I believe in my neighbor as a child of God,
I believe in the goodness of everyone.
Therefore, I agree to abstain from all criticism of people and to look only for the good.
Dedicated to the memory of a friend.
(Signed): Montgomery Progressive Thought Center.

Mrs. Simpson Hostess in Honor of Mrs. Kyle.

Mrs. O. Kyle of Albany, Ala., who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Victor Heard was the inspiration of another beautiful party when Mrs. Hugh Simpson entertained at a bridge luncheon in her honor on Friday.

Those enjoying Mrs. Simpson's hospitality were Mesdames Arthur Johnson, Frank Callen, Hance Alred, N. S. Johnson, Guy Higgins, O. Kyle, and Victor Heard.

Study Club Meets.

Tall vases of lovely pink carnations were effectively used in decorating the reception rooms of Mrs. Eric Hart's home on Friday evening when she was hostess to the Study club. Mrs. N. S. Johnson presided over the meeting and after a brief business session an interesting program was enjoyed. A talk by Mrs. N. S. Johnson on Easter from the Old Testament was given, followed by general discussion of soul by the club. Afterwards delicious sandwiches and tea were served by Mrs. Hart, assisted by Mrs. Hosea Downs and Miss Hilda Hart. Besides the sixteen club members present the following were guests for the afternoon: Mesdames Higgins, Lyman, Kyle, Carrie Mullins, Hosea Downs, Simpson, Watts Moore, Hance Alred, Oscar Jones; Misses Bettie Mullins and Jessie Goodwin from Selma.

P. T. A. to Give a Social.

On next Friday evening, March 28, the Parent-Teachers Asociation will entertain at a "Carpet Rag" social, the place to be named later, for the purpose of paying for the second set of books recently purchased for the grammar school library.

All ladies are urged to come with a box of "dainties" and a pound of carpet rags which will be later turned into rugs and be sold for the benefit of same. Let's everybody go and enjoy an evening of fun and laughter and also contribute to a most worthy cause.

Look for the place in next week's paper.

Mrs. Arant Entertains.

A delightful social event of last Thursday was a birthday dinner given by Mrs. M. B. Arant in celebration of her (?) birthday anniversary.

The dining table wes centered with a vase of narcissus and covers laid for Dr. and Mrs. Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. George Polk, Mrs. Marion Gore, Mrs. Hosea Downs, Mrs. C. Reese Mullins, Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Mrs. Grady Taylor, Mrs. Mallie White, Mrs. G. E. Plier, Mrs. Clyde Jones and the hostess. A bounteous turkey dinner in four courses was served. After dinner several musical numbers were rendered by Mrs. Grady Taylor, after which a snow-ball frolic began.

Card Club Meets.

Mrs. Napoleon Johnson was hostess on last Wednesday to the members of her Card club. The reception rooms were given an added touch of beauty with baskets and vases of fragrant spring flowers.

The club prize, a couple of decks of Congress cards, were given Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Late in the afternoon a refreshing ice course was served.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church of Clanton held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home fo Miss Agnes Kemp. The meeting was opened with a song followed by the roll call. The scripture lesson was read by Miss Agnes Kemp. A round table discussion conducted by Mrs. J. E. Gowan concerned the clothing of a ten year old girl at the Baptist Orphanage at Troy, Ala. At the close of the meeting a delicious salad course was served to the following: Misses Mamie Smith, Sara Cox, Tommie Parrish, Juanita Connatser, Ires Carter, Erin Danforth, Jewel McDowell, Annie Bell White, Mary Wise, Myra Moore, Frances Moore, Jettie Popwell and Mesdames J. E. Gowan, Latham Ellis and Clyde King.

Mr. E. N. Adams, special land agent of the L. & N., was in Clanton on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Vines, formerly of Mitchell Dam, have moved to Clanton.

The friends of Miss Nell Stubblefield will be sorry to learn she is confined to her room this week on account of having measles.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dunn from Montgomery came up Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Sid Johnson and were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Kicker for a couple of days.

Mrs. Duke, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Grady Heflin for a few days, has returned to her home in Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McDavid enjoyed a motor trip to Birmingham last Thursday.

Miss Una Belle Mahan from Highland Home, is a visitor to Clanton this week.

Bill Giles from Birmingham was a visitor to relatives in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. Mayme Smith has as her guest her mother-in-law, from Verbena.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reynolds spent the week end in Montgomery.

Mrs. Sid Johnson has returned to her home in Montgomery after a few days stay here.

Misses Alma and Margaret Robinson from Columbia, Tenn., were the week end guests of relatives.

Miss Carter spent the week end with her parents in Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Luckie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Nicholson in Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Annie Johnson was the guest of friends at the Woman's College for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bridges are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little daughter. Mother and daughter are doing fine at the Central Alabama Hospital.

Mrs. John Armstrong and mother, Mrs. Roper, are spending this week with Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper at Boothton.

Mrs. and Mrs. John Page and Harry Margolis and Otto Jones went to the capital city Tuesday afternoon to see "Blossom Time."

Mr. John Gore from Columbus, Ga., spent the week end with his family in Clanton.

Mr. John Stanfield was among the out-of-town attendants at the funeral services of Mr. Sid Johnson on last Wednesday.

Mr. Lake Thompson went up to Birmingham on business Friday.

Miss Dewey Branch returned home Sunday from a visit to Birmingham.

A congenial crowd composed of Mesdames Victor Heard, Hance Alred, Hugh Simpson, John Browder, N. S. Johnson and N. S. Johnson motored to Montgomery Monday to see "Blossom Time."

Mrs. G. L. Phillips has as her guest this week her daughter, Mrs. Lake Duncan from Prattville.

Misses Maud Wagoner, Maggie Traywick and Fannie Vance left on Monday for Jacksonville, Ala., to attend the State Normal school.

After a couple of weeks visit to Mrs. P. D. Wilson, her cousin, Miss Jessie Goodwyn, left for her home in Selma Monday.

The friends of Miss "Snookums" Polk will be grieved to know that she is on the sick list this week with measles.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100_
Section "A".

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala., until 12:00 noon April 18th, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.455 miles of road in Chilton County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

The items entering into the construction of this road will be divided into three proposals:

Proposal No. 1 will cover items for the surfacing only.

Proposal No. 2 will cover all grading and drainage with the exception of bridges having a length exceeding 20 feet.

Proposal No. 3 will cover all necessary work for the construction of concrete bridges and an overhead crossing on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Contractors in submitting bids on the surfacing will bid in two ways; first, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials; second, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials with the exception of cement, which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. If the State furnishes the cement, the contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless otherwise permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Puzzolan or slag cement will be permitted in the construction of all base courses.

PROPOSAL NO. 1
Alternate Types of Surfacing.

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Warrenite Bitulithic pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Bituminous concrete, modified Topeka pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Sheet asphalt, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Vitrified brick pavement on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Rock asphalt pavement on concrete base.
187,250 Sq. Yds. cement concrete base course, 1:2½:5 mix.
1,670 Lin. Ft. 6"x14" granite curb headers.
1,000 Lin. Ft. blind drains.

PROPOSAL NO. 2

66.63 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
197,738 Cu. Yds. Common excavation.
10,429 Cu. Yds. Solid rock excavation.
296,085 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation.
275 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed.
338 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
296 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
224 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
254 Lin. Ft. 15" D. S. V. C. Pipe (New).
1,392 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe (new).
788 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe (new).
279 Lin. Ft. 21" pipe (new).
294 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe (new).
10 Standard drop inlets (complete)
137.3 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls.
808.46 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete in culverts.
84,810 Pounds steel reinforcing in culverts.
216 Concrete R. O. W. markers.
23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4" galv. cable for guard rail.
1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.
102 Concrete end post braces for guard rail.
57,828 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting.
300 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap.
8 Structures to be removed from right of way.
3,770 Lin. Ft. 4" drain tile.

PROPOSAL NO. 3

542.8 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete.
56.5 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete.
89,370 Pounds steel reinforcing.
8 Sets steel expansion plates.
433 Cu. Yds. dry excavation.
126 Cu. Yds. wet excavation.
75 Cu. Yds. rock excavation.
538.5 Sq. Yds. 1" concrete surfacing, 1:2:3½ mix.
380 Lin. Ft. timber foundation piles.
4 Test piles for bridge at Station 848-|-86.

On proposals two and three the contractor will furnish all labor and materials including cement.

The new pipe used on this project may be either triple strength terra cotta, reinforced concrete or cast iron.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Ala. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash, certified check or bid bond of the following amounts: $10,000 to accompany Proposal No. 1; $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 2; and $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 3. Certified checks or bid bonds are to be made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama, and must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

3-13-3t W. S. KELLER, State Highway Engineer.

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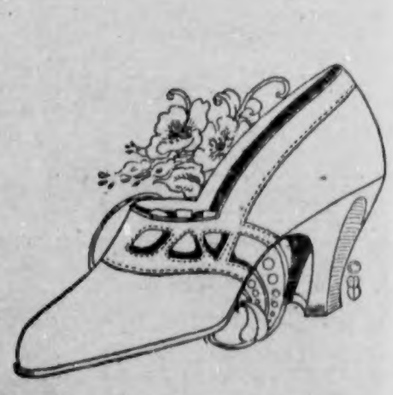

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Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of an "Act to provide for the Registrtaion of Electors," enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the County of Chilton, Alabama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4, at the Court House on March 26, 27, 28, and 29, 1924.

This 29th day of February, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chm.,
J. L. JOHNSON,
E. H. ADAMS,
Registrars Chilton County.

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McAdoo, McAdid, McAdone.—New York Tribune.

Over 43 per cent of the inmates of State hospitals in New York are foreign born. Need anything more be said in order to show the need for a more stringent immigration law and more strict enforcement?

Mr. McAdoo wants to run for president on some such slogan as "Clean up Washington." Well, McAdoo's Washington connections brought him the most money he ever saw in his life—why should he complain? Why smite the hand that fed you?

During the Democratic administration large sums of money were collected illegally under the income tax law and since that time the Republican administration has had to pay some of it back to the taxpayers. The Democrats are hardly in a position to say that the repayments are improper for in some instances former employes of the Democratic administration are attorneys for the claimants for refund.

UP AGAINST REALITIES

Writing from London, Herbert N. Casson says that at the end of the first month of the Labor Government "Ramsay Macdonald has not shown himself to be half as dangerous a socialist as Lloyd George was. Macdonald is an idealist who is up against realities for the first time in his life. His chief difficulties are with his own followers." The trouble is that his own followers expect him to perform while in office in accordance with his talk while trying to get in, and Macdonald has sense enough to know that it can't be done. Responsibility for results has taken a lot of socialism out of Macdonald's head.

A MAN, A BOY AND A DONKEY

Way back about 1906 when the present editor of The Union-Banner was going to school to Prof. V. J. Gragg out at Pinedale, we remember having for a lesson one day in the old Third Reader a story entitled "A Man, a Boy and a Donkey."

This story took up a man and his son who started out on a journey and carried with them a little old mule. At first the boy led the mule and his father rode him. They soon met some folks who scorned the father for riding and making his boy walk. So, the man, desiring to please the folks, got off the mule and put his son up to ride. Soon they met some more folks who said that the boy was slothful for riding and making his father walk. The man and the boy saw that if either rode the mule and made the other walk, folks would scorn at them and criticize them, so they concluded to both get on him and ride. Very soon they met some more folks, who said that they were both mighty cruel to put such a heavy weight on the poor little old mule. They soon saw the folks were not pleased with that. This put them in a position that they were at a complete loss as to what to do. Everything they tried displeased someone. So they tied the mule's feet together, hung him on a long pole and put the pole on their shoulders, and continued their journey carrying the mule, instead of the mule carrying them.

The intention of this simple little story is to show that a person has a mighty hard time if he sets out to please everybody. In fact, a person who ever does anything does something which displeases somebody, for the simple reason that no two people see every little thing just alike. We even find that this is very true in publishing a newspaper. It is utterly impossible to please everybody. The only person who pleases everybody is the person who is dead. The best course a person can pursue is, after due consideration and thought, do the very best he knows, and face the scorn and criticism which is bound to come from some, with a clear conscience and a clean hand. Some people make it their business to find fault in others and criticise and knock, no matter how well a person performs his duty, but such should not be a discouragement to those who do the best they can.

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ANOTHER DETECTIVE AGENCY

Mr. Vanderlip has found a new employment for his millions. He has organized the "Citizen's Federal Research Bureau." The bureau will conduct a "vigorous scientific investigation of the Federal Government." What Mr. Bok sought to accomplish with our international relations, Mr. Vanderlip will seek in our domestic affairs. Mr. Bok put up a fortune for his "peace plan" demonstration, and the recipients of his money were eager to please their benefactor. He got what he wanted, namely, another endorsement of the league of nations. Mr. Vanderlip is offering another fortune, those on his payroll well knowing that what he wants to find is incompetence, corruption, and general inefficiency in the government. They will be found for him without a doubt—that is, rumors will be unearthed that all those things exist. That will be sufficient for Mr. Vanderlip, who was perfectly convinced that President Harding's sale of the Marion Star was filled with corruption, merely because some individual whispered it in his ear.

The Vanderlip research bureau ought to furnish an interesting sideshow for the Senate investigating committees. While the latter are the rallying points for all the radicals in political life in Washington, the former will be the lode-stone that will attract all the parlor pinks and reds in New York and elsewhere. In fact, Mr. Vanderlip admits that a number of "very important persons" have already associated themselves with him. He will have no difficulty whatever in engaging a numerous staff and in paying them salaries to find fault with the government. What an opportunity for the Constitution-wreckers, the government-ownership-pers, the Russian recognizers, and all the other political and economic heretics that dot our citizenship! Yes, Mr. Vanderlip will find plenty of persons to help him spend his money.

WALSH WELSHING

If it were possible to make a certainty more sure, Senator Walsh has accomplished that feat. His course in giving to the press the Coolidge messages which had no relation to oil while he kept secret as long as possible his own letters to Doheny, is enough to insure the re-election of Coolidge even if there had been any doubt about it before, which there was not. The American people will not stand for the Walsh kind of low down politics.

NOTICE OF SALE

At the request of the County Board of Education, I am asking for sealed bids to be presented to the Board on or before Friday, March 28th, for the sale of the Mt. Carmel school building of this county. This building is located about 9 miles west of Clanton.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-6-4t-c. County Supt. Education.

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A SOVIET INVESTIGATION

Senator Brookhart of the Daugherty investigating committee has let it be known that the inquiry will be in no sense a trial of the Attorney General. It is to be a "summary investigation." Apparently the committee proceedings will closely resemble the work of a grand jury. Mr. Daugherty will be represented by counsel, but the rights of counsel will be strictly limited. While the committee members may summon any witnesses they choose and question them without restraint, Mr. Daugherty will be denied similar rights unless in each instance he can first obtain the committee's approval. That form of procedure, coupled with the fact that most of the committee members are known advocates of Daugherty's removal from the cabinet, indicates that the Attorney General will be severely handicapped in presenting his side of the case.

When the committee concludes the taking of testimony and submitted its report, the public will do well to bear in mind the circumstances surrounding the hearing and the mental attitude of the inquisitors. Despite the declaration of the committee chairman that the proceedings will not be a "trial," the people are apt to look upon them as such, unless they keep in mind the trend of recent Senate events. Secretary Denby was forced from office without any real attempt to learn the truth regarding his oil leases. The same Senate coalition that hounded Denby is now on the trail of Daugherty.

WHY THEY WANT HIS GORE

Mr. Daugherty committed an unforgivable offense against the Democrats and they seem determined to get revenge. He brought suits involving war contracts given during the Democratic administration and saved the Government $85,000,000 out of $88,000,000 of claims contested, recovered for the Government $3,500,000 that had been paid out illegally, got judgment for $1,225,000 more, and secured the indictment of 95 persons on charges growing out of war contracts written and approved by Democrats. Daugherty did this without parading the facts through the newspapers. Now the Democrats are going after Daugherty through the newspapers but not getting anywhere with specific evidence.

Like Rolling Off a Log!

Bert Winslow writes, "We lost several hogs and discovered they were cholera infected. Rats spread the germ. A neighbor told me about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. We used it. In a short time there wasn't a rat to be found. The job was so easy, it was like rolling off a log." Get Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mims left Wednesday for Birmingham on a visit.

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Smilin' Charlie Says

Yesterday our office jester said "Th only time a woman keeps her mouth shut is when she's waiting for a number on th 'phone"—bet he never saw an old maid listenin' in on a party line!

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE CALLS PRIMARY FOR TUESDAY, MAY 13

In pursuance of a resolueion passed by the Republican Executive Executive Committee of Chilton County in regular session at the court house in Clanton on January 21, 1924, a primary election of the Republican party of Chilton County is hereby called to be held at the various voting places in Chilton County, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, for thte purpose of nominating condidates for the following offices:

One member of the County Board of Education; a County Treasurer; a Commissioner from the 3rd District; a Commissioner from the 4th District.

All announcements for nomination shall be made on or before Saturday, April 12, 1924.

All qualified voters who will agree to support nominees of said primary election shall be permitted to participate therein.

This the 26th day of Feb., 1924.
W. G. CLUP,
Chm. Repub. Ex. Committee.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Repub. Ex. Committee.

Coughs that hang on—

Break them now before they lead to more serious trouble. Dr. King's New Discovery stops coughing quickly by stimulating the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. It has a pleasant taste. All druggists.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY

INQUISITION AT ITS HEIGHT

Washington, March 17, 1924.—"Senate investigating committees are ignoring the letter and the spirit of that section of the Constitution which provides that the right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects shall not be violated."

"Even the Democratic press is getting disgusted with the methods that have been pursued by the sensationalists in charge of the oil investigation. No one complains of any reasonable and proper effort to get all the facts bearing upon the policy and legality of the naval reserve leases and to punish anyone who may have been guilty of unlawful acts. But the present investigation has been permitted to take so wide a range as to bring under surveillance many transactions not in any way connected with the lease or claimed to be so connected.

"Wherever the Democrats who are conducting the investigation find the slightest excuse for bringing in the name or the business connections or affairs of any Republican, they do so, once having the name in the record, proceed to voice insinuations and cast slurs under the protection of that section of the Constitution, which says that for anything said in either House of Congress a member shall not be called in question in any other place.

"They seem to have forgotten that section of the Constitution which provides that 'the right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated,' etc.

"Despite that provision, the Senate committee has called upon telegraph companies to deliver huge bundles of telegrams through which the committee searched in an effort to find something relating to the oil leases. A large proportion of the telegrams read by the committee had no connection with the oil leases whatever. Of course, most of those not connected with the leases were not made public, but they became known to the half dozen or more Senators who were members of the committee, and there were "leaks." Some telegrams not connected with the oil transactions were made public by the committee.

"If this can be done in one instance, it can be done in any number of instances. If communications can be secured by calling a telegraph company employee, individuals may just as easily be called and compelled to reveal their correspondence, even though it has no bearing upon the subject of the inquiry. The committee has no more right to a telegram than it has to a letter. It has a right to either a telegram or a letter if it has a bearing upon a question at issue in due process of law, but it has no right to demand indiscriminately any correspondence it takes a notion to look at and then reveal to the public all that suits its pleasure.

"One of the leading Democratic papers that has finally sickened of the recklessness and irresponsibility of the investigating committee is the New York Times. In a recent leading editorial that paper declares that 'It was a mistake to suppose that there was no limit to which the committee would not go in making public private telegrams.' After reviewing some of the instances of improper disclosures of private communications the Times rebukes the committee for 'the false scents on which the Senatorial hounds are all the time running off merely at a word.'

"All the pertinent evidence bearing upon the oil leases could have been presented in a week, but the committee has spent three months trying to spring sensations based largely upon irrelevant evidence, and apparently chiefly for partisan advantage."

Mr. H. B. Glenn of Maple Springs, candidate for County Commissioner from the Fourth District, was in Clanton hauling fertilizer Monday. Mr. Glenn says that he is planning to make a trip over the north-western part of the county within the next few days.

Mr. Oscar Lovelady was in Clanton a while Monday. While here he bought for himself two score and twelve issues of The Union-Banner, the first one to be delivered this week. We thank you Mr. Lovelady. This kind of business makes us love you the same as you love the lady.

WRIGLEY'S
After Every Meal

It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.

Wrigley's means benefit as well as pleasure.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 13, 1924.

K. M. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. BICE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. D. HUGHES.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
CLANTON, ALA.
Practice limited to diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses.
Office Hours:
9 to 12 and 1 to 3

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HIKING FROM TALLAHASSEE TO ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

On last Saturday two young men dropped into our office who gave their names as Robert T. Lewis of Georgia and Jack Kerns of Michigan, who said that they were on a hike from Tallahassee, Fla., to St. Paul, Minn., which trip they are makinng by foot. After they reach St. Paul, they are going to build themselves a boat and come down the Mississippi river to New Orleans. These young men had us to clearly understand that they were not beggars but that they were paying their own way. They both claimed to be college graduates, and they said that when their funds ran low they stopped some place and worked a while. They were going to stop in Birmingham and work a few weeks. They said that they expected to make the trip in about six months. Their purpose in making this pedestrial tour is to get some kind of a job as sportsmen.

Coughing

Tires the old, lowers their vitality. The best standard family cough medicine for old and young

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

Good for every member of the family

IN MEMORY OF LITTLE VERA MAE NICKERSON

On March the 9th God in His infinite wisdom saw fit to call little Vera Mae Nickerson home. She was in her second year. She was taken sick on Feb. 24th with colitis, was sick two weeks. She was carried to Central Alabama Hospital. All was done the kind and faithful doctors and nurses and friends could do, but all was in vain.

Little Vera Mae was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Nickerson. She was loved by all who knew her. She wore a smile for those who knew her and in death wore a smile such as a soul in God can wear.

Weep not dear father and mother and relatives for she is gone where there will be no more sickness, sorrow and death, for God will wipe all tears away from our eyes.

One Who Loved Her.

Mr. W. H. Robinson of Providence, candidate for commissioner from the Clanton district, was in Clanton on Monday. He went up to Jemison Monday afternoon on a little campaign tour. Mr. Robinson says that he is going to do his best to get the nomination for commissioner.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

ATTENDING WOCO PEP 6th BIRTHDAY PARTY

Messrs. Latham and Erle Ellis of the local firm, John T. Ellis & Sons, Woco Pep dealers, went to Birmingham Wednesday morning to attend the birthday celebration of the Wofford Oil Company. Last Saturday the Wofford company was six years old, but they had their celebration on Wednesday of this week.

Their program consisted of a sightseeing trip all over the city of Birmingham, a visit to the Southern club, a festival at the Tutwiler Hotel and a theatre party in the evening. All the local agents for Woco Pep in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Tennessee were given this royal reception by the Wofford Oil Company of Birmingham.

This is a rather unique treat for Erle Ellis, the junior member of the local firm, since this occasion is in celebration of his own birthday as well as that of Woco Pep. Following is the complete program:

After registration and "tagging," we will have the contest for a new world's record for filling an automobile tank. Entries have already been received from four out-of-town agents as well as numerous local dealers.

At 12:00 noon each out-of-town agent will be Mr. Wofford's guest at a luncheon at the Southern club.

At 2:00 o'clock we will assemble at the Tutwiler Hotel for the picture and from 2:30 to 4:30 will have a general sales conference in the Tutwiler Ballroom.

At 4:30 all out-of-town visitors will be taken for a sight-seeing drive.

At 6:00 the annual Birthday Banquet lasting until 8:30 at the Tutwiler Hotel.

From there we will go to the Lyric Theatre where "Woco Night" will be observed.

Reservations are being made at the Tutwiler Hotel.

BOX SUPPER AT UNION GROVE

There will be a box supper at Union Grove Saturday night, March 22. Everybody is cordially invited to be present. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the school.

ETHEL MIZE.

NOTICE BAPTIST CHURCHES OF THE UNITY ASSOCIATION

At a recent meeting of the Executive Committee, it was decided to have two general meetings on the fifth Sunday in March. All of the churches and Sunday Schools west of Swift Creek are asked to have large delegations at Big Springs. All of the churches and Sunday Schools east of Swift Creek, to have large delegations at Clanton. The committee has prepared a good program and has secured Dr. J. C. Dawson, president of Howard College for two addresses at Big Springs and Dr. L. L. Gwathney, Editor of the Alabama Baptist for two addresses at Clanton.

Dinner will be served on the ground at both places. All the singers in the association are asked to go to one of the meetings and help in some good music.

Program at Big Springs.

9:45. Devotional, G. W. Taylor.
10:00. Problems of the S. S., open discussion lead by T. L. Patrick and other superintendents.
10:30. Stewardship in our churches, Rev. W. J. Ruddick.
11:00. The Budget and how to work it, Rev. W. T. Edwards.
11:20. The Baptist task in 1924, Dr. J. C. Dawson.
12:00. The task of my Church, open discussion lead by J. F. Apperson and J. E. Wallace.
12:30. Dinner on the ground.
1:30. Devotion, Rev. Reid.
1:45. The Challenge of the B. Y. P. U., Mrs. W. T. Edwards.
2:00. The Necessity of the B. Y. P. U. in every Church, H. A. Harris.
2:15. Four years of W. M. U. Achievements, Mrs. W. C. Dyer.
2:30. The 1924 Task of the W. M. U., Mrs. J. C. Hughes.
2:45. Christian Education, Dr. J. C. Dawson.

Program at Clanton Baptist Church.

9:45. Devotional, Rev. M. J. Parrish.
10:00. Our Sunday School Problems, open discussion lead by L. Johnson and other superintendents.
10:30. Stewardship and our Baptist Problems, Rev. W. M. Mims.
11:00. The Value of the Census, by Rev. J. D. Hughes.
(Special Music.)
11:30. The Baptist Task in 1924, Dr. L. L. Gwathney.
12:10. What will we do about the Task?, open discussion lead by W. I. Mullins and Grady Harris.
12:30. Dinner on the ground.
1:45. Devotional, Rev. E. A. Norris.
2:00. Training our Young People, Mrs. Lester Gilbert.
2:15. What if we fail?, Mrs. Grady Broadhead.
2:30. Special music.
2:45. The Alabama Baptist and the Baptist Program, by Dr. L. L. Gwathney.

ALL DAY SINGING AT CENTER HILL

There will be an all day singing at Center Hill the fifth Sunday in March, in the Christian Harmony. All lovers of Sacred music are invited to bring their books and lunch, as there will not be any public spread of dinner, but all singers will be amply cared for.

JOS. E. COBB.

INDIAN GRAVE ITEMS

Health here is very good at present. We have all enjoyed a nice snow, which was about four and a half inches deep. It has delayed the farmers from plowing a few days.

The school will be out at Indian Grave the 21st of March. There was a nice crowd at Sunday School Sunday. Everybody is invited to come back next first Sunday. There will also be preaching.

Our singing society met Sunday afternoon with a large crowd in attendance. We invite everybody to come back next third Sunday. The directors for the afternoon were: Prof. J. W. Cagle, Mr. Olen Williams, Mr. Shepard, Mr. Hudson Williams and Mr. Alonza Askins. The organists were Mrs. J. W. Cagle and Mr. Hudson Williams. We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Cagle and daughter from Mitchell Dam with us. We invite them to come back.

Miss Isabel Messer dined with Miss Clara Belle Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lemrick dined with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Askins Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Jones and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Adams.

Miss Jettie Adams spent Saturday with Miss Clara Belle Jones.

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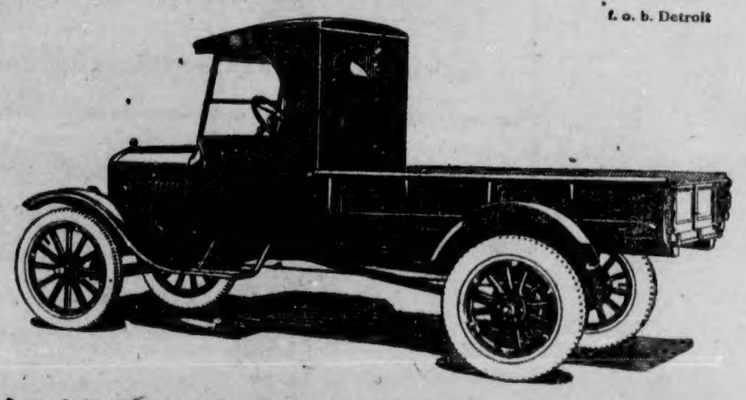

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The modern farmer should be a business man. The selection of his fertilizers is of the utmost importance.

If you are not familiar with ARMOUR'S QUALITY, ask your neighbor. We are willing to abide by his judgment.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Mrs. Carl Langville and daughter, Vivian of Ensley, Ala., were week end visitors at the home of Mrs. Grathy last Sunday.

Mr. Waldemar Lefstead spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mrs. E. F. Mead entertained several of her friends Tuesday afternoon in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Engh, who will be leaving Thorsby for their home in Minnesota on Friday, March 21st.

Mrs. O. L. Jackson had several of her friends at a quilting party Wednesday afternoon of this week.

The evening service, with moving picture accompaniment, at the Congregational church last Sunday was very interesting and impressive. In a short sermon from the text, "Sin coucheth at the door," Rev. Joseph E. Sach called attention to the baleful influences of sin which is always at our heart's door and needs no invitation to come in at the first opportunity. He called attention to the lures of sin and its bitter fruits which rob us of the real joys of living and, without repentance, will rob us of eternal life. The pictures graphically portrayed the life of righteousness in Abel and the terrible load which sin compelled Cain to carry. As pictures, they possessed a good deal of artistic merit and were thrown on the screen by Mr. Graham in a way that gave plenty of time to the audience, a large one, to see each one well before it faded from view and another took its place, which seems to be a new feature in moving picture exhibitions.

Mrs. Ethel Wright Loveland of Thorsby Institute faculty entertained Mr. and Mrs. Mills for the week end. They live in Mrs. Loveland's home town, Downers Grove, Ill., and are touring the South in enjoyment of their first vcation in many years. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Loveland arranged a sort of reception for them at the girl's dormitory which was greatly enjoyed by those present. Sunday they were kept on the go to see folks, places and things in and about Thorsby. Monday morning they attended chapel at Thorsby Institute and left on the morning train for Birmingham. They said they had greatly enjoyed their visit.

Mr. C. E. Lucas, president of the Bank of Thorsby, is still confined to his home where he has been for the past ten days suffering from an attack of lagrippe or influenza.

Mr. J. P. Sorensen has been shut in at home for the past two weeks by an aggravated case of ulcerated tooth but he is now sufficiently recovered as to be out again.

Mr. Robert Johnson, who has been ill for several days, is also able to be out now.

The dinner given by the ladies of the Parent-Teachers Association at Mr. Foshee's store last Saturday was a pronounced success, netting upwards of forty dollars as a nest egg for equipment of our new public school building.

A very enjoyable feature of the occasion was the presence in force of the Thorsby concert band, which furnished plenty of very enjoyable music.

Thorsby orchestra, composed of Clarence Bice, leader, Nels Peterson, C. R. Foss, Naemi Turnquist, J. O. Johnson and Chas. S. Howard, filled an engagement to furnish music at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton last Saturday night.

We are informed that Mr. Clarence Bice, a band leader of experience, has organized a band at Clanton.

Mr. John Carlson has as his guests Mr. Eric Carlson, his brother, and Mrs. Carlson, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peterson of Rockford, Ill., Mr. Carlson's home before coming to Thorsby. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson have been spending several weeks in Florida, and like many other southern tourists, even the birds, find Thorsby a very good resting place on the long journey back to northern haunts.

The fifth number of Thorsby Institute Lyceum course, given at Bates Hall last Saturday night, the Aeloian Concert Company, was an enjoyable entertainment in every way. Of the three ladies taking part it would be hard to say which was best as an entertainer.

Announcements are now out for the last entertainment of the course, a lecure by Mr. C. W. Hesson, manager of the Continental Lyceum Bureau, on Friday night of this week at Bates Hall. Subject of the lecture, "The Poetry of Living."

Last Thursday morning at chapel all the classes sang their class songs. After the seniors had sung theirs, "We march to Victory," Miss Olive Pearson, a visitor, sang beautifully "Just for Today."

Mr. J. B. Littleton of Wylam spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Littleton.

Mr. Arthur Littleton has so far completed his bungalow near the public school house, as to move in with his family last Tuesday.

INSTITUTE HONOR ROLL

First Honor Roll, 4th term, 2nd Semester, (average of 90 or above, no grade below 85.) — Codie Bell, Dorothy Butler, Connie Darby, Geraldine Dobson, Claudie Eiland, Freeman Doris, Palmer Lefstead, Lois Primm, Gertrude Steiner, Frances Wilson.

Second Honor Roll, (average of 85 or above, no grade below 75.)—Margaret Butler, Hazel Collins, Mary Deason, Pearl Deason, Ragnar Ekblad, F. D. Greene, Floy Jackson, Julia Jackson, Nora Lee Lesley, Betty Lakeman, Cresham Loyery, Ronald Lucas, Olene Mims, Lillian McKee, Ethel Peterson, Ray Raybon, Cola Ruffin, Gordon Sorrell, Ruth Turner, Robert Ward, J. C. White, Marcelle Wilder, Bernice Williams, Spurgeon Kelley, Myrtle White.

Attendance Honor Roll, (neither absent nor tardy during term of six weeks.)—Codie Bell, Ben Brown, Dorothy Butler, Margaret Butler, Laura Darby, Ragnar Ekblad, Cecil Each, Doris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, F. D. Green, Sixten Hall, Mable Howard, Floy Jackson, Althea Johnson, Lewis Kelley, Spurgeon Kelley, Betty Lakeman, Palmer Lefstead, Gresham Lowery, Ronald Lucas, Effie Nugent, Lillian McKee, Olene Mims, Hollis Pate, Dessie Robinson, Bernice Rogers, Cola Ruffin, Fellie Stephens, Frances Wilson, Bernice Wood, Boona Lee Wood.

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H. H. Johnson says, "Rats gnawed right through the fabric of a new $30 tire while my car was in the garage. Thanks to Royal guaranted Rat-Kake I won't have to buy any more tires for rate." Rats do terrific damage to property. They menace your health! Royal guaranteed Rat-Kake does DESTROY them. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., and Cooper Drug Company.

ILLITERACY WEEK WILL BE FROM MARCH 21 TO 28

The week beginning March 21st has been set aside by Gov. Brandon in his proclamation as Illiteracy Week, and during that time every citizen of Alabama is expected to do his part for this cause by buying illiteracy stamps, thus helping Alabama to "stamp out illiteracy."

Today there is no greater need, no worthier cause, than this, especially in Alabama, although one of the greatest and foremost states in the Union in some respects. She is certainly one of the most backward in her educational matters. How proud it makes us feel to hear Dr. Rankin, field director of the American Health Association Committee on municipal health department practice make the statement that Alabama is leading all other States in some lines of her public health work, but on the other hand, how ashamed it makes us to turn to statistics and find Alabama ranking second in native-born adult illiteracy.

Does it surprise you to learn that there are 276,082 illiterates over 10 years of age in our State, out of a population of 1,730,421, making a percentage of 16.1 and a ranking of 6th in number and 4th in percentage? Do you realize just how much we are losing in intelligent citizenship thru inequality in opportunity? Cora Wilson Steward says in the New York Times: "It does not take a vivid imagination to see the potentialities in this vast illiterate population or a mathematician to calculate what they might add to the nation if redeemed."

Let us quote Secretary Hughes on the subject: "The American ideal is the ideal of equal educational opportunity, not merely for the purpose of enabling one to know how to earn a living and to fit into an economic status more or less fixed, but of giving play to talent and aspiration and to development of mental and spiritual powers." Can we thus by selfishness and littleness deprive those less fortunate from getting more happiness from life and giving more service to humanity?

WATERS—PAVEY WEDDING

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Pavey at 403 N 6th Street, Wednesday at 3:30, p.m., when their daughter, Miss Lela Elizabeth, was married to Mr. Norman Waters of Birmingham. Rev. C. B. Stephenson, president of the Alabama Conference S. D. A., officiated.

Mr. K. R. Haughey sang "O, Promise Me," and "I Love you Truly" was rendered by Miss Edith Stephenson. Lohregin "Bridal Chorus" was played by Mrs. K. R. Haughey as the bridal couple entered, preceded by Misses Maxine Farley and Louise Stephenson, the ribbon bearers. The bride was dressed in apricot crepe de chine and was given away by her father.

Misses Nondes Schmehl and Esther Farley presided at the punch bowl. Mr. and Mrs. Waters left immediately for Alberta, Canada, where they will make their home.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE IN CLANTON TUESDAY NIGHT

A narrow escape from a fire of more than a serious nature occured in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Roy on Fifth Avenue last Wednesday night about seven o'clock. Mrs. Roy went into her bed room and made up a fire and put her baby to bed. She then went out to her cook room to finish up her night work. In a few minutes she smelled something burning and on returning to her bed room found the bed in which she had put her baby almost ready to blaze. The baby was rescued by its mother but the bed was completely ruined and the room was considerably damaged.

Insurance was carried on the building and contents by C. Reese Mullins and the adjustment of the damage was made by him the next morning.

FREE — Your First Treatment with An-uric, my Kidney-Backache Tablet.

Result of 50 years of Analyses in a Great Hospital.

Fifty years ago, my father, the late Dr. Ray V. Pierce, established the famous Invalids' Hotel at Buffalo, N. Y., surrounding himself with a staff of skilful physicians, surgeons and chemists. To this great institution comes a steady stream of patients from far and wide.

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Realizing the great need for an effective home remedy to correct kidney troubles in their early stages, I put our staff to work on the problem. In time they worked out an ideal formula, which, it was found, could be put up in handy tablet form.

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It isn't necessary to write—just pin this advertisement to a scrap of paper bearing your full name and address and mail it to me.

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FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock eggs, Thompson strains, $1.50 per setting of 15.—J. D. Harrell, Montevallo, Ala., Rt. 2. 3-13-4t-p.

NOTICE—This is to notify the public that I still have a large supply of cement curbing at all times. Those wanting same will please call on G. D. Cooper, Cooper, Ala.—H. Connell. 13-1t-pd.

STRAYED—One black and tan male dog, named "Trailer" left Dr. Crumpton's home in Clanton Saturday night February 16th. If you know anything of his whereabouts, notify either Dr. J. P. Crumpton, Victor J. Heard or J. D. Armstrong, Clanton.

100 YOUNG White Leghorn Hens for sale at $1.20 each.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala., Box 76. 3-6-5td

$15.00 REWARD will be paid for information leading to the recovery of one black and tan male dog, named "Trailer." Notify either John Armstrong, Dr. J. P. Crumpton or Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—10 acres of land with dwelling house. All that part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14, East of L. & N. R. R., Chilton County, Alabama.—See Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-2t-c

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DON'T FORGET THE BALL GAME AT THE HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY AT 3:30. COME AND BOOST THE BOYS AND HELP THEM LICK MARBURY.—OPENING GAME.

WILLIAM JOHNSON DEAD

Mr. William Johnson, age 38, died lats Saturday night, March 15th, at his home near Baker School House. Mr. Johnson was unmarried and came to this county from Coosa about a year ago. He was buried at Highland Sunday afternoon, Rev. M. J. Parrish officiating, assisted by Rev. T. J. Deason. Mr. Johnson leaves one sister.

7th. GRADE EXAMINATION

The County 7th. Grade Examination will be held at the following places on March 28th. and 29th. beginning promptly at 9 A. M. Friday the 28th:

Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Maplesville, Stanton, Isabella, Fairview, Shiloah, Maple Springs and Enterprise.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-13-3t.c County Supt. Education.

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ANTIOCH NEWS

Our Singing Society met Sunday afternoon with a large crowd. Everybody seemed to enjoy the singing. We are expecting the Pilgrim singing class to be with us next Sunday afternoon, fourth Sunday. Everybody is invited to come and be with us.

It is a mistake about being a dinner at this place fourth Sunday—there will be preaching Sunday morning as it is our regular preaching day, and singing in the afternoon, but there will be no dinner.

Miss Myrtle Sewell spent Saturday and Sunday in Billingsley with her friend, Miss Alberta Williams.

Mr. Johnnie Ratliff has returned to Tyler after an extended visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Ratliff.

Miss Minnie Headley spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Era Klinner.

Mr. Charlie Carter was a visitor to this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ratliff from Birmingham spent the week-end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Ratliff.

Mr. Charlie Deramus and Miss Eula Edwards motored over to Antioch Sunday afternoon, trying his new car.

There will be a box supper at Antioch Church Saturday night, March 22. All the girls are invited to come and bring boxes, and the boys with a pocket full of money. It's for the benefit of finishing paying for the new organ. Everybody are cordially invited.

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PINEDALE NEWS

Health of this place is good at present.

Everybody is making preparations to start anothter crop these sun shining days.

Our Sunday school and prayer meeting is progressing nicely.

Miss Leila Ellison dined with Miss Lishie Heflin Sunday.

Mrs. Merline Connell dined with Mrs. Florence Rhodes Sunday.

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everybody is invited to come and be with us.

TO TEACHERS

The Alabama Educational Association will meet in Montgomery April 3rd, 4th and 5th. Those teachers who attend this meeting will be paid as for time taught.

Reduced rates will be given to and from Montgomery and the certificates for receiving these rates can be procured from me. Also speak to your R. R. agent now so that if he has failed to get a copy of the special tariff allowed this reduced rate he may do so immediately.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-20-2t. County Supt. Education.

SCHOOL MEETING AT CANE CREEK

Mr. Jno. S. Dennis, one of the trustees of Cane Creek School, asks us to announce that the patrons of that school are asked to meet at the school house on Thursday night of this week for the purpose of selecting a teacher for the school the coming year. All the patrons are urged to attend.

J. N. SCOTT ABOUT ROADS AND RACE FOR CO. COMMISSIONER

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a small space in your good old paper for a few more of my ignorance drops. We have another campaign on hand this year, and I want to say that we should be very careful in our selection of men to fill the different offices in our county. Should we make a mistake, it means we have got to put up with it for another four years.

No matter how it hurts, what we need most in this election is to get good men for our Commissioners—men who will not want to tax just one class of people for the purpose of building and maintaining roads for benefit of all, on top of what they have already been taxed for that purpose by already paying daily 2c on each gallon of gasoline for road building. I want to say that we need commissioners who believe that it will take labor to build up our roads and who will contend for the men who live along the road-side that use the roads to put in some of their labor in place of so much money. Money never increased in amount on the way to where it was to go but decreases a little usually in each man's hands who handles it. For instance, take the road hand's taxes that live up and down the side of the road who are handy to work the roads. They pay $5.50, the Probate Judge gets a rake of 50 cents, so that leaves $5.00. Then there is a man employed in each Beat as overseer, who receives $2.75 per day for his time seeing after the roads, which will just about take the rest of the $5.00.

I was talking with one overseer, Mr. Foshee, on last Saturday about our roads and the arrangements on program for making the roads, so he stated that he is to work the mail routes first and work the road hands that have not paid their $5.50. So I stated that that would be all the roads we would get worked. Mr. Foshee stated that there had been $300 collected in this Beat and that he intended to spend it all in Beat 2. So I stated that that was not enough to fill the holes on the Mars Hill road, and where was he going to get his pay that it would take all of that to pay him to oversee the men who had not paid.

So I can't see yet where any of this money will get to the roads only in the way of a boss. Of course, Mr. Foshee will see it all spent in Beat 2 for it will all belong to him for his services on these roads. These ignorance drops are not very pleasant for some people to take, but I guarantee there is no harm in them, but if the directions are kept up with, they will de everybody good alike and land each one safely on the rock that is higher than I, as the poet says.

So I shall hollow, hurrah for W. H. Robinson for Commissioner in the Fourth District. I have known him for many years and believe he is competent for the place and would fill it with honor to himself and to the party. We believe in passing the pie plate around to other good hard-working Christian hearted citizens who believe in justice to all. So if I am deceived in old Brother Robinson I hope some friend will truthfully state so and in what way.

I will close just here, Mr. Editor, for a while, thanking you in advance for your space and wishing you and your many readers success.

The old doctor,
J. N. SCOTT.

AROUND CALERA

Mr. Clyde Rogers of South Calera left Sunday for Laurel, Miss., where he will spend a while.

Mrs. Wagoner attended court in Columbiana last Friday.

Mrs. C. O. Lawrence, little daughter Sarah, and Miss Weta Hollis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Virgin and family.

Miss Mayme Clark left Saturday for Birmingham where she remained over until Sunday, going from there to Livingston where she will attend Normal School this summer.

Mrs. Jane Martin is visiting in Colemont this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. Roy Rogers of Adamsville visited homefolks here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Busby of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby Sunday, returning to Birmingham Monday morning.

Miss Catherine Clark spent the week-end in Birmingham as the guest of relatives there.

Miss U. V. Busby was a visitor at Mrs. W. N. Jones' Sunday night.

Misses Gladys Cambelle and Audie Broadhead returned Saturday after a two weeks visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. Will Jones spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. G. S. Tate spent Sunday in Calera, as the guest of Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen.

Miss Lutie Jones spent Sunday with Miss U. V. Busby.

A singing was given at Mr. M. T. Busby's Sunday night. A nice crowd was there and everyone seemed to have an enjoyable time.

Mr. W. J. Clark made a business trip to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. Homer Martin spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Jone Martin.

Mr. Holen Crim was among the visitors to the Magic City for the week-end.

Mrs. Sam Busby spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. C. B. Martin.

Mr. R. L. Crim spent Saturday night at the home of his son, Mr. E. D. Crim.

CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The Society met Sunday afternoon in regular session with a very large attendance. The house was filled to overflowing with good singers and a large crowd of attentive listeners, who seemed to have enjoyed the program very much.

We also noted a good number of visitors from all parts of the county, among whom were several from Clanton, Walnut Creek, Friendship, Verbena, Poplar Springs and Maple Springs. Space would not permit for me to give the names of all the visitors, but will say that we were indeed glad to see so many and invite them to come again.

We are still looking for that quartet that we advertised for in our last report—how about it Walnut Creek? Come on next first Sunday and give us a few good ones. We will appreciate it very much if you will. We still like 'em.

The following is a list of the ones who directed from 1 to 3 songs each: Lee Robinson, J. Z. Mims, L. T. Grant, J. R. Robinson, W. M. Devaughn, O. L. Devaughn and S. M. Yates, Jr. Organists were: Messrs. Lee Robinson, Ralph D. Grant, Miss Lena Mae Devaughn, and Mrs. Alice Baker.

We also had three splendid male quartets rendered by W. M. Devaughn, L. T. Grant, O. L. Devaughn and Ralph D. Grant, and as many mixed quartets which were equally as good rendered by Ralph Grant, Lena Mae Devaughn, Beatrice and Genie Grant and ye pen pusher.

In short, we feel like the evening was well spent in the service of song. At the close of the song service, Rev. J. E. George made a splendid talk and requested that the class sing No. 164 in A. J. S. book, after which Bro. George dismissed the congregation.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Sec.

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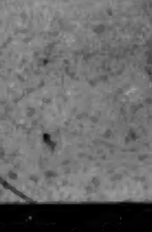

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COLLINS CHAPEL

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a large attendance. The Society was called to order at 2:00 o'clock by President E. L. Glasscock. Prayer was offered by Mr. Robert Cost, and those who directed were: Jasper Oaks, Herlie Mims, Gordon Sorrell, T. A. Maddox, Gresham Lowery, Akins Collins and E. L. Glasscock, who directed the second time. Organists were Misses Gena Collins and Mattie Mims.

The singing was good and everyone present seemed to enjoy it very much. This was evidenced by the splendid attention given throughout the entire afternoon.

Mr. J. M. Mims spoke briefly on the need of a singing school and of the prospect of one being taught by Prof. Patton this summer at or near Thorsby. After which prayer was offered by Mr. T. A. Maddox and the Society adjourned to meet with Oak Hill next Sunday p.m. Everybody is invited to meet with us and take part in our song service at all times—and don't forget the next time and place will be Oak Hill next Sunday p.m.

TWO MONTGOMERY BOYS VISIT AT INDIAN GRAVE

Messrs. L. L. Vinsin and Elma Campbelle of Montgomery made a visit up to Billingsley on last Saturday afternoon and went over to the Indian Grave community. They spent the night and also Sunday out there and had an enjoyable time. They were the guests of Miss Alma Askins on Saturday night. They went to Sabbath School Sunday morning and singing in the afternoon, and say that it was as good as they ever witnessed.

LIBERTY HILL

The singing society met Sunday afternoon and rendered the best program that we have had for quite a while. We had with us visitors from Thorsby, Clanton, Pates Chapel and Cedar Grove. The directors for the afternoon were Messrs. Leonard Culp Glover Smith, Chester Maddox, Harrison Hayes, Misses Francis Lowery, Claudie and Neacie Smith.

One duet was sung by Messrs. F. E. Mastin and Glover Smith. One ladies quartet was sung by Misses Francis Lowery, Lillie, Neacie and Claudie Smith. Also one male quartet sung by Messrs. Glover Smith, Leonard Culp, Alphus and D. W. Ward.

The organists for the afternoon were Misses Bonnie Littlejohn, Lillie Smith and Marietta Callins. We were glad to have the visitors with us and hope they will come again. We use Ganus and Showalter books, and invite everybody to come and sing with us every first and third Sunday afternoon.

COLLINS CHAPEL

Rev. B. Lawrence filled his regular appointment here last Saturday and Sunday.

Our singing society met here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. There were several visitors present whom we were very glad to have with us. Directors for the afternoon were: E. L. Glasscock, T. J. Maddox, Herlie Mims, Gorden Sorrell, Gresham Lowery, Jasper Oaks, Akins Collins; organists were Misses Genie Collins and Mattie Mims. Our society meets next Sunday afternoon at Oak Hill.

On last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Miss Antionette Gore entertained a large number of the young people at a party given at her home.

Misses Nettie Lou Graham from Clanton, Lucile Mims from Jemison and Antionette Gore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mattie Mims.

Miss Genie Collins dined Sunday with Miss Irene Benson.

Miss Inez Hays spent Sunday with Miss Hazel Littleton.

Misses Mayme Walker and Jewell Bean were the guests of Miss Estelle Benson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pate of Thorsby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mims.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Murrah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oslin spent the week end with relatives and friends in Birmingham.

Mr. G. W. Mims, who underwent an operation at Birmingham last week is improving very nicely.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity, February 22, 1924.

Alabama Machinery and Supply Company, a Body Corporate, Complainant, vs. Ralph Calloway and Mrs. Geneva Calloway, Defendants.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Grady Reynolds that the Defendant, Ralph Calloway, is a non-resident and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Ralph Calloway, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 24th day of March, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 22nd day of February, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

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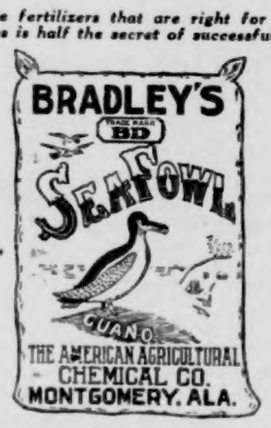

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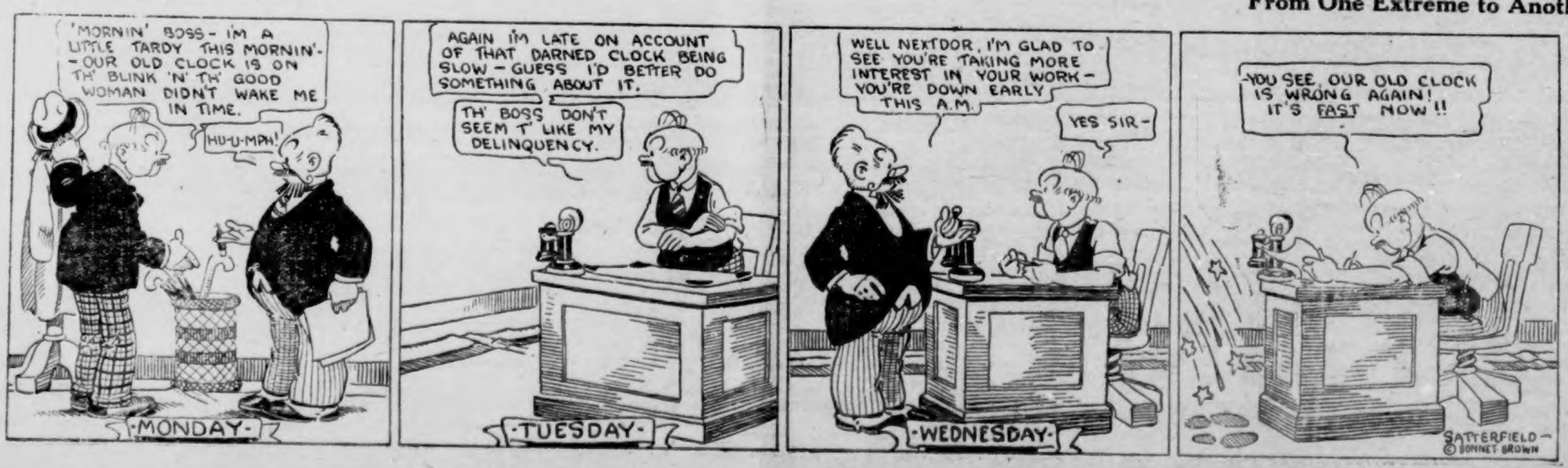

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Road Work to Progress Throughout the County

New System Adopted by Commissioners is Proving to be Means of Doing Good Road Work.

Although the new road law of Chilton county has been in force only a few weeks, some mighty good work is already being done on some of the roads of the county. Of course the overseers have not been able as yet to work anything like all the bad places, but an effort is being made as hastily as possible to place the mail routes and main roads in passable condition and after this the work will be carried to the other roads. It is the intention of the Commissioners to try not to do a great deal of work on the roads until the people are finished laying by their crops. This is done in order that the farmers may be interfered with as little as possible while they are so busy in their fields.

The main and most admirable feature of the new road law is the fact that the money collected in each precinct will be used right on the roads of that particular beat. Besides the money received from the road fees of those who choose to pay instead of work, the county has appropriated a total of $10,000 from the county funds to apply on these precincts. This money will be applied to each beat according to the road mileage of the particular beats and ranges in amounts of from $450 to $600. This money, in connection with that paid in from each beat will be paid to men who live right on the roads where the work is being done who will be hired by the day to work the roads. No contracts will be let to people who live out of the beats and probably out of the county, but the money will be put back right where it was paid out from. The commissioners believe in keeping the money at home, which is a mighty good plan. Under this system, after the roads have been built, the people will have the roads and the money too. This is much better than letting the work out by contract and letting the contractor get the money and carry it away with him. And too, this money is to be used strictly on the country roads, as the highways will be kept up by the county with a different fund altogether.

The county has had for some time three Nash trucks doing road work, and to these has been added one five-ton Hilt caterpillar tractor, together with sufficient scrapes to go with it. This tractor has the reputation of being a mighty good road working machine, and it will be put to work within the next few days. These trucks and tractor will be used on the highways of the county and will also do work on the other roads of the county where the stumps and rocks have been removed so they can work. The work done by these tractors will be paid for out of the county funds and will not interfere with the road fee money and the $10,000 appropriated for precinct road work.

Another phase of the new law worthy of mention is the rain law, which prohibits lumber wagons and trucks hauling over the roads of the county for a certain period of time after a rain. Some opposed this law

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IN REGARD TO COTTON MILL FOR CLANTON

Clanton, Ala., March 24, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I would like to say a few words through your valuable paper in regard to a deep subject, one that has been under discussion for some time through the press, but discussions seem to be all there is to it. They don't seem to maetrialize into the object under discussion, that object being a cotton mill.

I am sure every citizen of Chilton county, especially those around Clanton, realizes the valuable asset a cotton mill would be to Clanton. I believe I'll venture to suggest that it would be more than an asset—it would be the making of Chilton county, financially speaking.

Being a Chiltonian myself, naturally I am interested in the things she does and aspires to do, and a brief five months spent in another county (Elmore), opened my eyes to many things. And although I just "thought about them"—O yes, keeping them in mind till circumstances brought me back to Chilton where I could see you all and have a real heart to heart talk, I feel a deeper impression, a deeper concern, a more urgent desire to offer a few weak suggestions that would stand out as strong points if they are given any consideration at all.

Being a resident of Tallassee for a short time—a town that, doubtless would never have been thought of if the cotton mill there hadn't first presented the opportunity, or made possible its becoming a town—gave me a better insight into the real thing of every business relationship than I should ever have dreamed had I not been allowed or circumstanced to learn those things by observation and experience.

Employed as I was, in a general merchandise store, brought me into close contact with the mills' employees as well as the other business people of the town, and realizing—considering, as it were, the size of both towns, setting them up side by side, in a business way, comparing their prospects, and Clanton having the better advantages, the greater resources, Tallassee is getting the cream, and just because she's got a cotton mill to her credit.

I didn't have to rest my eyes upon the four walls of one store to have them opened to the fact of business either. I could see it everywhere around me, even the air smelled of it.

Indeed, Tallassee has her dull days the same as any other town, but if you see her unusually dull, and the merchants wearing long faces, you can pretty well ascertain the cause if you happen to learn that the mill is failing to run regularly, or going on shorter hours causing lighter purses, but even then she is getting a better trade, according to size, than Clanton.

Facts summed up and analyzed, we realize that not only is a cotton mill a help to the merchant, but to the farmer as well.

Offer a country lady within a ten mile radius of Tallassee 15c a dozen

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SPRING TERM CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION AT CLANTON THIS WEEK

Court Convenes Monday Morning and Expedites Many Cases During First Two Days.

The spring term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County is in session at the court house this week. Judge Smoot opened court and empanelled Juries Monday morning. Up to Wednesday morning, the following civil cases had been disposed of:

W. C. Robinson against J. Bice; dismissed.

W. C. Robinson against J. Bice & Sons; dismissed.

W. C. Robinson against J. Bice; dismissed.

W. C. Robinson against J. Bice & Sons; continued.

Deloach & Cox against Enoch H. Moates; dismissed for want of prosecution.

Enoch Moates against E. A. Deloach and J. Lee Cox; dismissed by plaintiff.

Mary Fitzpatrick against M. D. Foshee et als.; continued by agreement.

R. M. Smith against M. A. Pinson; jury and verdict for plaintiff.

Alabama Power Company against W. C. Robinson; settled between parties.

Alabama Power Company against Rebecca Driver and Mary Fitzpatrick; continued.

Alabama Power Company against Ele-Nol Company; continued.

Only S. Smith against W. P. Martin; judgment for plaintiff for automobile sued for.

Morris Fertilizer Company against Deloach & Cox; dismissed.

The Weather Craft Company against Deloach & Cox; jury and verdict for plaintiff.

A. A. Ayers and W. R. Phillips against Rosa M. Barbour; judgment by consent for plaintiff.

G. W. Hudgens against Elbert Gothard; jury and verdict for plaintiff for $25.00.

Home Insurance Company against A. R. and T. S. Frith; dismissed by plaintiff.

F. D. Wilson against C. C. Roseberry; settled, cost paid, dismissed.

J. J. Stanley against F. A. Collins; continued by plaintiff.

Loveman, Joseph & Loeb against Elizabeth Duncan; continued by consent.

Mell Kimball against Walter H. Gillespie; dismissed.

J. M. Langston against Monroe and Milly Stewart; jury and verdict for defendant.

North B'ham Trust & Savings Bank against Gulledge Bros.; dismissed at defendant's costs.

Petit Jury This Week.

Following is a list of the Petit Ju-

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ANOTHER SEEKS NOMINATION FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

W. J., probably more commonly known as Bill Easterling, of Clanton Route 1, has entered his announcement for County Commissioner from the Clanton District. Bill is a farmer who lives just off the Higgins Ferry Road out about four miles from town.

Mr. Easterling has been engaged in business a time or two in Clanton, he having run a meat market, and was also in business with Andrew Miner a while, the firm being known as Miner & Easterling. Bill comes out very highly solicited and recommended by a number of his home people. No doubt, if nominated and elected, he will make us a good commissioner.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER

Those in the county who have not registered should bear in mind that this week is the last chance you will have this year in which to qualify. The Board of Registrars are now at the court house and will be here until about 5:00 o'clock Saturday. Remember, this is your last chance to registtr this year.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETINGS

On next Sunday the Unity Baptist Association will hold two Fifth Sunday meetings, one at Big Springs and the other at Clanton, and the Chilton County Association will hold one at New Salem, near Thursby. Good heavy programs with prominent speakers have been arranged for all three of these meetings, and all the Baptist churches of the two associations are urged to co-operate in making them a glorious success.

ALL DAY SINGING, OAK GROVE

There will be an all day singing at Oak Grove the third Sunday in April. Everybody is invited to come, bring dinner and books—both Vaughan and Showalter. All teachers are especially invited, as we are looking for a teacher for this summer. Don't forget the date. 3t

GOOD ROADS ERA IS DAWNING IN ALABAMA STATES MR. ROGERS

Ninety Per Cent of County Seats to Be Joined During Brandon's Term, Claim.

At least 90 per cent of the county seats in Alabama will be connected with each other by good roads by the end of the Brandon administration, if present plans mature, according to a statement Saturday by Senator John A. Rogers, chairman of the state highway commission, and J. Freeman Suttle, commissioner of maintenance. Alabama will have by that time one of the best systems of highways of any state in the South as compared with the 600 miles of state highways now in use and the 700 miles under construction, they said.

Suggesions that all roads built in Alabama be of concrete were condemned by the commission on the grounds that it was impractical and was made for purposes other than of the public welfare. According to the statement issued, if all the highways were of concrete, 41 years would be required to complete the program now being used. The total income of the state highway department is approximately $2,380,000 per year, the statement added, and the cost of the construction of a mile of concrete highway is over $37,000.

Under the road program for 1924, outlined by Senator Rogers in recent statements to the press, roads will be started in all counties not boasting good roads at the present time, and the second unit will be started in 40 counties.

The statement also stated that if the $25,000,000 bond issue was sold, that Alabama would come to the front rapidly in good roads and many tourists now traveling through other states would come through Alabama.

An attempt is being made by the Birmingham morning newspaper referred to, the statement adds, to destroy the character of certain officials of the state highway department because they are not willing to ally themselves with the concrete interests, who, the statement charges, control the Birmingham morning newspaper. Highway commissions in other states have been destroyed by the ruthless power of this concrete trust, the statement concludes, but the Alabama Highway Commission intends to save itself and the people at the same time.

NEXT SUNDAY "GO TO CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY"

Govenor W. W. Brandon has issued a State-wide proclamation proclaiming next Sunday, March 30 as Go to Church and Sunday School Day. This proclamation applies not only to towns and cities but to the rural districts as well. Everybody who possibly can is urged to go to Sunday School Sunday and remain for preaching.

CHILTON COUNTY RECEIVES 5-TON CATERPILLAR TRACTOR

The big 5-ton Holt caterpillar tractor which the county commissioners bought a few days ago, arrived in Clanton Monday. A man was sent here to erect the tractor and get it in working shape. The machine was carried out Tuesday morning and tried out. So far, it has proven very satisfactory, and it is believed it will be by far the best road-working machine the county has ever had.

DR. GWALTNEY TO PREACH

Dr. L. L. Gwaltney, editor of The Alabama Baptist, who will be one of the principal speakers in the Fifth Sunday meeting in Clanton next Sunday, will preach at the Clanton Baptist Church next Sunday night. Dr. Gwaltney is a fine lecturer as well as an inspired preacher, and all who can are urged to come out and hear him.

GRADING SIDE WALKS

The Town of Clanton has begun the grading of the side walks along Second Avenue. They began Monday morning at the Cemetery and are working toward the court house. As soon as the grading is done cement side walks will be built. The Town is doing the work and the cost will be assessed against the owners of the property along which the improvements are being made. A competent engineer is in charge of the work.

Mr. Erlie Ray of Jemison was in Clanton attending court the first of this week.

Mr. Joe P. Gore left Tuesday morning in his Ford for Selma, where he pill spend a couple of weeks with his daughter, Mrs. T. L. Thompson.

Messrs. Jos. E. and B. L. Cobb of Jemison, Route 3, were in Clanton attending court the first of this week.

Coolidge Leads In the Race For Republican Nomination

CATCHES HAWKS AND OWLS AND THINGS IN STEEL TRAPS

Uncle Daniel Wyatt, pho lives just across the creek from town, tells us an interesting tale about him catching hawks, owls, etc., in steel traps.

About three months ago, after seeing something in the paper about a fellow catching hawks in steel traps, Uncle Daniel decided he would try it. He came to town and bought him half a dozen traps, and took them and set them down close to the creek in his pasture where the mud and water covered the ground and where there were lots of frogs and tadpoles. So, when the fowls come there to catch the frogs and tadpoles, they walk into his traps and he catches them. Up to the present time he has caught a total of 14 hawks, 11 owls and 1 yellow hammer. Uncle Daniel says it is great fun to set his traps and get out behind a big tree and watch the hawks and owls get into them. He has seen his traps catch several this way. We just wonder what he is going to be catching next.

MRS. LOIS SIMS ENTERS RACE FOR CO. TREASURER

The sixth name on the list of candidates for county treasurer is that of Mrs. Lois Sims of Jemison. Mrs. Sims is the daughter of that sterling old Republican citizen, Mr. T. J. Hubbard. It will be remembered that Mr. Hubbard served this county as tax collector for three terms preceding Mr. J. N. Dennis. A better man than Mrs. Sims' father and a more loyal worker for the Republican party could hardly be found within the bounds of Chilton county.

However, Mrs. Sims is not making the race altogether on the good name and record of her father. She is a splendid young lady and is held with the highest esteem and respect by the hosts of people around Jemison who know her. Mrs. Sims is a very loyal Republican and is thoroughly qualified to attend to the duties of the office for which she asks. She is a deserving young lady and assures the voters of the county that she will appreciate their support in the coming primary.

METHODISTS WILL HOLD SERVICE IN NEW CHURCH

The new Methodist Church building in Clanton has been sufficiently completed that Sunday School and church will be held in the basement next Sunday. Not much work has been done on the building for the past few months on account of the winter weather, but it is hoped that it will be completed this summer. This building will be a fine one when it is cmmpleted. The Methodist of Clanton are indeed proud to claim as their own such a magnificent house of worship.

W. H. Robinson, candidate for Commissioner from the Fourth District was in Clanton Monday shaking hands with the attendants at Circuit Court. We persume that he talked some in regard to his candidacy, also.

North Dakota Defeat Apparently Puts Poor Old Hiram Johnson Out of Race.

The political pot keeps boiling, but, so far as the Democrats are concerned, the winds are so variable that the escaping steam does not blow in any one general direction.

With the Republicans, it is different. The further the Coolidge band wagon rolls the more crowded it becomes. Soon it would appear to be all over but the shouting so far as the Republican nomination is concerned. Senator Johnson is making a brave but losing fight. There is not even a mirage in the desert of his disappointment.

No matter how he may explain this defeat in North Dakota, the fact remains that Senator Hiram Johnson lost a progressive or radical state to the conservative now in the White House, and one trouble spot in the Coolidge campaign has been obliterated. The Coolidge campaign managers are predicting a "walk in" for the rest of the way to the Cleveland convention.

The McAdoo supporters for the Democratic nomination, cast down a week before by the unsatisfactory results of the primary in Missouri, are elated now over the returns from Georgia.

Yet Georgia is not a pivotal state in the McAdoo campaign. It was important to the former secretary of the treasury that he carry the state. Of that there can be no doubt. Mr. McAdoo himself realized it and that is why he traveled all the way across the country to spend the last four or five days of the primary campaign in the Empire State of the South. Something was needed to give the McAdoo boom a further boost, something to offset the former McAdoo association with the Doheny oil interests in Mexico; something to offset Missouri. If Georgia had gone against Mr. McAdoo it would have been disastrous. Therefore, the victory was important, but it leaves Mr. McAdoo with the great bulk of his work still ahead of him. The pivotal states are yet to come and the way to the nomination is a long and hard one.

Gov. Al Smith, of New York, is as shy as a young gazelle when anyone mentions his name for the presidency. There is no doubt, however, that he will have the entire state delegation back of him when the Democratic convention begins right in his own front yard. From that point on no one knows just what is going to happen to the Smith idea. It is certain that Governor Smith is not worrying his head over the matter and is willing to let nature take its course all by itself. He will not permit the formation of an organization in his behalf.

Former Governor Cox, of Ohio, has thus far limited the use of his name to his own state. His permission to that extent has been hailed in Ohio with great enthuiasm and more may develop from it than now appears upon the surface.

Mr. Monroe Ramsey of Plantersville was in Clanton Tuesday attending to some business. Mr. Ramsey is a saw mill and lumber man.

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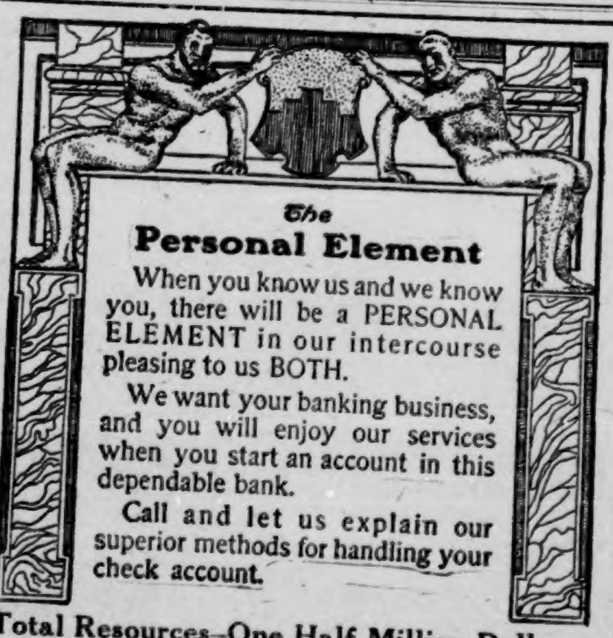

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WEST CHILTON

March is a record month this time. So cold and backward; but balmy spring will be here, annual reminder of man's ultimate restitution.

Pneumonia, colds and whooping cough have been prevalent here.

George W. Gothard has recently passed away, another good man gone. He will be missed.

Farmer Crumpton, a young man, died with pneumonia. We sympathize with his parents.

Little Fravis Crumpton, about 8 years old, died of pneumonia. His sorrowing parents have our sympathy.

H. H. Armtrong visited in Siluria Friday.

Miss Talor Atchison was carried to Birmingham for treatment of head trouble recently. She has recovered.

Mrs. Belle Smith carried her little girl to Jemison Sunday for treatment for tonsilitis.

Mr. McGee, originally of Oakley, has moved to the farm of Mr. C. G. Glass, one of our popular merchants.

We have a fine lot or candidates out in this quiet campaign. We know a portion of them—Mr. Glenn, apparently one of the truest men we even met; Mr. Wilkins, another good man; Mr. Vinson has been tried and made good; Mr. Walker is reported O.K., Mr. Robinson is reported worthy. We do not know the others—they are doubtless true.

Messrs. Littlejohn, Bice and Vinson would doubtless either fill the office nicely, with Miss Genie Collins equal to the best.

Do not know the candidates for the Educational Board. But this is important. We need men to elevate and purify the cause of education, so much needed, men who will respect the wishes of their constituents.

Give us teachers who will countenance nothing but what is elevating and conducive to real manhood and real womanhood from the opening of the school to the concert inclusive.

Some of the candidates will be defeated. Any candidate who cannot bear defeat gracefully had better never enter the race.

When the people have spoken let all, with the defeated candidates in the lead, rally to the nominee from the lowest to that wise and great American, Calvin Coolidge.

Let loyalty and full respect to the people's wishes be our slogan.

Don't let it run —that cough

IT may grow into a chronic ailment! Stop it *now* with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. Just the medicines that your doctor prescribes for loosening heavy phlegm, easing inflamed throat and chest tissue, and stopping coughing—combined with the time tested remedy, pine-tar honey. Everybody likes the taste. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for the whole family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

"Papoose Golf"

MANY queer present day fads had their origin over on the Pacific coast—chiefly, in or around Los Angeles, Calif. The latest reports from that city tell us of a new stunt for women golf enthusiasts—er, the married ones with children, of course. It has been dubbed "Papoose Golf" and above is a picture of the young mother who started the fad—Mrs. F. Tennyson.

The picture is self-explanatory. It shows there's no further need for mothers to turn in "terrible scores" because of worry over their youngsters at home. They can simply take the little tots along, parking them in their golf bags to be conveniently carried over one shoulder. Simple enough, isn't it?

Of course, mothers should be careful not to lay the golf bag on the ground absent-mindedly. The youngster might decide to make a round of the course on its hands and knees—and, naturally, an enthusiastic mother golfer wouldn't find much enjoyment trotting around perfectly good golf links looking for her offspring.

OAK HILL

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a very good attendance. The society was called to order at 2 o'clock with prayer by Rev. Falkner. Those who directed were E. H. Foshee, L. R. Cobb, Gordon Sorrell, A. H. Glasscock, Vester Campbell and E. L. Glasscock. Organists, Misses Emma Campbell, Flossie Cobb, Mattie Mims and Genie Collins.

The singing was good and everyone seemed to be willing and anxious to do their part in making it the great success that it was. We were so interested that the storm of wind and rain that came upon us about 3:00 o'clock did not disturb us but a very short time, and the class sung faithfully until 4:00 o'clock. Then we were dismissed with prayer by Bro. McHurren.

The Oak Grove class and other visitors were with us and helped wonderfully, which we appreciate very much. We invite them and all others to come and take part with us in these song services at all times and places. Come, we are always glad to have you with us. We also invite the Cooper quartet to visit us as often as possible.

Be sure and attend the One-Cent Sale at Uuchurch Drug Company on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

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CLANTON, ALA.

SARDIS NOTES

Health of this place is very good at the present, and of course, we are glad to state that.

Come on young folks and let's make our Sunday School the very best. It is doing nicely already, but let us make it better. We hope soon to be able to say that we have 100 on roll.

Miss Eva Klinner spent last Saturday night with her most charming cousin, Miss Anthel Ratliff.

The box supper at Antioch was very fine Saturday night. There were 23 boxes sold and a nice sum was raised to help finish paying for their new organ. There was also a cake for the prettiest girl. The two girls which were put up were Misses Beulah Chambers and Era Klinner, and Miss Chambers had the pleasure of cutting and eating the cake.

A large number of young folks from this place attended the box supper at Antioch.

Messrs. Garland Foshee and Cyrus Hayes motored to Clanton Saturday.

The singing at Antioch Sunday afternoon was good and a large crowd was present.

Mr. Harmon Broadhead of this place has purchased himself a grist mill, house and lot at West End, Clanton.

Mr. John Fox of Fairview sold the boxes for us Saturday night. Come on Mr. Fox, you are doing fine. You will soon be considered an expert auctioneer.

Mr. Verge Christian of this place left same few days ago for Selma where he will remain for some time as he is working there now.

Miss Addie Christian spent Saturday night with Miss Bernice Broadhead.

Miss Bernice Broadhead is planning on going to Birmingham soon. We are wishing her a grand time.

LOMAX NEWS

Mr. J. C. Price, who is working at Gold Hill spent the latter part of last week with his family here, returning Sunday.

Messrs. McCord, Frank Noah and Clifford Bolan of Leeds were visiting in Lomax recently.

Mr. N. G. Ward of Liberty Hill community was in Lomax Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives. He also attended preaching services at New Harmony.

Miss Myrtle White of near Thorsby spent Saturday night with Misses Viluna and Alta Mae Shirley.

Misses Maries Traywick and Hattie Mae Jackson dined with Miss Estelle Jackson Sunday.

Mrs. Hollie Price and children spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Price.

Mr. Enoch Traywick and family spent Sunday with Mr. Arthur Traywick and family.

Will close, with best wishes to The Union-Banner and its many readers.

PINE DALE

Our school at this place closed Friday. We were all sorry to see our teachers leave.

Saturday night and Sunday were our preaching days, and large crowds attended and heard two excellent sermons by our pastor, Rev. J. M. Dubose.

Miss Tressie Mae Cleckler spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Leila Ellison.

Miss Lilla Heflin dined with Miss Lishie Heflin Sunday.

Miss Martha Rhodes dined with Miss Leila Ellison Sunday.

Mrs. Virbie Miner took dinner with Mrs. Florence Rhodes Sunday.

Miss Marion and Nora Bell Popwell visited Pine Dale Sunday night.

Mr. Albert Thompson, Mr. Jim Driver and Mr. Bernard Headley motored to Cane Creek Sunday a.m.

Mr. J. M. Thompson and family went to Lomax Sunday afternoon.

We have prayer meeting every Sunday night and every Wednesday night. Everybody is invited to come.

The biggest and best line of goods we have ever had, on One-Cent Sale this week,—Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Upchurch's.

ADVERTISING IN THE RIGHT WAY PAYS EVERY TIME

In the issue of March 13 The Union-Banner carried a nice clothing adv. for a Clanton merchant. A few days after the paper went out one of our readers from another hustling town in the county came to Clanton and went to this man's store. He told the storekeeper that one of his home merchants carried the same brand of clothing that he advertised but that he had come to Clanton to buy his suit just because he saw the adv. in the Banner and felt that the Clanton merchant would probably be better able to fit him. Another man from this same town later came to the Clanton merchant and bought another of these suits on the strength of the adv. in The Union-Banner.

This is only one of the many similar instances which we hear of every day. And yet, some of our merchants lament over the assumption that "business is too dull to advertise." How these merchants get this idea we cannot understand. Business might possibly get so good that advertising would be unnecessary, but it could never get so dull that advertising in the right way would not pay; in fact the duller a merchant's business is, the more he needs to advertise. If he is already getting enough business, what is the use to try to get more? The time a business needs to boost its trade is when its trade is at a low ebb. To wait till business is good to advertise is just like waiting until your neighbor brings you a mess of fresh meat and then you go out and try to buy you a mess after you do not need it. The time to advertise is when you want more business. And the place to advertise is in a newspaper that all the people read, take for instance, The Union-Banner.

FIFTH MONDAY PROGRAM

"Fellow Laborers" or Helping the Pastor.

1. "Helping at the Church Services," Mrs. Barney Roberts.
2. "Sunday School," Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. John VanDerveer.
(Special music—Miss Orr.)
3. "Prayer Meeting," Mrs. Upchurch.
4. "Revival Season," Mrs. Wilkerson.
5. "Every Day," Mrs. Ezell.
6. Reading, "The House by the Road," Miss Carter.

THREE UNIQUE PRESENTS PRESENTED THE BANNER

On last Monday morning, when the Banner force opened up the office, we found that some time between that and when we closed up Saturday night some unexpected visitor had, without opening a door or raising a window or breaking in, entered our building and left with us three nice little presents, all very much alike. And just see if you can guess what they were. Our friends very often bring us a mess of turnips or a nice water melon or some kind of a freak of nature, but this time is was neither of these. Well we knew you could not guess it, so we will just tell you. It was three beautiful, soft, fluffy little baby kittens. We would not take anything for these little feline babies, and we expect in a week or so to have in them three of the spryest little pets you most ever saw. This uninvited and unexpected visitor, a big old tabby, was very kind and generous to us.

Mr. William Miner of near the Poor House was in Clanton Monday. He said that the storm Sunday afternoon was rather fierce up around him however, no real damage was done.

"A Smile Will go A Long, Long Way"

So will this appealing OKeh record go a long way to give you a real dance treat.

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POOR O

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

There is a destiny that makes us brothers.
None goes his way alone.
All that we send into the lives of others
Comes back into our own.
I care not what his temples or his creeds,
One thing holds form and fast—
That into his fateful heap of days and deeds
The soul of man is cast.
—Edwin Markham.

Missionary Society Study Class.

The Mission Study on Building with India has created quite a bit of enthusiasm in the missionary society of the Methodist church, and was held Monday at the home of Mrs. Barney Roberts. There was a large attendance and 4 new members added to the class roll. The new members were Mrs. Osmond Middleton, Mrs. Katie Hayes, Mrs. Hosey and Miss Seawright. Several interesting talks and papers were given. After the program a brief business session was held. The hostess served a tempting salad plate. The home was made bright with baskets of yellow jonquils. The date for the Easter bazaar was named for April 10th and plans were made for dinner to be served today, Thursday, at the court house.

Mrs. Johnson Hostess.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson entertained her card club on Wednesday afternoon at her home when the game was especially interesting. The reception rooms were given an added touch of beauty with vases of fragrant carnations and hyacinths of pink coloring. The score prize was awarded to Mrs. N. S. Johnson, being a pretty Japanese tray with a hand made tray cloth. This delightful affair was concluded with a lovely salad plate. Only club members, with Mrs. Guy Roberts and Mrs. Eric Hart substitutes, were present. Mrs. Willis Lyman will be hostess this week.

Mr. J. D. Norman of Montgomery was attending court here Tuesday.

Mr. Hub Davis from the University was home for the week end.

Mr. John M. Bridges from Bessemer spent Sunday with his family here.

Mrs. T. C. McSwain was a visitor to Birmingham last week.

Mrs. Robert Williams spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mr. F. M. Dobson was a visitor to our city last week.

Mr. Clarence Evans spent a few days with his mother here last week.

Mrs. D. Y. Johnston spent a couple of days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sartor visited relatives in Birmingham Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and Mrs. Percy Pitts were visitors to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. Cecil Armstrong from Cherokee Bluffs spent the week end in Clanton.

Mrs. Higgins and daughter, Frances, were visiorst to Birmingham on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Smith from Prattville were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith.

Miss Mary Mullins, who is teaching in Montgomery this winter was home for the week end.

Mr. Anthony Henderson from Talladega Springs was home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Curlee from Birmingham were the guests of his parents here for the week end.

Mr. H. Shaw from Nashville and Mr. L. F. Smith from Birmingham were attending court here Tuesday.

Miss Irene Jones, who is teaching this winter in Bessemer, was the week end guest of her parents here.

Come up to the court house today, Thursday, and enjoy a nice chicken dinner with the Methodist ladies. Price, 50 cents per plate.

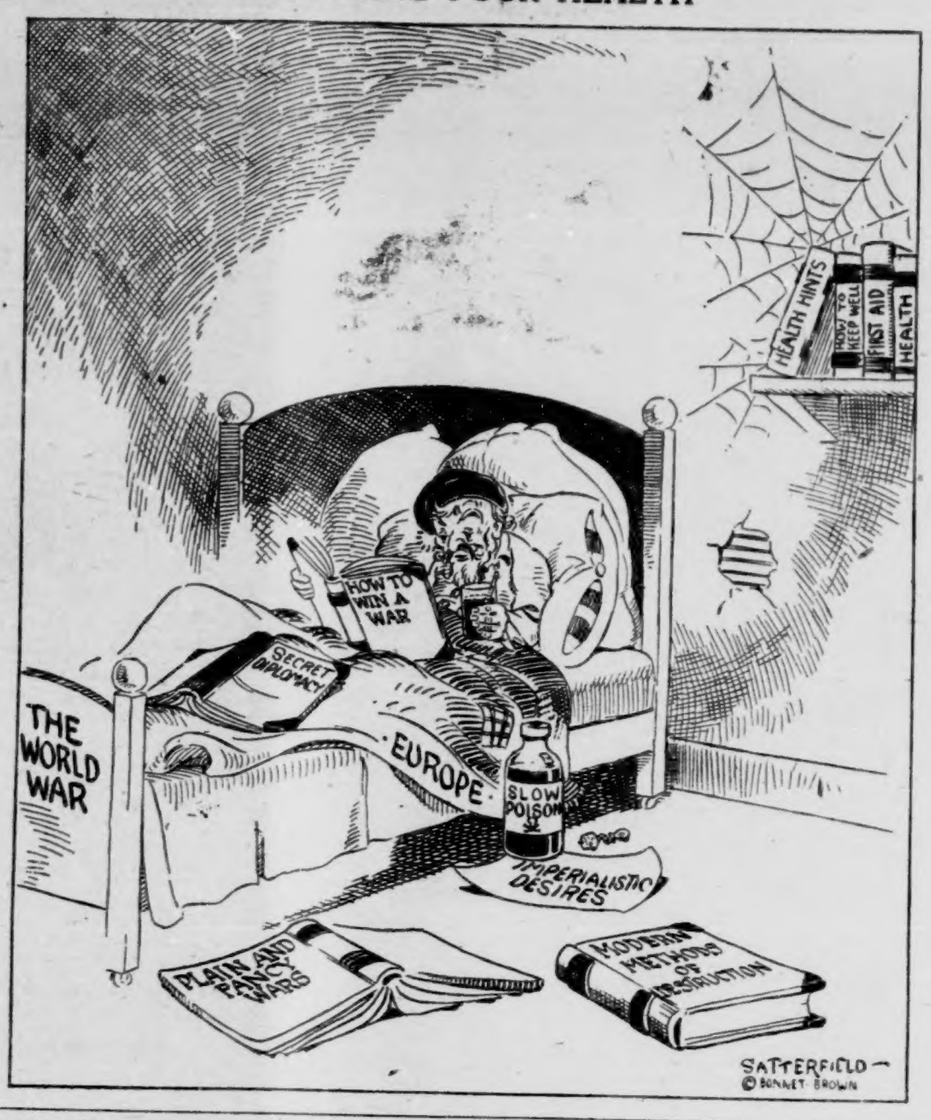
Misses Margaret and Beverly Hester spent the week end with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hester.

Mrs. John Armstrong and mother, Mrs. Roper, returned Friday evening from a week's visit to Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper at Boothton.

Mrs. Hubert McDavid and attractive little daughter, Bettie from Bainbridge, Ga., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McDavid.

Sunday, March 30th has been designated by the Governor of Alabama as "Go to Church Day." The Methodist people are especially delighted to announce that on that day they will hold their first service in the basement of their new quarters. Everybody is invited to come.

ENJOYING POOR HEALTH



STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

A new bulletin from Alabama college at Montevallo, has just come from the press giving the announcements for the extension division of this division. The extension service was begun in the session of 1922-23 with five groups of teachers. This year there were eleven groups in six counties, all under the direction of Dr. H. W. James, director of Extension. Courses of study are offered in various subjects for teachers.

Underwood supporters at Florence are particularly pleased with the result of the election in Colbert, Lauderdale, Franklin, Lawrence and Limestone counties, all of which are contiguous to the Muscle Shoals district. Substantial majorities in each of these counties indicate that the people in this section understand and appreciate the fact that Senator Underwood is and always has been their strongest friend.

Charging that religious prejudice and the presence of some members of a secret order at the trial of the case influenced the $4,000 verdict given Miss Nellie Hamilton in her suit for damages aganst the Gadsden General hospital (Catholic) attorneys for the latter argued a motion to set aside the finding of the jury as excessive and not warranted by the evidence.

The state highway commission has voted to purchase two "lodometers." The lodometer is a device to ascertain the weight of a truck, two of the machines being placed under the wheels and "jacking up" the truck by which means the weight is ascertained. The lodometers will be used to prevent overloading on state highways.

The state highway commission has voted to pave a short stretch of road in the corporate limits of Florala linking the Opp-Florala highway with the Florida road system, provided federal cooperation could be secured. A further proviso was made that the town of Florala should take care of the excess over one mile in length of the road stretch sought to be paved.

Immediate building of a $25,000 annex may be had for the Bessemer post office, if a tentative proposal to this effect is accepted by the treasury department. There has been considerable agitation during the past few months favoring the annex, which has led to an investigation which was recently made by the treasury department.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

Experience is a mighty thorough school but it's a durned poor excuse for doin' something that ain't necessary-------

REPORT FIRES

All fires occuring in Chilton County should be reported to the Sheriff at once, as he is Deputy Fire Marshal of the county. Please report all fires to him as early afterwards as possible.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Manly Atchison of Sylacauga was in Clanton Tuesday.

THE BIRTH OF A NATION THE REST OF THIS WEEK

D. W. Griffith's wonderful motion picture, "The Birth of a Nation," is being shown at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton the last three days of this week. There are two shows daily one at 3:00 and one at 7:30. People over 65 years old are admitted to the matinees free. See this wonderful picture while you have the opportunity. It is presented under the auspices of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

Spring Cleaning

The time has come for you to have all your old Spring and summer clothing cleaned and pressed and made like new. We can fix 'em so you'll think they are brand new — the Hoffman Sanitary Steam press way. Call us right **now**— we'll convince you.

Powell Pressing Co.

New Walker Bldg., Next to Parrish's

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Clanton, Ala.

Saturday Specials

Oldsmobile Six, good condition, good tires and a bargain $350.00

Buick Six, extra good one, and worth much more than we ask $550.00

1923 Ford, Worth $300, Saturday, ... $250.00

Ford Cut-down, good tires and a runner, for only $50.00

Best we have, a 1923 Chevrolet, run about 2500 miles, not a scratch on it, cost $628.00 just a few months ago, at $400.00

Sold on liberal terms, or will trade for old, poor, worn-out, hilly, rocky, piney woods lands.

John T. Ellis & Sons

CLANTON, ALA.

NOTICE!

I am making a special request to all who owe me either on open account or any kind of paper, that they arrange to make settlement by April 1st. Where amounts are larger than can be met by that time, make as large payment as possible. Prompt attention to this request will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

W. A. Kemp

CLANTON, ALABAMA

New Spring Shoes

IN THE LATEST STYLES AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

Ladies — $2.75, $2.95, $3.45 and $3.95
Childrens — $1.25, $1.50, $1.95, $2.45, $2.95
Mens and Boys — $3.45, $3.75, $4.49, $5.00 and $5.75

W. Z. HODGES DRY GOODS COMPANY

Clanton, Alabama.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

New Meat Market

I have opened up a Meat Market in the back end of Miner's Grocery Store, and I invite my Friends to come here to buy their Fresh Meats.

I shall strive at all times to furnish Meats of the Better Kind and to give Service that will be pleasing. I will appreciate your Business.

J. A. Baker

Registration Notice

In accordance with the provisions of an "Act to provide for the Registrtaion of Electors," enacted by the Legislature of 1920, the Registrars of the County of Chilton, Alabama, do hereby give notice that the following appointments are set for the purpose of registering those qualified under the law to register as electors:

Precinct No. 4, at the Court House on March 26, 27, 28, and 29, 1924.

This 29th day of February, 1924.

J. W. E. GULLEDGE, Chm.,
J. L. JOHNSON,
E. H. ADAMS,
Registrars Chilton County.

RIGINAL

THE UNION-BANNER

Published every Thursday at Clanton, Chilton County, Ala.

T. E. WYATT and E. C. POWELL Publishers and Proprietors.

T. E. WYATT, Editor.

Entered April 15, 1913, at Clanton, Ala., as Second Class mail matter, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

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One Year,	$1.50
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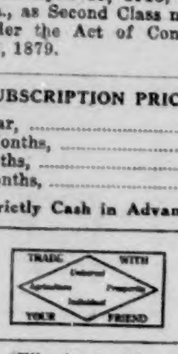

Senator Wheeler, or Montana, says that Doheny financed a revolution in Mexico. Doheny says he loaned money to the Mexican Government to forestall a revolution. Now we shall be interested in learning who is a liar.

The Teapot Dome investigators in Congress have carried the oil investigations into such insignificant deatils that have absolutely no bearing on the matter in question that the whole affair is becoming a monumental joke. It is true that Mr. Fall fell from grace when he accepted that 100,000 bones from Doheny in regard to the leasing of Teapot Dome, but the Democrats are trying to tie up every Republican official in Washington with the scandal. The truth of the matter is that the actual leasing of the government's oil fields to individual refineries was no illegal process at all and we believe will eventually be proved a benefit to the government instead of such a tremendous scandal. The right will eventually come out.

The McAdoo promoters are asking for help and passing the hat for dollar subscriptions. That is a far cry from $100,000 fees and the appeal is probably as hypocritical as the principal for which it is made. There is a certain class of voters which would give much more than one dollar, individually, to see the quitting ex-Secretary made President. Happily that class has been reduced to a pitiful minority by recent disclosures.

There is some talk in Washington to the effect that if Mr. McAdoo can take a hefty enough trading contingent to New York he will have his strength thrown to Ralston, who is generally regarded as the most likely candidate for the Democratic nomination. What would be the quid pro quo? Well, it might be that McAdoo be the vice-presidential nominee. Why? Ralston would be in his 68th year at inauguration, and the cares of the Chief Magistrate are not such as are conducive to longevity.

SHIFT CAREFULLY

The Department of Agriculture does not believe in hysteria in farming. At least it does not under the present administration. After remarking upon the shifting of many farmers from one crop to another because last year's experience was not satisfactory, the Department says in a recent bulletin: "Many wise farmers hesitate to follow the crowd in these continual shiftings. They realize that the difficulties of this period are less to be met by chasing elusive price advantages of the moment than by following the tried and tested system and leaving no stone unturned to improve that system. Efficiency and rigid economy now mean everything, and continual change is a will-o'-the-wisp."

Switching from one line of farming to another means a new capital investment. The more extensive the shift, the more capital required. Moreover, if a grain farmer shifts to live stock or to fruit, he has much to learn and probably a lot of it by costly experience. The purpose of the Department's bulletin is that the shifting should be slight and carefully considered and consistent chiefly of endeavoring to produce as many as possible of the things the farmer will need for himself and family.

7th. GRADE EXAMINATION

The County 7th. Grade Examination will be held at the following places on March 28th. and 29th. beginning promptly at 9 A. M. Friday the 28th:

Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Maplesville, Stanton, Isabella, Fairview, Shiloah, Maple Springs and Enterprise.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-13-3t.c County Supt. Education.

CHANGING DRIVERS

TURKEY AND THE HAY

There was once an old lawyer who needed an assistant, so he advertised for applicants to meet him in his office next day. When they were all assembled about his desk he told them a story somewhat as follows: A young man rushed into the house to get a gun with which to shoot a turkey that was sitting on top of the woodpile around the corner of the barn near the house. He got the gun and blazed away, but he was so near a pile of hay that it caught fire, and before it could be put out it had spread to the woodpile and burned it up. From there the flames leaped to the barn and destroyed it with all the horses and cattle that were in it, and had even partially burned the house before the timely arrival of the village fire brigade got the conflagration under control.

All the applicants for the position with the old lawyer thought the story was highly interesting and exciting, but only one of them inquired, "Did he get the turkey?" That man received the appointment.

All of which is respectfully referred to the Senate Oil Committee.

POLE-CAT POLITICS

Democratic gas attacks against the Republican stronghold are to be delivered in waves, or rather clouds. For some months we have read the deluge of rumor, innuendo, and plain libel. Just as the public is tiring of that, the Daugherty Committee gets under way with a choice list of hitherto unknown witnesses filled with hearsay testimony. In anticipation of the time when that proceeding, also, will pall upon the reader, the way is being paved for an investigation into the income tax division of the Treasury Department. The customary special committee of five members has already been appointed, and is busily storing up its ammunition to fire when the proper time arrives. It is just possible that public disgust will have reached such proportions by then that the character assassins will be ready to curb their activities.

Bought Tires for Rats!

H. H. Johnson says, "Rats gnawed right through the fabric of a new $30 tire while my car was in the garage. Thanks to Royal guaranted Rat-Kake I won't have to buy any more tires for rate." Rats do terrific damage to property. They menace your health! Royal guaranteed Rat-Kake does DESTROY them. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., and Cooper Drug Company.

One-Cent Sale at Upchurch Drug Company now on—Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The Home, the Family and Social Life

(Part of an address delivered by Dr. C. C. Davison, of the First Church, Decatur, Ala., at Howard College on Founders Day.)

We find two sinister forces undermining our home life. The true home is the strength of our republic. There is love and reverence and respect for things sacred. Home is a spiritual fact. It is an atmosphere. Home life has decayed. The old time fellowship is no more. The home, education and religion are the basis of society. A pastor called recently on twenty families in the evenings. In seven of the twenty, no one was at home. In four of them two elderly people only were in. In three others there were some small children. In no case did he find the entire family at home together.

The theatre, the movie, the dance hall and other attractions have marred and destroyed the holy relationships of life. In these are displayed infidelity, illicit love, robbery, swearing, drinking, and silly, profane, drunken, smoking girls and women while clergymen are jokes and clowns. A result is a disregard for parental authority. Children are pert and flippant and there is small respect for holy and sacred things. There is a widespread neglect of children accompanied with a lack of respect for parents and obedience to them.

Another sign of degeneracy in social life is the reign of the lap-dog instead of the infant. The coming of baby is fraught with great possibilities. It is a great event. The supreme test of civilization is the right estimate of the value of the child. The waste of motherly affection and instinct on dogs, not to speak of the $200,000,000.00 per year expended on them is a sure sign of social degeneracy. Hear the shocking silliness—"Come to its muzzer" and like expressions. A phyaician was called into an apartment of a friend to render some help. He noted a strange odor. The wife lay grief stricken with disheveled hair on the bed. Her pet dog lay dead beside her and when the doctor took it away she shrieked "My baby, my baby." Large apartment houses accommodating 2000 and 3000 people and more, allow no children, while dogs are welcome. Materialistic civilization is conspiring against the child and true home life. Couples with small children are "outcast tenants." There is no place for baby to lay his tiny head.

This sign of social decay is seen too in the realm of fashion. Our women are slaves to fashion. Style is their fetish. Many a woman has surrendered body and soul to be in style. We have seen the changes from the hoop skirt and the bustle, the ten gore skirt with the brush sweeping the sidewalk to the two gore hobble and the transparent skirt. We have seen the leg-o-mutton sleeve and the tight sleeve and we have come to the no sleeve. We have seen the high hat, the low hat and the wide hat and the narrow hat. We have seen the high collar and the low collar and the no collar. Many women are conformed to this world. They are just as much bound to fashion as the ignorant Chinese with her bound feet. The cigarette smoking, cock-tail drinking, pug dog nursing, half dressed, painted woman with her "c" collar and her "f" back is a menace. Viewing such, one man asked another, "Doesn't the Bible say that when Adam and Eve ate the apple they knew they were naked?" "Yes." "Then," he said, "it's time to pass the apples again."

Judge Choquette, of Quebec, says the Birmingham News on January 22, after viewing the film, "Flaming Youth" ordered the film seized and the exhibitor arrested. The chairman of the board of censors who passed the film testified that the girls in the picture dressed no worse than the members of the so-called best society and that the dances were the same as those witnessed in Quebec nightly. Conditions were such that Cardinal Begin forbade modern dancing and extremes in dress and behavior in his diocese. The sex idea is displayed in the theater, the movies, in literature, and in dress. "What is a fellow to do" said a young man. "We can escape the literature but we cannot escape our girls? I am physically clean but they will not let us be mentally clean."

Most nations, except America and a few others, have developed a beautiful, modest, healthful, national costume. Peter speaks of ornaments of a meek and a quiet spirit (I Peter 3:4). Paul says, "Women must adorn themselves with modest apparel (I Tim. 2:9).

My little boy a few days ago said, "Look at the new style." There was a poor girl exhibiting herself on the street with whitewashed and painted face wearing the extreme style in dress.

These modern conditions have developed until ten marriages out of every hundred result in divorce. The courts are kept grinding and this enemy of the home is on the increase.

This tendency to degeneracy is seen too in amusements and recreations. The very names given to modern dances suggest looseness, indecency and immorality. The dance is associated with vices that tear down and destroy the human race. It is in the dance halls that evil men ply their trade of seduction and ruin. Some churches even claim the dance is necessary to hold our young people. These will resent the idea that they are held by pandering to the fleshly side of their natures.

Closely allied to the dance is the theatre and the movie. The modern commercialized theatre has destroyed the drama. Stars are being feaurted less and less. It is the play, the equipment and the music which are advertised now. The plays are "noxious trash." The old time tone is gone. Real artists are dropping out of the business. Rabbi Wise, of New York, writes that, The theatre is the dirtiest business in America." "It is," he said, "a vulgar incarnation of impurity spun about a display of hosiery and underwear. It is moral leprosy. The carnival is a low type where lewd women dance the 'hoochee-koochee' of suggestive physical contortions every half hour for several days."

The theatre and the movie are Sabbath breakers. There are about as many theatres as there are school houses. Twenty million children attend our schools while 60,000,000 people attend the theatre. It is estimated that 100,000,000 people attend the movies each month. In them the children see scenes of immorality and crime, of murder and rapine. Christian people support these base institutions while they undermine the churches, break down the Sabbath and destroy civilization. They have practically destroyed respect for the home, womanhood and the Sabbath. These are the foundations of American civilization.

Next we consider the gambling craze. It is one of our oldest vices. It is born of avarice and nurtured by covetousness and selfishness. It is a losing game. Most of the ex-kings of Wall Street die poor. Many of them today are toiling for their bread. Gambling leads to other vices, unfits for serious duties of life and breaks up many homes. It is associated with drink, drugs and impurity. The gambling den, the saloon, the brothel, and the dance hall are usually connected. It leads to embezzlement, theft, forgery, murder, and suicide. The professional poker player, the negro crap shooter, and the society woman bridge player are all gamblers. Every state in the union prohibits lotteries and games of chance. Some church people use this means however to raise funds. To cure this national disease the fear of God must replace the love of gold. Public sentiment must be aroused. Parental authority must be established, a proper example must be set while honest endeavor must be recognized and rewarded.

One of the alarming tendencies of our time is the growing prevalence of social disease. The appalling vices and the flagrant indecencies of our age are tolerated in a guilty and a shameful silence and through a false modesty. They assail the sanctity of our churches, the purity of our homes, the good order of our state and the life of our nation. Our old enemy—false modesty—is illustrated by the action of two foolish girls in a Western state who clutched the arms of the two young men who were rowing them until a man drowned. They said, "Heavens, we can't take him in, he's naked."

Social disease enacts a terrible toll continually. Efficiency is murdered to the amount of $300,000,000 per year. In Alabama the draft revealed in class A men from Mobile, Montgomery and Birmingham 1,317 and 18 per cent infection respectively. What would have been the condition of classes B, C and D? The state loses 1000 citizens from social disease to one from crime. In the first draft 270,000 men were found unfit for service in the state of New York alone. The health commissioner of that state announced also that five out of eight of the young people and 60 per cent of the men were guilty and diseased. Sixty thousand girls in our land disappear annually and sink into the horrible pit of prostitution. In different cities 94, 96 and 97 per cent of the prostitutes were found infected. Prostitution is an open sewer of infection. "Girls on the quiet" and "charity girls" should be avoided just as carefully.

This physical horror causes 300,000 deaths in the United States annually. From 1914 to 1918 we lost as many from this cause as France did in the World War. These diseases cause most of the blindness in children, much of the insanity, many diseases of the eye, nose and throat, much premature invalidism, a large per cent of the barrenness, and a majority of the pelvic and abdominal operations in our women.

Many causes operate to make this social outrage possible. All restraint of tradition, custom and religion seems broken down Magazines, newspapers, theatres, movies, and the modern dance, together with the liquor traffic are all working together for the downfall of our race. Many girls and women are swept into the whirlpool of vice by the force of economic necessity while some choose it as an easy means of securing luxuries and fine clothing. Many hotels and apartment houses are filled with women who are supported by men from the outside. The Shonts case of New York was a flagrant example. The sacred powers of procreation are prostituted for gain. This illegal business is well organized and run by men for profit.

In Birmingham, Judge Martin said, "The auto is a great menace to morals." Commissioner Cloe said, "We voted out whiskey to save our men, we must vote out the auto to save our womanhood."

We must meet this awful situation. The sacred and vital facts of life must be dealt with frankly and candidly. False modesty and the conspiracy of silence will not remedy the situation. An advanced step was taken by our state when men requesting a marriage license were required to furnish a certificate of good health and freedom from venerial disease. Put the proper value on the health and happiness of the bride and have her family physician furnish the certificate for the groom.—Alabama Baptist.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

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(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

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K. M. VINSON.

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J. BICE.

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C. D. HUGHES.

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

Milch Cows For Sale

I have some fresh milch cows for sale, which I will sell for cash, on time, or will trade for other cattle, that are not quarantined.

I have a good mule for sale, weighs one thousand pounds, works well. Will sell for cash, on time, or will trade for a colt or small pony horse.

L. H. Reynolds

CLANTON, ALA.

POOR O

BIG PROBLEMS FACE GROWERS OF COTTON

Unless Improved Methods Are Practiced the South is Sure to Lose Monopoly, Says Ousley.

Auburn, Ala., March 24.—The South is no lonlger sure of holding its monopoly on cotton production for the world. The percentage of the total cotton supply produced in the South is gradually decreasing, and Clarence Ousley, formerly assistant secretary of agriculture, told bankers and farmers in conference here that unless the boll weevil is controlled and cotton produced in a more economical way the South is certain to lose its monopoly.

Mr. Ousley assigned several reasons for this conclusion. He declared that cotton can be produced in the Sudan region of Africa and in Brazil at a labor cost which is less than the cost of weevil control in the South.

In discussing cotton production in Alabama in 1923 Mr. Ousley said: "If you cannot make more to the acre than you made last year you will be better off not to plant cotton. The average production per acre in Alabama in 1923 was only 91 pounds of lint cotton, and it is impossible to make money growing cotton at this rate. There is no way to escape bankruptcy in doing so."

After discussing the pessimistic side Mr. Ousley became optimistic and declared that southern farmers can control the boll weevil if they will only follow the instructions laid down by the agricultural colleges and given to them through the press and by their county demonstration agents. "Alabama farmers can control the boll weevil if they will only follow instructions sent out from Auburn," the speaker declared.

Mr. Ousley went futher. He advised the bankers present not to lend money for cotton production without assurance that boll weevil control methods will be followed. He told them that it is just as safe to lend money on cotton stored in a warehouse without fire protection as it is to lend money for cotton production without assurance of boll weevil control.

TO TEACHERS

The Alabama Educational Association will meet in Montgomery April 3rd, 4th and 5th. Those teachers who attend this meeting will be paid as for time taught.

Reduced rates will be given to and from Montgomery and the certificates for receiving these rates can be procured from me. Also speak to your R. R. agent now so that if he has failed to get a copy of the special tariff allowed this reduced rate he may do so immediately.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-20-2t. County Supt. Education.

INFORMATION FROM STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Montgomery, Ala., March 24.—From recent investigations it is now claimed that hookworms are more numerous in sandy soils than in the Black Belt section and efforts are being concentrated on the fight to eliminate them in the sandy sections of the State.

Dallas county, it is pointed out after an exhaustive survey, has no hookworm problem except in the extreme northeastern portion of the county where the soil is of a sandy formation.

Malaria, however, is not confined to any one particular section or soil, but is found to a greater or lesser extent in any section where mosquitoes if a certain variety are permitted to breed. The propagation of malaria depends upon the Anopheles species of the mosquito.

During the past few months a survey has been under way in that portion of Geneva county where the waters of the Chattahocohie River will flood when the hydro electric power plant is completed at Cherokee Bluff for supplying energy to the city of Dothan. This survey is being made for the purpose of determining whether or not the population adjacent to the river is already infected with malaria. Following the completion of this survey, instructions will be given the people there on the best method of successfully fighting malaria.

Health officers, both state and county, are determined to eradicate three diseases from Alabama—Malaria, Typhoid and Hookworm.

O'GWINN—DAVIES

The marriage of Miss Alice Alberta Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Davis, and John Henry O'Gwinn was solemnized on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride in Montgomery. A large number of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, which was impressively performed by Rev. O. P. Spiegel, pastor of the Central Christian church.

A program of wedding music was rendered on the piano and violin by Miss Pauline Freeling and Sam O'Gwinn who was best man. Mrs. Howard wore a beautiful gown of cocoa flat crepe trimmed with ecru lace. She carried an arm boquet of pink Killarney roses and maiden hair fern. The bride and groom entered together. The bride was beautiful in a gown of sand colored Georgette heavily beaded in cut steel. With this was worn a chic spring hat to correspond. Her boquet was a shower of bride's roses, lillies of the valley and orchids.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. O'Gwinn left for a wedding trip to New Orleans and Florida. On their return they will make their future home in Montgomery.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

What is known as "Plan No. 1" for the development of the port of Mobile, was definitely decided upon and adopted following a conference between the docks commission and Gov W. W. Brandon, who approved the plan. His approval was conditioned upon the commission being able to acquire the property involved at approximately the prices fixed by the board of appraisers, and to complete satisfactory agreements with railroads entering Mobile.

James Sibley, district club agent of the Auburn experiment station is mapping out the work of the ten boys' clubs just organized in Etowah county. They will raise corn, pigs, cotton, cows and poultry, but owing to boll weevil conditions Mr. Sibley states most of them will devote their time to cotton, using Auburn fertilizing methods. It is the purpose to make each demonstration club an object lesson to the farmers of the county and district.

Encouraged by the passage of an amendment by the legislature giving Alabama public service commission right to require railroads to build adequate passenger stations where they do not exist, the city of Attalla filed a petition with the commission asking that body to compel the Southern Alabama Great Southern, Louisville & Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroads to erect an entirely new union station at that place.

The Alabama public service commission has granted the petition of the Union Water company seeking approval of the transfer of all its properties to the Alabama Water company. The holdings involved comprise water works plants and system at Albertville, Russellville, and Boaz and certain franchises, rights and contracts to operate water plants at Hartselle Leeds and Irondale.

Upon recommendation of Dr. John W. Abercrombie, state superintendent of education, the state board of education has appointed Miss Rosa V Strickland, principal of the Powell School, Birmingham, and Mrs. R. L. Faucett, of Prattville, superintendent of education for Autauga County members of the state text book committee, to fill existing vacancies.

The Alabama Water Company agrees to comply with the wishes of the cities of Albany and Decatur in touching improving water pressure for use in case of fires. The Alabama Public Service Commission, states representatives of the city of Albany has given the water company until next August to put the agreement into effect.

Representatives from approximately seven states, as far west as Indiana organized themselves into what will be officially known as the Associated Heirs of the Bibb-Key Estate at the Chamber of Commerce in Birmingham to push their legal claims to holdings valued at approximately $1,000,000,000 in New York City upon which a 99 year lease has expired.

Miss Elizabeth Walker of Andalusia, is to take the difficult leading role in "The Magic Flute," to be presented in Nashville, Tenn., during the May music festival under the direction of Mr. David R. Gebhart, of Peabody College, with whom she has been studying for three years.

Construction and installation of electric generating facilities on the Chattahcochee River at Bartlett's Ferry, Ala., is proposed by the Columbus Electric and Power Company, in a petition for a certificate of convenience and necessity, filed with the Alabama Public Service Commission.

Work has been started this week by the Fairview Methodist church on a new building. The building when completed and furnished, will represent an investment of $40,000.

The O. Henry memorial prize annually awarded for the best short story of the year has been conferred upon a Birmingham writer, Edgar Valentine Smith, assigned city editor of The News.

Sixteen communities in Walker county have organized troops of Boy Scouts in the past year with a total membership of over 560.

Bankers of group No. 1 comprising the north Alabama counties will hold their annual meeting in Sheffield April 7.

J. L. BURNETT ON A CAMPAIGN TOUR

Mr. J. L. Burnett, who is out for commissioner from the Third district, was in Clanton shaking hands with the voters Monday. Mr. Burnett left in the afternoon for Stumps Hills and his old home community, Collins Chapel, where he went to invite folks to vote for him. Mr. Burnett was reared in Collins Chapel community and is related to the Burnetts up there. He is also a first cousin of Will Bean and Dudley Collins. Mr. Burnett moved to his present location in Beat 7 several years ago.

FORD REACHES HIGHEST MARK IN ITS HISTORY

Swinging into its big spring production program, the Ford Motor Company on Wednesday, March 12, reached the highest mark in its history when its domestic assembly plants produced a total of 7,456 cars and trucks.

This record-breaking figure does not include the daily output of 500 cars and trucks for export, nor the production of the Manchester, England, and Ford of Canada plants which manufacture most of their own products.

The new production record is of especial significance as it indicates the enormous demand being made throughout the country for Ford cars and trucks and the company's endeavor to bring its output up to the point where it will attempt to fill all requirements as to avoid repetition of the shortage which existed last spring when thousands of persons were disappointed in not being able to secure delivery of cars.

Messrs. B. L. Cobb and L. A. McGraw of Jemison, Route 3, were among the attendants at court here Monday.

Mr. C. C. Edwards of Jemison, Route 3, was in Clanton Monday. While here he subscribed for The Union-Banner.

Another Dividend Payable April 1st

On April 1st, 1924, thousands of Alabamians will receive the regular quarterly dividend on their holdings of—

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Health is one of the greatest things your family can possess. It brings happiness and success. But health must be safe-guarded by good wholesome foods that are prepared from the purest ingredients. This is especially true of bakings. If they are not properly raised, we all know that they are not easily digested. Many times when self-rising flour is used in place of good plain flour and dependable baking powder—the results are flat, soggy and heavy foods.

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BEAUTIFUL ROADS IMPOSSIBLE WITH PRESENT ADV. METHODS

No matter how good the road surface, the scenery cannot be considered enjoyable if interrupted and confused in the eye of the beholder by a succession of vividly painted advertising signs. The movement to beautify highways by elimination of sign advertising gathers force, but meets strenuous resistance from those who contend that a man has the right to rent the land he owns for the erection of a sign, the rent of which will pay his taxes.

Regulation, rather than elimination is the compromise favored by advertising companies which secure sign rights to roadside property and resell the space to advertisers. They contend that the signs can not be eliminated legally but can be regulated as to size, color, distance and beauty.

In this connection, it is interesting to observe that Kansas City, Mo., in preparing for the convention of a hundred thousand Shriners next June, started an anti-sign movement sponsored by the Merchants' Association. Nearly all of its members signed the petition. Many other business men enlisted, and some of the largest and most offensive signs already have been taken down voluntarily. The proposed ordinance may include street clocks, barber poles, news and shoe shine stands, and other sidewalk obstructions.

FARMERS UNION SPEAKINGS

Messrs. W. R. K. Stanford and E. H. Littlejohn of Lawley will speak in the interest of the Farmers Union at Isabella school house Thursday night of this week. They will also speak at the court house in Clanton on next Saturday at 11 o'clock. All the farmers of the county are urged to attend these meetings. Mr. Stanford says that he is making a thorough canvass all over the county in the interest of the Union and co-operation among the farmers.

Mr. T. J. Hubbard and daughter, Mrs. Lois Sims of Jemison were in Clanton attending to business Monday of this week. Mrs. Sims announced for county treasurer while here.

CHILTON HI SWAMPS MARBURY

Chilton Hi of Clanton started the base ball season off with a decisive win over Marbury Hi last Friday afternoon on the former's grounds.

The Chilton Hi boys slapped the offerings of Smith and Alley to all parts of the park, for a total of 13 hits and 13 runs.

The game was too uneven to be called interesting, but there were a few thrills, especially base stealing by the Chilton boys. They stole 9 bases during the game.

Alley was all that Marbury had who did creditable work, although 5 runs were scored off him during the 5 innings he was in the box.

Marbury did not get but 2 hits during the game. Chilton uncovered a good pitcher in "Lefty" Mullins, who started the game, but did not finish on account of the cold weather.

Chilton Hi is out after the State championship and if they are not watched very closely she will run somebody a close race for the honors. They have a pitching staff that would do any high school credit. Mullins, a left hander, Burnett and Wagoner, right handers, compose the pitching staff.

Quite a bit of fun was had just before the game was called, when a foot race was indulged in between Dr. J. P. Hayes and Dr. N. S. Johnson. Dr. Hayes challenged anyone his age for a foot race around the new track inside the ball park, and Dr. Johnson immediately accepted the challenge, and everybody present enjoyed a fair foot race by the two. The runners started off at the count of three by Mr. V. J. Heard, and at the start Dr. Hayes gained on Dr. Johnson until they reached the halfway mark, when Dr. Johnson caught up with him, and it seemed just as Johnson was in the act of passing Hayes he either stepped into a soft place in the newly ploughed track or stumbled and feel, and Hayes kept on his steady gate and won the race.

The following are the results of the ball game:

	Hits	Runs
Clanton	13	13
Marbury	2	0

Batteries, Chilton—Mullins, Burnett, Wagoner and Thompson.

Marbury—Smith, Alley and Simmons.

GEORGE ANDERSON OF SARDIS HERE SATURDAY

Among the esteemed callers at The Union-Banner office last Saturday was Mr. George Anderson of Sardis community. George, although blind, is especially noted for his accomplishments as a singer and organist. He is also very efficient in writing on a typewriter, in fact he was in our office Saturday to get from us some paper to use on his typewriter. George is quite a wonder when it comes to doing things, even under the handicap of possessing no sense of vision.

While in our office George asked us to tell our readers that he was looking mighty good. George was looking good, but what we can't understand is how come him to know it. We are always glad to have him call to see us—or rather to talk with us—because George is a bully good fellow.

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Motorists use Red Seal Lye to clear radiators of scale and to clean up oil-soaked floors. Car-owners should note, however, that the Red Seal Lye solution should not touch the car, as it injures the paint. Parts made of aluminum should *not* be cleaned with lye.

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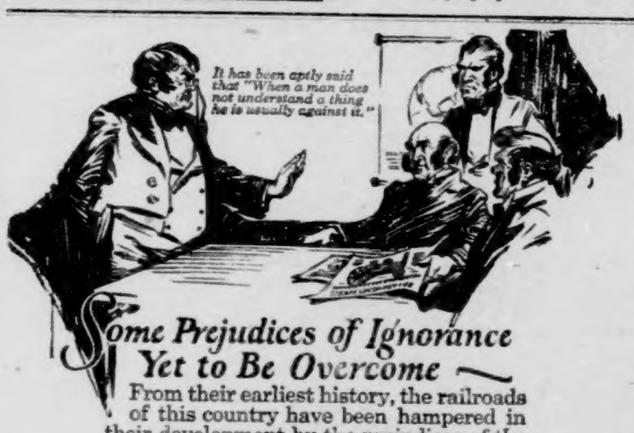

Some Prejudices of Ignorance Yet to Be Overcome

From their earliest history, the railroads of this country have been hampered in their development by the prejudices of the uninformed. It is recorded that in 1828 the school board of Lancaster, Ohio, refused to permit the schoolhouse to be used for a discussion as to whether railroads and telegraphs were practical.

"You are welcome to use the schoolhouse to debate all proper questions in, but such things as railroads and telegraphs are impossibilities and rank infidelity. There is nothing in the Word of God about them. If God had designed that his intelligent creatures should travel at the frightful speed of fifteen miles an hour, by steam, He would have clearly foretold it through His holy prophets. It is a device of Satan to lead immortal souls down to Hell."

It is further recorded that the citizens of Frederick, Maryland, actually organized a fund of $10,000 to pay a railroad to keep out of their town.

In spite of such foolish, religious hysteria, superstition and prejudice, this country now enjoys the finest railroad transportation system on the face of the globe.

But, there are still those who, thru ignorance of railroad operation and railroad problems, are deeply prejudiced; and who would hamper further the development of the railroads.

Fact No. 38

Intelligent and right-thinking men and women will not permit their transportation system to be sacrificed on the altar of ignorance and prejudice. Get the facts about the railroad situation.

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"I can frankly say I have received the best results, by test, with Royster's."

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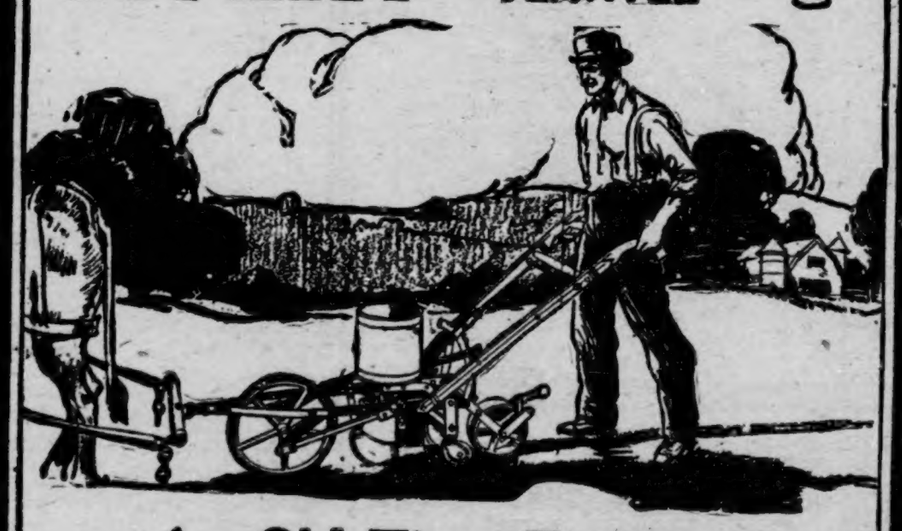
COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

"It requires more than one tree planted for each tree cut to reproduce our vanishing forests," says a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. "Each tree cut is the result not only of its own efforts but also of the assistance and support it received from numerous trees which grew about it during its progress toward maturity. The tall straight pines of the Alabama forests would have been low, limby and scrubby had they not been crowded during the early and middle portions of their lifetime by the other trees which started from the same seed crop. Generally speaking, it requires from one thousand to twelve hundred pine seedlings to fully stock an acre of ground. Most of these young trees drop out of the fight for existence before the timber reaches maturity. Meanwhile, however, before falling out of the race they have fulfilled the important duty of forcing the remaining trees to grow straighter and to shed their lower branches through the process of natural pruning due to crowding, with the result that the surviving trees possess tall straight stems free from limbs in their lower middle portions and contain a large percentage of clear lumber. These are the trees that contribute the greatest value to the forest and furnish the best material for the industries and for home building."

Mr. Lee Robinson of Verbena was in Clanton. He was here in attendance at circuit court.

AVERY SHAWNEE JR. PLANTER



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There is a full line of famous Avery walking, riding and tractor plows; tillage implements and Champion harvesting and haying machines

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LEGAL NOTICE

In the Court of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama—Chilton County vs. J. W. Beasley et al.

To W. C. Martin, who resides in the City of Big Springs in the State of Texas; W. R. Champion who resides in the City of Camden in the State of Tennessee, and Owners Unknown:—

You are hereby notified that Chilton County, a municipal corporation, has filed its written application in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for the condemnation of lands, rights and interests therein described and that among said lands described in said application are the following lands situated in said county, which are owned by you or in which you own an interest, to-wit:

A right-of-way 100 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on the east side and 75 feet in width on the west side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, designated as F. A.-P. No. 100, or as much of said land as is required to make a 100-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the north line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 1,436 feet more or less to the intersection of the sonth line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, the above tract of land lying in the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter Section 14, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 3.21 acres more or less; that the owner of said land as above described being Unknown.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way across said land which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of the sonth-east quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 10, Township 23, Range 13 and the center line of said road; thence 1,455 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of G. P. Wilson and R. L. Martin, with the center line of said road; said tract of land lying in the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 10, Township 23, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 1.67 acres more or less. R. L. Martin or W. C. Martin are the owners of said tract or parcel of land.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of the south-west quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 21, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 496 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of W. R. Houlditch and W. R. Champion with the center line of said road; the said tract of land lying in the east half of the sonth-west quarter of the south-east quarter of Section 21, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama and containing .57 acres more or less. W. R. Champion being the owner of said tract of land.

The said application avers that said Chilton County proposes to construct, use and maintain a public highway or road over or across the above described land of which you are the owner or in which you own an interest and you are hereby further notified that the hearing of said application has been set by the Court of Probate as aforesaid for **Monday, the 28th day of April, 1924** at 10 o'clock, a.m., and notice of the day so appointed for the hearing thereof is hereby given you.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of March, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of the Probate Court,
3-27-3t Chilton County, Alabama.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

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VERSATILE CHICKEN

ABOUT all the hens we ever knew were good for—that is, the barnyard variety, of course—was to gobble up plenty of feed and lay eggs. Now along comes little Richard Garlock of Hollywood, Calif., with evidence—see reproduction above—that he has a chicken that can do something else besides running up a board hill and occasionally contribute one of the chief items of little Richard's breakfast.

It's a "trick hen," Richard tells us. It has been his pet ever since he can remember. Shell' come at his call, climb all over him and do sundry other tricks such as playing "dead" on command, etc. Her name? Oh shucks, we forgot to ask Dick.

FLOYD NEWS

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a space in the paper to say a few words about our Sunday School at this place, which is progressing nicely, considering the bad weather we have had this winter.

Last Sunday was our regular preaching day. We had a large attendance present who enjoyed the excellent sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Bailey, Jr. We also had two real good talks on Sunday School, one of them being delivered by the pastor and the other by Bro. Castleberry.

There were two presents given by the teacher of the intermediate class, Mrs. R. C. Burkhalter, to the pupils who had the best yearly attendance during the year 1923. The presents were two Bibles. Those who received the presents were Miss Levada Williams and Mr. Erskin Burkhalter. Miss Williams made 62 per cent attendance; Mr. Burkhalter mare 60 per cent.

We cordially invite every one to come and help us make our Sunday School one of the best in the county.

We sincerely hope the attendance for 1924 will be better than it was in 1923.

I was requested to typewrite this letter.

GEORGE ANDERSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Armstrong of Birmingham were the week end visitors to relatives in Clanton

Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Parrish of Mitchell Dam were in Clanton Saturday and Sunday.

Squire S. E. Waldrop of Jemison was in Clanton the first of this week attending circuit court.

Big One-Cent Sale at Upchurch Drug Company this week — Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The new hotel which was promoted in the preliminaries by the Exchange club of LaFayette is being erected on the corner of Montgomery and Wetumpka streets. Webster McRae is the builder and owner. The hotel building will have 24 bed rooms, lobby dining room, kitchen, sample room, ladies rest room, and will be steam heated.

Sugar rates from New Orleans would be increased to 30 jobbing points in Alabama and reduced to 3 such points, according to proposals made by carriers in the case heard before Commissioner Frank McNanamy of the interstate commerce commission.

Proposal for concerted action by Alabama chambers of commerce towards having a branch port of entry for immigrants established by the government at Mobile, has brought a wide split in the ranks of the directors of the Birmingham chamber, it is stated.

The State Board of Law Examiners certified to the chief justice and associate justices of the Alabama Supreme Court the names of 24 applicants who having been duly examined, have been found to possess sufficient legal learning to be admitted to the practice of law in the courts of this state.

Benny Cantelou, negro, paid with his life on the gallows for slaying Mrs. Susan B. Mastin, aged woman who was killed in the Fall of 1921 with robbery declared by the court as the motive. Cantelou denied his guilt until the final minute when he stayed the noose and confessed the crime.

Fertilizer and merchandise, which it is stated, has been awaiting transportation from Atmore to consignees at points on the Muscle Shoals, Birmingham and Pensacola Railroad, is now moving to destinations according to advices reecived at the office of the Alabama Public Services Commission.

The people of Madison County are reported to be giving their enthusiastic support of the malaria campaign that is being conducted by J. C. Rector, santiary engineer, who is in the county cooperating with Dr. B. F. Austin, chairman of the county board of health.

Announcement has been made by Gen. W. P. Screws, senior instructor of the Alabama national guard, that application of youths to attend the citizens military training camp at Camp McClellan next summer will be received now. Time limits for the filing of these applications is May 15

The national Spring convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, world's largest and most distinguished electrical engineering body, is to be held in Birmingham April 7-11, with between 300 and 400 of the country's foremost electrical men in attendance.

A total of 205 students have registered for the spring term of the state normal at Florence. There were 446 incoming students, bringing the total up to 651. Conditions at the school are more crowded than ever before at this season and in some classes there are more than 60 students.

Guntersville is anticipating a big commercial development, with shipment of pig iron and other products by water from the Marshall county metropolis to St. Louis. It is stated that a $25,000,000 corporation has been organized at St. Louis to operate a boat line from Guntersville.

According to information sent out from Montgomery the state highway commission has made public the road building program for Cleburne County, the work to begin about June 1. Seventeen miles of road is to be built east to the eGorgia state line.

The May Day celebration at Dapne May Day Association, recently incorporated, will be staged on May 3 and will consist, among other things, of a public address, a big barbecue, a baseball game and other athletic attractions.

Indications that an appointment of a postmaster for Birmingham is imminent were given when two special examiners from the postoffie department and the civil service bureau in Washington arrived to examine the candidates.

As the direct result of a recent religious survey, a series of evangelistic services will begin in Protestant churches of Montgomery Sunday, April 6. The services will continue through Easter Sunday, April 20th.

Wilburn Loos, of Savannah, Ga., has been secured by the Valley County club of Albany-Decatur to lay off and build the golf links of the club, wrok to begin soon.

A meroial tree will be planted for Miss Nora Golson on the Carnegie Library lot at Bessemer, according to the plans of the Civitan club.

Walker county creamery is now in operation. The new creamery is expected to stimulate the dairy business in Walker county, as it will furnish a home market for all the milk secured during the next few years.

State law enforcement officers put in good time destroying stills in Lee county. In three days time eight stills were destroyed.

Officials at Wilson Dam announce that on March 27 they expect to open the 13 sluiceways of the dam on the south side of Jackson Island.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Chilton County No. 100
Section "A".

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Ala., until 12:00 noon April 18th, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.455 miles of road in Chilton County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

The items entering into the construction of this road will be divided into three proposals:

Proposal No. 1 will cover items for the surfacing only.

Proposal No. 2 will cover all grading and drainage with the exception of bridges having a length exceeding 20 feet.

Proposal No. 3 will cover all necessary work for the construction of concrete bridges and an overhead crossing on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Contractors in submitting bids on the surfacing will bid in two ways; first, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials; second, the unit price per square yard for concrete base or concrete surface will include all labor and materials with the exception of cement, which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. If the State furnishes the cement, the contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless otherwise permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Puzzolan or slag cement will be permitted in the construction of all base courses.

PROPOSAL NO. 1
Alternate Types of Surfacing.

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Warrenite Bitulithic pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Bituminous concrete, modified Topeka pavement, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Sheet asphalt, on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Vitrified brick pavement on concrete base.
177,500 Sq. Yds. Rock asphalt pavement on concrete base.
187,250 Sq. Yds. cement concrete base course, 1:2½:5 mix.
1,670 Lin. Ft. 6"x14" granite curb headers.
1,000 Lin. Ft. blind drains.

PROPOSAL NO. 2

66.63 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
197,738 Cu. Yds. Common excavation.
10,429 Cu. Yds. Solid rock excavation.
296,085 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation.
275 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed.
338 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
296 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
224 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe to be taken up and relaid.
254 Lin. Ft. 15" D. S. V. C. Pipe (New).
1,392 Lin. Ft. 15" pipe (new).
788 Lin. Ft. 18" pipe (new).
279 Lin. Ft. 21" pipe (new).
294 Lin. Ft. 24" pipe (new).
10 Standard drop inlets (complete)
137.3 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls.
808.46 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete in culverts.
84,810 Pounds steel reinforcing in culverts.
216 Concrete R. O. W. markers.
23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4" galv. cable for guard rail.
1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.
102 Concrete end post braces for guard rail.
57,828 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting.
300 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap.
8 Structures to be removed from right of way.
3,770 Lin. Ft. 4" drain tile.

PROPOSAL NO. 3

542.8 Cu. Yds. Class "A" concrete.
56.5 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete.
89,370 Pounds steel reinforcing.
8 Sets steel expansion plates.
433 Cu. Yds. dry excavation.
126 Cu. Yds. wet excavation.
75 Cu. Yds. rock excavation.
538.5 Sq. Yds. 1" concrete surfacing, 1:2:3½ mix.
380 Lin. Ft. timber foundation piles.
4 Test piles for bridge at Station 848-|-86.

On proposals two and three the contractor will furnish all labor and materials including cement.

The new pipe used on this project may be either triple strength terra cotta, reinforced concrete or cast iron.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Ala. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash, certified check or bid bond of the following amounts: $10,000 to accompany Proposal No. 1; $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 2; and $5,000 to accompany Proposal No. 3. Certified checks or bid bonds are to be made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama, and must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
3-13-3t State Highway Engineer.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Mr. D. M. Paxson has been very ill with pneumonia for several days but seems to be making a good fight to overcome the disease. Mrs. Paxson has their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Hall of Birmingham to help her take care of him. Mr. Ben Dilger of Birmingham was a visitor at the Paxson home last Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Reagan entertained last Wednesday afternoon in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Engh. Among the invited guests were Mesdames. Erie Carlson, Herman Peterson, M. J. Soberg, Ernie Hansen, C. R. Foss, J. M. Bosworth, C. H. Howard, John Johnson and daughter, Beatrice.

Mr. Bert Bosworth and son, Marion, of Birmingham, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. J. M. Bosworth and family in Thorsby.

Mr. Earl Mead made a one-day visit last week to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mead at their home in Thorsby.

The Ladies Guild of Thorsby are pleased to announce the engagement of the world famous "Mrs. Jarley," with an exhibition of wax figures at Bates Hall Saturday evening, April 5th.

The Ladies Guild social will be held at the home of Mrs. Lewis S. Howard on Thursday p.m., March 27, instead of with Mrs. D. M. Paxson as announced last week.

Revs. Each, Butler and Long attended a meeting at Union-Congregational church, seven miles east of Mt. Creek last Sunday night.

Rev. J. M. Graham is expected to occupy the pulpit at the Congregational chucrch next Sunday morning, March 30th.

Arrangements have been made to hold regular quarterly prayer, business and social meetings of the Congregational Church Society on the first Wednesday evening of April, July, October and January. All citizens of Thorsby who are interested in the affairs of this organization are invited to be preesnt.

A Congregational Young Peoples State Conference has been planned to be held in Thorsby April 11, 12 and 13th. Miss Olive Pearson and Rev. Chas F. Fiske are announced as leaders, and it is hoped Rev. Neil McQuarrie will attend at least one day. Young folks of Thorsby and vicinity will be welcome.

We are pleased to note that Mr. C. E. Lucas, who has been ill for two weeks is again on duty at the bank.

If there is no more freezing weather this spring Thorsby will have a record crop of strawberries. It has frequently happened that a large part of the earliest and by far best berries, like the fish that got away, have been destroyed when in full bloom, or heavily set by late frosts or freezes. So far this year the continued cold weather has retarded blooming so much that it is hoped that there will not be enough cold from now on to seriously affect the crop.

Some people seem to be making preparations for cold weather in the future. Thorsby Institute and Howard Brothers each received a car load of coal and Thorsby Hardware Company is receiving orders for another car to come about April 15th.

The base ball season was opened on Thorsby Institute campus on last Tuesday with a game between T. I. and Clanton High, the result being 21 to one in favor of Clanton.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was delightfully entertained at a social on last Saturday evening. They met at the home of Mrs. E. W. Butler. Mrs. Charles A. Johnston of Montgomery, president of the Sixth District of Christian Endeavor had charge of the entertainment for the evening. He had a very interesting St. Patrick's Day program planned, the program as follows: "Chasing the Snakes out of Ireland," "Kissing the Blarney Stone," "An Irish Wedding," "A Green Contest," Match box Race, Game of Questions and Answers, Song, C.E. Benediction. Everyone present had "loads" of fun and all agreed that Mr. Johnston certainly knew how to conduct a social.

"The Personal Touch in Winning Others to Christ" was very vividly brought out last Sunday evening at the Christian Endeavor prayer meeting. A very interesting and inspiring program was carried out under the leadership of Miss Willie Littlejohn. We were very glad to welcome Mr. William Each into onr society as an energetic member. Mr. F. D. Greene was proposed for membership and he will be received into the society as an active member next Sunlay evening. Mr. Charles A. Johnston of Montgomery was a most welcome visitor to our society over the week end. Mr. Johnston is the president of the Christian Endeavor for this district. On Sunday evening at the Christian Endeavor service he gave a very inspiring talk on Christian Endeavor work in Alabama. His talk was well appreciated by the society and a rising vote of thanks was extended to him. Plans are being made for a Christian Endeavor Echo meeting to be held here May 17, of which a full announcement will be made later.

Helen Kellar Literary Society will hold a regular meeting Friday morning, March 28. It will be a Tennyson program. Mrs. Jenkins will act as critic. Biography of Tennyson—Etta Foshee; Friendship of Hallam and Tennyson—Ioia Gerald; Crossing the Bar—Cola Ruffin; Ring out the Old—Boys Quartette; Story of the Knights of King Arthur as used in Idylls of the King—Marcelle Wilder; Lady Clar—Myrtle White; a Solo, Sweet and Low—Claudie Smith.

Saturday night at 7:30 in Bates Hall the boys of the Athletic Association will give an entertainment entitled "The Bachelor Club". We guarantee a dollar's worth of laughs for 25 cents. Dramatis Personae, bachelors: Watson—Codie Bell; Swift—Hollis Pate; Gaywood—Ben Brown; Beach—Ronald Lucas; Brown—Eugene Davenport; Abbott—Spurgeon Kelley; Jones—J. J. White; Foster—Lewis D. Kelley; Tiptoe, suicidal expert—Arnold Littleton. Henpecked husbands: Pinkham—Edmund Lakeman; Penny—Hosie Wood; Thomas—F. D. Greene; Lewis—Palmer Lefstead.

The annual picnic of Thorsby Institute will be held April 1st, if the weather is favorable.

Spurgeon Kelley and Lillian McKee will submit essays to the American Chemical Society in their prize essay contest.

Honor Roll for Thorsby Public School

7th grade, second honor roll—Muriel Carden, Kendall Franklin, Lewis Johnson, Erchell Martin.

6th grade, second honor roll—Lloyd Howard, Gertrude Sanders, Annie M. Blackmon, Lota Mae Hayes, Rosa Lee Collins, Luciel Howard, Martha Williams.

1st grade, first honor roll—Mary Eue Porter, Katheryn Lenoir, Edith Foss, Fred McCain, Windle Hayes, Dorothy Von Franklin, Lena Barrett Williams, Bernard Adams, Milton Diefenderfer, Grady Popwell, Jack Peterson.

1st grade, second honor roll—Freda Collins, Agnes Collins, Grace Long, L. C. Lowery, Obie Marcus, Myradine Martin, Catherine Osborn, Leroy Peterson.

2nd grade, first honor roll—Marjorie Turner, Grady Scott, Delene Durbin, Minnie Pearl Mims, Pauline Williams, Jessie Mae Driver, Caroline Pate.

2nd grade, second honor roll—Norwood Johnson, LeRoy Sundberg.

3rd grade, first honor roll—Helen Diefenderfer, Ralph Pate, Leo Spivey Juanita Each, Pearlie Mae Riley, Virginia Bice, Horace Kendricks, Jarrell Birdette, Charles Cleckler, Frank B. Wood, Dewey Robinson, Eulalia Sorrell, Reese Mims, Grover Parker.

2rd grade, second honor roll—Cecil Marcus, Clairborne Champion, Cecil Flummer, Charles Childress, Helen Lowery, Carl Ekblad.

4th grade, second honor roll—Edith Sundberg, Ruth Prim, Ella Howard, Ollis Littleton, Ellen Blackmon, Lola Martin.

5th grade, first honor roll—Jessie Martin, Mary Sue Robinson, Edith Johnson, Elsa Turner, Mabel Johnson.

5th grade, second honor roll—Eugene Littleton, Don Long, Hilma Collins, Roma Lee Pate.

4th grade, first honor roll—Irene Leslie, Kathryn Foss, Orville Freeman, Ruth Blackmon, Rubin White, Robert Williams.

4th grade, second honor roll—Van Deason, Christine Bosworth, Albert Johnson, Willis Peterson.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Gov. W. W. Brandon on March 12th paroled Lopez Mitchell, sentenced for assault to murder, from Shelby county, June 22, 1922, for two to four years; Grady Ross, who received a sentence of 12 to 13 months for distilling, from Etowah county, December 17, 1923, and West Sherrell, Chambers county, who received a sentence of two to three years for distilling, January 2, 1923.

Thomas A. Edison, noted inventor, has been invited by the Montgomery Junior Chamber of Commerce to be Montgomery's guest April 3, at the formal opening of the white way. The telegram said the city of Montgomery desires to pay tribute to Mr. Edison for his contribution to mankind. The message was sent to East Orange, New Jersey.

The following convictions have been reported to the office of the Commissioner of Game and Fisheries: William and Arthur Oliver were each fined $10 and costs for hunting without a permit in Shelby county. In the same county L. McKenzie, Allen Colvill and Frank McKenzie were each fined $10 and costs for similar offenses.

Muscle Shoals real estate is expected to take an unprecedented flight as the result of the passage of the House by the Henry Ford bid for the Muscle Shoals properties and, according to several of the foremost dealers in Florence, the soaring has already started.

An order issued by the Alabama Public Service commission set Monday, April 7, as the date for hearing the complaint of J. W. Gwin vs. Western Railway of Alabama and the Louisville and Nashville Railroad company, on rates on gravel, carloads, Montgomery, to Pineapple, Ala.

Walter Barr, Montgomery insurance man, has been appointed license inspector for Montgomery county by the state tax commission, succeeding Harvey M. Blue, who was named judge of the juvenile court of Montgomery county by Governor Brandono.

C. M. Gardner, captain of the new organization of Phenix City Volunteers of America, has announced that plans are being made to erect an old peoples' home and an employment bureau in Phenix City some time in the near future.

Dr. C. P. Coogle of the United States Public Health service is making a survey of the malaria conditions in north Alabama Dr. Coogle has recently been in conference with the officials of Lauderdale and Colbert counties.

W. J. Burt, 52, and Dick Hamilton, 52, were arrested at Mobile in connection with the kidnaping of M. McFall, an aged resident of Grand Bay, this county, and held under $1,000 bond on the charge of assault and battery.

Mayor Fraser L. Adams, Alderman Frank T. Mastin and Street Superintendent Oscar Hummell of Huntsville, have returned from Jacksonville, Fla., where they inspected street building machinery.

Willie Bradford, negro, is dead, and Percy Perry, negro, is said to be in a critical condition at the Fairfield hospital as a result of being overcome recently by smoke fumes in Woodward ore mine No. 1 on Red mountain in Jefferson county.

Mobile experienced the coldest March weather in 46 years on March 13th, according to the records of the weather bureau. The mean temperature was 44 degrees against 63 degrees, for the same time last year.

Gov. W. W. Brandon has appointed Harvey M. Blue as judge of the Montgomery county juvenile court. At the time of his appointment, the new judge was state license inspector for Montgomery county.

The state highway department has made an appropriation of $33,000 to aid in building 12 miles of roadway from Troy to Orion. This road is on the route to Montgomery, a part of the Bee line highway.

Construction of a new valut for the Jasper Trust company is under way and will soon be completed. The size of the new vault is 16x16 feet and is going to be one of the most substantial structures of its kind in the state.

Plans for the annual convention of the Federated Woman's clubs of the state to meet at Montevallo April 8-11, are being prepared at present, according to announcement by officials in charge of local arrangements.

James A. Anderson was presented with the Oliver loving cup awarded to the Kiwanian who had accomplished the most for Kiwanis during the past year at a meeting of the club at Tuscaloosa.

Deaths exceeded births in Morgan county during the month of February, it is stated. More than 60 deaths occurred during February in the county.

Judge R. E. T. Irvin in the federal court at Mobile has denied motions filed by 20 defendants indicted by the last federal grand jury on the charge of violating the national prohibition act and bribery to quash the indictments.

Live stock is selling cheaper on the Huntsville market than has ever been known since the Civil war. The highest price paid at a recent sale for some fairly good mules and horses was $50 at an auction sale and one horse of uncertain age was sold for $2 00.

"Ride 'im Cow--er--er--Cowgirl!"

THIS fair young lady—Miss Donn Glover of the western plains—may not know much about bridge whist, afternoon tea dansants or smoking perfumed "fags" BUT—when it comes to riding a "buckin' broncho"—say, she sure wiggles a wicked spur. Look at her, perched up there in the saddle with her horse pawing the air. She's as comfortable in that position as a grandma in a rockin' chair.

Miss Glover started riding horses when she was old enough to be lifted into the saddle. And she's won no end of honors as a skilled questrienne at the many rodeos held in various parts of the west during recent years.

This particular picture of her was made at the time William Gibbs McAdoo—democratic aspirant to the presidency—visited a rodeo held at Hollywood, Calif., in honor of the world's champion cowboy, Yakima Canutt. Miss Glover was one of the star performers at the event.

CLEAN GOVERNMENT AND A "SQUARE DEAL" FOR FARMERS

Safety and Prosperity of Nation Rest With Farmer, Who Has Never Failed Nation in Time of Crisis.

(By Gifford Pinchot)

Time for talking is past. Time for action is at hand. And that the time has arrived for American farmers to arise and take hold in governmental affairs is grievously manifest by the exposures now startling the whole country.

We all know that the trouble with agriculture is. We know what must be done to bring about the change. The question is, are we going to do what we must do to bring about the change? We cannot trust to the politicians, the middlemen, exploiters, the busines geniuses, the professional uplift agencies, to relieve the farmers of the nation. They have been running things their way for these many years. The best that they have been able to do is permit bankruptcy and distress to overtake the farmers. So widespread is the condition, it foreshadows grave national disaster in business and industry if not relieved. They have also permitted the development of government conduct which dissipates our national resources, scars the souls of many trusted men and puts graft and treachery of public trust to the forefront in public life. Farmers have never failed the nation in times of crisis. This is a time of crisis. The farmers will not fail now, however difficult their duty.

With this faith in the reliability and responsibility of our farmers, the time has come to do real things. I believe they can be done.

The long years of battling for existence have established these important things as necessary to be done to meet the situation and as I view it, constitute the farmer program:

Government aid, not by lending more money or devising new methods to loan the farmer money to get deeper in debt, but by assisting the farmer to organize in his own organizations and co-operative marketing efforts.

Stop middlemen and exploiters in their cheating of the farmer and profiteering on the consumer.

Stop false and short returns by dealers to the farmers.

Give farmer selling agencies the same discount and financial service accorded other busines and industrial interests.

Give farmer co-operative livestick and other selling agencies as fair and liberal supervision and administration as is accorded old-line agencies and the packers.

Stop the malicious and unfair attacks by dealers and middlemen through misrepresentation and false reports on farmers' co-operative institutions.

Put the farm work of the Government and all of its bureaus and divisions under the administration of farmers and farmer-minded men.

See that the Farm Loan Board is in the hands of sympathetic administrators.

Scrutinize every department of the Government dealing with farm affairs and clean out whatever personnel is found either unacquainted with the farmer problems or unsympathetic with the farmers. (A huge task but mighty important matter).

Prepare to get more farmers elected to positions of trust. There are too few farmers identified with the Government for the good of the industry and the welfare of the nation.

Recognize and encourage farmer organizations built up and directed by the farmers themselves and take their chosen and tried leaders as spokesmen for farmers who know what the farmers need and want. Let the voice of the farmer be raised in high places and let his counsel prevail in matters relating to his problems, and not the voice of those who farm the farmer.

Keep ever in mind that the safety of the nation, the stability of our Government and the welfare of all our people depend upon the American farmer; that his life must be both happy and prosperous if he is to continue his labors and if the children are to be kept on the farm to continue to produce the necessities of life for all and that in order to bring such a condition about, the farmers must come forward at this time and through the exercise of their constructive force, redeem their own industry and aid in cleaning up the regrettable conditions which cloud the honor and the integrity of many of our directing forces of government.

In a final word—clean government, preservation of our national resources for the benefit of all our people, and the restoration of farm life to happiness and prosperity is now the grave problem of the farmers' of America.

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

CHILTON TIGERS SWAMP THORSBY INSTITUTE TEAM

The Chilton Tigers swamped the Thorsby Institute base ball team on the latters grounds last Tuesday p.m. to the score of 21 to 1. The whole team of the Clanton players starred at the bat by hitting Mr. Littleton for 22 bingles. The feature of the game was Littlejohn's one-hand catch in the field.

Following is the box score of Tuesday's game:

Clanton—	AB	R	H	A	E
Thompson, cf.	6	5	4	4	0
Hayes, ss.	5	3	2	5	0
Jones, 1b.	6	3	3	4	0
Wyatt, 2b.	6	1	4	5	0
Ruffin, 3b.	5	1	2	1	0
Wagoner, c.	3	1	2	5	0
Mullins, p.	1	1	1	0	1
Littlejohn, rf.	4	0	1	1	1
Connatser, lf.	5	4	3	0	0
* Curlee, p.	2	2	2	0	0
Totals	43	21	22	25	2

Thorsby—	AB	R	H	A	E
Bell, c.	3	0	1	4	1
Deason, 2b.	3	0	0	1	0
Green, 1b.	2	0	0	5	0
Littleton, p.	3	1	1	4	1
Davenport, 3b.	3	0	1	3	2
Lakeman, ss.	3	0	0	3	5
Lucas, rf.	3	0	0	0	0
White, lf.	2	0	0	1	1
Lowery, cf.	2	0	0	3	1
Totals	24	1	3	24	11

Score by innings:—

Clanton	2	7	2	3	6	1	0	—	21
Thorsby	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—	1

Summary—Three base hit, Thompson. Two base hits, Thompson 1; Jones 1; Wyatt 1; Ruffin 1; Wagoner 1; Curlee 1; Connatser 2.

Chilton meets the Wetumpka Aggies here tomorrow (Friday).

CLASSIFIED ADS

GRIST MILL FOR SALE—I have a Grist Mill and outfit, also house and lot, which I will sell. Would sell mill alone if wanted. House is in center of town, could be used as shoe shop or chicken house in connection with mill. Just behind Union-Banner office. T. G. TAYLOR. tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Lady for light house work; no cooking to do. Apply Clanton Cafe, Clanton, Ala.

WANTED AT ONCE—good 2-horse cropper either on halves or on third and fourth; to tend 40 acres of land, part already broken. H. B. Glenn, two miles south of Clanton on Route No. 6. 3-20-3t-pd

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock eggs, Thompson strains, $1.50 per setting of 15.—J. D. Harrell, Montevallo, Ala., Rt. 2. 3-13-4t-p.

NOTICE—This is to notify the public that I still have a large supply of cement curbing at all times. Those wanting same will please call on G. D. Cooper, Cooper, Ala.—H. Connell. 13-1t-pd.

100 YOUNG White Leghorn Hens for sale at $1.20 each.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala., Box 76. 3-6-5td

$15.00 REWARD will be paid for information leading to the recovery of one black and tan male dog, named "Trailer." Notify either John Armstrong, Dr. J. P. Crumpton or Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—10 acres of land with dwelling house. All that part of SW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14, East of L. & N. R. R., Chilton County, Alabama.—See Victor J. Heard, Clanton, Ala. 3-6-2t-c

LADIES WORK AT HOME—Pleasant, easy sewing on your machine. Whole or part time. Highest possible prices paid.—L. Jones, Onley, Ill.

YOUNG MARE FOR SALE—4 years old, weighs 1000 lbs., works gentle anywhere. Will sell for cash or trade for truck. If interested see F. A. Ellison, Clanton, Route 1. 3-6-3t-p

LESPEDEZA—Recleaned Lespedeza or Japan clover seed delivered for four dollars and thirty cents per bushel.—Calvin Dennis, Deatsville, Ala., Route 2. 3-13-2t-p

Buy your goods on One-Cent Sale at Upchurch's and save money—Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

SECOND HAND CARS FOR SALE AT BARGAINS

1 Red Bird Overland, almost new	$500.00
1 Black Overland, very good shape	125.00
1 Ford Roadster, in good condition	75.00
1 Ford Cut-down, in good condition	75.00
1 Ford Truck, in good condition	175.00

Terms to Reliable People

Lawrence Motor Company

CLANTON, ALA.

POOR O

PLETCHER NEWS

We were glad to see so many out at church Sunday but sorry to say the preacher did not come.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Houlditch and children from Billingsley dined with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abbott spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams.

We were all surprised to hear that Miss Louise Caldwell got married.

Messrs. Leonard Culp and J. Foshee spent Friday night at the home of Mr. G. B. Williams.

Misses Ruth and Jewell Abbott, Sudie Keen and Mollie Bell Ouslay dined with Miss Gladys Williams on last Sunday.

Messrs. Kent Abbott and Jimmie Atchison from Autaugaville visited relatives here this week.

Mr. R. L. Weaver and daughter, Roberta, Mr. Mitchell Gray and Miss Ruth Williams visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams Sunday. Also a truck load from Fairview was there.

The singing at Antioch Sunday afternoon was a great success. The house was more than full. We had several songs and still about half of the directors were not used. We are looking for the Antioch class to visit the singing at Pilgrim the first Sunday afternoon and anyone else who wishes to.

ALL DAY SINGING

There will be an all day singing at Bethel Church on next Sunday March 30th. Everybody is invited to come and bring their old time song books and a well filled basket.

Yours truly,
A. T. DAVIS.

Backache on the Farm

The farmer's wife who bears and rears children, does her own housework, keeps chickens and has other outside work to do, needs a sound back to carry her burden of toil. So does the farmer, who has to work early and late, and to do much bending and lifting.

Unfortunately, it is a fact that more farm men and women than other people suffer with lame or aching backs, and it is a trouble that allows hardly a moment's peace, day or night.

Chronic backache is very often due to weak kidneys and for kidney trouble, Dr. Pierce has worked out a new and special remedy, "An-uric." Ask your druggist for it.

"An-uric," by increasing the flow of the urine, helps the kidneys to flush out of the system the uric poisons that cause the damage to the kidneys and bladder, the aching back, swollen joints and many aches and pains that are ordinarily called rheumatism.

THEY JUST HAVE TO READ THE DEAR OLD BANNER

During the past week The Union-Banner has written receipts to around half a hundred people of Chilton County, most of which was for new subscripeions. Following is the list:

G. A. Plier, Jemison R 4;
W. A. Williams, Clanton R 6;
Oscar Lovelady, Clanton R 5;
Mildred Stanford, Lawley R 2;
J. M. Glass, Jemison R 4;
J. A. Langston, Tuscaloosa;
E. G. Mullins, Clanton R 3;
Mrs. Flosie Foshee, Clanton R 8;
J. H. Collins, Thorsby;
J. W. Davenport, Robbins, Tenn;
Andrew Jackson, Clanton R 8;
T. L. Maddox, Clanton R 5;
C. H. Brantley, McCalla, Ala;
T. G. Lake, Verbena R 2;
E. D. Lowery, Calera R 1;
H. G. Armstrong, Birmingham;
E. E. Edwards, Clanton R 3;
W. E. Owens, Clanton R 3;
C. F. Chancellor, Clanton R 7;
H. L. Traywick, Clanton R 3;
R. A. Teel, Clanton;
S. J. Dupriest, Clanton R 8;
J. H. Benson, Clanton R 4;
J. M. Driver, Clanton R 2;
J. D. Driver, Cooper;
R. P. Peters, Verbena R 2;
John G. Johnson, Lebanon, Tenn;
T. J. Hubbard, Jemison;
W. E. Sims, Jemison R 3;
J. P. Atchison, Verbena R 1;
B. L. Cobb, Jemison R 3;
Bernice Nix, Maplesville R 1;
L. A. McGraw, Jemison R 3;
M. D. Davenport, Randolph;
C. C. Edwards, Jemison R 3;
Mrs. Omer Redden, Jemison R 1;
W. E. Smith, Randolph R 1;
E. L. Brazwell, Jemison R 1;
A. C. Chapman, Randolph;
J. M. Smitherman, Jemison R 1;
Jos. E. Cobb, Jemison R 3;
Mrs. S. E. Miskelly, Randolph R 1;
V. T. Cobb, Jemison R 3;
Docie Crumpton, Randolph;
W. J. Northcutt, Jemison R 2;
Tempie Crumpton, Randolph R 1;
G. W. Benson, Jemison R 2;
Manly Atchison, Sylacauga;
W. J. Easterling, Clanton R 1;
L. H. Lowery, Thorsby R 1.

POST MASTERS' NIGHT AT THORSBY LODGE A.F & A.M.

The next regular meeting of Thorsby Lodge No. 759, A. F. & A. M., on April 11th will be known as Post Masters' Night. The Post Masters of this Lodge will have charge. All Masons are invited to be present as this is expected to be a very interesting meeting.

One-Cent Sale at Upchurch Drug Company now on—Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

"HUMAN SKYSCRAPER"

OVER in Los Angeles, Cal., there's a fellow who goes around "looking down" on his fellow man. Not that he has anything against the world in general, but nature has seen to it that he should tower above everybody else. And he does. His height is 8 ft., 9 1-4 inches, his weight, 303 lbs., and he makes 'em all gasp for breath when he strolls down the street.

His identity? He is John Aasen, a Norwegian lad and—mind you—he's only 23 years of age. If he keeps on growing what will his height be by the time he reaches 50? Figure it out.

In the above reproduction you see him being measured for a suit of clothes. The tailor found the giant so unusually tall that he had to scurry around for a step ladder in order to get the measurements.

And when he jotted down the figures, they tell us, the little tailor felt like putting in a hurry call for Omar the Tentmaker.

REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE CALLS PRIMARY FOR TUESDAY, MAY 13

In pursuance of a resolueion passed by the Republican Executive Executive Committee of Chilton County in regular session at the court house in Clanton on January 21, 1924, a primary election of the Republican party of Chilton County is hereby called to be held at the various voting places in Chilton County, Alabama, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, for thte purpose of nominating condidates for the following offices:

One member of the County Board of Education; a County Treasurer; a Commissioner from the 3rd District; a Commissioner from the 4th District.

All announcements for nomination shall be made on or before Saturday, April 12, 1924.

All qualified voters who will agree to support nominees of said primary election shall be permitted to participate therein.

This the 26th day of Feb., 1924.
W. G. CLUP,
Chm. Repub. Ex. Committee.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Repub. Ex. Committee.

Like Rolling Off a Log!

Bert Winslow writes, "We lost several hogs and discovered they were cholera infected. Rats spread the germ. A neighbor told me about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. We used it. In a short time there wasn't a rat to be found. The job was so easy, it was like rolling off a log." Get Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

The Banner has over 1,500 paid-up Subscribers.

SEVERAL FROM CLANTON ATTEND BIG BALL GAME

A number of base ball fans from Clanton attended the Philadelphia Athletics and Baltimore Orioles game at Crampton Bowl in Montgomery last Sunday afternoon, among them being Mr. and Mrs. John Browder, M. Lande, Harry Margolis, Leon Kemp, Jodie Lansford, Joe Mims, Elijah Weldon, Sam Cowart, Ervin Williamson and E. C. Powell. The Orioles defeated the Athletics to the score of 3-2.

One-Cent Sale at Upchurch Drug Company now on—Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

NOTICE OF SALE

At the request of the County Board of Education, I am asking for sealed bids to be presented to the Board on or before Friday, March 28th, for the sale of the Mt. Carmel school building of this county. This building is located about 9 miles west of Clanton.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
3-6-4t-c. County Supt. Education.

BIG CROWD AT SINGING AT FRIENDSHIP SUNDAY

About the largest crowd of people that has ever been at Friendship church was there last Sunday afternoon to attend the singing. As advertised last week, Prof. W. M. Devaughn was there, and besides there were a number of other fine singers from all over the county. This singing, however, was not unlike several others we have attended in that about the time the air got thoroughly saturated with music and everybody got to singing with all the spirit they had, a thunder cloud came up and scared nearly everybody off home. This happened just about one hour after the singing started. Nevertheless, some mighty good singing was done both before and after the flurry.

T. G. Wyatt opened the singing, and after the committee arranged the program, the following singers directed: W. M. Devaughn, Dewey Huett, L. F. Cleckler, S. M. Yates, Gresham Lowery, O. L. Devaughn, O. R. Robinson, Maxie Boswell, J. A. W. Mims. Among the other prominent singers present and who would have been used on the program had the cloud not interfered were: Akins Collins, R. M. Robinson, L. H. Henderson, W. H. Robinson, W. G. Culp, Riley Robinson, G. D. Retherford, Jasper Oaks and George Anderson.

After the class had sung quite a bit, Mr. Lewis Henderson was asked to make a short talk, which he did in his natural style. Mr. Henderson enjoys good singing and he enjoys telling the folks about it. Rev. M. J. Parrish also made a short talk which was throughly enjoyed.

The afternoon was a success as it was, but had the cloud not interfered all indications pointed to the best singing Friendship had had in a long time. It is hoped to try it over again in the near future, when probably the weather will not be so threatening. The society meets every fourth Sunday afternoon.

MRS. MARY PARKER DEAD

Last Sunday morning about 2:00 o'clock occured the death of Mrs. Mary Jane Parker, at the home of Mr. John Harris near Samaria. Mrs. Parker was 69 years old and was the sister of Mr. Silas Kelley of Clanton. Her husband, John Parker, who came with her from Coosa County several years ago, has been dead for some time. The remains were buried at Chestnut Creek Cemetery Monday, Rev. J. D. Hughes conducting the funeral services.

Burns Oil---Cooks With Gas---Cleaned With A Damp Cloth

Smooth, sanitary, streamline construction throughout. All corners and edges rounded.

Double-Flue, Rust-Proof Oven. Baking is done with a steady stream of circulating FRESH heated air.

Finished in durable, white porcelain and black enamel. Keep it clean with a damp cloth.

Sanitary cooking top. All corners, joints and edges finished clean and curved. No corners to catch grease.

SEE THIS BEAUTIFUL NEW

RED STAR

DETROIT VAPOR OIL STOVE

At Fourteen Points the government has granted us patent rights. More improvements on this one model than in any oil stove in history. Absolutely revolutionary. Gives you an oil stove that is a joy to work with and a jewel to look at. Burns common kerosene, gasoline or distillate. Red Star Patented Burner cooks with gas. No wicks. See a demonstration and be convinced.

Retherford Furniture Co.

Clanton, Ala.

CALCIUM ARSENATE

Kills Boll Weevils

Write today and get our proposition for supplying your Calcium Arsenate at lowest prices.

Boll weevils will prevent profitable cotton production if not controlled.

ACT TODAY!

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ASHCRAFT-WILKINSON COMPANY
ATLANTA, GA.

Cole Planters

We have the Improved Single and Double Hopper Cole Planter, also Cole Planter with guano attachment, and the Cole guano distributor.

You know that the "Cole" is the best, and if you want a new planter, let us show these to you.

We are in position to furnish you with repairs for Cole Planters and Distributors.

BUILDING MATERIAL—

We have on hand at all times anything you may want in the way of Building Material. We carry everything from Red Cedar Shingles to Cement to make the floor out of. Let us know your wants.

Farmers Hardware Company

"The Winchester Store"
CLANTON, ALA.

Coughs *that embarrass you*

can be quickly checked by Dr. King's New Discovery. Gently, harmlessly it stimulates the mucous membranes to throw off clogging secretions. The coughing paroxysms are controlled and the irritation that is causing the cough promptly clears away.

DR. KING'S *NEW DISCOVERY*

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
M. D. & D. D. S.
Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
Office in New Hayes Bldg.

New Spring Millinery

Entrancingly Novel!

Milady will be charmed by the unusual styles and fabrics in chic millinery that have come forth this spring. While the trend is toward the becomingly large hat, the chic small models are much in evidence. You will find both featured in this sales' event.

Truly exclusive styles. Models for every occasion; modestly priced.

Clanton Mercantile Company

"THE BIG BARGAIN STORE"
CLANTON, ALABAMA

ORIGINAL

BIG END-OF-MONTH
SPECIAL SALE

IN ORDER TO WIND UP THIS MONTH'S BUSINESS FAR AHEAD OF OUR EXPECTATIONS, WE ARE OFFERING THESE SPECIALS FOR THE BALANCE OF THE MONTH:

One lot of nice Dress Gingham, Per Yard, ... **9c**

Good Hand Towels, while they last, each, ... **8c**

One lot of fine Voile Waists, all sizes, nicely trimmed, ... **94c**

One lot of fine Dress Voiles—put in your summer supply now—per yard, ... **10c**

One lot of Childrens fine Gingham Dresses sizes 2 to 14 yrs., **98c**
One lot Ladies Hose, ... **10c**

If you think of buying a new dress, suit, cape or spring coat, see our line, which is the very best and newest ever shown in town.

One lot of Ladies Oxfords in laces or straps, patent leather or kid, black and tan, $3.50 values, special, ... **$2.59**

One lot of ladies Satin Slippers, special, ... **$1.98**

We have a full line of Shoes for the entire family, and guarantee every pair we sell.

One lot of men's Felt Hats, sell everywhere at $3; our End-of-Month Sale price, ... **$1.95**

Remember:—
Our entire stock is reduced for this End-of-Month Sale. Do not wait but come see our line and prices. You'll be surprised.

Mens $1.25 dress Shirts, with and without collars, special, ... **89c**

Men's $1.00 triple stiched Work Shirts with a full face sleeve, all sizes, ... **69c**

One lot of men's 3.50 to $4 Shoes, assorted sizes, black and brown, special, ... **$3.19**

One lot men's $2.50 heavy Work Shoes, all sizes, ... **$1.98**
We guarantee our Shoes.

We have a complete line of Hats for ladies and children at real low prices.

We have a nice assortment of men's and young men's Pants at attractive prices.

We have the niftiest line of mens and young mens Suits ever shown in Clanton —quality the best— prices guaranteed to be lowest.

One lot of men's all-wool Serge Suits, all sizes, ... **$12.95**

One lot of young men's Suits — sport model new Spring Suits — End-of-Month Sale price, **$13.98**

Don't fail to see our line of Men's Clothing. We are offering some real drastic reductions for this End-of-Month Sale.

We have hundreds of articles we cannot mention in this space, so come see our low prices and be a satisfied customer.

WE GIVE PREMIUM COUPONS WITH EVERY PURCHASE

MR. LANDE SAYS

I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

ROAD WORK TO PROGRESS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY

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at first but after they have seen it work they admit that it is a mighty good thing. It is a well known fact that the most injury that is done our roads is done while they are wet. It would be best if all traffic could be kept off the roads during and just after rains, but this cannot be done on account of emergencies. The people of our county should give more thought to the care of our roads. You will not venture out in your fileds to plow when the ground is too wet, but most people will ask no odds to load up their wagon or truck and get out on the road when the water is standing and cut it up anywhere from two to fifteen inches deep. Our roads are about the most important things we have, so why should we not try to take care of them? It costs lots of money and work to build roads, and it is to the interest of every citizen of the county to take care of the roads as much so as possible.

There has been some criticism to the new road law, but this is no more than the Commissioners and everybody else expected. We do not suppose there is a law on the statute books that pleases everybody. It may be that the Commissioners have made mistakes in the framing of this law and we are quite sure that they have, but who is it that does not make mistakes? We feel sure that what our commissioners want is to build good roads and t do it at the least expense to the county. They surely have not got it in for any particular person or class of persons in the county. If a person makes it his business to find fault, he can find something wrong with anything he looks at. What we need to do is to take into consideration the good of a thing as well as the bad of it.

One of the main things the road law has been criticised for is the special tax that has been placed on trucks. Well, we will say that it does not look fair to tax trucks and exempt wagons doing the same kind of hauling. But the State law will not permit counties to tax wagons. It is a foregone conclusion that the lumber and cordwood haulers do much more damage to our roads than all the other hauling put together. So, what are we going to do about it? Is it fair to let the lumber haulers go by without paying anything to keep up the roads which they play a big part in tearing up? We are sure it would be much more fair if the wagons doing heavy and regular hauling could be taxed the same as trucks, but the State law will not permit this. So it is just either tax the trucks or not tax either. Of course, we had all rather get along without paying any tax at all, but if we ever have any roads we are going to have to pay for them. Some say that it takes labor to build roads. Others say that it takes money to build roads. We say that it takes money and labor to build roads. Of course labor is what actually builds the roads, but one can't generally get labor these days without paying money for it.

Some argue that the old pick and shovel way of working the roads is best. Well, that old work is kindly like the ox wagon. It was all right until people learned a better way. Three men can take a Fordson tractor and a scrape and do more work on a road in a day than two dozen men could do with shovels and picks. This is a rather broad statement, but we are sure that experienced men in the road working business will bear us out in this statement. We are now living in a progressive age, and the road working business should be kept up with the times the same as our other institutions and industries. Our commissioners are trying hard to make the new road working system a success, and it behooves every citizen of the county to do his bit toward pushing the good work along. Let's all be pushers and not balkers. That is what it takes to make a success of anything.

IN REGARD TO COTTON MILL FOR CLANTON

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for eggs and see if it doesn't insult her. And you're doing mighty well if you get good ribbon cane syrup at $1.10 or $1.20 at any store.

Of course there's no end to the vegetables that could be sold there, to those employees in every line of business. The demand is great. The population is great, therefore a greater consumption of every soil grown eatable can and do cause more dollars to accumulate in the farmers' pockets than they could ever have hoped to realize had advantages, such as those, never been offered to them.

One business man of that town, a merchant, confessed to me that the first home he ever really owned was the reward of his raising and selling vegetables right there in Tallassee. He went so far as to state:

"That was the easiest thing I ever did, selling vegetables right here in Tallassee, and willing customers were a plenty."

Alike, the town and country folk enjoyed the advantages the Tallassee cotton mills afforded.

While the farmer sold his cotton directly to the consumer, receiving a better price, the merchant had the same fair chance with same said consumer in selling goods to her hundreds of employees.

Now, who's kicking against a cotton mill in Clanton? No one, I'm sure. I believe everyone is a booster for it.

I believe all the merchants would have cause to smile when they actually see one under construction, because it will be money in their pockets, and money in our farmers' pockets, and even if it does bring other merchants to our town, to share the profits, I'm sure everyone would enjoy a taste of rich cream far better than a big bait of skim milk.

Clanton isn't lazy—no, it's not that—she's got plenty of pep in her, and I know many a Tallasseean who knowing Clanton as the hustler she is, to be almost envious, I believe of her many advantages. Yet with whom they would not exchange places because of Tallassee's own asset —the Tallassee cotton mills.

If the need of a factory in Clanton can't be impressed upon a private concern who'd object to a whole lot of stockholders' fingers in the pie, just so it was good and produced favorable results?

If I couldn't offer a contribution I could pat my hands, offering "three cheers for Clanton's building a cotton mill!"

ERA SANDERS.

SPRING TERM CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION HERE THIS WEEK

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rors who are serving on the civil cases this week:

No.	Name	Beat
1.	Alfred K. Moore	10
2.	John P. Atchinson	14
3.	John H. Cleckler	11
4.	Arelious B. Culp	15
5.	Jim R. Johnson	2
6.	Joe S. Kelly	10
7.	J. Wm. Williams	7
8.	Van. B. Edwards	4
9.	Lee Pate	9
10.	L. C. Hubbard	8
11.	Zac Avery	2
12.	Chas. D. Foshee	6
13.	J. Monroe Nix	14
14.	Henry T. Daniel	5
15.	James E. Pate	9
16.	Jim Cox	6
17.	Jim R. Short	15
18.	John -Wm. Cagle	6
19.	Napoleon A. Posey	14
20.	Dan H. Mitchell	8
21.	Joseph Littleton	11
22.	John W. Lowery	4
23.	Will A. Edwards	4
24.	J. Monroe Smith	4
25.	Lafayett A. McGraw	2
26.	J. Madison Hayes	2
27.	Joe M. Bratton	12
28.	Elic G. Frazier	4
29.	John B. Anderson	15
30.	Pete A. Vance	4
31.	Arsie H. Parnell	8
32.	Ewell W. Dawson	14
33.	W. Emmett Christian	7
34.	William G. Rasberry	14
35.	Roscoe Rawlinson	15
36.	Wm. J. (Bay) Fiquett	4

The Grand Jury.

The following is the list of those who are serving on the Grand Jury this week, Mr. John W. Foshee being Foreman:

Name	Beat
James M. Langston,	2
William Y. Keel,	6
Will T. White,	3
S. Durwood Jones,	14
A. Dorcas Maddox,	4
Ben F. Edwards,	4
Leon A. Dyer,	8
C. Reese Mullins,	4
Bill Abney,	14
T. Coke Sharbutt,	4
Charlie B. Stroud,	6
Arthur T. Headley,	4
Oscar R. Turner,	15
E. Span Jones,	3
Alfonza P. Vinson,	10
John W. Foshee,	7
Joe W. Nelson,	10
Charlie H. Robinson,	2

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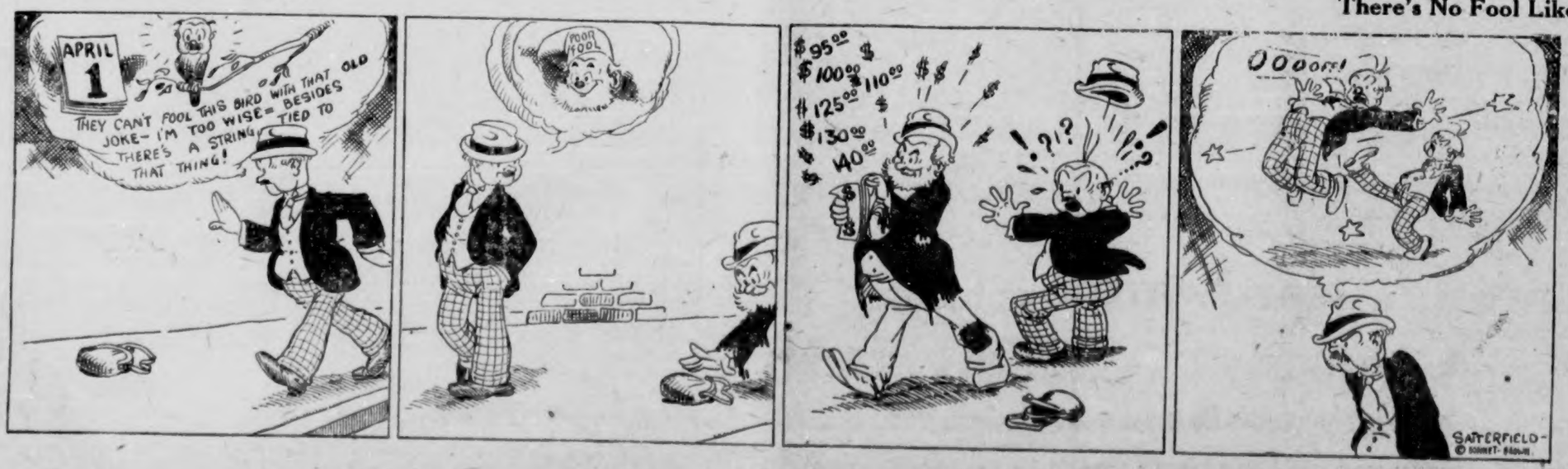

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CRIMINAL DOCKET DISPOSED OF HERE IN CIRCUIT COURT

Many Cases Disposed of During the Past Week—We Publish Cases Completed to Wednesday.

Following are the cases disposed of on the criminal docket at the Circuit Court in Clanton up to Wednesday morning:

Ed Gandy, violating prohibition laws; withdrawn.

Mell Kimball, carrying concealed weapon; forfeiture on bond, case continued.

Dump Harris, manufacturing liquor; fine $50 and cost.

J. C. Wallace, manufacturing liquor; nol prossed.

Tommie Chapman, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; nol prossed.

Luther P. Harris, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; case nol prossed.

Martin L. Harris, manufacturing liquor and having still in possession; continued.

Ida Black, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; nol prossed.

Shady Y. Dorminey, violating prohibition law; continued.

Ed Gandy et als., defaulting bond; Forfeiture, $162.00.

Mack Culp, decoying away child; continued.

Bill Mims, violating tick law; defendant discharged.

J. T. Davis, violating tick law; defendant discharged.

Charlie Cleckler, violating prohibition law; fin $50 and cost.

Ella Mae Ellison, assault and bat-

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TICK ERADICATION OFFICIALS TO MEET IN CLANTON MONDAY

The State officials in charge of the tick eradication work in Alabama will meet with the Commissioners Court in Clanton next Monday. The purpose of this meeting is to devise some means whereby the few spots in the county infested with ticks may be cleared of these pests. It is reported that only a few herds of cattle in the county are now tick infested. The neighboring counties, including Shelby, we understand, are putting on a strenuous campaign to rid their cattle of ticks, and after this is done and the few that are in Chilton are cleared out, it will be easy sailing for us to keep the ticks out of our county.

It is hoped that the politicians of the county will keep off the tick question and that everybody will do their part toward destroying the ticks. We have been promised by the State, a man who will be reasonable in enforcing the law and will take charge of the work in this county and eradicate our ticks without making it a hardship on anybody. It is a settled fact that we have got to keep dipping until all the ticks are gone, and the best way out of it is to dip and get through with it if there is any such thing as getting through with it. By their failing to comply with the law in this matter the people have lost to Chilton county and themselves enough money and time to have eradicated the ticks two times over.

It is the desire of the State officials and the County Commissioners that everybody who has ticks go ahead and dip their cattle and get rid of the ticks without any further trouble and expense. Let's do it and get through with the business.

REV. P. G. CARTER IN CENTRAL ALA. HOSPITAL

Rev. P. G. Carter, former pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church and who now resides in Geneva, Alabama, was operated on for appendicitis at the Central Alabama Hospital last Wednesday. The method of local anesthesia was used in the operation, which it is said the preacher withstood quite well. It seems that this institution is becoming quite noted in the treatment of preachers as two have been operated on during the past few days.

The fact that Bro. Carter came all the way from his south Alabama home to Clanton to take this treatment goes to show that he still has confidence in the hospital which he played a great part in bulding and in the doctors of our town. Although Bro. Carter has moved to other fields, he still has a tender and binding feeling toward Clanton and its institutions, which he has plainly shown by his coming here for this operation.

When the editor of this paper visited Bro. Carter's quarters in the hospital a few days ago, we were reminded more of a hot house than we were of a hospital in that there was such a display of flowers all over the room. The preacher attempted to call over the names of the people who had sent the flowers there, but they were so numerous that he could not remember them all. Most of them came from people of Clanton, but while we were in his room a large box arrived from the good women of his church in Geneva. All of these flowers were certainly beautiful, and the spirit behind the giving of them was still more attractive than the flowers themselves. Bro. Carter has not been forgotten by his many friends in Clanton, as well as the church which he is now serving in Geneva.

No, indeed, Rev. P. G. Carter has too many fine and lasting monuments erected in Clanton for his memory ever to be forgotten. The splendd Central Alabama Hospital and the magnificent Clanton Baptist Church were built very largely by the untiring energy and unfailing determination of the little Englishman. Bro. Carter has left footprints in Clanton that will remain here long after he and the present generation shall have passed away, and most of the people of Clanton appreciate this fact.

So far Bro. Carter is recovering from the operation, and it is our sincere hope that he will be released in a few days thoroughly recovered from his ailments. He hopes to be out and able to attend service at the Baptist church next Sunday. If he continues to improve he hopes to leave for Geneva the first of next week.

LIST OF QUALIFIED VOTERS

The probate judge is preparing a list of all the qualified voters in Chilton County, which will be published in next week's Union-Banner. This list will not be final however, but the voters of the county will be given 10 days in which to make any corrections which might be necessary. So watch out for this list in next week's Union-Banner.

Mr. W. J. Watson was in our office a few days ago and said that he is getting along fine in his race for county commissioner. He says that he is getting quite a bit of encouragement from the voters of the county and has good hopes of landing the nomination.

REPORT OF GRAND JURY OF CHILTON COUNTY TO COURT

Inspections Made of Jail, Poor House And All Records of County Officials and Report Made

To the Hon. George F. Smoot, Judge of the 19th Judicial Circut of the State of Alabama:

We, the Grand Jury, impanelled at this, the January term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, beg leave to make this our final report.

We have examined 44 cases and 149 witnesses and have returned 41 true bills.

We have examined the bonds of the county officials and find them with sufficient sureties, except the bond of the County Treasurer, we find his bond placed at $35,000.00, and find that he has on hand $52,077.00, as per his statement to the Grand Jury. We recommend to the Court of County Commissioners that they require of the County Treasurer an adequate bond to secure the safety of the county's money at all times. We find that the bond of the Tax Collector is only $15,000.00. We recommend that this bond be increased in order that the county be protected at all times for all money collected by him.

We have examined the County Poor House and find 17 inmates, very few of them able to do but little work. We find the conditions of the premises as well kept as can be under the circumstances, and the inmates are well cared for as the money approprated could possibly care for them. We consider the appropriation inadequate to care for them as they should be cared for, and recommend to the Court of County Commissioners that the amount appropriated to the Poor House be increased to a reasonable amount to take care of the inmates with as much comfort as is possible. We also find the building very inconveniently arranged and the sanitary conditions are not what they should be, owing to the fact they are forced to use surface closets. These closets necessarily are situated some forty yards from the dwellings. We find them as well kept as possible. We wish to recommend to the Court of County Commissioners that they build a new building of not less than twenty-five rooms, equipped with an electric light plant and heating system and water works. We find no fuel to mention on this tract of land and we find seven fire places to be furnished with wood, which in the future we think will be more expensive than steam heat, to say nothing of the comfort it will afford these old people we are responsible for.

We find the jail in fine condition and well kept. We recommend that the heating system at the jail be repaired.

We find the fee book of the Probate Judge is neatly and correctly kept so far as we are able to ascertain. The Judge of Probate has complied with the law and filed with the Grand Jury a list of pensioners of Chilton county, which we hereto attach and mark "Exhibit A". (See list published in The Union-Banner, January 10, 1924).

We have examined the books of the County Superintendent of Education and they are neatly and correctly kept as far as we are able to ascertain, which we hereto attach and mark "Exhibt B."

Exhibit B

Balance on hand October, 1923, and received through February, 1924, General—$72,482.24; District—$26,914.44.

Disbursements, October, 1923, through February, 1924, General—$72,751.63; District—$13,472.96.

Bal. on hand, Gen. Fund....$ 269.39
Bal. on hand, Dist. Fund..$13,441.48
Combined Balance $13,172.09

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE, Supt.

We have examined the books of the County Treasurer and find them in good condition as far as we were able to ascertain, which we hereto attach and mark "Exhibit C."

Exhibit C

General Fund	$24,203.33
Road Fund	26,573.78
Land Redemption Fund	750.30
Fine and Forfeiture Fund	549.89
Total	$52,077.30

Respectfully submitted,
JESSE BAKER, Treas.

We have also examined the Sheriff's feed book and find it neatly and correctly kept as far as we could ascertain.

We thank your Honor for your clear and impressive charge delivered to us and deem it much help to us in our deliberations. We thank the Sheriff and his deputies for the prompt service of all papers issued by us, and also our Bailiff for his prompt attention to his duties in attending on the Grand Jury. We also wish to thank our Solicitor and our Foreman for the assistance, advice and good judgment they have rendered us in our deliberations.

We now having completed our duties await the further orders of the Court.

J. W. FOSHEE, Foreman.

HOW AVOID BEAN LOSSES IS TOLD TO PEOPLE BY AUBURN

Blight Resistant Varieties of First Consideration, Declares An Auburn Expert.

Auburn, Ala., April 1, 1924.—With the arrival of the main season for planting beans, Dr. L. E. Miles, specialist in plant diseases for the Agricultural College here, has issued a statement regarding the losses due to blight of beans and how to avoid it.

According to Dr. Miles, bean blight occurs in most Alabama gardens and greatly reduces the crop. Some times the loss is almost total, especially when it is accompanied by other diseases. The disease occurs on the leaves as water-soaked spots which gradually spread until the leaf dries up and falls off. The same irregular water-soaked spots appear also on the pods, turning them to a reddish color in a few days, after which they turn brown and dry up.

"The best prevention is by the use of varieties whch are largely or entirely resistant to the diseases," adds Dr. Miles. Among such varieties of bush beans he named. Rust Proof, Bountiful, Extra Early Red Valentine, Burpee's Stringless Green Pod, Longfellow Bush, Golden Wax Bush, Kentucky Wonder Wax, Tennessee Green Pod, and Extra Early Six Weeks. As resistant pole varieties he named Kentucky Wonder, White Seeded Kentucky Wonder, and Texas Pole.

The bacteria causing blight lives over on the seed, and to destroy it Dr. Miles recommends that beans be soaked for fifteen minutes at planting time in a 1 to 1000 solution of corrosive sublimate.

FISHING PARTY HAS SOME GOOD LUCK AT LOCK 12

On last Monday Rev. S. J. Ezell, Dr. E. E. Upchurch Mr. M. L. White and Dr. L. L. Gwaltney of Birmingham went out to the mouth of Yellow Leaf Creek just below Lock 12, and after fishing about three hours came back to town with a string of 85 nice fish, the bunch weighing exactly 50 pounds. Dr. Gwaltney in his sermon at the Baptist church Sunday night announced that he was going fishing the next day and expressed the hope that he have some luck. We presume that his desire was very well satisfied as he landed 27 and strung them to his credit. Dr. Gwaltney said that when he got to Birmingham and began to display those fish to his friends up there they would turn green with envy. This was indeed an enviable catch of fish. A picture of the whole string and the party was taken and the same will be printed in the next issue of The Alabama Baptist

For the past few days people from around town have been catching these government fish (Crappies) by the score, but the law prohibits them from being caught now for two months, from April 1st to June 1st. Elsewhere in The Unoin-Banner will be found the law regarding different kinds of fish.

LIST CONTEST CHALLENGES NOT YET STRAIGHTENED OUT

I have failed to get a complete record of the following persons who were challenged by Rev. C. D. Messer. I would appreciate it if each of the parties named below would come to my office or write me the exact day, month and year they were born, where they voted, who they voted for, where they registered and where they have paid all poll tax. I hope my friends will look over this list and help me to locate these parties, either come to see me, or write me where I can reach them by mail.

I want again to thank my friends for their loyal support and assistance they have given in helping me get the record straight of the voters that voted for me in the last election.

Beat 1.—J. F. Jones, W. H. Hadnot, J. T. Jones.

Beat 3.—F. A. Bates.

Beat 4.—N.O. Stroud, Argie Broadhead, Mrs. Alice Broadhead, Mrs. J. M. Mims, J. M. Mims, Bertha Mims, Lonnie Price, K. M. Hayes, J. R. Taylor, Eliza Mims, W. M. Traywick, J. B. Smith.

Beat 5.—J. W. Taylor.

Beat 6.—E. L. Bryant, Sam Powell, Mrs. Jessie Dennis, C. A. Dobbs, C. C. Bowles.

Beat 7.—Walter McGee.

Beat 9.—L. E. Robinson.

Beat 10.—W. M. Wilson, W. N. Culp, A. B. Dennis, John Cleckler.

Beat 12.—J. M. Coker.

Beat 13.—H. F. Virgin.

Beat 15.—W. E. Christian, J. B. Headley, W. J. Jacks, Mrs. Bulah Mims, J. F. Gilland.

Beat 16.—E. N. Mims.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS.

Mr. J. P. Rushing of Verbena, Route 1, was among the attendants at circuit court this week. He was serving as a juror.

Mr. Walter M. Poole of Route 3 was the first one to bring us in a nice stalk of sugar cane this year.

DR. GWALTNEY PREACHES AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

The Fifth Sunday program carried out at the Clanton Baptist Church last Sunday was very fine. The principal speaker for the occasoin was Dr. L. L. Gwaltney, editor of the Alabama Baptist, who made interesting talks both at the morning and afternoon services. At the morning service Dr. Gwaltney told about religious, political and moral conditions in Europe, and his discorse along these lines was very interesting and instructive. He gave first-hand information on the conditions of these countries, he having spent three months over there about a year ago. In this speech Dr. Gwaltney brought out very forcibly the idea of religious freedom in America and the importance of separation of churches and state. By telling of the conditions in European countries where there is an adopted religion supported by the government, the necessity of the government having nothing to do with religions was forcibly brought out.

Several other interesting talks were made during the day by local speakers which were very good.

The good ladies of the Baptist church served a bountiful dinner in the dining room, to which all present were invited.

Dr. Gwaltney also preached at the Baptist Church Sunday night, his subject being "Behind every Rainbow there is a Cloud." In his discussion of this subject Dr. Gwaltney said that nothing worth while was ever handed to a people on a silver platter. The Bible, he said, came to us floating upon a river of blood, which will be found very true if the history of the book of books is carefully studied. This subject was a very deep one and the discussion of it required a great deal of historical knowledge and ethical information, but before the preacher left he made so plain that anyone could understand and appreciate the richness of it. Dr. Gwaltney is a talented editor and he is a talented preacher also.

THOMAS E. PAVEY LEAVES CLANTON FOR FLORIDA

Mr. Thomas E. Pavey, who has been secretary of the Alabama Tract Society, now known as the Alabama Book and Bible House, by his own request has been granted release from the duties of this office and will leave about the middle of this month for Fort Ogden, Fla., where he intends to take a long rest. Mr. Pavey has been doing various kinds of work for the Seventh Day Adventists for the past twenty years and the vacation which he is about to enter is a much needed one. Mr. Pavey has been in Clanton for the past year and a half, and the many friends he and his family have made here will regret to learn that they are leaving Clanton.

The office of secretary will now be filled by Mr. Chas. O. Franz from Nashville. We are glad to welcome Mr. Franz in our midst.

CHANGES IN POSTAL SERVICE

Mr. Tom Pyron has resigned as mail carrier in the town of Clanton, and Mr. Claude Baker has been elevated to that position. The position of Mr. Baker as clerk in the post office has not been permanently filled yet but Mr. M. M. Biles is holding down this job temporarily. It is supposed that Mr. Biles will be appointed to this position permanently.

H. M. DAUGHERTY OUT AS ATTORNEY GENERAL OF U. S. A.

Pledges Support to Coolidge in the Coming Presidential Fight.

As a result of the flurry caused by the investigations of the Senate Oil Committee of the public record of Harry M. Daugherty, the attorney general has resigned his post as a member of the president's cabinet. Mr. Daugherty says that he is still the dependable friend and supporter of the president and emphasized the fact that he held no personal feelings against Mr. Coolidge.

Daugherty declared he had no fears as to the future, did not wish to be considered a martyr and had no favors to ask, except the confidence of his friends and the public.

The former attorney general said: "No extended statement from me as to what has taken place and what it all means may be expected for some time.

"It's uselessness would now be chiefly personal and that does not interest my friends or me. I was fully warned that it was to be done. I did not think it could take place in free America. It did, however, take place, though I did all I could to prevent it. I stood against it, as a matter of duty and in saying this, I have no ambition to be considered a martyr.

"One thing, now, let me say, I have no personal feelings against the President. I am yet his dependable friend and supporter.

"I have no fears as to my own contented future and I have no favors to ask, except the continuance of

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COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS MONTHLY NOW

On account of passing the claims against the county for road and bridge work, the Commissioners Court of Chilton county have decided to meet monthly from now on instead of quarterly as heretofore. Beginning next Monday, which is the first Monday in April, they will meet and pass claims the first Monday in every month. Those working on the roads and bridges for the county need not fear any delay in getting your money.

TAKEN TO ASYLUM

Deputies Culp and Taylor went to Tuscaloosa last Sunday to carry Mr. George Marcus to the asylum. Mr. Marcus' mind has been failing him for the past three months, and it continued to get worse until he had to be taken away. Such an incident as this is indeed regrettable, and especially so when the principal cause of the whole trouble is alcohol. This unfortunate case should serve as a timely warning to the young men of this section who continue to allow this deadly drug to play a part in their lives. Whiskey is a dangerous thing to mess with and we would that it were impossible for a drop of it to be obtained in Chilton county except by the prescription of a physician. And another thing, which is just as deadly and possibly more so than whiskey, and can be had most any time and any where, and that is lemon extract. This stuff should not be sold to a person when it is reasonably certain that it is to be used as a beverage.

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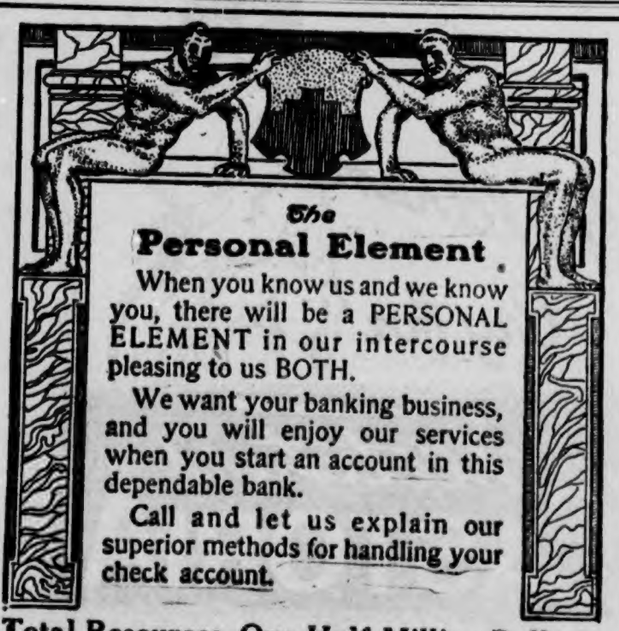

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According to statistics compiled and sent out by the State Road Commission of West Virgina, the total Federal aid bill of the United States is paid by automobile taxes, with a comfortable balance left over.

Since 1917, the Federal Government has collected from the automobile industry, in taxes, the sum of $589,012,021. In the same period the total of Federal aid for road building has been $264,782,216, or only 45 per cent of the special motor vehicle and accessory taxes. For the last fiscal year the Government collected $146,000,000 in these special taxes, and paid out for Federal aid to the States only $72,000,000.

Thus, the specal motor vehicle and accessory tax has not only, paid all of the Federal aid on road building but has left a balance in the Treasury of more than the amount paid out.

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Texas has the greatest total road mileage, 182,816 miles. New York is first in population, with 10,385,227. Little Rhode Island is first in the rato between population and Federal aid road mileage, having 3,640 people per Federal aid mile, against, for instance, Nevada, which has but 50 people per Federal aid mile of roads. New York is first in taxable wealth, with more than 15 1-4 billions. New Hampshire claims first place n State revenue from automobile and truck, getting an average of $25.72 from each. California gives most money to its counties from its automobile license fees, with $3,785,055 to be spent on roads. Pennsylvania gets more per mile in Federal aid than any other State, her takings per mile of Federal aid road being $19,338.

Mrs. W. M. Wyatt and daughter, Theda, and son, Jim Alex, of Fort Payne, are in Clanton spending a few days with relatives. They will be down here for a couple of weeks.

Mr. Charley Foshee of Billingsley was in Clanton Monday.

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PLETCHER NEWS

Health of this place is fine at present, and farming seems ao be all the go these beautiful spring days.

Mrs. A. J. Traywick and Mr. Jasper Traywick from Birmingham have been visiting relatives here lately.

Mrs. G. A. Keen and daughter, Sudie, visited Mr. Lon Keen of Shiloh community Sunday.

Several from around here attended the fifth Sunday meeting at Big Springs, near Billingsley Sunday.

The dance at Mr. G. A. Green's was enjoyed by a very large crowd Saturday nght.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. John Traywick Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Liza Williams, who has been visiting her son, Mr. G. B. Williams last week, returned to her home near Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poole Sunday.

Mr. R. L. Weaver and Mr. Mitchell Gray from near Clanton spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams.

The music entertainment at Mr. G. B. Williams' Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

Rev. B. F. Dykes and brother, Sam from Birmingham spent a few hours at the home of Mr. G. B. Williams Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Abbott visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams Sunday.

Miss Gracie Abbott spent Friday night with Miss Gladys Williams.

Miss Jewel Abbott spent Saturday night with Miss Ruth Abbott.

Listen folks! Next Sunday afternoon is our singing evening at Pilgrim, and everybody is cordially invited.

GREAT FEAST FOR THE EDUCATIONAL LEADERS

Dr. W. D. Agnew and his program committee for the Forty-Frst Annual Convention of the Alabama Sunday School Workers, has arranged a great feast for the Religious Educational leaders of Alabama.

More than fifty leading pastors and religious educational workers of the State will participate in the program. The old organization will be reorganized and representatives of all denominations in the State will co-operate in building a new program of work that will have for its goal, the reaching of the half million unreached children and youths in Alabama, tying them on to the denominational Sunday schools and training them for Christian ctizenship.

Some of the outstanding religious educational leaders of America will be present and deliver addresses during the convention.

More than one thousand delegates are expected.

Many thousands of programs and pieces of printed matter have been sent throughout the State, giving information regarding the great convention.

The ctizenship of Montgomery is co-operating with John W. Durr and his general committee, in their plans to make the coming convention the greatest in the history of the State.

Delegates will be entertained with bed and breakfast free and those who wish entertainment should register at once.

Mr. J. R. Taylor of Mt. Creek was in Clanton on business Tuesday. His main business here was to subscribe for The Union-Banner.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Cotton warehousemen throughout Alabama, are being requested by Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries J. M. Moore, not to print or cause to be printed warehouse receipts for use in storing cotton this fall, until they have received a ruling of the State Board of Agriculture upon the requirements of these receipts. Commissioner Moore says receipts have been collected from a number of warehouses, which do not in many respects meet the requirements of the law.

The Girl Scout movement has taken a hold in Talladega and several troops are being planned. Miss Corine Chisholm, a regional director for the Girl Scouts, has been in Talladega organizing and conducting training classes for leaders.

A cooperative egg marketing association is to be organized in Alabama to be known as the Alabama Farm Bureau Poultry Producers Cooperative Association, according to Edward A O'Neal, president of the state farm bureau.

The supreme court approved the bonds of the five Crenshaw county citizens who petitioned the court some time ago for the impeachment of Sheriff P. H. McQueen. Bond was set at $2,500, to indure court costs of trying the case.

A petition for permission to issue and sell $5,000,000 worth of first mortgage lien and refunding gold bonds was filed by the Alabama Power Company with the Alabama public service commission.

Charles D. Ritter, president of the Commercial Law league of America, has gone to Montreal, Canada, to arrange for the annual convention of the organization to be held there in July.

Exactly 14,008 newly qualified Jefferson county voters will take part in the election this year, according to registration figures made public by L. K. Bowen, chairman of the board of registrars.

A warning to prospective purchasers of fire insurance not to take estimates of dividends to be paid to them as guarantees of such dividends was issued by State Superintendent of Insurance Frank N. Julian.

A Birmingham man stepped down in Florida and sold 500,000 Birmingham brick—largest single order on record in the 'Gator state, to the owners of the Tampa Tribune, who are about to erect a new skyscraper plant.

Of some 90 appeals for clemency heard by the state pardon board in the last month, nearly half were moonshine cases, according to Secretary of State S. H. Blan, member of the pardon board.

Patronage of the Sheffield hotel has increased to such an extent that the new owners of the Colbert County Hotel company have made plans to equip and put in use as soon as possible at least 50 more rooms.

The Tennesse Valley Road Improvement Association was organized at Albany-Decatur, the following temporary officers being named: J. W. Clopton chairman, and F. D. Peebles, secretary.

Walter Gilbert, 35-year-old farmer of Oak Grove, 15 miles west of Collinsville, was found dead with a fractured skull and his heart torn out from a shot gun near his home.

Fire insurance rates for dwellings in Birmingham were lowered approximately 15 per cent, effective on all contracts signed since Jan. 1 of this year.

A central committee of citizens will be named at once to head the movement against malaria germs in Morgan county, officials of the health department, announced.

Courses in textile engineering and business administration will be added to the curriculum of Huntsville College, if plans now being worked out materialize.

The Bay Minette Chamber of Commerce has inaugurated a movement to establish "sales days" there. The plan calls for a special sales and exchange day once each month.

Assurances of support from poultry raisers of other sections were received by the Bessemer association for its annual egg and poultry show, April 10, 11 and 12.

Gadsden voted to levy a one-fourth of 1 per cent advalorem tax to create a sinking fund to retire $335,000 in school bonds now outstanding.

The directors of the Florence Chamber of Commerce authorized the closing of a contract for the issuance of a new city directory.

A larger and probably a fireproof grandstand will replace the one at the university athletic field destroyed by fire, it is unofficially stated.

Walker county farmers are sowing more oats this year than usual, according to reports from various parts of the country.

Judge L. L. Herzberg, chairman, and T. F. Pitts, of the state tax commission are in the office of the Jefferson county tax commission passing upon property assessment for the new year. They will be in Birmingham for about a week.

W. S. Ward and company, of Fort Payne, bought a car load of chickens in one day, the first of the season. Over $5,000 was paid to farmers.

T. R. Owens, United States consul at Bagdad, is in Gadsden to visit his friends after an absence of five years.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

ENTERPRISE NEWS

The Union-Banner:

As I haven't had anything to write and nothing to say concerning the Highway, about the direction I think it ought to go, I would like to express my feelings about it. I try to think why that some people think the highway ought to go by Marbury, going from Clanton to Prattville. Why shouldn't we just say go by Maplesville? No, those people out there know it is too much out of the way. They are not going to ask the State to throw away surplus money.

Now let's see who it is kicking—is it any one on the direct route? No, the State knows the right of way is free 100 ft. wide. If they want it I have three 40's near the route, if it will do any good they can have a forty of it to build highways on; land that will make 40 bushels corn to the acre and two wells of water on it. Now, I am not going to do what The News said. I am not going to fight for it only in one respect. Anything I can do to get the highway through from Clanton by Entreprise to Prattville I am at your hand.

Now, about having to carry water through in a Thermos bottle. That fellow was just out of a subject. Chilton county's best drinking water and Autauga's best is direct on that route. Of course mud holes and creeks are not as thick, but you can't build a good road out of mud-holes and creeks. If you could, you could build a paved street through Coopers, Verbena and Mt. Creek.

Now about the population through there. Come down and see how many white children are there going to school at Enterprise—about 230 white; not a negro in five miles. I don't know how many are at White City, a greater number though I know; a junior high school at Enterprise and also at White City. So, we people are going to ask the Commissioners to use good judgment and that will suit us. The land free and water free, and I will reward any one that finds a fellow that couldn't get a place to spend the night through that country, if he was anybody at all.

Now how can a fellow ask the State to spend so much just to come by my store or my office; is it nerve? We will say so any how.

I am sending a copy of this letter to both county papers—both know how I stand. I am at Mitchell Dam and have been for three years. I am not writing this letter to no certain one, but to all. Out through our country is a free country to any and everybody except blind-tigers.

As ever, yours for goods roads,
J. W. CAGLE.

NEW RECORD SET IN FILLING TANK AT WOCO CONVENTION

A new world's record of 48 seconds in filling an automobile tank with motor fuel was set by F. F. Horn and D. C. Apperson of Birmingham during the annual Woco Pep Birthday Party held by the Wofford Oil Co. on March 19th.

The record was made during a contest in which there were entrants from three southern states and the winning mark was set on hand pumps. With the glass contained empty the pump was started when the front wheel of the automoble crossed a line 18 ft. from the pump. The tank cap was screwed off, 5 gallons pumped in and poured into the tank and five gallons more pumped into the container and poured into the tank and tank cap screwed on. Timing ceased when the rear wheel of the automobile crossed a line 18 ft. from the pump.

Winners were awarded a silver loving cup offered by the Wofford Oil Co. for the best time made during this contest. Second prize cup was won by Vann Bros. of Troy, Ala.

The tank filling contest was one of the features of the day's program of sales conferences and entertainment arranged by the Wofford Oil Co. in celebration of the 6th anniversary of the introduction of Woco Pep as the first benzol-blend motor fuel commercially marketed in America.

All out of town agents of this company were guests of G. T. Wofford, founder and president, at a luncheon at the Southern Club and the general sales conferences were held in the afternoon at the Tutwiler Hotel, which was headuarters for the occasion.

A banquet in the evenng attended by over 150 "Woco Peppers" at which announcements were made of Woco Dealers winning membership in the newly organized Woco Club and a theatre party at the Lyric afterwards, wound up the days events.

A large loving cup offered by the company to the Woco Station in the Birmingham District making the best sales record on Woco Pep, Woco Motor Oils and Woco coupon books was won by F. F. Horn and Wallace H. Duren, of Horn's Terminal Service Station.

The Woco Birthday Celebration is an annual affair with the company and has come to have special significance in the oil industry as marking the introduction of benzol as a component in a commercial motor fuel.

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BETHEL SINGING

The Fifth Sunday Harp and Harmony singing at Bethel church was fine, according to the amount of singers there.

It could be seen that many of our singers were some other place—attending the Center Hill singing, maybe, but in spite of the fact we can proclaim it good, notwithstanding the fact that we all were a bit "*off*" due to our negligence in practicing as we ought to.

Splendid audience was in evidence. Every performer appreciates interested listeners. We believe it was a good day for all.

The good eats spread at the noon hour were fruits of hospitality, and welcome—a kind offering free to all, evidencing their appreciation of this wonderful day—and you, we wish to thank you, Bethel community, for contributing so much to make this the day it was.

In conclusion, let me repeat: The singing was good, but let's make it better!

The convention's just around the corner. Are we going to meet it with untrained voices, or will our practice reap the rewards of a good convention?

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

It is easy enough to be pleasant,
When life flows by with a song,
But the man worth while is the man with a smile
When everything goes dead wrong.
For the test of the heart is trouble,
And it always comes with the years;
And the smile that is worth the praises on earth
Is the smile that shines through the tears.

Surprise Birthday Given.

One of the loveliest of the many spring functions was the dinner party given by Mrs. Watts Moore, honoring the birthday of her mother, Mrs. W. I. Mullins. The beautiful new home of Mrs. Moore, always lovely, was on this occasion a bower of springtime loveliness with a profusion of choice plants and cut flowers. The dining room was fragrant with John L. Mack roses in tall baskets. A handsome cut glass basket of this same flower also, but its fragrance and grace to the beautifully appointed dinner which was served in four causes. Covers were laid for 12 guests.

Philathia S. S. Class Entertained.

One of the most delightful meetings of the Philathia S. S. class was held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson when she and Mesdames Guy Roberts and Clyde Jones were joint hostesses. Vases of spring flowers were attractively arranged in the spacious living room. Mrs. Wilkerson and Mrs. Roberts greeted the guests and were ushered to the punch table presided over by Mrs. Clyde Jones. The president, Mrs. Macy Jones presided in her usual charming manner and the regular routine of business was attended to. Various committees were appointed and pledges for the year were made. Plans were discussed to raise money to equip the class room in the new church. A committee was named to select a play and stage it at an early date. Mrs. Guy Roberts was made chairman. The class will make mints and sell for special occasions. All orders will gladly be filled. Two new names were added to the roll, Mrs. A. S. Prince and Mrs. E. C. Powell. Miss Kate Atbey and Miss Gussie Rainer were guests of the class. During the social hour a lovely salad plate with ice tea was served. During which music on the Edison was enjoyed.

Mrs. Macy Jones Hostess.

The Wednesday Embroidery club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Macy Jones last week. An attractive arrangement of spring blossoms gave an added touch of beauty to the home. Fancy needle work was the main past time and later in the afternoon the hostess, assisted by Mrs. McSwain and Miss French Evans served a lovely plate lunch with frappe. Included in this congenial group were Mesdames Geo. Polk, R. E. Luckie, M. A. Gore, Watts Moore, Petrey, Harvy Chandler, Pohn Armstrong, Thad McSwain, Barney Roberts and Miss Evans.

Miss Mullins Hostess.

The Card club spent a delightful afternoon on Tuesday at the home of Miss Kathleen Mullins when she entertained at bridge. The spacious living room was lovely with exquisite hot house roses and hyacinths. After several rubbers of bridge the top score was held by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, who was presented with a set of tea napkins. At the close of the game a lovely salad plate was served.

Mrs. O. Kyle, Mrs. Higgins and Miss Bettie Mullins were visitors for the afternoon.

Mrs. Lyman Hostess to the Card Club.

A variety of spring blossoms in Japanese baskets and vases were the attractive decorations used by Mrs. Willis Lyman when she entertained at her home on last Wednesday, having as her guests the members of the Card club.

After a spirited game the club prize, a luncheon cloth, fell to Mrs. Victor Heard, and later a tempting salad course was served. Besides the club members, Mrs. Eric Hart, Mrs. Guy Roberts and Mrs. O. Kyle were guests for the afternoon.

Class Enjoys Picnic.

The Hygiene class of the High school, chaperoned by Miss Inis Carter, enjoyed a lovely outing on last Friday when they went to Verbena. Hiking, wading and other outdoor sports were enjoyed and at noon a most bounteous picnic lunch was spread. Enjoying the outing were Misses Lurline Minor, Ruby Armstrong, Sara Luckie, Margarete Smith, Inis Carter, Inez Kittrell, Mary Wise, Nora Wood.

Mrs. S. A. Johnson from Montgomery, and Mrs. Harry Tarpley from Tuscaloosa are visiting Mrs. Claud Reynolds.

Miss Kate Atbey is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Maggie Wilson.

Miss Marion Seawright went to Montgomery today to attend A. E. A.

Mrs. S. E. Alverson and son, Earl, Jr., are the guests of Mrs. R. E. Luckie this week.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson is spending a couple of days in Birmingham shopping this week.

Miss Kathleen Mullins is in Montgomery attending A. E. A.

Miss Willadean Reynolds, a student at Montevallo, was home for the week-end.

ENJOYING POOR HEALTH

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade were visitors to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pipes spent Tuesday in the Magic City.

Mr. John Gore made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. J. Q. Wade was home from Russellville Saturday.

Misses Gussie Rainer from Elba, and Kate Rainer from Montevallo were the guests of Mrs. V. J. Elmore for a few days this week.

If you want bargains, come to McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

Mrs. A. C. Harper was called to Memphis Monday on account of serious illness of her daughter, Miss Lurline, who has been teaching there.

Prof. Earl Alverson will be a visitor to Clanton last of this week, stopping over after attending A. E. A. in Montgomery.

Mrs. G. L. Phillips had as her guest a couple of days last week Mrs. Laura Lamar.

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MARCH MARRIAGES

Eugene Deramus and Miss Lorene Jones; Adolphus Paytes and Miss Gussie Broadhead; Thomas Smith and Miss Ollie Evans; Columbus Broadhead and Miss Maggie Caton; James E. Smith and Miss Bertha Ratliff; W. H. Yarbrough and Mrs. N. L. Lashley; Forest Langston and Miss Bertie Mae George; Hravey Castleberry and Miss Ila B. George; C Dewey Mims and Miss Nettie Henley; N. Duncan and Miss Elizabeth Larren; James Allen Gore and Miss Clara Wilson; Norman H. Waters and Miss Lela E. Pavey; Gilbert Erle Harlan and Miss Lorene Dyer; Wm. E. Hamilton and Miss Annie Cleckler; Will Evers and Miss Linner Ford; O. C. Payton and Mrs. Nolah Downing; Harleen Downs and Miss Stella D. Hines; W. M. Miller and Miss Velmer Miner.

J. M. CALLOWAY HERE

Mr. J. M. Calloway, former Chiltonian, now warden at Spigener, was in Clanton shaking hands with freinds Saturday for the first time in ten years. Before going to Spigener Mr. Calloway was city judge in the city of Sylacauga. He was Bill Brandon's campaign manager in Talladega county in the last gubernatorial race. Mr. Calloway is a brother-in-law of Mr. A. C. Smith of this city.

FROM MR. WALKER

Editor Union-Banner:

I notice in the last issue of your paper that Mr. J. L. Burnett of Lawley has been over in Stumps Hills, I guess shaking hands with cousins and uncles. I don't know that I have any kinsfolk in Stumps Hills but I do think I have some friends over there who will kinder divide up on the 13th of May.

Now, Mr. Burnett did not ask me to go with him over there, so when I get ready to go myself I will slip off from him. Well, I am glad he went over first so I will have a chance to spoil out his tracks.

I want to say to the people over in Stumps Hills and elsewhere in the county that I am too busy to go over the county to see you, buy I want to say that the man you nominate on May 13th will be the man I will get behind and do all I can that is honorable to elect in the general election.

Yours truly,
C. T. WALKER.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Biles will be glad to learn he has came back to Clanton to accept the position as mail carrier. They will occupy their former rooms with Mrs. M. A. Mullins.

Mrs. Dorcus Maddox made a shopping tour to Birmingham Tuesday.

ON TRIP TO FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonlad and son, Tom, of the McDonald Mercantile Company, left Sunday for a two weeks visit to Safety Harbor, Fla. They have gone there for Mr. McDonald's health. It is hoped that they will return with his health much improved. While they are away their store has been left in the charge of Mr. Clay Marcus.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT NEW SALEM SUNDAY

The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Chilton County Baptist Asociation was held with the New Salem Baptist church near Thorsby. The meeting was opened at 9:45 a.m.; devotional conducted by Rev. T. J. Deason. Rev. Buford Lawrence was elected to preside over the body with Rev. B. F. Dykes acting as secretary. The following program was rendered:

Reports were given by Elders S. M. Adams and B. Lawrence on the religious survey of Chilton County Association. Many helpful thoughts were brought out by which the association was made to see the importance of renewed effort. Beginning at 10:45 the subject of Stewardship was forcefully and inspiringly discussed by Dr Hendrix of Howard College. At 11:15 a noble sermon was delivered by Rev. J. L. Whorton on the 75-Million Campaign. Many pledged themselves to support the work who had refused to do so before. The meeting was then adjourned until 1:30, during which time the ladies of the community served a most delicious dinner which was enjoyed by all.

The meeting was called to order at 1:30; devotional das conducted by T. J. Maddox. The importance of the minister giving his entire time to pastorial work and what it will take to bring it to pass, discussed by Dr. Hendrix. An inspiring and enlightening discusion followed on the Need of a Religious Awakening in our Association, by Elders T. J. Deason, W. P. Lowery and S. M. Adams.

The need of the B. Y. P. U. work in our Association was spoken to by Miss Lena Franklin, who is an experienced worker. The report of the Western District Convention at Tuscaloosa by Miss Ruth Martin, Misses Gordon Sorrell and Horace Franklin was given.

This meeting will be long remembered by all who attended, and it is believed that it will be of lasting benefit to the association and all our organized work since so many pledged themselves to support wholeheartedly the enlarged program of Southern Baptists to take the world for Christ.

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The Commissioners Court and the State Veterinarians are trying to devise plans to finish up the tick eradication work in Chilton County. This business, like a number of others, should not be used as a political tool, and it is hoped that everybody will try to treat it this way. We do not like the tick business, but we have to get rid of them and we might as well go ahead and do it. We only have a few beats in the county that are infested, so let's all co-operate and get rid of them.

The State Highway Department seems to be meeting with quite a bit of opposition to their plans down in Greene county. An injunction has been filed against the work in that county. It seems that we are having an awful time getting any highways built in the State. There is a heated argument on as to the route between Clanton and Montgomery of the B. & M. Highway. Some want it to go through White City and on into Prattville and from there to Montgomery. Others want it to go on through Marbury and go into Montgomery by the route near the railroad. We do not know which route would be best, but we do know that some route should be settled on and the road built. The department need not expect to please everybody. It is the business of those men to determine the best routes for the roads, the interest of all the people considered, and to build the roads. They are going to make about as many enemies as they are friends any way they go, so why not go some way and let the kickers kick as high as they please. Neither of the members of the highway board will ever be elected governor of Alabama no way. So let us have some roads somewhere right now.

"No man e'er felt the halter draw,
"With good opinion of the law."

The chief assistants and witnesses of the Senate committee engaged in persecuting Attorney General Daugherty are Gaston Means, now under Federal indictment, Frank Vanderlip, now facing a $600,000 libel suit, Roxie Stinson, divorcee and blackmailer, Tex Rickard, notorous prize fight promoter, gambler, saloon keeper, and defendant in criminal prosecutions, G. O. Holdridge, discredited former agent of the Department of Justice, Jap Muma, confessed violator of Federal statutes, and others of like kidney. Jack Dempsey, champion heavy weight, and his manager, Jack Kearns, are said to be included in a long list of witnesses whom the committee is preparing to summon. It will take something more than the testimony of that motley array to make the public believe Mr. Daugherty guilty.

Senator Walsh was one of the first to get on the anti-Doheny bandwagon. In 1919 Walsh made a speech in the Senate in defense of the leasing bill during the course of which he praised Doheny. As late as December 1923, Walsh wrote a letter to Doheny urging him to conduct oil development work in Montana. In that letter Walsh said that he would be pleased to be associated with Doheny in such an undertaking if his official position did not make it seem improper. Walsh wrote this letter in pursuance of correspondence which had not involved Doheny's name in any way, so it is apparent that the suggestion originated with Walsh. This is not the only instance of association between Walsh and oil men. When Walsh sent word to Montana Democrats that he still favored the nomination of McAdoo, he sent the message through an employee of an oil company. Republicans are not laboring under the delusion that everything associated with oil is evil, so they do not look upon transactions with oil concerns as criminal. But in view of all the insinuations the Democratic leaders have been throwing out wherever they can find a Republican in any way connected with oil matters, it is a little curious that some of their leaders have found the association so agreeable.

Chicken Farm Invaded!

Chicken farm was nvaded by a horde of rats last night. Over a hundred chickens reported killed—Bulletin.

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DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

Editorial Star-Dust

Consumers and tenants of rented property need to learn that taxes are a large part of the cost of doing business or of owning property and that, when taxes increase, prices and rent will rise, for manufacturers, merchants and property owners will not submit to reduction of their profit by the amount of the next tax if they can find a way of escape.—Portland Oregonian.

Have the bitter critics of the Harding-Coolidge administration the brass to keep on talking about graft and incompetence in an administration which so admirably succeeded in clearing away the unspeakable mess which the Democratic war administration had created by the most wanton waste in the history of mankind?

The "Dems" for an issue were spoiling,
So they started the Tea Pot a-boiling;
But they didn't feel gay
When the dust passed away
To find their own nest they'd been soiling.

—Los Angeles Times.

Lynching may be on the decline in the United States, as the paragrapher of the Chicago News tells us, but reputation assassination certainly has become an almost daily occurrence in the United States Senate.—Marion Star.

It would be interesting to compare the known earnings of Mr. McAdoo as a lawyer since he left the cabinet with his earnings as a lawyer before becoming a cabinet officer.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

President Coolidge says he tells his boys to work hard and behave themselves. If all of us, boys and men, followed that rule, what a fine world it would be.—Providence Journal.

Thugs, liars, bad men and bad women may now get the headlines on the first page in the newspapers if only they will slander the accused, the dead and the defenseless.—Barron's Weekly.

The country will appreciate the President's do-it-now policy in the matter of tax reduction even if Congress can not be compelled to act.—Boston Transcript.

Doubtless a lot of people who are whining and complaining about corruption in official places will forget all about registering this spring.—Omaha Bee.

Mr. Bryan says he will run in case of a deadlock. About the only condition his party would consider it on is a lockjaw.—Philadelphia North American.

But why should a lawyer who could secure employment with an oil company, at oil company rates, care to be President?—Columbus Dispatch.

"We must bring honesty back to Government," says Mr. McAdoo. Provided always that the retainer be satisfactory.—New York Herald-Tribune.

PAGE HENRY GEORGE

You can always depend upon a Democrat to think up some new way of levying taxes. Here, for instance, is Representative Andrew J. Griffin, of New York, with a proposal to increase Federal revenues by levying a Federal tax on idle land in order to produce $900,000,000 of revenue to be spent through the Government at Washington. From all accounts, it appears that the states, counties, school districts and road districts are already taxing land, both used and unused, so heavily that the owners find trouble to raise the money to satisfy the demand. Now comes the Democratic Congressman from New York with the proposal to add a $900,000,000 tax on only one class of land. With this tax affixed, he will probably be back at the next session of Congress with a proposal to tax used land. If it is proper for the Federal Government to tax idle land, which is bringing the owner no returns, it is much more desirable to tax used land, from which the owner gets a return. That is the argument that can and will be used. Congressman Griffin is careful to explain that his proposed tax is "in addition to present levies made by state, county, and local taxing bodies. Of course it is. Every tax proposed by Democrats is "in addition." It takes Republicans to cut taxes.

INDORSED OVER

When Italy entered the World War on the side of the allies, Great Britain and France agreed, in the event of victory and their own territorial aggrandizement at the expense of German African colonies, to compensate Italy. Great Britain is now about to extend that compensation through the cession to Italian Somaliland of a portion of Kenya. The part to be ceded is known as Jubaland.

The point to this incident is that Great Britain and France intended to take the German colonies unto themselves if they were victorious, and the cession of Jubaland proves that they have done so. The "mandates" under which the German colonies are nominally held are mere jokes, just as Americans knew they were when they were allotted under the terms of the League of Nations covenant. To all intents and purposes those African colonies are parts of the British Empire and the French republic and will never be released.

WIFE DOING GOOD WORK

"I have been bad off with stomach and liver trouble and bloating for many years. No doctors or medicine helped me. On the advice of my druggist, I bought a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and I don't want to miss a single dose. It has given me more benefit than all the medicine I have ever taken. I feel I am doing good to recommend it to others." It s a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Aired Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

You won't know what bargains are unless you come to McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

SCISSORETTES

An inventor has offered the Senate committee a serum that will make witnesses in the oil inqury tell the truth. If only someone else will offer an antitoxin against petty politics, for the exclusive use of the committee, the injuiry will be in a fair way to remember its purpose.—Portland Oregonian.

This country is rich in capital; but the investment of capital is so restricted by harassing laws that vast amounts of it are withheld from private industry; and the prosperity of the country rests upon the basis of prosperity in private business.—Los Angeles Times.

A London letter says that, with the coming of spring, "the League of Nations is going to flower as it has never done yet." Now if they can only persuade Uncle Sam to say it with flowers.—Philadelphia North American.

It is said there is a whispering campaign in Congress against Coolidge. It is dfficult to imagine where Congress learned to whisper. However, the country isn't whispering about Congress.—Kennebec Journal.

The tip has gone out that the League of Nations will drop the opium problem. This is the same League that was advertised as going to put war out of business.—Marion Star.

Doheny helped Obregon with money. The United States Government has been helping him with arms. So Doheny can not be accused of treason.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

"Europenn topics now command little attention." You may have noticed that America was losing interest in Europe, as well as most of the principal.—Boston Transcript.

After the convention Mr. McAdoo probably will regret that he was so precipitate in dropping that $25,000 retainer.—Pittsburgh Gazette Times.

The taxpayer, whatever Congress tries to do, has one determined and reliable friend—President Coolidge.—Los Angeles Times.

Leaders of the farm bloc talk as if the Government could guarantee the weather for the farmer.—Cleveland Times-Commercial.

A pessimist is a person who believes all the rumors that originate in Washngton these days.—Asheville Times.

Mr. Vanderlip gives Senator Wheeler his personal endorsement. Is that a boost or a knock?—Omaha Bee.

The much-talked-of "genuine dirt farmer" must find himself quite at home in Washington.—New York Tribune.

If Congress would levy a tax on scandal, it might be easier to pay the bonus.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

Mr. Felix Eiland, who recently moved from Thorsby to Sylacauga, was in Clanton attending court last Monday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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K. M. VINSON.

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J. RICE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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C. D. HUGHES.

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

Standardized Layettes Assure Modern Baby Correct Wardrobe; Health Agency Gives Patterns

STANDARDIZED layettes assure the baby of 1924 that he will be as well, and as comfortably dressed on the day he makes his advent into the world, as he will at 21, when tailors and haberdashers cater to his sartorial needs. Health authorities agree that the modern infant's wardrobe is an important feature of the plans made for his arrival. Consequently, it is no surprise to learn that many visiting nurses include a full course of sewing instructions in their program of prenatal service.

Among other health agencies, the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is carrying on an intensive campaign of education for the expectant mother. Visiting nurses in 4,038 cities and towns in this country and Canada are giving prenatal and post-natal care. The company's nursing service handled over 100,000 maternity cases last year.

French Canada was foremost among the territories having a large percentage of maternal cases last year, 60 per cent. of the nursing visits being of that kind. Nurses, working directly for the company, or under arrangements with local nursing associations, expect to develop the prenatal work on even broader lines during the coming year than has been possible in the past.

One of the objects of this work is to assist mothers during the trying prenatal period, not only by looking after their physical needs, but by advice and encouragement regarding preparations for the new baby. The making of layettes is an example of this feature of the service. Patterns for baby clothes may be had on request.

This help is especially appreciated by foreign-born mothers in crowded industrial centers. Modern welfare programs carried out by public health nurses, are gradually eliminating the dread with which mothers formerly viewed the advent of a new baby.

The Metropolitan nursing service was maintained during 1923 at a cost of $1,789,151. The company has 1,403 nursing centers, 279 being in the New England States.

During the coming year, in cooperation with other health organizations, and with the full approval of the medical fraternity, the Metropolitan will increase its efforts to reduce the maternal death rate in this country. In the past the average has been 20,000 deaths a year. Visiting nurses will see the expectant mother once a month from the time a case is reported until confinement. Following the birth of a child, both mother and baby will be cared for daily for eight days. If complications develop, the nurse is privileged to extend the period.

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LEGAL NOTICE

In the Court of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama—Chilton County vs. J. W. Beasley et al.

To W. C. Martin, who resides in the City of Big Springs in the State of Texas; W. R. Champion who resides in the City of Camden in the State of Tennessee, and Owners Unknown:—

You are hereby notified that Chilton County, a municipal corporation, has filed its written application in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for the condemnation of lands, rights and interests therein described and that among said lands described in said application are the following lands situated in said county, which are owned by you or in which you own an interest, to-wit:

A right-of-way 100 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on the east side and 75 feet in width on the west side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, designated as F. A. P. No. 100, or as much of said land as is required to make a 100-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the north line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 1,436 feet more or less to the intersection of the sonth line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, the above tract of land lying in the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter Section 14, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 3.21 acres more or less; that the owner of said land as above described being Unknown.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way across said land which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of the sonth-east quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 10, Township 23, Range 13 and the center line of said road; thence 1,455 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of G. P. Wilson and R. L. Martin, with the center line of said road; said tract of land lying in the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 10, Township 23, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 1.67 acres more or less. R. L. Martin or W. C. Martin are the owners of said tract or parcel of land.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of the south-west quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 21, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 496 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of W. R. Houlditch and W. R. Champion with the center line of said road; the said tract of land lying in the east half of the sonth-west quarter of the south-east quarter of Section 21, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama and containing .57 acres more or less. W. R. Champion being the owner of said tract of land.

The said application avers that said Chilton County proposes to construct, use and maintain a public highway or road over or across the above described land of which you are the owner or in which you own an interest and you are hereby further notified that the hearing of said application has been set by the Court of Probate as aforesaid for **Monday, the 28th day of April, 1924** at 10 o'clock, a.m., and notice of the day so appointed for the hearing thereof is hereby given you.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of March, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of the Probate Court,
3-27-3t Chilton County, Alabama.

You won't know what bargains are unless you come to McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

A CRY IN THE NIGHT, griping pains in the vitals, cramps, weakening diarrhoea - whether child or adult, immediate comfort and ease in **CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY** Pays to keep always on hand.

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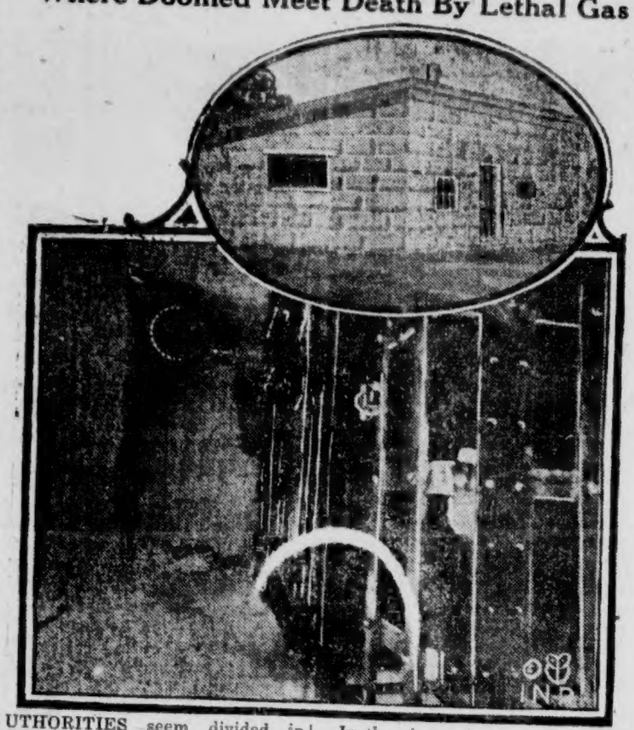

AUTHORITIES seem divided in their opinion as to the humaneness of Nevada's new method of meting out capital punishment to murderers—namely, death by lethal gas. The Nevada State Penitentiary officials who recently carried out the execution by gas of Gee Jon, Chinese slayer, however, maintain that it is more humane than either hanging or electrocution.

In the above photographs, you see the exterior and interior of Nevada's new death house as constructed in the penitentiary yard at Carson City and in which Gee Jon met his death. The chimney shown on the house—in the upper picture—was arranged as a vent to let the poison fumes escape. From the window in the foreground the witness watched the legal killing.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
In the Probate Court of said State and County, March 13, 1924.

Under and by virtue of an order and decree of Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court of said County and State, made and entered on the 27th day of March, 1924, I, W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door of said county on the 18th day of April, 1924, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, the following described real estate, belonging to said estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, to-wit:

SE¼ of NW¼, and E½ of SW¼, all in Section 22, Township 23, Range 13, situated in Chilton County, State of Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of division among the joint heirs of said estate.

W. G. ATKINSON,
4-3-3tc Administrator of said Estate.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

The entire Tennessee valley will be asked to join in an organization to promote good roads throughout North Alabama. A preliminary meeting was held by a number of committeemen appointed by civic clubs of the twin cities in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at Decatur, when a temporary organization was perfected with J. W. Clopton, chairman, and F. D. Peebles secretary. This organization it was pointed out is only temporary and a call will be made soon for a meeting to be attended by representatives from every section of the valley. The organization is expected to be particularly active in its efforts to obtain better highway communicaton through the Muscle Shoals district.

Over $100 worth of a new non-edible citrus, known as the tri-foliage orange and up to this time considered worthless, has been sold by M. F. C. Rigg and W. C. Harrell of Pleasant Hill, to satsuma growers in South Alabama. An experiment will be made to graft the new species with the satsuma in an effort to produce a frost-proof variety of satsuma.

Decatur's new streets will be improved with what amounts practically to permanent paving, according to officials, following decision of council on the character of paving to be used. All of the new streets will be improved with a five-inch concrete base with a double course of asphaltic concrete on the surface.

Out of 78 cases reviewed by the state pardon board and returned to the governor this month, 20 recommendations for parole were made. Two men who were released from prison six years ago were recommended for restoration of their civil rights. In 52 cases, petitions for parole were denied.

Birmingham's Traffic association in 1923 quoted 123,312 rates, checked 119,225 freight bills, discovered errors amounting to $51,077.50, paid 4,688 claims aggregation $87,085,82 and forced railroads entering the city to make adjustments of rates in 139 cases, according to the annual report of President E. Wilkinson.

Alleging that he was damaged to the extent of $5,000 by the cutting and deadening of trees on his plantation in Macon county, J. A. Bullock filed suit for this amount against the Montgomery Cooperage and Stave company. Mr. Bullock claimed the statute imposed a penalty of $5,000 for the destruction of the trees.

W. E. "Bud" Meyers, a former deputy sheriff and court bailiff, was convicted in the circuit court of Mobile of attempting to corrupt Charles Cogburn, a juror, who served in the first case of Thomas W. Cleveland, charged with the killing of Stephen Lossing, aged citizen.

Claiming that a cemetery belonging to the defendant company and adjoining her residence was not properly cared for, Mrs. Madora Dewitt won a jury verdict against the Union cemetery company. The case was tried before Judge Romaine Boyd in the Jefferson circuit court.

J. H. Scruggs, of the state highway commission, has notified the Dallas county board of revenue that he will go to Selma within the next few days to examine the bridge over the Alabama river, which was built 40 years ago and not designed for the traffic to which it is now being subjected.

Two sets of brothers, a Spanish-American war veteran, and a woman born in this country but deprived of her citizenship through marriage to an alien, were among 38 applicants given final naturalization papers by Judge Grubb in United States district court at Birmingham.

Houses are in demand at Jacksonvill, as the Spring term of the State Normal School has begun and there is a pouring in of teachers, who want to take the Spring and Summer courses.

City commissioners of Mobile have under consideration a proposal to increase rates charged for water consumed in Mobile, and if plans work out as suggested, the new rate will become effective about June 1.

There has been a committee appointed from the Community Club of Jacksonville to see about an election for changing the name of the city as it conflicts with Jacksonville, Fla.

Fire of an unknown origin completely destroyed the Denny Field baseball grandstand at the State University.

Right at Home at the Feed Mill

Charles Anderson, foreman of a feed mill, says, "The roaches were right at home hert until thty got so thick I had to get rid of them. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder so I put it around and got rd of them without any trouble." Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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CLANTON, ALA.

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON
Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

GOOD INFORMATION TO FISHERS OF ALABAMA

Montgomery, Ala., March, 22, 1924.
The Union-Banner:

In order to better conserve and protect the fish in the fresh waters of this State, it is hereby declared a violation of law and shall constitute a misdemeanor to take, catch, kill or be in possession of any bass, trout, fresh-water trout or bream, from the fresh waters of this State, from the 1st day of April to the 1st day of June following, in each year.

Under the head of bream are the following fish:

1. (Lepomis Incisor) known as blue, Joe, blue perch, blue bream, blue sunfish, copper-nosed bream and blue gill.

2. (Lepomis Auritus) known as yellow-belly, red-belly, robin perch and long-eared sunfish.

3. (Chaenoovyttus Gulosus) known as goggle-eye, chub, muc-chub, red-eyed bream and warmoth, and white perch.

The above section of the Act, approved September 29th, 1923, does not apply to privately owned ponds, lakes, reservoirs, etc. However, it is believed that the true sportsmen of the state will be willing to refrain from fishing in private waters during the months of April and May, the spawning season on fresh-water trout, bass and bream, in order that later on there will be a great many more fish to furnish sport and recreation.

I. T. QUINN,
Commissioner of Game and Fisheries.

EVERS—FORD WEDDING

On last Thursday noon, at the court house in Clanton occurred the marriage of Mr. Will Evers of Mt. Creek to Miss Linner Ford of Montgomery. Judge L. H. Reynolds performed the ceremony in the presence of a small number of close friends of the contracting parties.

Pimples

BLOOD impurities are pumped by the heart into the face. That is what causes that grainy appearance, that muddiness, sallowness, pimples, blackheads, acne, red spots, and that impossible "something" which no face cream, massage, or face powder can cover up or beautify! The foundation for a beautiful skin simply is not there, and no face treatment can give it to you. But increase your red-blood-cells,—and quickly the ruby tint of purity begins to glow in the cheeks, the complexion becomes venus-like and immaculate! Try it. It will do it every time. S. S. S. builds the red-blood-cells you need for a beautiful complexion. Begin using S. S. S. at once, and give yourself what you have been working for, for years.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

How Mothers Friend aids Expectant Mothers at Child-birth

THERE are thousands of expectant mothers who undergo much useless suffering for months before, as well as at the moment when delivery occurs. These months of suffering, with nerves and vital organs weakened, leave their effect upon the child. An eminent physician found the way to stop much of this unnecessary suffering—the same easy way which thousands of mothers have used for three generations.

Mrs. Walter S. Hadley, Bridgeport, Ind., says: "Before my little boy came I was so paralyzed in my hips and limbs I could hardly walk, and some days after a little extra exertion I couldn't walk a step. I felt it coming on this time; in fact, I could hardly get up when I sat down, but now, after using one bottle of Mother's Friend, I am so much better. I feel that I almost owe my life to Mother's Friend."

Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says: "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse, and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used Mother's Friend and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor, because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes."

"Mother's Friend" is applied externally to the abdomen, back and hips. It penetrates remarkably, permitting the easier relaxation and distension of muscles, nerves, tissues and ligaments, and their constant easier readjustment during expectancy and at childbirth. Have no more fear or dread, mother! Start using "Mother's Friend" now—the sooner the better.

"Mother's Friend" contains no narcotics or harmful drugs. It is safe. For three generations "Mother's Friend" has relieved expectant mothers of much useless suffering. Mother! you must avoid mere greases and useless substitutes. Begin using "Mother's Friend" today. It is sold at drug stores—everywhere.

FREE BOOKLET ON MOTHERHOOD

Don't let false modesty keep you from this duty to yourself, to your child and to your home. By all means, you should have our valuable illustrated book, sent free. Send for your copy now to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-71, Atlanta, Ga. Get "Mother's Friend" from your druggist today.

NOTICE!

I am making a special request to all who owe me either on open account or any kind of paper, that they arrange to make settlement by April 1st. Where amounts are larger than can be met by that time, make as large payment as possible. Prompt attention to this request will be greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,

W. A. Kemp
CLANTON, ALABAMA

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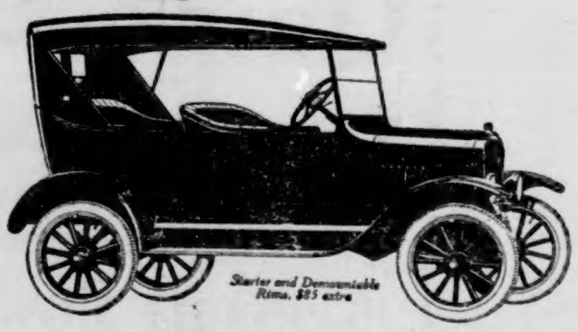

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500 yards of Apron Gingham and Dress Chambray, for Saturday's selling—
— 10 Yds. 89c —

25 dozen good heavy Blue Work Shirts, made up well and cut good full size; for Saturday selling—
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SATURDAY SPECIALS

Special lot of Ladies' and Mens low-cut Shoes; for Saturday selling, all good styles and sizes—
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A group of Men's and Young Men's Sport model Suits, just the suit for spring and summer; for Saturday—
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1,000 yds. of Sheeting, not the best but can be used for good many things in the home. Will limit 10 yds. to a customer—
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Good broad brim field sun Hats for women, men and children; special Saturday—
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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

We are pleased to learn of progress in the matter of a new public schoo building. The County Board of Education at a meeting last Friday appointed a building committee of citizens of Thorsby who will have charge of whatever pertains to the completion of arrangements for the new building. The members of this committee are: C. E. Lucas, chairman, Walter Littlejohn, a member of the Town Council, and Nat Bentley, Moyor of Thorsby. Working plans for the building have not yet reached the committee, but are expected soon. Preliminaries such as title to the land to be used and securing pledges from Thorsby citizens to cover the amount Thorsby must raise, being now assured, the character of the building, and its purposes must be given careful consideration Types of material with reference to durability and cost of upkeep must be studied and wisely selected from among a variety that have been time tested elsewhere and approved by experts in building material. Nothing must be selected because it is cheap in price only but that which will give most service for the money invested, and then have the material used under the personal supervision of some one who is known as a competent builder of such structures. Whenever it is practicable to use local material or labor, the committee or the contractor should give them preference, but never at the expense of the best ultimate results. Inferior material or workmanship is never good enough, though often used, for a public service building and will prove especially so in this case when consolidated schools are fast taking the place of the old type. If our work here is properly done it will attract attention of the surrounding communities to such an extent that they will undoubtedly want to come in, and if the work already done involves a heavy bill of expense for unkeep, it will prove a handicap in making provision for enlargement. It is to be hoped that every one intrusted with responsibility in this undertaking and our citizens generally near and far will visualize the possibilities for improvement in educational facilities for all of the children in an area that extends for beyond our own dooryards.

Quite a large delegation of young people from Thorsby Baptist church attended the B. Y. P. U. convention at Tuscaloosa last week. They report an unusual attendance and a splendid program. The Thorsby delegates were: Misses Lena Franklin, Ruth Martin, Dolly Correll, Martha Martin, Messrs. Gordon Sorrell, Joyce Sorrell, Curtis Billingsley, Horace Franklin, Gresham Lowery.

Mr. D. M. Paxon is reported to be recovering from his serious attack of pneumonia .

Mrs. Capitola Laird and daughter, Margaret of New York City, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Laird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Paxon. They also had with them for the week end Mrs. H. C. Schimel and children, grand daughter and great grand children from East Lake, Birmingham.

Mrs. Harry V. Thompson of Birmingham was a Thorsby visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead have moved into the Harry Thompson house pending the completion of their own house.

A number from Thorsby went to Clanton Thursday of last week where they attended the production of the moving picture entitled, "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Howard entertained Mrs. Edward Howard of Ensley on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Christine Christiansen in Birmingham and Mrs. Villadsen's son, Reno, and his family at Jasper.

For Saturday night, April 5th in Bates Hall, the Ladies Guild of Thorsby have secured the world-famed "Mrs. Jarley" who will present her inimitable collection of Wax Figures. There will be an admission fee of 25c for adults and 15c for children under 12 years of age. The proceeds will be applied to the equipment fund for the new public school building.

Mrs. Charles W. Keyes of Washington, D. C., representing the Radcliffe Chatauqua Association, was in Thorsby a couple of days this week seeking to make arrangements for a three-days Chautauqua assembly in our town during the coming summer. Nothing definite had been done at this writing.

"The Jolly Bachelors Club gained many new members at their public initiation ceremonies at Bates Hall last Saturday night.

April 1st being "All Fools Day" and the time set for the annual picnic of Thorsby Institute, came in with a temperature and wind calling for overcoats and mittens, but clear. So the young people braved the elements and as the day advanced it proved to be ideal for a frolic, thus giving the participants what they had not expected. It is reported that about 80 were present and a very jolly time was had by the young fellows.

At the Congregational Church Sunday night following Christian Endeavor, there will be the monthly praise service. These singing services have come to be an institution in this church greatly enjoyed by large audiences.

Mr. Fred Krahmen, who was 86 years old last Thursday, was given a surprise party by some of his friends who took with them refreshments including a birthday cake. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Howard and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughter, Edith. Mr. Krahman was very much delighted to be thus remembered.

Mrs. C. E. Bice has received notice from the County Board of Education that she has been appointed as a member of Thursby public school faculty for the ensuing school year, on recommendation of the Thorsby local school board.

The Congregational Ladies Aid social will be held Thursday afternoon, April 2rd at the home of Mrs. Carl C. Petersen.

Rev. Joseph E. Each will immediately assume charge of two Congregational churches in adidtion to his duties as pastor of the Thorsby Church, one of them Union Church, located 7 miles east of Mt. Creek and the other at Stony Point near Deatsville. Mr. Each will have use of a Ford, dubbed "Congregational Service Car" furnished to him by the Congregational Home Mission Society.

Many Thorsby people will refember Miss Ida Lockwood, at one time office stenographer and business department manager at Thorsby Institute. She is now a full fledged Congregational minister and April 1st assumes charge of a group of churches in north-west Florida.

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THORSBY, ALABAMA

AROUND CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Lee from near Birmingham are now residents of South Calera. They have bought the store of Mr. W. J. Clark and will be in business there in the future.

Miss Nan Rogers returned home from Zula, Mississippi where she has been spending the winter.

Miss Mexa Tate spent Monday with Miss Audie Broadhead and Miss Gladys Campbelle.

Mrs. Sarah Crim is in Birmingham at the Fraternal Hospital.

Mrs. Horace Busby from Pelham was in South Calera Monday for a short while.

Miss U. V. Busby spent Sunday at Mrs. W. N. Jones' as the guest of Miss Lutie Jones.

Mr. R. L. Crim spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim.

Mrs. George Haywood and children of Ensley were visitors to Mrs. Ann Haywood of South Calera Sunday and Monday, returning to Birmingham Monday night.

Mrs. G. S. Tate and Miss Mexa Tate were the guests of Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen in Calera Sunday, where they attended the singing at the Nazerene church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Johnson from Rome, Ga. spent Monday night at Mr. G. S. Tates.

Miss Lois Busby was home for the week-end from Calera.

We are glad to say that Miss Audie Broadhead and Miss Gladys Campbelle are able to be up again after having a case of measles.

Mr. R. L. Crim went to Collins Chapel Sunday afternoon where he will be engaged in some work there for several weeks.

Mr. Raymond Clark went to Helena Monday.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on April 21st, 22nd and 23rd. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county, or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education, if living in some other county, to be transferred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for Second who has not finished at least two years of High school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for First who has not had the euqivalent of a full High school course.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in Third's to take for Second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m.; those taking for First and submitting valid Seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

SOLDIER—WILLIE BRATTON

Mr. Willie Bratton, a young man of Union Grove, has returned home after serving a year and some few days in the army. Willie had a great many friends and loved ones in his home community to grieve over his absence and they are now very proud that he has come back home to stay. Willie is loved by all who know him and is a friend to every one and has a kind word for all he meets. We are glad to see him back.

NON-JURY TERM COURT

The non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County convenes at the Court House in Clanton on Monday, April 21. Monday will be devoted to civil cases and Tuesday to criminal cases.

TACKY PARTY AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. W. A. REYNOLDS

Circle Nos. 1 and 5 of the Methodist Church will entertain at a Tacky Party Friday night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds. Everybody cordially invited to come. Admission 10c and 20c. Those who do not want to dress tacky will be charged 25c. A prize will be given for the tackiest one. Refreshments will be free.

POST MASTERS' NIGHT AT THORSBY LODGE A.F & A.M.

The next regular meeting of Thorsby Lodge No. 759, A. F. & A. M., on April 11th will be known as Post Masters' Night. The Post Masters of this Lodge will have charge. All Masons are invited to be present as this is expected to be a very interesting meeting.

UNION GROVE

Everybody is busy farming this beautiful weather.

Our Sunday School is fine. There was a large crowd out Sunday, which was the time to elect new officers and teachers for another quarter. The following officers and tecahers were elected: Supt., G. L. Glasscock; Asst. Supt., R. S. Chandler; Secretary, Miss Florence Cofer; Teachers, Bible Class R. S. Chandler; Class No. 1,, boys' Class, T. J. Dorminey; Class No. 2, girls' class Miss Edna Robinson; Class No. 3, Mrs. T. W. Davis; Class No. 4, Mrs. Pearl Glasscock; Class No. 5, Mrs. T. D. Hall.

We hope our Sunday School will continue to grow.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis spent Sunday with Mrs. Nealie Jones.

Misses Lula Cofer, Delene Collum, Pearl and Beadie Chandler spent Sunday with Miss Edna Robinson.

Miss Lessie Vinzant of Siluria is spending this week with relatives and friends of this place.

Misses Rebecca Domriney and Amy Robinson spent Sunday with Miss Florence Cofer.

Miss Iris Robinson returned home Monday from a week's visit with relatives and friends in Siluria.

Miss Euna Davis spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Brasher.

HELP-YOURSELF DINNER

Circl No. 1 of the Baptist W. M. S. will serve a "Help-Yourself Dinner" at the Baptist church Friday, April 4th, 12:00 to 1:30. Everybody invited to come take dinner.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST—Leather pocket book containing 12 $20 bills, 2 $5 bills and 1 or 2 $1 bills and a little small change together with some receipts written to J. F. Poole, left in City Bakery in Clanton Tuesday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Liberal reward for return to owner, J. F. Poole, Clanton Ala., Route 3. 1tc

If you want bargains, come to McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

ASK prices Nitrate Soda, Calcium Arsenate, Potash, Kainit, Phosphate, Hay, Hulls, Meal, Bagging, Ties; Quote Peas,, Cottonseed.—Cantelou Brothers, Brokers, Montgomery, Alabama. 3-2t-c

FOR SALE—1 dresser, bedstead, springs, refrigerator, and a few other items; also Remington No. 10 typewriter.—Call at 403 6th St., Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

POSITION WANTED—Middle aged lady wants position as housekeeper. Will become permanent housekeeper at suitable place. Apply to Mrs. M. J. McDaniel, Mt. Creek, Ala., General Delivery. 1t-c

WANTED—Industrious man desiring to make $40-$70 or more weekly, selling Whitmer's big line of guaranteed Extracts, Toilet Articles, Home Remedies, ect. in Chilton County. Car or team needed. We teach you. Goods furnished on credit. Pleasant, healthful work. Big profits. Mr. Milton Denton, Warren County, Kentucky, made $98.00 one week recently. You can too. Write today.—The H. C. Whitmer Company, Columbus, Indiana. 4-3-3t-p

WANTED—Position with family as housekeeper or matron. Several years experience.—Mrs. M. J. McDaniel, Mt. Creek, Ala. 1t-c.

GRIST MILL FOR SALE—I have a Grist Mill and outfit, also house and lot, which I will sell. Would sell mill alone if wanted. House is in center of town, could be used as shoe shop or chicken house in connection with mill. Just behind Union-Banner office. T. G. TAYLOR. tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Lady for light house work; no cooking to do. Apply Clanton Cafe, Clanton, Ala.

WANTED AT ONCE—good 2-horse cropper either on halves or on third and fourth; to tend 40 acres of land, part already broken. H. B. Glenn, two miles south of Clanton on Route No. 6. 3-20-3t-pd

FOR SALE—Pure bred Barred Rock eggs, Thompson strains, $1.50 per setting of 15.—J. D. Harrell, Montevallo, Ala., Rt. 2. 3-13-4t-p.

100 YOUNG White Leghorn Hens for sale at $1.20 each.—D. T. Reed Plantersville, Ala., Box 76. 3-6-5td

THEY KEEP COMING IN

Science the paper was published last week we have been accorded a nice list of subscribers to The Union-Banner, and we wish to express our thanks to each one who has given us their names and subscriptions to our paper. This is a mighty dull season of the year, but the people have to read the news of Chilton County, hence the following subscriptions the past week:

Manly Atchison, Sylacauga.
W. J. Easterling, Clanton, R. 1
W. S. Clark, Mt. Creek.
T. J. Gulledge, Mt. Creek.
J. A. Jones, Verbena, R. 2.
W. R. Scott. Jemison, R. 3.
G. W. Hodgens, Jemison, R. 1.
Ervin Short, Maplesville, R. 2.
L. M. Brantley, Randolph, R. 1.
Houston Rogers, Jemison,
W. C. B. Wyatt, Clanton, R. 1.
G. P. Wilson, Jemison, R. 3.
Mrs. H. L. Moates, Dadeville,
W. L. Knight, Clanton, R. 6.
J. R. Rucker, Maplesville, R. 2.
J. F. Anderson, Pletcher.
J. M. Hayes, Montevallo, R. 2.
Wallace G. Gray, Birmingham.
R. N. Connell, Clanton, R. 5.
W. M. Wyatt, Cooper.
J. P. Rushing, Verbena, R. 1.
W. E. Jacks, Clanton.
J. C. Burks, Rockford,R. 2.
Wm. R. Baker, Clanton, R. 7.
Felix Eiland, Sylacauga.
C. B. Martin, Calera, R. 1.
E. A. Baltzer, Akron Ohio.
J. N. Glass, Jemison, R. 3.
W. A. Johnson, Plantersville.
H. G. Dennis, Maplesville.
C. C. Cobern, Maplesville.
J. R. Taylor, Mt. Creek.
N. M. Moore, Lawley, R. 1.
Walter Rollan, Clanton R 3.
Rev. C. T. Morton, Jemison.
Mrs. Ed Giles, Clanton R 2.
R. N. Wilkins, Billingsley R 1.
W. R. Dawson, Jemison R 1.

NOTICE TO THOSE THROWING TRASH IN PUBLIC ROADS

I wish to ask those of my district who have been plowing terraces out in the roads, to please refrain from doing this any more, as it will cause the roads to wash out in holes when it comes a big rain. I have noticed places where people have thrown large chunks in the ditches along the roads, which stops up the ditches and causes the water to overflow the roads washing out gullies. I wish to ask the people to be more careful about this matter also. Let's all work together to the end that we may have better roads.

Billingsley, Route 1.
R. N. WILKINS.

OAK GROVE

Health of this place is good at present and everyone is enjoying the beautiful weather.

We are glad to see Miss Rosa Lee Martin out again after a treatment in Birmingham.

Our Sunday School is doing fine with a large attendance. We elected new officers and teachers Sunday: Supt., Mr. Oscar Cobb; Secy., Miss Jessie Cobb; Teachers—Class No. 1, Mr. G. P. Wilson; Class No. 2, Mrs. W. J. Northcutt; Class No. 3, Mrs. C. L. Martin; Class No. 4, Miss Ollie Glass; Class No. 5, Miss Lesta Cobb; Class No. 6, Miss Myrtle Martin; Class No. 7, Mrs. Lesta Northcutt.

Our B. Y. P. U. is also doing fine. Mrs. C. L. Martin had charge of the program.

The B. Y. P. U. social at the home of Mr. Thornsboro Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd. Miss Ivy Sutley and Mr. William Satterwhite won the tacky prize. Mr. Thornsbro got the prize for being the ugliest man. Several games were enjoyed, after which different kinds of cake were served. Everyone seemed to have a nice time.

Quite a crowd from here attended the singing at Center Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mr C. L. Martin of Wylam spent Sunday night with home folks.

Mrs. Lizzie Martin and family spent last week visiting relatives at Lock 12.

Messrs. A. W. and W. A. Glass motored to Maplesville Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Durbin and daughter, Agnes of Gadsden spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Satterwhite and family and Mr. L. R. Cobb motored down to New Salem Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Martin dined with Miss Jessie Cobb Sunday.

Miss Leta Mae Lowery dined with Miss Lest Cobb Sunday.

Misses Lola Mae Martin and Flossie Cobb dined with Miss Ollie Glass Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cobb spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Little.

Miss Rosa Lee Martin spent Sunday with Miss Ola Glass

Mrs. C. L. Martin dined with Mrs. Jim Cobb Sunday.

Everybody remember the all-day singing the third Sunday in April, and in the afternoon the first Sunday.

Dr. G. Nash of Chicago, secretary of the Congegational Foundation for Education, was a visitor at Thorsby Institute last Friday.

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COLLINS CHAPEL

Health of this community seems to be very good at present.

Everybody is busy carrying on their work for this season.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely. Everybody seems to enjoy this sweet spring weather.

Miss Lottie Mae Robinson was the guest of Miss Estell Benson Saturday night.

Miss Lottie Mae Hays spent Saturday night with Mrs. Estell Martin.

Misses Detel and Demie Pate spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ida Mims.

Miss Lottie Mae Hayes spent Sunday with Miss Eloise Benson.

Misses Hazel Littleton, Roma Lee Pate, Juanita Each, Cuba Littleton, Euell Pate, Mr. Lesta Pate, and Buster Each were the guests of Misses Era and Vera Cleckler Sunday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Vollie Littleton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Comie Collins.

Misses Ruby and Lucille Pate spent Saturday night with Misses Cuba and Hazel Littleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate of Thorsby spent Sunday p.m. with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Cleckler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roper.

Remember we have preaching services at this place every 3rd Saturday and Sunday.

Our United Singing Society meets every 3rd Sunday at 2 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and be with us.

THANKS FOR USE OF COURT HOUSE

Editor Union-Banner:

Allow me the privilege of expressing through the columns of your good paper to all who were responsible for tendering to us the use of the court house for worship during the construction of our church, our sincere appreciation. It has met our every need and enabled us to carry on our work unhindered.

C. C. WILKERSON,
Preacher in Charge.

CENTER HILL NEWS

Last Sunday was a great day at Center Hill, it being an all day singing in the Christian Harmony.

The service was opened by Mr. J. E. Cobb, followed by other direcotrs.

Then a lecture on Sacred song by Rev. George of Coopers. The lecture was really good and interesting,—one of the best, enjoyed by the people very much, and will long be remembered.

At noon the singers were abundantly provided for, as Center Hill always does. The writer and Mr. H. B. Glenn were nicely entertained by Mr. B. L. Cobb and his accomplished family in their hospitable home.

The singing was sweet and spirited. Directed by J. E. Cobb, J. H. Martin, J. N. Scott, H. H. Armstrong, C. W. Scott, J. D. Hodgens, Archie Glass, Mr. Castleberry, W. R. Scott.

The day was lovely, the crowd was large; a beautiful spirit prevailed. A day enjoyed by old and young.

Among the visitors we noted T. J. Hubbard, Archie Glass and Brother George, Y. O. Freeman, C. W. Scott, W. J. Northcutt, E. H. Foshee, D. L. Langston, H. B. Glenn.

Mr. Glenn, altho a candidate, was not canvassing; altho a stranger, he made a good impression.

We note with interest the candidacy of Mrs. Lois Sims of Jemison. She is accomplished and worthy. No disloyalty was ever found in the family of T. J. Hubbard, (father of Mrs. Sims). Among all the other efficient candidates for treasurer Mrs. Sims in loyalty, efficiency and worthiness is not surpassed. She, like all the other true aspirants for the suffrages of the people, will ever be appreciative of the people's support.

Long live The Union-Banner; long live Center Hill, and the Sunday singings.

Mr. J. C. Burke, good old Coosa County Republican from Rockford, Route 2, was in Clanton Monday. While here he took a year's subscription to The Union-Banner.

NEW SALEM NEWS

Our Fifth Sunday meeting was fine. A nice dinner was served and everybody reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Patterson spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burnett.

Mrs. Myrtle Parker and children spent the day with Mrs. E. L. Sunberg Sunday.

Mr. Johnnie Burnett, who has had the mumps, is up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Patterson spent the day with Mrs. Elijah Burnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clary Burnett, Mrs. Rose Foshee, Mr. Jack Parker, and Mr. Otto Burnett spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. George Headley Sunday night.

Mr. Jasper Oaks took supper with Mr. and Mrs. William Martin Sunday night.

Mrs. Johnnie Jones, who has been sick for some time, was able to be with us at church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burnett spent a while Sunday night with Mrs. Myrtle Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith spent a whilt with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Robinson Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Thacker and Miss Pearl spent Sunday with Mrs. Dora Bates.

Mrs. Jadie Bean's baby is on the sick list this week.

MISSION DAY IN CLANTON SUNDAY SCHOOL APRIL 6

"Our Best For Christ"

Opening Exercises as usual, 9:45 a.m.

Lesson Period: "Christianity, the Universal Religion," 10 a.m.

Classes reassemble for special program, 10:50 a.m.

1. Song by congregation, "Jesus is All the World to Me."
2. Asst. Superintendent's statement, giving the nature and purpose of the special day. Prayer.
3. Exercises by Beginners and Primaries: "Our Best—LOVE."
4. Song, "Jesus Loves the Little Special—Parents come. Children of the World."
5. Presentation of offering from Beginners and Primaries.
6. Exercises by Juniors: "Our Best—SERVICE."
7. Song, "Give of Your Best to the Master."
8. Presentation of offering from Juniors.
9. Exercises by Intermediates: "Our Best—SELF."
10. Song, "Loyalty to Christ."
11. Presentation of offering from Intermediates.
12. Address by representative of Young People's and Adult Division: "Our Best—GIFTS."
13. Presentation of offering from Young People's and Adult Classes.
14. Closing word by Superintendent, and special offering.
15. Song, "I Gave My Life for Thee."
16. Message from pastor, and benediction.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Pardon Board and the Governor of the State of Alabama for the pardon or parole of Amos Glass who was heretofore convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 6th day of April, 1923, for the offense of manufacturing liquor, to the penitentiary for one year to thirteen months.

4-3-2t-c. AMOS GLASS.

JACKSON'S CHAPEL

Health of this community is very good at present. Farmers are busy preparing their crops with the coming of spring and the beautiful weather.

Our school closed Wednesday, March 26th. A good program was rendered by the children, and the co-operation of the teachers was evidenced in the interest and enthusiasm in the performances of their last day in school.

We are sure every one appreciates the efforts set forth in our school, and we thank the teachers for having done their best, which we believe they did.

We are mighty glad to know that we have Prof. Moore for our principal another term.

We are truly glad to have Miss Jessie Jackson, who has for some time held a position in Memphis, Tenn., with us again.

Several from here attended the singing at Bethel Sunday and reported a nice time.

WILL MOVE NEAR CLANTON

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vines, who have been living in Pascagoula, Miss., for the past three years, have purchased the old Joe Cox place a mile south-east of town and will move there in about a month. Mr. Vines has been in Pascagoula attending the army vocational school. He intends to make a crop on his place this year.

COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

The Alabama Commission of Forestry estimates that the non-agricultural portions of the cut-over pine lands of Alabama easily may be utilized to produce new timber values at the rate of from two to four dollars per acre each year. This increasing wealth upon lands which would othrewise lie idle and unproductive finally culmnates in valuable crops of trees suitable for sawlogs, ties, piling or mine timbers which can readily be sold for cash. One of the most attractive features regarding this use of so-called waste lands is that in the great majority of cases it requires no additional investment on the part of the owner, and involves practically no cost of operation beyond merely keeping fire away from the land in order that the young timber may grow as nature intended.

Spreading All Over Country

Noted scientist states that a new species of roach is spreading all over this country. They carry germs and spread disease on everything they touch. Stop this menace to health now. Get Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder today, for health's sake! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

You won't know what bargains are unless you come to McDonald Mercantile Company, Clanton, Ala.

SARDIS NOTES

Health of this place is very good at present.

There was a very large crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning and we had a good Sunday school, and everybody seemed to enjoy it fine.

Come on boys and girls, women and men, let us make our Sunday school one of the best ones ever known at Sardis this year.

There are enough people that we could have a B. Y. P. U., or Bible reading every Sunday afternoon, but nobody will make an effort—one waits for the other and that's why our church is not doing any better.

So boys and girls, let us see if we can't do better and build up our church.

There was a fruit supper at Mr. John Sexton's last Saturday night. It was enjoyed by a large crowd and everybody seemed to enjoy their supper especially.

Mrs. Jessie Blass from Selma was visiting here Sunday.

Miss Beulah Chambers and Mr. Ellie Mitchell motored out to Antioch Sunday afternoon.

Misses Era and Ulma Klinner, Miss Anthel Ratliff and Misses Minnie and Lennie Headley dined with Miss Eva Klinner Sunday.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

The health of this place is very good at present.

Come on young folks and let's make our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. the very best. Let's all go next Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Smitherman and children spent last Saturday night with Mrs. Mollie Green.

Miss Lizzie Green is some better now. We hope she will soon be up. She has been in bed eleven weeks.

Miss Delene Littlejohn gave a party Saturday night. Everybody present had a grand time.

Mr. Heath Lawley and Mr. Ira Hambrick from Lawley visited this place Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green and son, Haskell Green, and Mrs. Kate Stanford motored to the Hardshell church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mollie Green and son, daughter and Mrs. Ammer Green motored to the Hardshell church Sunday afternoon.

Miss Fairece Green and Miss Earlene Hall spent Sunday night with Miss Delene Littlejohn.

Mr. W. R. K. Stanford and son and daughter, Brant and Mildred, motored to Pine Flat Sunday.

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CRIMINAL DOCKET DISPOSED OF IN CIRCUIT COURT HERE

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tery; jury and verdict not guilty.

Leonard Easterling and Lonnie Robinson, disturbing public worship; jury and verdict not guilty.

Esco Smith, manufacturing liquor; jury and verdict guilty, sentence to be set by Judge.

Vert Smith and Seaborn Ratliff, violating prohibition law; jury and verdict not guilty .

On Jury This Week.

Following is a list of those serving on the Petit Jury this week:

No.	Name	Beat
1.	Jesse A. Davis	10
2.	N. G. Carroll	10
3.	Martin F. Giles	11
4.	R. M. Davis	7
5.	Ocie L. Devaughn	10
6.	James P. Barrett	9
7.	R. Woody Ward	4
8.	Robert M. Smith	9
9.	Joe E. Lett	5
10.	Arthur Chandler	6
11.	J. Pate Parrish	4
12.	John Baker, Jr.	4
13.	Columbus A. Dobbs	6
14.	J. Paul Rushing	10
15.	Benj. C. Gibson	9
16.	Tom Billingsley	6
17.	Robert W. Heflin	11
18.	Floyd J. Littlejohn	7
19.	Geo. L. Moore	4
20.	Forest Williams	2
21.	John G. Billingsley	9
22.	James M. Miskelley	9
23.	C. D. Messer, Jr.	4
24.	Felix Eiland	9
25.	Hosea F. Downs	4
26.	Walter W. Robinson	12
27.	Lee Robinson	5
28.	Jeo. Trotter	1
29.	Wade H. Friday	8
30.	Phil. H. Mitchell	5
31.	Walter D. Taylor	10
32.	Walter H. Foshee, Jr.	4
33.	Will Moore	7
34.	Will A. Johnson	8
35.	Fleetwood Rasberry	14
36.	Raymond L. Duffey	5
37.	Tom W. Wilson	10
38.	Tom P. Parrish	4
39.	Baldwin B. Scott	5
40.	W. Asberry Blalock	4
41.	Jim M. Grant	4
42.	Eli. I. Motes	4
43.	J. Marion Gray	6
44.	Ben H. Duke	4

HOSPITAL NOTES

Rev. W. W. Robinson was discharged from the hospital Tuesday.

Rev. P. G. Carter, who was operated on for appendicitis Wednesday, is doing well and enjoying visits by his old Clanton friends.

Miss Emma Thomas was operated on Wednesday for appendicitis.

Mrs. Geo. D. Miller, nee Vera Mae Pinson, of Coopers, is the happy mother of twins, Hugh and Hulett, who arrived Saturday.

Mr. Guy Higgins, who is in the hospital is improving.

Mrs. Willie Baker, who was operated on last week for appendicitis, went home Wednesday.

Mrs. Jno. M. Bridges and daughter left the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. White was in for a local operation last week.

DAUGHERTY RESIGNS AS ATTORNEY GENERAL U.S.A.

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confidence on the part of my friends and the respect of the thinking, patriotic, self-respecting American people. Of all this, I feel confidently assured."

Compliments Coolidge

Daugherty's statement was notable for its numerous complimentary allusions to Coolidge. These followed an intimation earlier in the day that he would support the President for the republican nomination, if successful in its candidacy for delegate-at-large from Ohio, and tended to dispel suggestions that the former justice chief might turn against Coolidge in the latter's candidacy.

"I took a difficult position with the President as a matter of duty and a desire to help him most in the long run," Daugherty said, and declared, "We should all pull together to help the President."

"He is honest," Daugherty said, "and is trying to put through a program that means much to the American people.

"To give up a place in the cabinet was not of a second's disappointment to me," the statement said. "As to the method employed against me, the rougher the work, the greater the benefit to the country as an object lesson.

"I happen to be in a position where I could stand it better than some others. I hope it stops with me. The President's cabinet deserves support from Congress and the country. He needs them and they are deserving of confidence, respect and gratitude.

Complete Story To Wait

"The complete story of this thing will wait," Daugherty continued. "The carrying out of a program agreed upon and known to be helpful to the country, will not wait too long.

"No one need waste any time worrying about the ex-Attorney General. He will take care of himself until reason is restored and time and truth fully vindicate him, as they surely will.

"Nobody's feelings are much hurt; if they are hurt at all, it doesn't amount to anything.

"Now is the time for cool heads, considerate counsel and help by all."

Daugherty said he would return to Washington Monday afternoon.

Beck Acting Atty. General

Solicitor General James M. Beck is acting as Attorney General until a permanent appontment is made. Among those likely to succeed Daugherty are mentioned Chief Justice Arthur P. Rugg, of the Massachusetts supreme judicial court; Harlan F. Stone, dean of the Columbia University School of Law; Gov. Alexander J. Groesbeck, of Michigan; William S. Kenyon, former senator from Iowa and now judge of the Federal circuit court of appeals, Eighth district, and Secretary of State Hughes.

The President has given no consideration as yet to any particular person, but has decided that the man he selects as Attorney General must have a knowledge of law and must possess administrative capacity.

R. N. Wilkins of Billingsley was in Clanton Tuesday.

PRESIDENT'S FATHER HAS 79TH BIRTHDAY

Plymouth, Vt., March 31.—John C. Coolidge, futher of President Coolidge, observed his seventy-ninth birthday anniversary quietly at his home here today. Hale and straight in spite of his years and with few grey hairs, he gave as his advice to those who desire longevity, 'no worry, hard work."

There was no celebration at the white farm house where last August Calvin Coolidge was sworn in by his father as President of the United States.

He passed most of the forenoon in a neighbor's sugar lot, where he was persuaded to pose for camera men. In the afternoon he was called to a little general store across the road from his home to answer many long distance telephone messages of congratulations. Scores of letters arrived by the one mail of the day, and reading these occupied the rest of the daylight hours.

One letter was from President Coolidge and there was also a card from Mrs. Coolidge. The President's father said the letter from his son was "too personal" to make public. Among other things, President Coolidge asked his father not to work too hard and urged him to visit the White House as soon as possible.

On last Sunday morning occured the marriage of Mr. W. M. Miller to Miss Velma Muir. Mr. A. B. Baxley performed the ceremony at his home near Samaria. Mr. Miller is from Chelsea, Ala. and Miss Muir is from near Samaria.

THE BIRTH OF A NATION BIG SUCCESS IN CLANTON

"The Birth of a Nation" was shown six times in Clanton the last three days of last week, and it is reported that a good crowd attended every performance. The picture was shown at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton under the auspices of the Ku Klux Klan, and those in charge say that the picture payed for itself with a nice margin besides. "The Birth of a Nation" is a great picture and we are indeed glad that the people of Clanton and Chilton Ciunty were given the opportunity of seeing it.

UNITED FARMERS MEETING

A new ruling in the organization will be explained at the court house Saturday, April 5 at 2:00 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to attend this meeting, whether you have paid your dues or not.

A. B. BAXLEY.

Mr. N. M. Moore of Lawley Route 1 was in Clanton Tuesday on business. While here he subscribed for The Banner. We thank you, Mr. Moore.

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CIRCUIT COURT CLOSED LAST FRIDAY EVENING

Criminal Cases Disposed of and This Term of Court Comes to Close.

Following are the cases disposed of in circuit court of Chilton county from Wednesday morning to Friday evening of last week, when the criminal docket was finished:

Mark Henley, mfg. liquor and possession of still; convicted and sentenced to pententiary; appealed.

Jim Aldridge, mfg. liquor and possession of still; convicted and sentenced to penitentiary; appealed.

B. Igo, mfg. liquor; forfeiture, and continued.

D. H. Wolfe, violating prohibition law; pleads guilty and fined $50.

Steve Dutton, mfg. liquor; continued.

Harley Smith, mfg. liquor; continued.

Geo. W. Hudgens, mfg. liquor; continued.

Millard Ratliff, mfg. liquor; convicted and sentenced to penitentiary; appealed.

Robert Harris, murder, 2nd degree; forfeiture on bond, and continued.

Lum Roseberry, mfg. liquor; found guilty and sentenced to penitentiary; appealed.

Pink Devaughn and Hubert Devaughn, trespass after warning; not guilty.

Carl Peavy, violation of prohibition law; fined $50.

Walter Campbell, carrying concealed weapon; nol prossed.

Walter Campbell, public drunkness nol prossed.

Walter Campbell, violation of prohibition law; pleads guilty and fined $50.00.

Jess Spigner, grand larceny; pleads guilty and sentenced to penitentiary.

Will McNeal, grand larceny; found guilty and sentenced to penitentiary.

Jim Armstrong, carnal knowledge; not guilty.

BENNETT EASTERLING DEAD

On Tuesday night of last week about 10:20 o'clock occurred the death of Mr. Bennett Easterling of Refuge community. Mr. Easterling was 69 years of age and was the father of sixteen children, three of which are dead. The living children are: Pate, Newett, Henry, Johnnie, Mary, wife of Charley Baker, Martha Jane, wife of Calvin Gentry, and five small children at home. The deceased was the father of Tom Easterling who died during the flu epidemic four or five years ago. Mr. Easterling had been married twice. Bennett Easterling was a brother to Bud Easterling and a half brother to Lewis, Charley, Andrew and Dave.

Mr. Easterling was a Christian man, having been a member of Walnut Creek Methodist Church for on to forty years. The remains were buried at Walnut Creek cemetery Wednesday afternoon in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives. Rev. G. B. Golden, pastor at Walnut Creek, preached the funeral.

Mr. Easterling was very highly respected in the Refuge and Walnut communities, and his demise will leave a vacant place in the hearts of hundreds of friends as well as in his church and his home. Our sympathy is with his bereaved relatives.

CLANTON LADY DIED LAST SUNDAY EVENING

On last Sunday evening at 5:40 o'clock occurred the death of Miss Emma Thomas, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Central Alabama Hospital by Dr. Benedict Wednesday morning of last week. The cause of her death is attributed to the fact that the operation was delayed too long.

Miss Thomas was the daughter of E. W. Thomas who died in Kellyton about 13 years ago. Her mother died here a little over three years ago. She leaves the following sisters: Mrs. W. D. Spigener of Clanton, Mrs. Mabel Levie of Sylacauga, Mrs. Annie Goodgame of South Pittsburg, Tenn., and Miss Bessie Thomas who is teaching in Andalusia. The brothers are: Max Thomas of Texas, S. J. Thomas of Kellyton, Frank W. Thomas of Talladega, and Curry D. Thomas of Clanton. All the brothers and sisters were present at the funeral except the sister in Tennessee and the brother in Texas.

Funeral services were held at the home of W. D. Spigener Monday at 3:30, Rev. Wilkerson conducting the services, assisted by Rev. Ezell. The remains were buried in the Clanton cemetery.

ANOTHER ASPIRES FOR MEMBER OF CO. BOARD

Added to the list of candidates for member of the County Board of Education to take the place of Mr. Dykes, we are carrying this week the name of Mr. W. B. Green of Lawley, Route 2. Mr. Green is a farmer and is quite well known in the south-western part of the county. He has been engaged in the mercantile business, has been a saw mill man has been a cattle trader.

Mr. Green has always lived in this county with the exception of 7 years which he spent in Bibb prior to 1907. He is the son of W. B. Green, former county commissioner, who served during the administration of S. M. Adams as probate Judge. It will be interesting to note that the aspirant for the above office is a descendant of General Nathaniel Green of Revolutionary fame.

About twenty years ago, while Mr. Green was in Bibb County he ran on the Republican ticket for county commissioner from that county. Mr. Green made a very encouraging race in this campaign and, although defeated, he was very commendingly spoken of even by his opponents.

ROBERT JONES CAUGHT WITH WHISKEY SATURDAY

Saturday afternoon about 2:00 o'clock, Sheriff Littlejohn, assisted by Deputy Foshee and Federal Officer J. L. Gore, caught Robert Jones with about three pints of whiskey. Jones was caught at the home of his mother, Mrs. Margett Jones, about two miles north-east of town on J. M. Wyatt's place.

The officers got to the house soon after Robert had gotten there. As Sheriff Littlejohn entered the house, Foshee went to the back door and Gore went around to the side of the house. Jones, running out of the house with the whiskey in a glass jug in his hand, ran right into Foshee, who took charge of him and the whiskey.

Young Jones was brought to jail in Clanton, after which he made bond and was released.

HOW HAWKS, OWLS, ETC. ARE CAUGHT IN TRAPS

A few weeks ago we published a news item in The Union-Banner telling about Mr. Daniel Wyatt of Route 1 catching hawks and owls in steel traps. Since that time we as well as Mr. Wyatt have received inquiries as to the exact method used in catching the fowls. Uncle Daniel received one communication from a man up in Virginia wanting to know the method, and another one was received from Buffalo, Ala. We have found out the method used, which we publish below:

First you cut a hole the size of your arm about eight or ten feet long, cutting one end square and sharpening the other. On the square end you tack a board about 4 by 5 inches in each corner of which is driven a nail or staple left sticking up an inch or two. The steel trap is set and placed on the plank on top of the pole, the staples or nails being used to keep the trap from sliding off the plank. The trap is not fastened to the pole except by a long wire or small chain, so that when the fowls are caught they cannot fly off with the trap. The poll should then be taken and stuck up in the ground in a low place where the ground is covered with grass or mud and water and where there are no trees or large shrubbery. It is the nature of hawks and owls to alight on stobs or polls sticking up, so when they alight on the traps they are caught.

Up to the present time Uncle Daniel has caught 16 hawks, 17 owls and one yellow hammer. This seems to be about the best method yet out for getting rid of hawks and owls, since these fowls are so shy that one can't do much killing them with a gun.

CONVENTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS OF ALA.

The general convention committee, with John W. Durr as chairman, is planning to make the forty-first annual convention of the State Sunday school workers, to be held in Montgomery, April 21-23, 1924, the best entertained convention in the history of the State.

Dr. Durr has appointed the following chairmen for sub-committees:

Dr. W. D. Agney, chairman program committee; Rev. O. P. Spiegel, badges and banner; Judge Wm. H. Samford, banquet; Mr. W. L. Sprouse, information check room and pages; F. G. Salter, churches, halls and publishers exhibits; W. F. Black, entertainment; W. A. Bellingrath, finances; Haygood Paterson, decorations; Prof. C. Guy Smith, pagent and music; Prof. T. C. Calloway, official pianist; Sidney H. Blan, press and publicity; Hon. A. G. Patterson, railroad rates; Hugh Foster, recreational, Tom Edwards, automobile; Henry W. Parrish, ushers; Judge Walter B. Jones, registration; Claude Hendrix, reception and public comfort.

The above chairmen have selected their committee and are on the job to take care of every detail of the great convention, which will include a great pagent, entitled "The Commonwealth of God," in which about three hundred people will participate.

The music and pagentry will be under the leadership of Prof. C. Guy Smith, the noted music teacher of Montgomery and Prof. T. C. Calloway will preside as official pianist.

The world renowned leader of music and pagentry, Prof. H. Augustine Smith of the Boston University will direct the pagent.

The delegates who are fortunate enough to attend the convention will be thrilled with this magnificent pagent.

Montgomery will entertain delegates for bed and breakfast without charge. All railroads will give reduced rates.

WILL HAYES HURT

Mr. Will Hayes, who was working on thhe lumber yards in Clanton was slightly hurt last Thursday about noon when a freight car which was being switched on the yard struck him. His head was bruised up in a couple of places and he sustained a slight injury on his chest. He was confined to his home for a few days, but we learn that he has already gone back to work on his job.

SATURDAY LAST DAY TO ANNOUNCE FOR CO. OFFICES

The oil investigators in the U. S. Senate have about run out of anything to investigate. In the Teapot Dome the Democrats hoped to make a scare-crow with which to oust the Republican party from Washington, but they have done this like the Democrats generally do such things—they have run it in the ground and broke it off. The "scandal" has not had the desired effect since the people of the country are wise as to the motives behind the "investigations."

Mr. J. M. Williams and charming daughter, Miss Ruth, from New Harmony community were in to see us Tuesday. They brought us a year's subscription and a news letter from their community.

SELMA AND CHILTON HIGH BATTLE 13 INNINGS TO TIE

Scores by innings:

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Clanton	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	5	3
Selma	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	2

Batteries: Selma, Wilson and Mallory; Clanton, Mullins, Burnett and Thompson.

With one thrill piled on top of another, tenseness carried thru from the first inning until the last, the baseball season was officially opened on Saturday afternoon with Selma High School entertaining Chilton County High in a battle that went 13 innings to end in a 4-4 tie.

The crowd Was disapointing, but not one in the crowd was disapointed. Both teams played in mid-season form and had very few bobbles chalked up against them. Only one of these counted in the scoring, that in the eighth inning when Hooper let a roller get away from him in center field, allowing Clanton to chall up the third of the three runs tally. This run together with one made in the ninth that tied the issue enabled the visitors to stay in the running.

Selma Scares First

Selma boys scored first in the initial frame. Hooper and Mallory scratched hits to make the runway Woods got a life when he beat a throw to first, but Lester was out on an infield fly, when Hayes at short took his sky seeker. Holiday whifed at three fast ones and sought bench.

With but one down and two on the paths McKenzie came thru with a screaming single to left that scored Hooper and Mallory. Billie made second the throw in but died on the paths when Austin sent an infield fly to Wyatt.

Selma increased their lead in the seventh, chalking up two more on the right side of the ledger, Hooper again starting the fracas on a single to right. He advanced to second when Wyatt was slow taking care of Mallory's grounder and went to third on Wood's bingle. Lester furnished the punch that sent the runs over the platter, a sweet hit to center that had a thru ticket, and Holiday ended the innings when he took three.

Clanton Comes Back

Naturally the Selma boys were jubilant over their 4-0 lead. Possibly this was partially responsible for their downfall, because, in the next inning, even tho the game seemed to be on ice, Littlejohn started operations after B. Burnett had died at first Littlejohn took second when wilson cut loose with a wild pitch and thumped Curlee on the south side and Thompson, who played a good game all the way, connected for the long swat to center that got away from Hooper. When the dust had settled it was realized that three runs had come over the platter. Jones skied one to McKenzie and Wyatt went the way of all flesh when Mallory took care of his foul.

Ruffin got the run that tied the tally in the first of the ninth, a Texas leaguer to center giving him a life. He went down to second on J. Burnett's out, Lester to woods and scored on a slow roller that Wilson coulden't retrieve in time to get to the plate.

From then on, it was anybody's edge. In practically all of the over time frames Selma got men on base and in the eleventh and thirteenth and the cushions populated, but was unable to produce the punch that would convert a tally.

Burnett Is Good

Burnett relieved Mullins for Clanton in the eight and showed a world of stuff, tho he was a trifle wild. He has a high hard one that whistles over the platter in big league style and has a fast breaking curve that is more than deceptive.

Wilson worked all the way for Selma and won a real home. He was as steady as a veteran and got out of most of the bad holes by using his head to advantage. He was also accorded excellent support all the way, McKenzie showing up especially good in the outfield and Lester, Holiday and Heinz taking care of the hot ones on the infield section.

Clanton pulled off a fast double in the eleventh that stopped Selma rally, Ruffins, Wyatt and Jones figuring Selma's infield, Lester, Heinz and Woods figured also in a double death.

Because of the fact that there was no official scorer on hand a box score was not kept.

The boys were sportsmanlike all thru with both teams stepping on the accelerator and putting up an unusual brand of ball.

Bob Reed of the Selma Times-Journal umpired.

The Line Up

Clanton	Selma
Thompson, c	Hooper, cf
Burnett, p	Mallory, c
Hayes, 3b	Woods, 1 b
Jones, 1b	Lester, ss
Wyatt, 2b	Holiday, 3b
Ruffin, ss	McKenzie, lf
Burnett, J. cf	Austin, rf
Burnett, B. rf	Heinzss
Connastner, rf	Wilson, p
Littlejohn, rf	
Curlee, cf	
Mullins, p	

Mr. J. T. Abbott of Pletcher was in Clanton Monday attending the tick meeting with the commissioners court.

SPECIAL SERVICE AT CLANTON BAPTIST S. S.

Deserving of much special mention was the special Missionary program rendered at the Clanton Baptist church last Sunday morning by the Sunday school classes. We have neither the words nor the space to numerate all the fine things that were done and said by the children and officers at this service. To say the least of it, the service was as well arranged and as well presented as any we most ever saw, and for one to witness it and go away without being moved on the question of missions, one would have to possess a mighty stony heart.

Judging from the way the children can perform, the Clanton Baptist Sunday school is doing a wonderful work in the training of the men and women of tomorrow. The little tots as well as the larger ones took part in this program and certainly performed their duties well. The officers and teachers of the Sunday school are certainly to be commended for the splendid work they are doing in training the young folks of Clanton.

After the Sunday School program, there was no regular sermon preached, but the church observed the ordinance of the Lord's Supper.

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS AND CONSIDERS TICK WORK

The commissioners court of Chilton County met in regular monthly session at the court house Monday. Besides disposing of regular work, they took up the matter of finishing up the tick eradication work in Chilton County. Dr. Jackson of Montgomery and Dr. Strickler of Selma met with the Board and discussed with them eradication work in this county.

Dr. Strickler was placed in charge of the eradication work in this county, to take the place of Dr. Lewis, who has had charge of the work for the past couple of years. The work of cleaning up the Beats of the county which are still infested with ticks will be taken up within the next few days.

FOX-WOOLLEY WEDDING

At the Methodist parsonage in Clanton last Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock occured the marriage of Mr. W. W. Fox of Clanton to Mrs. Mattie Woolley. Rev. C. C. Wilkerson performed the ceremony in the presence of a small group of close friends of the contracting parties. Shortly after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Fox left for Birmingham, from where they went to Blocton to visit the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ware.

Mr. Fox is a well known business man of Clanton, and his charming bride is the sister of Mrs. W. A. Reynolds of Clanton. They will make their future home in Clanton on 4th Street and 3rd Avenue South.

EASTER SINGING AT POPLAR SPRINGS

The ananual Easter singing will be held at Poplar Springs on Sunday, April 20, 1924. Everybody has an invitation to come and bring dinner and 1924 song books.

H. W. Devaughn,
J. W. Cooper,
J. L. McDowell,
Committee.

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OIL SESSION WASTED; NO NEW SCANDALS

Colorless Oil Probe In Washington Hears Four Witnesses and Adjourns.

Washington, April 7.—The Senate oil committee devoted another featureless session Monday to its inquiry into stories of oil deals and oil contributions in the political campaign of 1920.

Four witnesses followed one another in quick succession at the big committee table and none of them added much information.

Wilbur M. Marsh, of Iowa, former treasurer of the Democratic national committee, testified that he must consult the committee's books before he could tell how much E. L. Doheny contributed to the Democratic fund in 1920. W. L. Kistler, an Oklahoma oil man, disclaimed any connection with Republican campaign collections in that year.

J. B. French, of Oklahoma, told the committee that Jake Harmon had informed him of expenditures of $400,000 in the 1920 election and of $25,000 to pay the hotel expenses of Harding convention headquarters in Chicago.

Robert E. Wolfe, publisher of the Ohio State Journal at Columbia, insisted that he had no first hand information about the famous 2 o'clock hotel conference on Harding's nomination and never had heard until recently of an attempt to make an oil deal for the nomination of Leonard Wood.

SURVEY OF WHITE CITY ROUTE IS FINISHED BY SURVEYORS

The survey of the new route for the Montgomery-Birmingham highway from Clanton to Montgomery by way of White City and Prattville has been completed. As the new survey goes, the highway will leave the old road at the L. D. Popwell place just south of Clanton and will go in to the back of Mr. Jasper Dendis' house. The route then makes a curve toward the west, crossing the railroad at the fill just below Mr. Dennis'. It then turns due south and takes a straight shot for Enterprise School House and on by Gray's store and saright through White City and on into Prattville. The new survey stays close to the old Mt. Pisgah road keeping all the way on top of the ridge where the old road runs.

The surveyors figure that the distance to Montgomery from Clanton by the White City route will only be 42 miles, which is four or five miles nearer than the route by Marbury. It appeare now that the highway will very likely be built through White City and Prattville and from there on into Montgomery.

JEWELRY STORE IN CLANTON

We are carrying in The Union-Banner this week an adv. of Mr. L. D. Petrey, who recently opened a jewelry store in the Chandler Building close to the railroad. Mr. Petrey has put up a nice little place of busines sand is prepared to do most anything in the jewelry, repairing and engraving line. Read his adv.

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SPEAKS WELL OF MISS GENIE COLLINS FOR TREASURER

Thorsby, Ala., April 7, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

I have been a citizen of Chilton county for eight years, but have been contented to be silent in politics, but this year brings a new item to my mind and gives me more than usual interest in the party.

We, for many centuries shunted the women out of politics and denied them the right of citizenship, but at last we awoke to the fact that they had a right to and were competent to help make up the great forces of our nation.

No one doubts that the average woman is more dependable and more sincere in her desires for a square deal than the average man, yet for some reason, not yet explained, we have allowed ourselves to vote the man in office, and give him the pie and let him go and hire a hard-working honest girl to do the work of the office for a small part of what it pays. This I must admit has been just in the past for no woman or girl has offered them selves for election and of course got the only thing they could hope for a job in some office.

This year voters of ChiltonCounty is different, we have a lady in our County asking for the office as County Treasurer of the county, a lady who has been holding one job for small pay and who has proven beyond a question of doubt that she is competent, and whose honesty no one questions.

She is not only competent and honest but deserving to the last letter. I am quite sure that I am telling the experience of others when telling of many visits to the court house and not finding the officer wanted in his office, this lady would stop her work and take pains to give me all the information she could, and in her own office she has always been so careful that I never had room to question a single thing she did.

I believe the voters of Chilton will roll up a nice and sufficient vote to place her in office.

The lady to whom I refer is Miss Genie Collins of Thorsby.

I don't just know what the people are going to do, but as for myself I am going to show my appreciation of the ladies in politics and cast my vote and influence for one of the fair sex every time one so deserving as Miss Genie offers. I have no doubt that there are good men in the race for treasurer, but none more deserving than Miss Genie Collins, and since they are men, all things being equal, why should the lady not be first, for a man can make a livelihood at many things that a lady can't do.

Hoping that every voter in the county will consider these few remarks and show that we men are not only willing to ask the lady to vote for us but that we are willing to give them an office as well.

I am sure I need call to the attention of the lady voters of the county that their opportunity has arrived.

Very truly,
G. J. THOMPSON.

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MAPLESVILLE DOTS

We haven't seen anything from Maplesville in quite a while, as we understand the writer has been away. Altho we are not all dead, but have a lot of sickness. Mr. P. C. Pullian is ill. Mr. Homer Atchison who has been ill for quite a while with rheumatism doesn't seem to be improving any, but we are hoping him a speedy recovery.

Mr. H. M. Nix was carried to the hospital in Selma last week. We are hoping she will soon be back home again.

Our Sunday school is still progressing very nicely, tho we would like to have more of the parents out.

The farmers are all busy farming this beautiful spring weather. We are hoping to reap a large harvest.

Mr. Bonnie Ray of Andalusia is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ed. Smitherman.

Mrs. Thomas of Brent is visiting Miss Alpha Smitherman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cherry of Marbury spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Homer Atchison.

Mr. David Seales of Hampton Roads, who has been in the Navy 2 years, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Seales and other relatives.

Mrs. Brady McAfee of Bessemer is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seales.

Mr. Wheeler spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. Oren and Miss Edith Fox of Birmingham spent last week in Maplesville.

Mrs. Fred Oden of Shoults spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Latham.

Mr. A. W. and M. A. Glass of Jemison were down here on a business trip last week.

Mr. L. L. Seales was in Selma last week-end visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bert Blass.

Mr. G. C. Kemp and family have moved to Birmingham. We are very sorry to see them leave as they will be missed so much.

Miss Velma Seales spent Sunday with Miss Marie Roberts.

Misses Mattie Mae and Olys Seales spent Sunday with Miss Victrola Hayes.

Little Cleo Seales spent a few days last week with her aunt, Mrs. Eula Seales.

CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The Chestnut Creek Singing Society met in regular session Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Chairman W. M. Devaughn called the house to order and sung one song, after which Bro. Henderson led in prayer. The Society accepted the resignation of W. M. Devaughn who has been our chairman ever since the society was organized about two years ago, and L. T. Grant was elected chariman and O. L. Devaughn re-elected secretary. Then the following directors directed from one to three songs each: Messrs. J. W. Cagle, O. L. Devaughn, L. N. Henderson, J. A. W. Mims, R. E. Powell, L. T. Grant, J. R. Robinson, Ralph Grant and W. M. Devaughn. There were several other directors present, but for the lack of time were not on the program—among whom were R. T. Grant, J. Z. Mims, Willis Bishop, S. M. Yates, Jr., L. E. Little, R. E. Miller and others. We invite you all to come again, and we will try and place your name on the program.

The ones who performed at the organ were Lee J. Grant, Mrs. Jesse Baker, Lena Mae Devaughn, Mrs. J. W. Cagle and Ralph D. Grant.

The Walnut Creek Quartet was present and rendered two splendid selections. We were glad to have them with us and give them a cordial invitation to be with us as often as you can make it convenient to do so. The Cooper Quartet also rendered two good selections but perhaps one of the best features of the evening was a sola by Miss Lena Mae Devaughn, entitled: The Beautiful Garden of Prayer. We had several short but very interesting talks during the evening by D. S. Robinson, L. N. Henderson, C. D. Hughes, S. M. Yates and Rev. J. D. Hughes.

Space would not permit for me to tell you all of the good things that is said and done in these meetings but we invite you to come and see for yourself.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Sec.

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FROM C. L. WILKINS

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please allow me a little space in your paper to say a few words to the voters of Chilton County. You will find my name in the list asking the people of the county for a job as commissioner from the Fourth District. I would be glad to have the job. I would like to have a chance to help the people of Chilton County. It seems to me that there is still room for improvement.

Now, it is not just because I need the job that makes me ask the people for it. Yet, I am a poor man, but I think I have an honest living at home. I have always tried to make my living by working hard and trying to be honest with my fellow man. I think I have an interest in our county. I would like to see her out of debt and to see it crossed up with good roads, which I believe can be done with good judgment and hard work.

I do not believe a man can build a good road out of sand by itself, neither do I believe he can build it out of clay, but I do believe it can be done with rock and gravel, sand and clay. We have plenty of these four kinds of road material and I believe we have plenty of good men to use them.

I have worked the roads ever since I was 18 years old, and almost all of it has been overseer. If I live to see next Thursday I will be 34 years old, and I have never had any trouble getting my hands to work. When we worked the road, we all worked just like we were getting pay for it. I never asked a man for more room for a road but that I got it, and sometimes him to help move the road.

Last year I worked the road from Swift Creek at the Weldon bridge to four miles east, and in our work with ten hands we handled around seven hundred good loads of gravel and put on the road. Now, I don't want any honor for this at all. I just think I tried to do my duty. Let us all try to work up a spirit among our people that will get all of us to do our bit. If you wanted a man to help you, you would not go to him and tell him he had to do so and so, but you would say, John, I would like for you to help me just a little; I am in a little tight.

You can always lead a man better than you can drive him.

Now, I don't wish any of the older men who are running against me any harm at all, but I would like to have the job, and if the voters of the county will elect me to this place, I will pledge myself to you all to do my very best to serve the people, as I would like for you to do for me if I had you hired to help me on my farm.

I am going to try to see as many voters as I can, but I have got to work some at home; so, if I don't get to see you, don't think that I would not appreciate your vote and influence. If you can help me, I will do my best to make you proud of it. So, please don't forget me on the 13th of May.

C. L. WILKINS.

ARTHUR MIMS FINED IN MAYOR'S COURT SATURDAY

Last Saturday Arthur Mims was tried in the mayor's court of Clanton for public drunkness and driving a car while intoxicated. Mims was fined $32.10 and in addition to the fine was forbidden to drive a car on the public highways of the State for a period of three months. This is the second or third time this young man has been arrested under charges similar to the above.

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Practical Nurse Tells

Mrs. N. E. Snow, of Route 1, near Paris, Tenn., tells the story of her experience as follows:

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AROUND CALERA

Mrs. Ann Haywood and Mrs. Charlie Martin were visitors in Clanton one day last week.

Miss U. V. Busby and Miss Lutie Jones spent Saturday in Calera.

Mr. Homer Martin was visiting home folks last week-end.

Mr. Amy Boswell from Birmingham was the guest of relatives in South Calera Sunday, returning to Birmingham Sunday night where he is employed.

Mr. W. J. Clark and Mr. Lee of South Calera made a business trip to Birmingham last week.

Mr. Lloyd Busby left for Cherokee Bluffs last Friday to take a position there.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham was the guest of Miss Mexa Tate Sunday.

Mr. Carl Glass has returned home from Walker county where he has been engaged in some work for quite a while.

Miss Lutie Jones spent Saturday night at Mrs. R. P. Busby's as the guest of Miss U. V. Busby.

Mrs. Jessie Cox visited Mrs. Julius Pilgreen in Calera last week.

Mrs. Angeline Busby from Inglenook came down Sunday afternoon to be the guest of Mrs. Davis Green Sunday night, spending Monday in Clanton and returning to Minooka Monday night to sped a while with her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Houlditch.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Busgy spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Jim Killingsworth.

Mr. Roy Rogers of Adamsville was in South Calera last week visiting home folks.

There was a singing at Shiloh church Sunday afternoon. Most of the people of the community were present and everyone there seemed to take an interest in the singin.

Mr. A. H. Sanders was in South Calera Monday for a while.

Mrs. W. N. Jones spent Monday with Mrs. Hiram Busby.

Mrs. Vester Cambell from near Jemison is visiting Miss Bertie Ellison this week.

Mrs. Bama Glas was visiting relatives in South Calera last week end.

Mr. W. N. Jones returned to Pelham Monday after spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. George Lee went to Birmingham Tuesday.

JAMES DEAN IN JAIL

Janes Dean, under grand jury indictment for grand larceny, was arrested by Sheriff Littlejohn Sunday near the Autauga county line and brought to jail in Clanton. So far Dean has been unable to make bond.

CONCORD - BILLINGSLEY NEWS

Sunday was our singing evening, and we had a very large crowd out, but on account of bad colds the singing was not as good as we hoped it would be.

Directors for the afternoon were: Olin Williams, Furniss Shepard, Lonzie Askins, Horace Williams, Hudson Williams and Prof. H. G. Carter. Organists were Hudson Williams, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter.

We want to thank Olin Williams, Turniss Shepard, Horace Williams and Hudson Williams for their splendid quartet.

Mr. Claud Herrod and family dined with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Lela Hicks dined with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Williams Sunday.

Miss Nolie and Amber Little spent a few enjoyable hours with their friends, Gertie and Eula Belle Williams Sunday.

Olin Williams spent Saturday night with Horace Williams.

Gertie Mae and Eula Belle Williams spent Saturday night with their friend, Jewell Williams.

Mr. Ocie Williams and wife spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Cox.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Jim Williams' family is about to get well fro mthe measles.

Mr. Clarence Williams returned to school after spending the week-end with his father and mother.

Before we close we want to thank the Indian Grave singers for their help in our singing. Come on all you good singers and help us.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Chilton County Singing Convention of the Harp and Harmony books will be held at Pleasant Grove church seven miles southwest of Clanton on the 3rd Sunday in May and Saturday before.

Note change of date from the 1st to 3rd Sunday in May, arranged by the committee for convenience of Pleasant Grove.

All invited. CHAIRMAN.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Pardon Board and the Governor of the State of Alabama for the pardon or parole of Amos Glass who was heretofore convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 6th day of April, 1923, for the offense of manufacturing liquor, to the penitentiary for one year to thirteen months.

4-3-2t-c. AMOS GLASS.

CLASSIFIED ADS

We have just a few ladies' dresses left and they are going at a give-away price.—McDonald Merc. Co.

FORD FOR SALE—1923 model, good condition. For further particulars write or see Frank A. Oslin, Jemison, Ala., Rt. 4. 10-3t-p

I will have a car load of Kainit for sale next week and one of Nitrate of Soda the last of this week.—J. N. Dennis.

FOR SALE — One good work mule, cheap for cash or credit; an extra good mule, works anywhere. 1t-pd
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FOUND—Bunch of keys, consisting of two Eleram keys just alike and five other small keys. Owner may get them at Banner office by paying 25c for this adv.

FOR SALE — One Vital Vacuum Cleaner, one Dresser, one Dayton Bicycle, one Remington No. 10 Typewriter, one pair of Canary birds and cages. Apply, T. E. Pavey, 403 6th Street, Clanton. 1t-pd

ASK prices Nitrate Soda, Calcium Arsenate, Potash, Kainit, Phosphate, Hay, Hulls, Meal, Bagging, Ties; Quote Peas,, Cottonseed.—Cantelou Brothers, Brokers, Montgomery, Alabama. 3-2t-c

LOST—On highway between Thorsby and Jemison, one black traveling bag containing clothes and one pair of slippers for large size woman and a letter addressed to Mrs. J. S. Wright; lost April 8th. Finder please return to Jemison Hardware Company, Jemison, Ala., and receive reward. 1t-ch

GRIST MILL FOR SALE—I have a Grist Mill and outfit, also house and lot, which I will sell. Would sell mill alone if wanted. House is in center of town, could be used as shoe shop or chicken house in connection with mill. Just behind Union-Banner office. T. G. TAYLOR. tf

WANTED—Industrious man desiring to make $40-$70 or more weekly, selling Whitmer's big line of guaranteed Extracts, Toilet Articles, Home Remedies, ect. in Chilton County. Car or team needed. We teach you. Goods furnished on credit. Pleasant, healthful work. Big profits. Mr. Milton Denton, Warren County, Kentucky, made $98.00 one week recently. You can too. Write today.—The H. C. Whitmer Company, Columbus, Indiana. 4-3-3t-p

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3086 12 in. $1.25 — ANGEL'S SERENADE—Violin, Cello and Piano, Dajos Bela Trio / A LITTLE LOVE, A LITTLE KISS—Orchestra—Dajos Bela and His Orchestra
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POOR OR

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Nelson Thursday, April the 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss are rejoising over the arrival of a baby boy which arrived at their home last Saturday morning.

Mrs. Nels Petersen and children are visiting Mrs. Petersen's parents at West Point, Ga., this week.

Mrs. John Johnson and daughter, Miss Altha Parker and Mrs. W. L. Leary went to Birmingham Tuesday morning.

Mr. F. E. Gronquist is doing some carpenter work in Birmingham and sent for Arthur B. Littleton and Mr. H. O. Bean to help him.

Mrs. Captain Hutchinson was a visitor at Montevallo early this week.

Mrs. S. B. Kelley of Midland City was a visitor at Thorsby Institute last Tuesday, where two of her sons are students.

Mr. T. C. Sims, who supplies merchants and families in Thorsby with ice, is fitting up the garage opposite Mrs. Villadsen's house, where he will store ice in small lots to keep a supply on hand for prompt service.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and family are making good use of their Maxwell car. They seldom go out for a ride without inviting neighbors who have no car to enjoy a ride with them.

Miss Margaret Laird, grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Paxson, who is a concert singer of considerable ability, gave a benefit entertainment Wednesday night at the Wadesonian theatre. The proceeds were donated to the public school fund.

The attendance at Bates Hall last Saturday night to see "Mrs. Jarley" and her Wax Work Automatons, as portrayed by members of the Ladies Guild of Thorsby, was sufficient to net about $30 for equipment for the public school. Mrs. Loveland as Mrs. Jarley was an unqualified success, her collection of animate wax figures, personified by ladies of the Guild, represented living illustrations of the jingles found in old "Mother Goose" rhymes, gave glimpses of the moving pictures of 100 years ago.

Mrs. Carl C. Petersen was "The old woman who lived in a shoe" who had children a plenty. "Little Bo-Peep" as represented by Mrs. Robert Davenport, was a picture one will long remember. "Mother Goose," a character taken by Mrs. G. F. Harper, brought a graphic picture of that wonderful woman of our childhood. Mrs. Chas. S. Howard, as "The bachelor who lived by himself" was very effective in the scene in which he brought his wife, Lorena Graham, home in a wheel barrow and spilled her in the road.

"Elisabeth, Eliza, Betsy and Bess" in quaint costumes as similar as "Peas in a pod" by Mrs. F. E. Mead, Mrs. J. M. Graham, Mrs. O. L. Jackson and Mrs. Ed Piper, made an interesting picture. The original "Old Curiosity Shop" had but one "Little Nell" but "Mrs. Jarley" had so many "Figgers" in her collection on this occasion that needed winding up to make them perform that she brought two competent assistants, both of whom she called "Nell" but who in every day life were Christine Bosworth and Ella Howard. Space forbids a full description of other characters, all of which were good, except to mention names and the part they represented: Old King Cole, Mrs. Gerald; and his fiddlers three, Mrs. Lucas, Agnes Leary and Gladys Flummer. One remarkable feature was the singing by one of the Automatons which not only had to be wound up but as Mrs. Jarley explained to the audience, must be blown up, to make the young lady sing. This she proceeded to do, and there was real singing by the huge doll in the person of Agnes Leary. At the close of the entertainment all the figures were blown up, 35 of them' occupying the whole back stage, sang in good style, "Good Night Ladies."

The whole affair was a manifestation of a good deal of latent ability in our staid matrons and must have taken a lot of rehearsal to get the whole performance to run so smoothly and withal such a delightful entertainment. We would not forget to mention several piano solos by Miss Parker, which interspersed the program and were enthusiastically received.

The meeting of the United Singing societies at the Thorsby Baptist church last Sunday afternoon was well attended and very much enjoyed.

Rev. N. A. Long and family are leaving Thorsby this week. Mr. Long has received and accepted a call to become pastor of a church in Atlanta. His wife and children will visit the home of Mr. Long's parents at Midland City until Mr. Long has made ready for them to join him in Atlanta.

Miss Althea Parker, as director of music in Thorsby Institute, has in training a chorus choir of high school boys and girls who are doing really good work. They form a nucleus for the choir of the Congregational church and last Sunday night at the praise service gave some very creditable choral singing also led the congregational singing under direction of Miss Parker. She also has a group of male singers who are able to render good service in song.

The outstanding event in Thorsby this week will be the Young Peoples Christian Service Conference at the Congregational church. Indications are that there will be a good attendance of delegates from the Congregational churches scattered all over Alabama and north-west Florida. Addresses will be given by some of the most prominent field workers of the denomination. The people of Thorsby and vicinity, especially the young people, are cordially invited to attend these meetings. The program is as follows:

Friday, April 11th, 4 p.m., Vesper Service.

7:30 p.m., song service and Christian Endeavor social at the dining hall.

Saturday, April 12th, 9 a.m., Devotional service.

9:20 a.m., Bible study, led by Rev. Chas. F. Fiske, D. D.

10:10 a.m., "Who we are and Why" and 11 a.m., Conference hour.

2, p.m., Devotional service, and 2:30 p.m., Bible study, Dr. Fiske, leader.

3:00, p.m., Conference hour, "My Life and how to Use it," Miss Olive Pearson.

7:30, p.m., Song service, and 8 p.m., "Snap shots of folks whose lives hase counted in a large service."

Sunday, April 13th, 9:45 a.m., Sunday School, and 11 a.m., Dr. Fiske will preach.

2:30, p.m., Service of Devotion and Consecration; Communion.

An error was made last week in the statement that Mrs. C. E. Bice had been elected as a member of the Thursby public school faculty for the coming year. Her appointment was to membership on the local school board, from which she resigned when she became one of the public school teachers last year.

The Thorsby Institute base ball team won a thrilling game from the Thompson high school of Siluria last Friday oy the score of 3 to 1. The feature of the game was the sensational pitching of Littleton who fanned 21 on the Siluria batters. In addition to this he cracked out a home run in the third inning.

Very few of Thorsby's players have ever played on a team before, yet they play good ball. Other games are being arranged for and they are expecting to make other favorable showings.

Batteries—Thorsby: Littleton and Pate; Siluria: Fulton, Hodge and Eddins.

On last Sunday evening, April 6th the Christian Endeavor Society held its regular meeting. The meeting was attended by an unusually large crowd. The leader for the evening was Miss Fellie Stephen. A very interesting program of "How Jesus loved and served" was carried out during the meeting. As last Sunday evening was the first Sunday of the month, the secretary called the roll, and I am glad to say that there was only three members absent. William Each was cordially received as an active member of the society. We are delighted to know that there are others here who wish to join in our work for God.

On Friday evening of this week a social will be given at the girls' dormitory by the society. It is expected that there will be a large number of young people from all over the State present at this social. We cordially invite the members and friends of the society.

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New Building, New Equipment, New Stock!

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The strawberry season will soon open, at which time the facilities of this Bank is open to all growers.

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DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
CLANTON, ALA.
Practice limited to diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses.
Office Hours:
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How to build up your Weight

TO be under weight often proves low fighting-power in the body. It often means you are minus nerve-power, minus red-cells in your blood, minus health, minus vitality. It is serious to be minus, but the moment you increase the number of your red-blood-cells, you begin to become plus. That's why S. S. S., since 1826, has meant to thousands of underweight men and women, a plus in their strength. Your body fills to the point of power, your flesh becomes firmer, the age lines that come from thinness disappear. You look younger, firmer, happier, and you feel it, too, all over your body. More red-blood-cells! S. S. S. will build them.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Court of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama—Chilton County vs. J. W. Beasley et al.

To W. C. Martin, who resides in the City of Big Springs in the State of Texas; W. R. Champion who resides in the City of Camden in the State of Tennessee, and Owners Unknown:—

You are hereby notified that Chilton County, a municipal corporation, has filed its written application in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for the condemnation of lands, rights and interests therein described and that among said lands described in said application are the following lands situated in said county, which are owned by you or in which you own an interest, to-wit:

A right-of-way 100 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on the east side and 75 feet in width on the west side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, designated as F. A. P. No. 100, or as much of said land as is required to make a 100-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the north line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 1,436 feet more or less to the intersection of the sonth line of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter, Section 14, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, the above tract of land lying in the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter Section 14, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 3.21 acres more or less; that the owner of said land as above described being Unknown.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way across said land which is located and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the west line of the sonth-east quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 10, Township 23, Range 13 and the center line of said road; thence 1,455 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of G. P. Wilson and R. L. Martin, with the center line of said road; said tract of land lying in the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 10, Township 23, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama, and containing 1.67 acres more or less. R. L. Martin or W. C. Martin are the owners of said tract or parcel of land.

A right-of-way 50 feet in width, or 25 feet in width on each side of the center line of a road as it is now located and staked out by the State Highway Department of Alabama, or as much land as is required to make a 50-foot right-of-way over and across said land, which is described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of the south-west quarter of the south-east quarter, Section 21, Township 24, Range 13 and the center line of said road, thence 496 feet more or less to the intersection of the property line of W. R. Houlditch and W. R. Champion with the center line of said road; the said tract of land lying in the east half of the sonth-west quarter of the south-east quarter of Section 21, Township 24, Range 13, in Chilton County, Alabama and containing .57 acres more or less. W. R. Champion being the owner of said tract of land.

The said application avers that said Chilton County proposes to construct, use and maintain a public highway or road over or across the above described land of which you are the owner or in which you own an interest and you are hereby further notified that the hearing of said application has been set by the Court of Probate as aforesaid for **Monday, the 28th day of April, 1924** at 10 o'clock, a.m., and notice of the day so appointed for the hearing thereof is hereby given you.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of March, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of the Probate Court,
3-27-3t Chilton County, Alabama.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
In the Probate Court of said State and County, March 13, 1924.

Under and by virtue of an order and decree of Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court of said County and State, made and entered on the 27th day of March, 1924, I, W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door of said county on the 18th day of April, 1924, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, the following described real estate, belonging to said estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, to-wit:

SE¼ of NW¼, and E½ of SW¼, all in Section 22, Township 23, Range 13, situated in Chilton County, State of Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of division among the joint heirs of said estate.

W. G. ATKINSON,
4-3-3tc Administrator of said Estate.

Right at Home at the Feed Mill

Charles Anderson, foreman of a feed mill, says, "The roaches were right at home hert until thty got so thick I had to get rid of them. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder so I put it around and got rd of them without any trouble." Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

D. D. Easterling, Prop.

MUSCLE SHOALS

For Proposal Versus Congressional Record

CHAPTER I.

A STATEMENT OF THE ALABAMA POWER COMPANY, SUPPORTED BY REMARKS FROM THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD:

Senator Brookhart said in the Senate recently:

"I believe that if those voters knew how the figures of this Ford proposition are juggled in the majority report made in favor of the bill, they would all vote the other way."

The Facts In The Case.

Statements recently made by some of those interested in the Ford offer have criticised this company for having submitted its offer; for the part it has played or failed to play in the development of the state; the making by this company of a contract with the government during the war and other matters.

But it is becoming well understood by the public that behind the attacks on this company is the selfish ambitions of property owners at Muscle Shoals who will be directly benefited by the proposed Ford developments. They have from the first waged an industrious campaign of abuse, threats and villification against this company and against individuals in public or private life who dared to criticise the Ford offer in public or to oppose it as being contrary to the public interest.

There are some who believe that the Ford offer is best for the public, but very few have examined it or know just what it means to the public.

The Gorgas Contract.

The war-time contract of this company with the government made in 1918 gave the government the right to enter upon the company's land and construct an addition to its Gorgas plant and build a transmission line on its right of way 90 miles long to Muscle Shoals to supply power to the nitrate plants. In this the government expended $4,700,000.00 and the Power Company agreed to purchase the government's property after the war at its fair value. In due course this value was fixed by two government boards in 1923 at $3,472,487.25, and was paid to the government in cash by this company in September last. This was 75 per cent of the war cost, a greater percentage than the government received from any war-time expenditure made by it so far as any records have been published. Statements made which question the fairness of that contract have heretofore been denounced by this company as false and untrue and made in reckless disregard of the facts, and that statement we now repeat.

Those interested in putting the Ford offer through Congress have for their own political and selfish motives attacked that contract, but that is merely a subterfuge to draw the public attention away from the real issue.

Those Who Are Informed Say—Secretary of War.

"I think the Alabama Power Company, which is under the Public Service Commission of Alabama, would be inclined to take a broad and generous view of any matter in which the government would be involved. Their record seems to indicate that. They turned over property at Muscle Shoals to the government at the beginning of the war, which has cost something like $500,000, and as far as I have been able to observe, I do not think they would be contentious about those matters."

Major General Williams, Chief Of Ordnance:

"The government found itself very greatly in need of power. The Alabama Power Company had already projected this extension and all plans had been drawn and they came to the assistance of the government at a critical time, putting at its disposal their facilities and the plans which they had already made." (All officials of the government who had anything to do with the contract or any negotiations with this company have never spoken otherwise.)

Rep. Hill, of Maryland:

"A few years ago the secretary of war, Mr. Baker, considered the Alabama Power Company 'generous and public spirited.' Today it is attacked as a greedy corporation by some of those who have advocated the Ford offer. I wonder how Ford will be regarded five years from now if you accept his offer with a possible profit of 8 per cent on fertilizer alone?"

(Mr. Hill then read the letter from the Power Company to the government donating the Muscle Shoals dam site to the government on which the Power company had expended about $500,000.)

"I never saw Mr. Martin before he came to our committee. I have never seen him except in relation to hearings on Muscle Shoals. I do not know whether he claims to be a philanthropist or not, but here are the thanks of Secretary of War Baker to his company."

(To Be Continued.)

Alabama Power Company

THOMAS W. MARTIN, President
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

ORIGINAL

THE UNION-BANNER

Published every Thursday at Clanton, Chilton County, Ala.

T. E. WYATT and E. C. POWELL
Publishers and Proprietors.

T. E. WYATT, Editor.

Entered April 15, 1913, at Clanton, Ala., as Second Class mail matter, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE:

One Year,	$1.50
Eight Months,	1.00
Six Months,	.75
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(Strictly Cash in Advance)

TRADE WITH — Commerce, Agriculture, Prosperity, Industry — YOUR FRIEND

Senator Heflin need not worry over any Republican doing him bodily harm. He is the best political aid the Republicans have outside their own ranks.

Why it is that people want to get married on the day the papers go out, we do not understand. Looks like they would make it a day earlier or else make it a few days later, so that the papers might be able to publish the event before it gets stale. So hereafter, if you want to marry, please do the papers a favor by setting the date some other day besides Thursday. We thank you.

Next Saturday, April 12th, is the last day in which candidates will be allowed to announce in the Republican party in Chilton county for county offices. We have at present six candidates for commissioner from the fourth district, three candidates for commissioner from the third district, six for county treasurer and three for member of the school board. If anyone else wants to put his name in the pot he had better do it before Saturday night.

Chairman Hull of the Democratic National Committee has announced the formation of an advisory subcommittee of Democratic women to formulate plans on social welfare legislation. The name of Roxie Stinson does not appear in the membership. Where is the much-touted Democratic chivalry and gratitude? Miss Roxie supplied the party with more campaign material than any other woman in recent political history. The fact that it was all bunk makes no difference. It measured up to the standard of most Democratic ammunition, and in the awful drought of issues in this Presidential year it was invaluable. Miss Roxie has earned and should demand a place high in the Democratic councils, and with a good, fat salary attached to it, too.

One by one, the officers apprehend the bootleggers and catch them in their well woven net of conception. Some of those who have been engaged in dodging around the corners and in defiance of the law of the land disposing of their drugs, very often deadly poisonous, are mighty well experienced in the traffic, but the day of all of them is coming sooner or later. The officers have studied their tricks and have watched their maneuvers until they are able to apprehend their movements and sack them, even though they are tricky and experienced. The bootleggers of this country are one of the worst enemies we have. The stuff which they peddle is as deadly as a rattle snake and makes beasts out of men. In our conception, our laws are entirely too lenient on law-breakers of this class. If there was no way for them to pay out except by hard labor, it would be more serious for them to be caught under this charge. By and by the law will be strengthened, and may God hasten the day.

The program for finishing up tick eradication in Chilton County, under the supervision of Dr. Don B. Strickler of Selma, will be arranged and put in motion within a few days. The cattle in the county which have ticks are going to have to be dipped in order that the ticks may be destroyed, so the best way out of it is for everybody to co-operate with the commissioners and inspectors of the various districts and do as best you can what you are directed to do. Dr. Strickler has worked in our county before as well as a number of other counties in the State, and he has always been found to be a man who does his best to give everyone justice. Of course, there are laws and regulaitons under which Dr. Strickler works, which laws he will respect and which he will expect everyone else to respect likewise, but at the same time, he will make the program operate with as little inconvenience as possible to everybody concerned. So, in order that as little expense as possible be created against the county and in order that we may get rid of ticks and of tick eradication, let everybody co-operate in the work and have as little confusion and as little trouble and expense as possible.

Mr. McDonald has gone to Florida for his health, and believe me, Mr. Clay Marcus, who is in charge of his store, is selling at prices that every one can reach.—McDonald Merc. Co.

THE SLUGGARD—PUT HIM TO WORK!

UNCLE TED'S BED-TIME STORIES

The President of the United States

It was a flare-back from a slightly too anxious spring. There had been a week of almost balmy Florida sunshine and soft breezes. Golf links were opened. Boat owners started getting out paint and sandpaper and several robins started off the early morning with their beautiful songs.

But—the world awakened suddenly to see a solid sheet of white and it continued coming down, all day long, covering everything in sight like a big, clean sheet. School was dismissed early so that all the kiddies could make their way home before dark, and for once the storm was so great that even jack and Ruth preferred to stay in the house, once they were there with dry clothes and a hot supper.

Now the three pals, Ruth, Jack and Uncle Ted were gathered before the big open fire, a fireplace that only the day before, mother had jack clean out and make ready to desert until next fall.

"Please tell us a story and let us stay down here tonight to listen," teased Jack. "It's cold up stairs and any way its much more fun here."

"All right," answered Uncle Ted, "I'll tell you a story down here tonight. I want to talk about the President of the United States, not necessarily President Coolidge, but any President. This is election year and we should give some consideration to government problems. Few of us really know just what the President's job is and how great his responsibilities. When we look in the Congressional Directory we find the first thing listed after the word 'Executive' is, "The White House, Pennsylvania Avenue, Fifteenth and Seventeenth Streets, Phone Main 6." That is the correct address of the home of the President of the United States—the man who has more power and more responsibility than any other person in the world. In fact whoever that man be he is the greatest ruler, if you can use the word ruler, on the face of the globe.

"Yet under our form of Government, with its Constitutions, this man must serve the people as any President or head of a big business might serve his board of directors and stockholders. He is the choice of the people through the ballot box. A new President comes into office and the old President goes out with no trouble of any kind. All abides by the results of the election. You see the old dynasties, most of which have crumbled long ago, were created by force and when our new system of government was launched the rest of the world was quite sure it would never succeed. The proof that it was sound has been shown through all these years when we have had thirty Presidents and not one has ever hesitated about stepping down and making way for the next man, elected by the people.

"The great contrast offered by the power of the President of the United States and the man himself is one of the most interesting things in the politics of the world. Today we find a man at the head of what almost become the Capital of the World, who only a short time ago, at the death of President Harding, took the oath in a little farm house in the Vermont hills, far from the rush of the world; the oath being given by his own father, a notary public, by lamp light. And when this happened, one of the President's sons was working on a farm at the large wage of $3.50 a day and he went on working. That is typical of our democracy.

"Let us look a moment at some of the duties our President must perform. Congress makes our laws but even before that it is necessary for the President under the Constitution to address Congress, telling the conditions of the Nation and advertising what laws be passed. Then after the bills are passed they can not become laws until the President signs them. If he does not like a bill he can refuse to sign his name. That is known as a vote. The bill then goes back to Congress to go through the same channel, starting either in the House or the Senate as it did before. By a two thirds majority the bill can be passed over the President's veto. If a President fails to take any actions on a bill, neither signing or refusing within 10 days time, it automatically becomes a law.

"How about the Cabinet?" asked Jack. "Don't they take a lot of work off the President's shoulders?"

"The Cabinet Jack is made of the heads of the Government departments, appointed by the President. They meet twice a week at the White House and talk over with him the needs of the Government. But they have little power of their own and the President need pay no attention whatever to their suggestions if he dosn't so desire. But on the other hand he is largely responsible for work piled upon the President is becomming greater and greater. He must meet and talk with thousands of visitors. He must make speeches throughout the land as well as those to Congress. He must listen to the advice of men in the legislative branch of the Government. He must see that thousands of letters addressed to him are answered. He autographs hundreds of photographs for people who want a signed picture of the President of the United States. Just think, about 3,000 letters and telegrams pour into the White House every day. There have been as many as 30,000 people pass through the White House Executive offices in one month to shake the President's hand. All of these things combine to make the President the greatest servant in the world. His time is not his own and the strain soon begins to tell. It has been felt that this hastened the death of the Late President Harding and since that time many suggestions have been made that an Assistant to the President be placed in the White House to assume some of these burdens.

"I thought we do have a Vice-President," said Jack.

"We do Jack. Rather, we generally do. Just now we don't because President Coolidge was Vice-President. The next man in line for the Presidency should anything happen to President Coolidge before the term is up,would be Secretary of State Hughes. But even so, a Vice-President is of little aid to the President. He must preside over the Senate and his duties are almost altogether with the legislative branch. Later on I will tell you more about the President's work. But for tonight we must stop. Good-night."

J. N. Dennis will order any kind of seed for you that you need.

MUSSOLINI MUTTERS

Premier Mussolini is said to have notified the king and queen of Roumania that their proposed visit to Rome must be postponed until the Roumanian government gives some satisfaction to private Italian creditors to whom it owes some $16,000,000. It is understood the essence of the Mussolini note was, "If you do not wish to pay your debts you can keep your royal family at home."

This is an interesting precedent. Suppose the king and queen of Italy wished to visit the United States, would Mr. Mussolini relish a curt order from our Government that they remain at home until American taxpayers had been given some assurance of repayment of the Italian debt to them of about $2,000,000,000? That obligation has been owed for more than five years, during which time hardly a dollar of interest has been paid. Our own debt refunding commission has made repeated request of the Italian government that arrangements be made for refunding the obligation and providing for its eventual repayment, but the only reply has come from leading Italian statesmen to the effect that Italy never would repay the huge loan advanced to her at great sacrifice by our own people.

THE FOUR PER CENTS

The recent offer of four per cent Treasury Certificates of indebtedness attracted subscriptions of over $662,000,000. The allotments were $400,000,000. Despite the fact that never since the war have government securities been floated at a lower rate than four per cent, the national credit is in such excellent condition that there is keen competition among the buyers. Yet the man who is responsible more than any other individual for this improvement, Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, is being hounded by the Senate coalition of Democrats and Radicals. Under a more legal technicality they hope to drive him from office, and deny the country his exceptional ability.

VANDERLIP IN RIGHT

Mr. Vanderlip insists that, for the time being, he is under the direction of Senator Wheeler. "Wheeler and I are working in close co-operation." Judging from the war annals of the Montana Defense Committee, there was some pretty close co-operation between Wheeler and a lot of I. W. W.'s. Mr. Vanderlip can derive what satisfaction he pleases from his associations.

MAN HAS MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

"I was told by our family physician that I could not live without an operation, as my liver and gall sack were in such a condition. I set the day to go t othe hospital, but then I saw the advertisement of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Since taking it I am feeling like a two-year-old. I am sure I never could have survived an operation." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicits. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and all good druggists everywhere.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 13, 1924.

K. M. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. BICE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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C. D. HUGHES.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. B. GREEN.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

Softens the Water—Whitens the Clothes—Lightens the Labor

RED SEAL LYE

A LITTLE Red Seal Lye dissolved in the water before the clothes are put in relieves you of the necessity for rubbing and scrubbing. The Red Seal Lye loosens the dirt, and hard rubbing of the wash clothes is a thing of the past. Start this week to wash clothes the easy way.

Be Sure and Buy only the genuine Red Seal Lye
Write for FREE booklet, "Home Helps"
P. C. TOMSON & Co.
Philadelphia, Pa.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS
Things Our Readers Want to Know

Around the house Red Seal Lye has almost unlimited uses. It cleans closets, cuspidors, floors, garbage cans, dishes and clothes in a fraction of the time and labor of other cleansers.

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Many housewives are not aware of the fact that Red Seal Lye is a wonderful thing to clean cook-stoves. It is remarkable how easily clogged stoves are cleared of obstructions by the use of this powerful compound.

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Sweet and immaculate bathrooms may be made so, and kept that way without everlasting scrubbing, if Red Seal Lye is used as a cleanser.

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POOR OR

List of Qualified Voters In Chilton County, Ala.

BEAT 1

Armstrong, O. G.
Benson, S. E.
Bice, J. C.
Burnett, J. L.
Bean, W. H.
Burnett, W. L.
Benson, Jessie.
Bates, R. F.
Brewer, T. N.
Bolton, G. L.
Benziger, Jake U.
Bolton Major.
Bayzer, B. E.
Burnett, Willie
Benziger Mrs. Bertha.
Bates, Mrs. Oda
Cox, J. A.
Campbell, J. A., Sr.
Davis, F. V.
Davis, J. M.
Davis, J. A.
Deal, H. B.
Davis, J. T.
Day, Volney.
Day, Mrs. Mary C.
Ellison, Ellis.
Gentry, H. G.
Hudson, R. A.
Hadnot, W. H.
Headley, C. N.
Herron, Thomas.
House, W. L.
Jones, D. F.
Knox, James C.
Littlefield, H. T.
Littleton, W. L.
Littleton, Louis.
Mullins, O. R.
Miller, R. A.
Mullins, Oliver.
Mahan, H. M.
Marcus, J. J.
Mullins, Felston.
Mims, Simuel.
Mullins, Mrs. Sarah S.
Mullins, Mrs. Ella.
Mahan, Rosa Lee.
Mahan, Mrs. Lula.
Martin, Mrs. Lucile D.
Osteen, R. H.
Osteen, Mrs. Claudie.
Partridge, J. M.
Pearson, Mrs. Louvenia.
Parrish, Mrs. Veria.
Powers, Pearl.
Trotter, Geo. R.
Tippett, Zabe A.
Traywick, G. W.
Trotter, Mrs. Ida.
Vines, R. Madison
Vines, B. F.
Vines, J. C.
Williamson, J. W.
Wood J. W.

BEAT 2

Allen, L. W.
Atkinson, Ernest M.
Atkinson, W. G.
Abbott J. W.
Anderson, Joseph
Armstrong, W. F.
Attay, Mrs. Maggie
Adams, Mrs. Sarah E.
Abott, Mrs. Carrie
Atkinson, Mrs. Esther
Atkinson, Mrs. Malissa.
Allen, Miss Barbra.
Atkinson, Mrs. Pearl
Atkinson, Mrs. Pearl
Atkins, A. J.
Attaway, A. M.
Bethume, William J.
Beasley, H. N.
Bratton, J. M.
Bratton, A. C.
Brantley, J. M.
Blankinship, J. S.
Broadhead, J. M.
Bean, L. H.
Brantley, C. H.
Brantley, L. M.
Barnes, D. W.
Blankinship, W. J.
Beasley, J. W.
Barnett, W. A.
Brantley, I. M.
Beasley, G. O.
Bean, J. M.
Bradford, John H.
Brantley, J. M.
Barnes, Mrs. Ora.
Bean, Mrs. Ida
Beasley, Mrs. Lela
Beasley, Mrs. Mary
Cooper, J. D.
Crumpton, J. O.
Cofer, J. M.
Cost, Thomas.
Cobb, James E.
Cobb, Earle R.
Cobb, Joseph E.
Cobb, B. L.
Cobb, V. T.
Coffer, W. Luther.
Cofer, W. P.
Cleckler, S. E.
Cobb, D. W.
Collum, D. C.
Cofer, T. G.
Cobb, J.A.
Compton, William.
Cofer E. G.
Cofer, Bob.
Crysell, Sam
Collum G. W.
Conway, C. C.
Conway, A. A.
Cofer, T. C.
Cross, W. S.
Collum, G. W.
Collum, J. W.
Clements, W. R.
Conway, W. H.
Childress, J. T.
Cobb, T. J.
Cobb, Mrs. Lela
Conway, Mrs. Artha A.
Cobb, Mrs. Lula
Cobb, Mrs. Anice
Cost, Mrs. Eula
Crysell, Mrs. Vira
Conway, Mrs. Ellen
Cofer, Mrs. Sofa
Collum, Mrs. Sarah
Collum, Mrs. Catherine
Cobb, Mrs. Paralee
Collum, Mrs. Lizzie R.
Crysell, Mrs. Carrie
Cobb, Mrs. Gevena
Conway, Mrs. Amy
Cobb, Mrs. Mattie
Cofer, Mrs. Nancy
Cooper, Mrs. Eula
Cofer, B. L.
Duffee, Noah
Davenport, T. S.
Dykes, H. M.
Dawson, C. W.
Duffie, Mrs. Sarah O.
Dawson, Mrs. Laura
Ervin, J. N.
Edwards, I. E.
Edwards, J. H.
Ellsberry, J. P.
Edwards, J. P.
Ellison, T. G.
Erwin, W. C.
Eagle, Mrs. Loyd
Ervin, Mrs. Elizebeth
Franklin, A. T.
Freeman, Y. O.
Falkner, Wm. H.
Freeman, Mrs. Sallie
Franklin, Mrs. Mattie
Glasscock, Joseph M.
Glasscock, J. M.
Glasscock, A. H. Jr.
Gothard, E. N.
Glass, W. M.
Gentry, J. P.
Glass, Perry
Gothard, H. W.
Gothard, G. W.
Glasscock, E. L.
Glazier, G. S.
Giles, J. B.
Gothard, John
Glass, John
Gipson, Leighton
Gibson, W. L.
Glasscock, A. J.
Glass, W. A.
Glass, Calvin
Gibson, C. C.
Glasscock, Mrs. Lillie
Glass, Mrs. Thuler
Glass, Mrs. Mae
Glass, Mrs. Mazie
Glasscock, Mrs. Annie
Gothard, Mrs. Cornelia
Glasscock, Mrs. Perdelia
Gentry, Mrs. Mary
Gothard, Mrs. Josie
Gentry, Mrs. Ella
Guthrie, Mrs. Lue
Glass, Mrs. Mallisa
Gentry, Mrs. Alice L.
Glass, George
Gordon, T. M.
Hayes, Milford
Hayes, C. L.
Hubbard, R. M.
Haywood, J. E.
Horton, N. R.
Honeycutt, R. M.
Honeycutt, J. M.
Harris, J. C.
Hoggins, G. W.
Hyman, E. G.
Headley, T. J.
Hayes, Clarence
Howard, W. A.
Hand, Wallace
Hubbard, Raymond
Hubbard, Clifford
Harrison, J. H.
Hand, Mrs. Mattie
Howard, Mrs. Lula
Headley, Mrs. China
Hyman, Mrs. Laura
Howard, Mrs. Bertha
Hubbard, Mrs. Ivy E.
Jeffers, Henry G.
Johnson, Walter
Johnson, J. M. B.
Johnson, W. M.
Johnson, Mrs. Relia
Jeffries, Mrs. Anna
Johnson, Mrs. Mary
Johnson, Mrs. Susie
Jones, Mrs. Harriett
Killingsworth, W. H.
Killingsworth, W. H.
Killingsworth, L. L.
Lightsey, J. J.
Lucas, S. J.
Letcher, S. R.
Langston, L. N.
Langston, C. W.
Lowery, W. R.
Langston, D. L.
Latham, Monroe
Lowery, W. E.
Langston, F. M.
Little, Eddie
Little, H. O.
Littleton, J. M.
Langston, E. B.
Lawrence, Buford
Lowery, J. A.
Latham, W. R.
Langston, Mrs. Ethel J.
Leach, Mrs. Ida
Langston, Mrs. Paratine
Lowery, Mrs. Rena
Longston, Mrs. Mary
Langston, Mrs. Daisy
Lawrence, Mrs. Mollie
Langston, Mrs. Gussie
Lowery, Pat L.
Martin, Burl
McNeil, R. B.
McGraw, L. A.
MissKelly, A.
Milstead, W. T.
Martin, J. C.
Martin, P. M.
Miller, H.
Milstead, J. N.
Merchant, E. M.
Mims, James Herlie
Martin, W. H.
Marlar, G. W.
Miskelley, J. M.
Martin, E. E.
Martin, L. G.
Martin, G. W.
Martin, J. H.
Mims, Irving
Merchant, F. F.
Martin, E. M.
Mims, Bill
Marler, E. E.
Martin, W. C.
Martin, Jewell
Martin, Mrs. Irona
Martin, Mrs. Onzell
Merchant, Mrs. Maggie
Marler, Mrs. Della J.
Martin, Mrs. Bamma
Martin, Mrs. Martha L.
Martin, Julia
Martin, Mrs. Julia
Murrah, Mrs. S. A.
Mims, Mrs. Ella
Martin, Mrs. Dora
McGraw, Mrs. Nancy
McNeil, Mrs. Emma A.
McGraw, Mrs. Bulah
McNeil, Mrs. Elizabeth
McNeil, Mrs. Lelia
McGraw, Mrs. Nancy
McNeil, McMae
Martin, Rouster
Nix, Proctor
Northcutt, N. M.
Nix, Mrs. Bamma
Ousley, Paul N.
Patton, J. W.
Posey, N. B.
Patton, J. H.
Prim, J. C.
Payne, J. G.
Patton, Mrs. Francis
Posey, Mrs. Ophelia
Reynolds, C. W.
Reynolds. S. J.
Rogers, J. A.
Ray, C. C.
Rogers, Houston
Robinson, A. D.
Rayborn, W. H.
Rodgers, Mrs. Ola
Reynolds, Mrs. Eula
Reynolds, Mrs. Sallie
Rodgers, Mrs. Ann
Rasberry, Mrs. Luretta
Ray, Mrs. Lina
Robinson, Mrs. Eugenia
Rodgers, Mrs. Lillie
Shaw, S. P.
Sorrell, Wilson
Shaw, C. N.
Sammons, L. S.
Scott, D. W.
Shaw, J. S.
Smith, W. M.
Scott, C. W.
Summers, G. E.
Scott, A. J.
Scott, E. L.
Smith, D. C.
Scott, J. N.
Sutley, J. D.
Sims, Charlie E.
Sorrell, Joshaway W.
Shaw, G. C.
Sturdivant, F. M.
Scott, R. R.
Sutley, Grady L.
Scott, Aaron J.
Scott, F. J.
Smith, Only S.
Sims, Wm. E.
Scott, R. R.
Scott, Mrs. Nunnie
Summers, Mrs. Maggie
Sims, Mrs. Emma
Splawn, Mrs. Tobitha
Sutley, Mrs. Alice
Scott, Mrs. Mary L.
Scott, Mrs. Seliand
Shaw, Mrs. Nellie D.
Scott, Mrs. Lelia
Shaw, Mrs. Mattie
Sturdivant, Mrs. Comilar
Smith, Mrs. Rosa
Sims, Mrs. Lois
Sorrell, Mrs. Jewell
Thomas, J. W.
Thomas, W. M.
Terry, J. N.
Thomas, W. H.
Thomas, W. E.
Thomas, J. L.
Thrash, M. E.
Thrash, Earnest E.
Thomas, Dennis Irene
Thrash, Mrs. Alice
Thrash, Mrs. Nettie
Wilson, G. P.
Wright, H. R.
Willis, D.
Waldrop, S. E.
Wilson, Mrs. Mary
Williams, Mrs. Ellen
Wells, Mrs. Nora
Whitaker, Mrs. Mattie
Williams, Mrs. Sarah
Williams, Mrs. Sallie E.
Webb, Mrs. Mamie
Yeargin, R. F.
Youngblood, P. H.

BEAT 3

Atchison, J. T.
Abrams, Ulyses
Andrew, N. Q.
Abrams, Mrs. Eureka P.
Bates, F. A.
Broadhead, Mrs. Lizzie
Crumpton, J. E.
Culp, J. A.
Childress, M. F.
Crim, R. L.
Childress, B. T.
Cobb, J. W.
Cooper, Geo. S.
Calfee, O. O.
Cooper, W. B.
Cooper, Charlie
Calfee, Mrs. Ioda
Childress, Mrs. Emmie
Calfee, Mrs. Juda
Cooper, Mrs. Effie
Cook, Mrs. Nora
Childress, Mrs. Callie
DeShazo, Guy H.
DeRamus, John M.
Durbin, A. J.
Deshazo, J. C.
Davenport, O. F.
Day, R. A.
DeShazo, W. F.
DeShazo, Mrs. Josephine
Durbin, Mrs. Lizzie
Deramus, Mrs. Sallie
DeShazo, Mrs. Maud
Frith, G. W.
Frith, Sumpter
Frankling, Martin
Fox, Mrs. Julia
Glasscock, J. D.
Gibson, E. L.
Groom, W. C.
Grooms, Mrs. Dora
Honeycutt, L. A.
Hayes, J. H.
Headley, Ira
Hayes, Maxwell
Jones, E. S.
Jones, T. C.
Jackson, E. F.
Jones, C. G.
Jones, B. H.
Jones, Mrs. Georgia
Lecroy, Alex
Large, John R.
Lecroy, Miss Eva Lena
Lecroy, Mrs. Lelah
McGraw, Mrs. Emma
Martin, D. M.
Maddox, W. F.
Mims, G. W., Sr.
Manning, A. B.
Manning, D. O.
Mims, G. C.
Mims, Mrs. Charlotte
Manning, Mrs. Letha Leona V.
Martin, Mrs. Sallie
Martin, Mrs. Emma
Manning, Mrs. Beatrice
Manning, Mrs. Emma C.
Nix, Mrs. Virgie M.
Peters, W. J.
Palmer, Mrs. Malissa
Rasberry, J. H.
Riggins, G. G.
Rachels, G. W.
Roebuck, R. N.
Riggins, Mrs. Rebecca
Rasberry, Mrs. Amelia
Smith, Y. E.
Veasey, W. H.
Veasey, R. L.
Vaughn, W. T.
Williams, R. J.
Williams, R. A.
Williams, Willie H.
Williams, J. N.
Waldrup, J. L.
Webb, Sidney J. M.
Waldrup, James L.
Wood, W. A.
Williams, C. C.
Williams, J. M.
White, W. T.
Walker, Miss Margaret
Walker, Miss Sallie
Wooley, Mrs. Hannah H.
Webb, Mrs. Laura
White, Vera Mae
Wooley, Mary Bell

BEAT 4—BOX 1

Alred, J. Hance
Alred, Mrs. Izora Callen
Adams, Mrs. Wm. M.
Baker, Joe
Broadhead, Grady D.
Baker, Alfred
Baker, Stephen L.
Baxley, A. B.
Burnett, C. C.
Bell, W. B.
Bean, W. T.
Browder, John W.
Bruce, Mrs. Amanda C.
Bruce, Mrs. Mattie L.
Broadhead, Mrs. Delene F.
Bates, Mrs. Benie
Bean, Leila
Baker, Joe A.
Baker, Mrs. Alice
Connell, J. W.
Culver, A. J.
Caton, P. L.
Cleckler, L. C.
Callen, Edward S.
Connell, R. N.
Caton, Cornelia
Callen, F. J.
Culp, C.
Cleckler, J. A.
Connell, Mrs. Lila
Collins, Mattie E.
Crichton, Mrs. Nannie
Connell, Mrs. Margaret C.
Campbell, Mrs. Ida
Callen, Mrs. Amy
Connell, Emma Adeline
Connell, Jessie
Collins, J. D.
Daniel, J. K. T.
Driver, J. T.
Dutton, J. T.
Deadwilder, Mrs. Nettie
Duke, Mrs. Teresa
Ellison, M. F.
Easterling, J. E.
Easterling, J. E.
Easterling, Cary E.
Easterling, G. N.
Easterling, Johnnie
Easterling, W. J.
Easterling, Mrs. Rebecca
Easterling, Mrs. Mary
Easterling, Mrs. Tobitha
Easterling, Mrs. Annie
Easterling, Miss Margie
Easterling, Mrs. Cora
Easterling, Mrs. Laura
Golden, R. C.
Goodgame, Roy
Giles, Jno.
Gore, H. T.
Gilmore, D. L.
Gray, G. G.
Gore, J. H.
Giles, J. T.
Gore, M. A.
Giles, Lomer
Giles, Omer L.
Giles, J. T.
Golden, G. B.
Goodgame, Robert H.
Gore, Mrs. Marinia
Gore, Mrs. Celia
Gore, Mrs. Emma V.
Golden, Mrs. Mollie
Gentry, Mrs. Martha J.
Gore, Mrs. Lillie
Gore, Mrs. Farice
Gragg, Mrs. Eula F.
Golden, Mrs. Lila
Headley, Lee
Holley, C. G.
Hand, W. A.
Headley, W. C.
Headley, W. J.
Honeycutt, H. V.
Headley, Lee
Hand, O. C.
Huckabee, S. A.
Huckabee, Mrs.Sarah Ann
Harper, Mrs. Annie
Hicks, Miss Eugene
Heath, Mrs. C. V.
Honeycutt, Mrs. Pearl
Headley, J. A.
Jones, Mason, F.
Johnson, N. S.
Jones, A. J.
Johnson, Samuel E.
Johnson, Andrew
Johnson, J. J.
Jones, W. C.
Jones, W. W., Jr.
Jones, W. W.
Johnson, John
Johnston, D. Y.
Jackson, W. A.
Jones, Rufus L.
Jones, W. H.
Jones, Mrs. Louise
Jones, Mrs. Arra
Jones, Mrs. Amantha
Jackson, Mrs. Rosa
Jackson, Mrs. Lora
Johnson, Mrs. Margaret
Johnson, Mrs. N. S.
Kennedy, Irving P.
Lande, Maurice
Lindsey, Vatchel
Lowe, Mrs. Eva L.
Lande, Mrs. Sadie
Lowe, Edna
McSwain, T. C.
McMorris, Mrs. Jennie
McSwain, Mrs. T. C.
Miner, J. N.
Maddox, J. A.
Minor, A. N.
Miller, C. T.
Moates, R.
Mims, G. N.
Maddox, J. H.
Marcus, E. H.
Martin, L. P.
Minor, J. G.
Maddox, A. J.
Minor, Jodie
Miller, Henry
Moates, Caby C.
Mims, Willie
Mims, Monroe
Mullins, W. K.
Maddox, A. D.
Marcus, P. G.
Marlow, J. B.
Mims, E. H.
Moore, J. N.
Mims, Elijah
Mims, A. N.
Miller, R. A.
Miller, R. A., Jr.
Mullins, J. R.
Minor, E. D.
Maddox, J. W.
Miner, T. N.
Minor, J. E.
Maddox, T. L.
Mullins, W. I.
Moore, J. Watts
Marcus, D. W.
Mullins, Kathleen
Murphy, Mrs. Ella J.
Mims, Mrs. Laura
Marler, Mrs. Simmie
Mullins, Mrs. Blanche
Maddox, Mrs. Rosa Lee
Marlar, Mrs. Saloma
Maddox, Mrs. Louisa
Mullins, Mary A.
Mullins, Mrs. S. A.
McKee, Nancy E.
Mims, Minnie
Maddox, Mrs. Salie E.
Moore, Mrs. Emma M.
Mims, Mrs. Minnie P.
Murphy, Margie
Minor, N. L.
Mims, A. H.
Murphy, J. W.
Noah, P. W.
Oakes, J. W.
Pipes, H. T.
Price, Tilden
Pyron, T. M.
Pyron, T. S.
Parrish, J. L.
Pool, W. M.
Popwell, Monroe
Parker, J. T.
Powell, J. R.
Popwell, J. R.
Plier, G. E.
Powell, Rufus E.
Powell, A. W.
Pembleton, J. H.
Pembleton, J. H.
Plier, E. E.
Popwell, John R.
Parrish, Evan
Plier, G. H.
Popwell, R.
Popwell, L. A.
Parrish, E. H., Sr.
Popwell, Emmett
Parrish, W. Lonnie
Plier, M. S.
Pipes, Mrs. Nettie
Potts, J. M.
Plier, A. M.
Plier, Mrs. Mary
Parrish, Miss Julia
Parrish, Mrs. Glennie E.
Powell, Mrs. Laura
Powell, Schasler
Powell, Mrs. Lillie
Powell, J. L.
Robinson, J. E.
Robinson, Dolby
Rogers, T. J.
Robinson, J. P.
Robinson, Charlie C.
Robinson, O. R.
Robinson, W. C.
Rutherford, G. D.
Retherford, G. T.
Robinson, W. R.
Robinson, Mrs. Susie
Retherford, Mrs. Maggie A.
Robinson, S. E.
Robinson, Mrs. Georgia
Robinson, Mrs. Annie
Sanders, G. W.
Spigener, W. B.
Sawyer, Robert L.
Smith, Will
Sharbutt, T. C.
Simpson, Mrs. Essie
Sims, Mrs. Anstis
Smith, Mrs. Kate
Splawn, Mrs. Emma C.
Stewart, Mrs. S. A.
Smith, Mamie C.
Sanders, Mrs. Eliza
Spigener, Mrs. Brooks
Smith, Virgil
Traywick, E. C.
Thomas, Curry D.
Teel, J. W.
Teel, Luther J.
Taylor, E. F.
Traywick, W. M.
Thompson, J. T.
Teel, T. J.
Thomas, Frank W.
Thompson, B. D.
Tippett, Geo. T.
Thompson, H. F.
Teel, W. F.
Traywick, G. W.
Thacker, Mrs. Annie
Thompson, Annie
Taylor, Mrs. Martha
Wyatt, T. G.
Wyatt, R. F.
Wyatt, J. M.
Willis, W. S.
Wyatt, Thomas E.
Walker, Pud
Wyatt, Thos. E.
Wyatt, Mrs. Martha Ann
Wyatt, Mrs. Annie D.
Willis, Mrs. Susan
White, Mrs. Laura
Wyatt, Mrs. Thairriba
Wade, Mrs. Bell H.
Wyatt, Eva
Zimerman, Mrs. Nora Bell

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Arant, M. B.
Atkinson, J. B.
Armstrong, J. D.
Ayers, A. A.
Alred, D. C.
Alred, Mrs. Hattie
Arant, Mrs. Lula B.
Armstrong, Mrs. Dovie
Bussey, Perry M.
Bussie, Henry C.
Baker, Dolphus G.
Broadhead, Jas. D.
Burnett, H. M.
Brown, M. Leon
Broadhead, J. R.
Barrett, Chas. E.
Branch, R. T.
Baker, John W.
Broadhead, M. C.
Blalock, W. A.
Bean, E. M.
Bridges, Mrs. Winnie D.
Burnett, Mrs. M. L.
Baker, Etta
Broadhead, Mrs. Fannie
Brown, Mrs. Myrtle
Blassingame, Mrs. Fannie
Blankenship, Mrs. Sarah A.
Branch, Mrs. C. L.
Crumpton, A. B.
Colley, J. H.
Culpepper, W. F.
Culp, J. L.
Cowart, D. F.
Cowart, J. H.
Culver, A. V.
Culp, Walter L.
Carter, T. L.
Curlee, J. M.
Culp, W. G.
Chandler, H. F.
Collins, I. V.
Collins, A. H.
Childress, W. Q.
Culp, J. J.
Corley, J. A.
Cox, J. P.
Cox, C. B.
Crumpton, C. C.
Cowart, J. H.
Carter, Chas. W.
Calloway, J. N.
Crumpton, J. P.
Culpepper, C. N.
Collins, A. L., Jr.
Culp, J. J.
Culver, H. E.
Chandler, Mrs. Jessie
Calloway, Mrs. Gertrude Popwell
Culp, Mrs. Ola
Curley, Ida
Cox, Mrs. Bama
Collins, Mrs. Emma
Cox, Mrs. Mary E.
Culpepper, Mrs. Anna D.
Childress, Miss Nora
Culp, Mrs. Emma
Crumpton, Mrs. J. P.
Culp, Mrs. W. G.
Carter, Mrs. Perlie
Duncan, A. J.
Davis, Herbert
Duke, W. J.
Duke, G. R.
Driver, F. M.
Duncan, Mrs. Mamie
Duncan, Mrs. Katie
Devaughn, Mrs. Temperance
Duncan, Mrs. Sallie
Duke, Mrs. Seeny
Davis, Miss Estha
Edwards, Van B.
Easterling, D. D.
Ellis, Alma
Foshee, A. L.
Foshee, R. M.
Foshee, H. L.
Foshee, J. W.
Foshee, Rufus
Fulmer, J. D.
Foshee, F. M.
Foshee, J. H.
Foshee, A. L.
Foshee, W. H.
Foshee, Mrs. Della
Foshee, Mrs. Mary M.
Foshee, Mrs. Sula
Foshee, Mrs. Carrie
Foshee, Mrs. Emma
Foshee, Mrs. Nannie
Foshee, Miss Eula
Foshee, Mrs. Martha
Foshee, Mrs. Mary
Foshee, Mrs. Dora
Gragg, Dr. V. J.
Hayes, Leonard
Hayes, J. J.
Henley, Clarence J.
Higgins, B. F.
Headley, D. C.
Hand, Tom
Hand, D. D.
Hart, Henry F.
Heard, V. J.
Henly, Fred
Headley, G. J.
Henley, J. W.
Hays, J. G.
Headley, Albert
Hand, Mary L.
Headley, Mrs. Elizabeth
Hosey, Mrs. Eudora
Hester, Mrs. Beverly
Henderson, Mrs. Lizzie
Headley, Miss Florence
Hester, Mrs. Sarah
Henly, Mrs. Mattie
Headley, Mrs. Bell
Hann, Mrs. Nancy
Handley, Mrs. Hattie
Higgins, Mrs. Elizabeth F
Heard, Mrs. Victor J.
Jones, Vernon D.
Jacks, W. E.
Jones, Sam
Jacks, D. F.
Jones, William
Jones, J. H.
Jones, Mrs. Katie
Jones, Mrs. Willie Philip
Jones, Mrs. Dora
Jones, Mrs. Mattie
Johnson, Mrs. Mary Adell
Jackson, J. A. M.
Jones, Renfroe
Jones, Otto
Kennedy, W. A.
Kemp, T. W.
Kicker, Mrs. S. J.
Kennedy, Clara T.
Littlejohn, J. W.
Lewis, J. E.
Littleton, Pinckey
Little, H. B.
Littlejohn, R. W., Jr.
Littleton, J. M.
Littlejohn, W. F.
Littlejohn, J. M.
Littlejohn, Noah
Littlejohn, Paul
Littlejohn, Marion
Littlejohn, W. F.
Littlejohn, Mrs. Lula
Littlejohn, Miss Lena
Littlejohn, Mrs. Perditta
Littlejohn, Mrs. Abbie
Littlejohn, Mrs. Zula
Lowery, Jeanie
Lowery, Mrs. Martha
Latham, Miss Della
Littlejohn, Mrs. Matilda
Littlejohn, Mrs. Lizzie
Littlejohn, Mrs. Lucy
Littlejohn, Mrs. Lula
Lenoir, Mrs. Lecy
Littlejohn, Mrs. Abbie
Littlejohn, Mrs. Olive R.
McKee, G. O.
McKee, Mrs. Myrtle
Massey, J. S.
Messer, Mc. D.
Melton, G. W.
Melton, D. T.
Mastin, Frank C.
Morris, S. E.
Massey, B. F.
Marcus, Raymond H.
Moore, J. W.
Marcus, Clay C.
Morris, W. J.
Messer, C. D., Jr.
Melton, G. D.
Mims, J. Z.
Mastin, O. C.
Miller, S. Vester
Mims, Mrs. Lois
Morris, Miss Martha
Mims, Lois Williams
Morris, Mrs. Fannie
Mims, Mrs. Sarah J.
Minor, Mrs. A. N.
Morris, Martha
Melton, Mrs. Ella
Moore, Mrs. Mary E.
Mastin, Mrs. Mary
Messer, Mrs. Loua
Mastin, Orville H.
Neighbors, T. H.
Nabors, Mrs. Nell
Popwell, W. Lloyd
Pitts, Percy M.
Popwell, Leona
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Popwell, Miss Myrtle
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Riggins, R. C.
Rasberry, C. N.
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Roper, C. M.
Reynolds, W. A.
Ruffin, J. L.
Rowell, L. M.
Reynolds, L. H.
Rasberry, G. S.
Rasberry, J. P.
Ramsey, Wiley
Reynolds, R. L.
Rasberry, James E.
Riggins, S. H.
Reynolds, Grady
Rollins, A. M.
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Roberts, Guy H.
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Reynolds, Eudora Conelia
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Roberts, Mrs. Mary
Riggins, Martha J.
Roper, Mrs. Martha
Riggins, Mrs. Mary E.
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Roy, Mrs. Bessie
Reynolds, Mrs. Julia H.
Ramsey, Mrs. Julia
Reynolds, Sudie Lenon
Ruffin, Mrs. Maud D.
Rawlinson, Mrs. Isabell
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Smith, R. M.
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Scott, Mrs. Lizzie
Smith, Mrs. Printcilla
Smith, Mrs. Dora
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Turner, J. T.
Taylor, W. H.
Thomas, B. C.
Tyus, Cecil T.
Thomas, E. A.
Tippett, J. H.
Taylor, Mrs. Mary
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Thomas, Mrs. Nannie
Thornton, Miss Rosa
Teel, Carrie B.
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Upchurch, E. E.
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Varden, E. F.
Vance, P. A.
Varden, H. W.
Vinson, Kin M.
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Vance, Mrs. Emma J.
Varden, Miss Emma F.
Vinson, Mrs. Effie O.
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Vinson, Minnie Alice
Vinson, Sam
Ward, N. G.
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Wyatt, W. H.
Wells, A. C.
Watson, W. J.
Williams, T. L.
Wilson, A. J.
Wyatt, W. M.
Ward, R. E. L.
White, M. L.
Wilson, W. S.
Wyatt, G. M.
Walker, H. L.
Ware, A. J.
Williams, Thomas
Walker, W. M.
Wells, W. H.
Woodyard, F. R.
Wright, W. H.
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Wells, R. L.
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Ward, Mrs. Minnie
Ward, Mrs. Celestia
Woodyard, Mrs. Nancy
Watson, Mrs. Annie
Wilson, Mrs. Docie
Williams, Mrs. Maggie B.
Wilson, Mrs. Dora
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Williams, Mrs. Lillie
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Baker, J. R.
Baker, John
Baker, E. R.
Baker, J. M.
Brown, Allen F.
Baker, Miss Monnie
Culp, C. M.
Culp, C. C.
Candler, W. A.
Cassell, B. A.
Chambers, J. W.
Carroll, E.
Carroll, E. H.
Culp, Jesse Albert
Culp, W. E.
Culpepper, E. B.
Cowart, Charlie
Carroll, Mrs. Viola
Culp, Mrs. Emily E.
Calloway, Mrs. Dora
Culpepper, Mrs. Cora
Cassell, Mrs. Mattie
Cleckler, Mrs. Rachel
Culp, Mrs. Melitae
Candler, Mrs. Kate
Cotton, Mrs. Ida
Carroll, Mrs. Lula
Durbin, Francis M.
Duke, Charlie
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Dunlap, Mrs. Lucy
Dobbs, Mrs. Matilda J.
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Elmore, V. J.
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Armstrong, Dora
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Baker, Claud M.
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Boyd, W. R.
Baker, J. W.
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Baker, A. F.
Baker, Wm. R.
Baker, Jesse
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Baker, Mollie
Baker, Mrs. Rosie
Baker, Mrs. Eliza A.
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Baker, Mrs. Fannie
Baker, Mary
Blalock, Mrs. Jennie
Baker, Mrs. Ella
Bishop, Mrs. Queen
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Baker, Isabell
Baker, Mrs. Mary
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Bruce, Mrs. Maude
Blackwell, Fleaty
Baker, Derila
Connatser, Brodus M.
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Cleckler, T. C.
Connell, F. M.
Calloway, Fred
Curry, Thomas A.
Calloway, W. J.
Cleckler, W. M.
Cox, Arthur
Cleckler, A. C.
Cox, John M.
Culver, M. C.
Cooper, J. W.
Cooper, Mrs. Mattie
Calloway, Mrs. Alice D.
Calloway, Mrs. Lizzie
Curry, Clara B.
Cox, Mrs. Ella
Culver, Mrs. Sallie
Calloway, Spurgeon
Driver, Alton
Dupree, J. L.
Dykes, J. A.
Davis, W. G.
Denson, C. C.
Davis, J. M.
Darden, W. R.
Denty, F. W.
Downs, J. G.
Danforth, H. S.
Devaughn, H. W.
Devaughn, Sanford M.
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Dennis, J. N.
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Dennis, Miss Nettie
Dennis, Mrs. Ola
Denty, Mrs. Carrie E.
Downs, Leah M.
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Dykes, Mrs. Anna
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Downs, Mrs. Ethel
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Easterling, Lee D.
Easterling, Cary
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Easterling, B.
Ellison, W. J.
Eubanks, Dewey
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Edwards, Mrs. Lula
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Foshee, Roy L.
Farley, A. L.
Foshee, J. Wiley
Foshee, G. O.
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Franklin, J. W.
Fox, Willie Edna Stewart
Farley, Mrs. Annie
Farley, Mrs. Rose
Foshee, Mrs. Argie
Floyd, Mrs. Mary
Franklin, Mrs. Amanda
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Foshee, Mrs. Alice
Foshee, D. O.
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Goodgame, F. B.
Gore, J. L.
Gerald, Lawrence
Gowan, J. E.
Glenn, H. B.
Gallman, Mrs. Ada
Gulledge, Mrs. Louisa S.
Gardner, Bettie M.
Gowan, Mrs. Ruth J.
Gore, Mrs. J. L.
Grant, Mrs. Ida
Gibson, Mrs. Sallie
Grant, Mrs. Lilla
Gerald, Ella M.
Gillespie, Lennie L.
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Harris, H. A. J.
Harris, G. C.
Hodgins, J. D.
Huckabee, J. M.
Hurt, W. H.
Hart, Eric
Harris, H. A.
Hand, W. W.
Higgins, John B.
Hill, W. O.
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Hilyer, F. C.
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Marcus, T. J.
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Mosely, M. J.
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Marcus, A. W.
Maddox, J. J.
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Mims, Wm. J.
Mims, Joe P.
Mims, E. C.
Minor, W. G.
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Martin, J. Mell
Mims, Lois
Mullins, Henry D.
Martin, Walter E.
Mims, Winston
Mitchel, Samuel M.
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Moore, G. L.
Mims, H. L.
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Mims, Mrs. Minnie
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Mullins, Mrs. Nell
Mitchel, Mrs. Margaret
Mullins, Bettie
Mims, Mrs. Allie
Marcus, Cora
Mims, Mrs. Sarah J.
Mims, Mrs. Nancy
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Miner, Miss Mary
Mullins, Mrs. Cara
Miner, Mrs. Minerva
Mims, Mrs. Hattie D.
Miner, Mrs. Lula
Minor, Ucibie
Mims, Mrs. Schrilla
Mims, Mrs. Julia
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Mims, Mrs. Pharoah
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Peter, Martin
Pierce, J. P.
Popwell, Horace G.
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Parrish, Daniel
Patterson, Henry
Pope, Geo. C.
Parrish, Wibb S.
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Parrish, W. E.
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Plier, Mrs. Velma
Payton, Elsie
Price, Rebecca
Parrish, Mrs. Birdie
Parrish, Mrs. Louisa E.
Phillips, Mrs. C. G.
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Parrish, Mrs. Glennie T.
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Robinson, A. L.
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Rembert, Mrs. Rena
Robinson, Mrs. Callie
Rich, Mrs. M. E.
Robinson, Mrs. Ollie Mims
Robinson, Mrs. Renie
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Sandlin, T. A.
Smith, James
Smith, J. W.
Singleton, Emmett
Scott, L. A.
Satterwhite, J. W.
Smitherman, W. P.
Speer, Cary
Swint, C. C.
Smith, A. C.
Scott, A. B.
Smith, J. L.
Sanford, W. L.
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Smith, Mrs. Lee
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Teel, T. L.
Taylor, Grady
Traywick, J. H.
Thompson, J. R.
Thomas, J. F.
Tuttle, John
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Thomas, John A.
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Thomas, Mrs. J. A.
Thomas, Mrs. Mary
Thompson, Miss Clara
Taylor, Mrs. Allie
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Vinson, J. H.
Wilson, Jake C.
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Wagoner, E. D.
Wilson, J. L.
Ward, D. L.
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Wyatt, G. F. M.
Wilson, Abigade
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Abernathy, Mrs. Dollie
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Bogan, G. W.
Bookholdt, J.
Brown, H. T.
Baker, Arcue
Bell, William
Brungess, S. H.
Brazeal, I. N.
Brown, I. N.
Brown, C. L.
Bland, J. T.
Boyd, E. W.
Body, W. R.
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Baxley, Mrs. Hattie
Byrett, Mrs. Ella
Baker, Mrs. L. E.
Burton, Mrs. Ida I.
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Cooper, Wesley
Clay, Peter
Culver, E. F.
Cooper, Charles
Culver, G. E.
Coren, D. W.
Cunningham, J. R.
Culver, A. A.
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Clark, R. L.
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Caffman, W. H.
Champion, V. B.
Catts, J. S.
Cook, O. B.
Colley, J. A.
Cobern, G. W.
Cobern, E. W.
Clark, W. S.
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Cobern, Mrs. Mary A.
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Champion, Mrs. Nellie
Clark, Miss Flora
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Deramus, John B.
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Dennis, Mrs. Mattie
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Deramus, Annie Ruth
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Goss, W. A.
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Gulledge, T. B.
Grogan, H. S.
Garrott, J. E.
Gulledge, F. A.
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Gray, W. J.
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Gulledge, Mrs. Sallie B.
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Hobgood, Robert
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Howard, J. W.
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Howard, Mrs. Anna
Henderson, Mrs. Effie
Hurtt, Miss Zula
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Irvin, W. F.
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Jones, A. M.
Jones, Alfred W.
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Jones, Stanley
Jones, P. M.
Jones, Mrs. Lola
Jones, Mrs. Rosa
Jones, Mrs. Eliza C.
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Jones, Mrs. Mary J.
Jones, Mrs. Mary
Kennedy, H. M.
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Kemp, J. H.
Keith, J. N.
Kelley, Joseph M.
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Lake, T. G.
Lee, A. H.
Lett, Grady E.
Lentz, James B.
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Atchison, Mrs. Mary L.
Brown, L. N.
Bearden, E.
Braswell, Mrs. Hulda
Bearden, Mrs. Lou An
Childress, J. N.
Crumpton, John
Crumpton, C. C.
Childress, M. C.
Cox, M. T.
Cofer, J. N.
Childress, M. C.
Crumpton, Robie
Childress, Mrs. Emma
Crumpton, Mrs. Lizzie
Cost, Mrs. Victoria
Crumpton, Mrs. Tempie
Cofer, Trufena
Cofer, Marion J.
Childress, W. E.
Elam, T. L.
Franklin, Thomas P.
Freeman, Hoyt
Franklin, Mrs. Adelia
Freeman, Mrs. Martha L.
Glasscock, B. G.
Glass, Harvey
Glasscock, S. G.
Gibson, Miss Delene
Gibson, Mrs. Mattie
Glasscock, Mrs. Margaret
Hubbard, T. J.
Hodgins, J. H.
Hayes, W. G.
Hodgens, G. W.
Hodgins, D. H.
Hodgens, J. D.
Hubbard, Mrs. Mary A.
Hodgens, Mrs. Mintie
Hodgens, Mrs. Mollie
Hodgins, Mrs. Mary E.
Jones, S. D.
Jones, Z. T.
Jones, Miss Sula
Jones, Mrs. Lucy
Littleton, George W.
Lanoire, E. L.
Littleton, Joseph
Miskelley, W. Emmett
Morgain, J. H.
Martin, Clifford C.
Misskelley, J. M.
Merchant, W. M.
Martin, L. F.
Merchant, Mrs. Minnie
Nix, Mrs. Alice
Nix, Mrs. Martha L.
Nix, Mrs. Anna J.
Nix, J. T.
Nix, J. P.
Nix, Miss Etha
Posey, L. G.
Posey, Napoleon
Plier, Charlie H.
Posey, N. B.
Posey, Allen O.
Posey, Mrs. Annie
Pate, Mrs. Ella
Rasberry, W. G.
Rasberry, B. F.
Rasberry, Fleetwood
Redding, W. R.
Redden, Mrs. Omer
Smith, W. E.
Smith, J. L.
Spivey, G. W.
Smith, Mrs. Mary J.
Smith, Mrs. Bill
Sexton, Russell C.
Veasey, J. C.
Veasey, James Wesley
VanBuren, Miss Rebecca
Veasey, Mrs. Mamie
Ward, J. A.
Waldrop, I. L.
Waldrop, S. M.
Waldrop, Joseph
Wright, Mrs. Callie F.

BEAT 15

Abbott, J. L.
Anderson, J. P.
Atchison, Roscoe E.
Abbott, S. R.
Anderson, J. F.
Adams, J. P.
Abbott, T. C.
Atchison, J. G.
Abbott, B. F.
Abbott, K. R.
Abbott, J. T.
Abbott, Ernest A.
Abbott, Mrs. Margaret
Abbott, Ulnah
Abbott, Margaret
Abbott, Mrs. S. R.
Abbott, Mrs. Nettie
Bice, I. W.
Burnett, W. D.
Broadhead, J. Horman
Broadhead, L. B.
Baker, Neeley
Bone, W. J.
Broadhead, Walter
Baker, Eva
Burnett, Mrs. Alice
Broadhead, Mrs. Maye L.
Carter, A. C.
Christian, J. C.
Cox, J. T.
Culp, J. D.
Culp, R. G.
Culp, J. C.
Culp, J. O.
Chandler, J. E.
Cox, W. S.
Culp, R. Sam
Culp, Arelius B.
Carter, Henry G.
Chandler, S. S.
Culp, J. M.
Chandler, Mrs. E. L.
Culp, Mrs. Avacenia
Cox, Mrs. Sarah
Cox, Mrs. Mollie D.
Crane, Mrs. Ada M.
Chandler, Mrs. M. F.
Culp, Angeline
Caldwell, Elsie Mae
Caldwell, Mrs. E. G.
Dickerson, W. C.
Donovan, W. J.
Dickinson, T. L.
Deavers, A. D.
Donovan, D.
Deason, Robert F.
Deavers, A. J.
Dickinson, Hattie E.
Deason, Mary F.
Durbin, Mrs. Annie Eliza
Deason, Mrs. Mattie
Dickerson, Mrs. Julia
Dickerson, J. O.
Dickerson, R. H.
Donovan, T.
Dickerson, George
Edwards, C. E.
Edwards, John
Edwards, E. E.
Edwards, John
Edwards, Mrs. Riney
Edwards, Mrs. Belle
Edwards, Mrs. Ola
Fisher, W. A.
Franklin, C. H.
Foshee, A. B.
Franklin, W. T.
Fisher, Henry
Franklin, John
Franklin, Mrs. Eliza
Giles, H. W.
Gibson, F. A.
Giles, A. W.
Giles, Mrs. Lou S.
Hayes, Alonza W.
Hicks, James F.
Hicks, James R.
Henley, L. W.
Hicks, A. E.
Hayes, J. L.
Henson, Percie
Hicks, A. E.
Hayes, R. W.
Henderson, N. H.
Henley, S. A.
Headley, W. J.
Headley, G. A.
Hicks, Lela
Hill, Della
Henley, Mrs. Ella C.
Henley, Mrs. L. W.
Jones, Mrs. Nannie
Jones, Mrs. Georgia
Kendrick, R. W.
Kendrick, J. S.
Klinner, T. J.
Keen, G. A.
Klinner, Claud
Klinner, J. F.
Klinner, W. W.
Kendrick, R. P.
Keen, Mrs. Margaret A.
Klinner, Mrs. Callie
Lockhart, J. W.
Langston, J. W.
Langston, T. P.
Langston, J. C.
Langston, Sarah J.
Littleton, Mrs. Lettie
Landers, Mrs. Carrie
Littleton, Miss Maggie
McKee, Sallie
McDaniel, Mrs. Margaret
Mims, E. C.
Minor, T. B.
Milford, M. L.
Milford, J. L.
Mills, R. P.
Moates, W. J.
Mims, W. G.
Mills, R. T.
Milford, W. P.
Mims, W. G.
Miner, Emma Eliddie
Mims, Mrs. Laura
Mims, Mrs. Winefred
Motts, Mrs. Lula
Moates, Mrs. Lula
Mills, Mrs. Mamie
Miner, Mrs. Janie
Milford, Miss Mary S.
Mills, Mrs. Ella F.
Milford, Mrs. Sallie
Owens, C. B.
Owens, W. E.
Owens, J. J.
Pool, J. A.
Poole, W. A.
Poole, J. F.
Pool, Mrs. Beedie
Ratliff, J. H.
Ratliff, H. B.
Roebuck, R. N.
Roper, W. L.
Ratliff, H. L.
Rawlinson, J. F.
Roper, R. E.
Roper, Matthews
Ratliff, S. B., Jr.
Rainwater, T. B.
Ratliff, S. B.
Ratliff, G. W.
Rawlinson, M. C.
Roebuck, W. M.
Ratliff, M. M.
Rawlinson, Mrs. Eugenia
Roper, Mrs. Bertha M.
Roper, Mrs. Sallie J.
Rawlinson, Mrs. Charity
Rawlinson, Mrs. Lottie
Rawlinson, Mrs. Eugina
Ratliff, Mrs. Florence
Roebuck, Mrs. Minnie
Roper, Mrs. Susie E.
Rawlinson, Nettie
Smith, J. W.
Smith, W. O.
Short, J. R.
Scott, E. P.
Sewell, O. E.
Smith, Leonard L.
Short, Johnnie
Sims, O. Y.
Smith, D. T.
Smith, W. D.
Smith, William
Smith, J. L.
Smith, F.
Scott, O. F.
Smith, C. O.
Sims, Mrs. S. E.
Sims, Mrs. S. E.
Smith, Mrs. Mary
Scott, Mrs. Mollie
Smith, Rebecca A.
Sewell, Mrs. L. S.
Short, Mrs. Fannie
Scott, Mrs. Rosa
Scott, Mrs. Mary A.
Traywick, J. J.
Turner, Alvin
Turner, A. L.
Turner, Oscar R.
Traywick, H. L.
Turner, Jason H.
Williams, C.
Wilson, Foncey D.
Williams, J. B.
White, W. R.
Williams, J. P.
Williams, W. J.
Williams, Marvin
Weldon, C. B.
Williams, W. W.
Williams, G. B.
Weldon, S. J.
Wiliams, Mrs. S. F.
Wilson, Mrs. Bessie
Weldon, Mrs. Lillie
Williams, Mrs. Anna

BEAT 16

Adams, S. D.
Adams, W. S.
Adams, Miss Rosa S.
Adams, Mrs. Jane C.
Bates, J. L.
Bates, Tom
Bryant, Mrs. Callie
Boswell, A. O.
Cleckler, J. W.
Cleckler, Fonza
Caton, J. A.
Cleckler, Mrs. Susie
Collins, Mrs. Lissie
Cleckler, Mrs. Lillie
Cleckler, Mrs. Lillian
Cleckler, Mrs. Eliz
Easterling, J. L.
Easterling, Mrs. Mahalie
Easterling, Mrs. Mary
Headley, J. A.
Johnson, A. R.
Johnson, A. J.
Johnson, Mrs. Lucinda
Johnson, Mrs. Lucinda
Johnson, Mrs. Mary Jane
Mims, Simmons
Mitchell, Jesse C.
Mims, Sidney I.
Miner, J. B.
Mims, R. W.
Mims, J. M.
Mims, J. M.
Mims, J. A. W.
Miner, Jodie
Minor, Matthew
Miller, Mrs. Fannie
Miner, Mrs. Mary K.
Miner, Mrs. Rosa
Miner, Mrs. Blanchie May
Mims, Mrs. Ada
Moats, Mrs. Farbie J.
Miner, Menerva
Miner, Mrs. Bethana
Mims, Mrs. Dora
Mims, Mrs. Dora
Mitchel, Mrs. Pollie
Miner, Mrs. Ucible
Nation, S. J.
Powell, A. J.
Parrish, M. J.
Powell, Thos. M.
Powell, G. C.
Pilkinton, J. J.
Parrish, Mrs. Arra
Powell, Mrs. Delilah
Pilkinton, Mrs. Sallie
Robinson, W. W.
Robinson, J. M.
Robinson, R. M.
Robinson, Riley
Robinson, W. H.
Robinson, G. C.
Robinson, C. H.
Robinson, Moses
Robinson, E., Jr.
Robinson, Mrs. Sarah J.
Robinson, Mrs. Cora
Robinson, Mrs. Rittie
Robinson, Mrs. Savilla
Robinson, Mrs. Lillian
Robinson, Mrs. Maggie
Robinson, Mrs. Annie L.
Robinson, Mrs. Sallie
Robinson, Mrs. Donie
Thomas, W. E., Jr.
Thomas, R. M.
Thomas, Mrs. Delilah C.
Wyatt, W. C.
Wyatt, W. C. B.
Wyatt, T. J.
Wyatt, E. L.
Willis, Napoleon
Willis, Martin J.
Wyatt, Mrs. Zadie
Williamson, Mrs. Martha Jane
Wilson, Mrs. Janie
Willis, Mrs. Isabelle

I, L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, in and for Chilton County, State of Alabama, hereby certify that the above list as the same appears by precincts and districts, constitutes the correct list of all qualified electors who will be entitled to vote in any election held in said county from the time of this publication until the first day of May of 1925.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

April 10th, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that any voter duly registered whose name does not appear upon the above list and who has paid all poll taxes and who is legally entitled to vote shall have ten days from the above publication to have his or her name entered upon said list of qualified voters.

If any elector's name does not appear upon said list who has duly registered and paid all poll taxes due, if you will write me or come in person and see me and give me the time and place of your registration, the exact date of your birth, the different names, if any, that your poll taxes might have been paid in, also what county or counties you might have paid poll taxes in, and if I cannot get your record straight from this data, I will write you of the exact trouble as I understand it.

The electorate is further notified that the law allows ten days from the above publication for the electors of the State to have their names entered upon said list, if reasonably proven to be qualified voters.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Julge of Probate.

April 10th, 1924.

LIBERTY NEWS

We are glad to say health of this community is very good at present.

Mrs. G. W. Sansom has been on the sick list for several weeks, but is able to be visiting her father, Mr. James G. Minor a few days this week in Maplesville.

Miss Leila Minor is spending a few days with her cousins, Misses Meadie and Mae Sansom.

Mr. E. P. Littlejohn, wife and children and Miss Frances Lowery motored to Thorsby Sunday.

Mr. D. E. Sansom and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith Sunday.

Miss Verbie Dee Williams dined with Miss Senora Culp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Edwards from Siluria, Misses Lettie Smith, Katie Lee Wells and Mr. Howard Smith were the guests of Miss Meadie Sansom Sunday.

Miss Lettie Smith was the guest of Miss Katie Lee Wells Saturday night.

Mr. Jim Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Edwards spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Sansom.

Messrs. Howard and Philmon Smoth were the guests of Mr. Earl Williams Saturday night.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everyone is invited to come.

MARS HILL

There will be singing at this place every second Sunday evening in the Christian Harmony books, and the fourth Sunday evening in the 1924 Showalter books. Everybody come and help.

There will be Sunday school at this place next Sunday. Everybody come and join us.

Never neglect a cough

PUT an end to it at once with Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. Loosens hard-packed phlegm, soothes inflamed tissues, restores normal breathing. Made of the same medicines your own doctor prescribes, combined with the good old standby — pine-tar honey. You'll like its taste, too. Keep Dr. Bell's on hand for all the family.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

New Spring Millinery

Entrancingly Novel!

Milady will be charmed by the unusual styles and fabrics in chic millinery that have come forth this spring. While the trend is toward the becomingly large hat, the chic small models are much in evidence. You will find both featured in this sales' event.

Truly exclusive styles. Models for every occasion; modestly priced.

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POOR OR

HONOR ROLL FOR THE CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent or tardy:

Fifth Grade

Bill Minor, Arthur Johnson, Bronson Ruffin, Martha Foshee, Janice Danforth, Nelson Parrish, Mary Nell Goodgame.

Fourth Grade

Zebbie Gray, Vivian Gray, Mary Heard, Erin Foshee, Ruth Mims, Herman Harris, Ruth Mims, Jane Roberts, Raymond Taylor, Joe VanDerveer, Jeanette Wallace, Pauline Wells.

Third Grade

Dorothy Sessions, Byron Bean, Anderson Wallace, J. P. Jones, Doris Aldridge, Frances Maddox, Ephram Wesson, Ophelia Hayes, Ruth Maddox.

Second Grade

Earl Gray, Lawrence Gerald, Alex Hayes, Herbert Neighbors.

First Grade

Flora Thomas, Nell Neighbors, Clara Cowart, Mary Frances Raspberry, Chloe Nevins, Helen Moore, James Roberson, John Ezell, John Thomas Marlar, J. D. Jones, Edward Roy, Robert Luckie, Jewell Taylor.

SECOND HONOR ROLL

The following pupils have made an average above 85:

Fifth Grade

Vivian Sanders, Elizabeth Johnson, Lester Carter, Amie Gray, Johnnie Culp, Foster Miller, Erle Ellis, Mary Foshee, Georgia Wood, Julia Ruth Hester, Ottis Gray, Louise McSwain, Jo Erle Gowan, Ralph Roy, Mary Goodwin Jones, Frances Massey, Leola Calloway, Mary Agnes Cowart, Ora Mae Lawley.

Fourth Grade

Ila Mell Arant, U. L. Foshee, Myrtle Headley, Ethel Mae Jones, Miriam Kittrell, Josephine Littlejohn, Leora Mims, Leroy Martin, Allie Mae Wesson, Esther Lee Dennis, Jennie Welch, Harvey Lee Jones, Mary Lucile Calloway.

Third Grade

Joe Roberson, Reedless Headley, Grady Carter, Clyde Morris, Mary Nell Jones, Elizabeth McSwain, Sallie Mahan, Janibeth Johnson, Nathan Tippett.

Second Grade

Mary Charles Cox, Julia Edwards, Marie Fraser, Elizabeth Harris, Mary Louise Moatts, Rose Mary Pickens, Alice Mae Polk, Myrtle Powell, Mary Agnes Welch, Mary Alice Mahan, Ruth Gray, Monroe Askins, Hal Broadhead, James Dennis, Julius Foshee, Carl Jones, Cecil Jones, I. V. Jones, Wilson Maddox, Tom McDonald, George Popwell, Daniel Lee Sanford, Wesley Danforth, Vernie Parker, Clyde Little, Albert Parrish.

On account of the county seventh grade examination and also the illness of the sixth grade teacher, there is no honor roll for the sixth and seventh grades for last month.

W. E. MARTIN, Prin.

Mr. Less Broadhead of Adams was here Monday attending commissioners court.

Fertilizers,—one sack or a car load,—quality the best,—priced right.—J. N. Dennis.

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PRETTY GOOD FOR ONLY A 2-YEAR OLD?

STURDY, lithe and well proportioned—little 2-year old Mary June Beard of Los Angeles, California, is daily adding many to her scores of admirers. Though not a drop of blood flowing through her veins comes from acrobatic ancestry, her unusual and difficult pose here shows her to possess all the "earmarks" of an embryo trapeze artist.

"Milk did the trick," said her proud father, W. M. Beard, a Los Angeles policeman. And as he spoke, he picked up the athletic little Mary June, took hold of her muscular ankles and swung her around. When she had completed three-quarters of a circle, at a point just above her daddy's head, she held her muscles taut and straightened out, balancing perfectly on her father's hands. Those who saw the performance, marveled at the tot's unusual strength.

BEN ROBERTS ARRESTED ON STREETS LAST SUNDAY

Quite a flurry resulted Sunday afternoon when G. D. Retherford, Chief of Police of Clanton, attempted to arrest Ben Roberts for public drunkness. Roberts was just drunk enough to want to fight and raise sand, so when Mr. Retherford went to arrest him, he drew a big 10-inch barlow and defied anyone to bother him. After worrying with Roberts a while Mr. Retherford called to his assistance Deputy Culp and these two, with the help of Alfonza Robinson, succeeded after quite a scuffle in handcuffing Roberts. Even after the man had been handcuffed, the officers had a rather hard time in getting him to jail, the officers as well as the arrested man getting several bruises and scratches in the scuffle. After Roberts was gotten to the jail the officers had to summon extra help to get him inside, so Mr. Kin Vinson assisted them in getting Roberts locked up. After Roberts was put in jail, he walked up to one of the glass windows and taking his fist knocked the window out, sustaining some ugly cuts on his hand and arm. Dr. Gragg was called to the scene to dress Roberts' wounds.

Roberts will be tried in mayor's court next Saturday under the double charge of public drunkness and resisting officers.

PHIL MARTIN DIES

Deid Saturday at his residence Rt. 1, Randolph, Mr. Phil Martin, a well known and highly respected young man.

He leaves several brothers and sisters and a host of friends to mourn his passing.

Pneumonia caused his death.

McCall Patterns at McDonald Merc. Co.

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Write today and get our proposition for supplying your Calcium Arsenate at lowest prices.

Boll weevils will prevent profitable cotton production if not controlled.

ACT TODAY!

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ABOUT MR. WALKER

Maplesville, Ala., April 7, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please allow me space in your paper to say a few words about Mr. C. T. Walker, who is out for county commissioner from the Third District?

Mr. Walker has made the best commissioner we have had in a number of years. I have known him for some time and he is a good reliable man and does all he can for the best interest of the county. When he went into office the county did not have anything to do anything with, but he and the other commissioners have got the county on its feet again.

I ask the voters to put him in office again as I think he deserves it for another term. He has done work in different places in the Third District that no other commissioner has ever done. He has given the people a fair deal.

Some do not like the new road law, but I will ask, can we work the roads in 1924 like we did in 1874, and keep them in good shape? The commissioners had to change. There is so much more traveling now than there was in 1874, and the old pick and shovel can't do much work. Let us all fall in line and build some roads. We have got a good plan if everyone will put his shoulder to the wheel.

Some people would talk and criticise if the Lord were building the roads. We people in the Third District know what Mr. Walker will do and we don't know what the other's will do. We had rather have him than anyone who has announced yet.

So don't forget the primary on May 13th.

Yours truly,
C. J. MITCHELL.

ONE OF THE FAMILY

Little Tommie Bates of Providence, Beat 16 was in our office last Saturday to pay up the subscription of T. J. Bates to The Union-Banner. As you no doubt remember, T. J. Bates died a couple of years ago, but Tommie is still having The Banner sent in his father's name. Tommie says that his father took the paper so long and enjoyed reading it so well that he is never going to let it miss coming into the Bates family.

Chicken Farm Invaded!

Chicken farm was nvaded by a horde of rats last night. Over a hundred chickens reported killed—Bulletin.

Think of this frightful loss! Wipe out this terrific menace! Destroy all rats with Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. SURE-QUICK. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

LETTER FROM MR. J. BICE

Thorsby, Ala., April 4, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Some cowardly political enemy of mine is telling that when I went to your office to make my announcement as a candidate for County Treasurer, you asked me which party I wanted to make my announcement in. I want the people to know that this is absolutely false. You treated me courteously and I am asking you to also state that no such question was asked me.

Besides this, I am being criticized by some because of the fact that my announcement appeared in the Chilton County News, a Democratic paper. Any person with reasonable judgment knows that a Democrat is not going into a Republican primary. My reason for doing this was simply that I wanted my announcement to reach all over the county, and being financially unable to go over the county to see all the pepole and knowing there are many Republicans who subscribe t othe Chilton County News simply to get all the news of both papers, I bought the service of this paper. It was a paid political advertisement as every one would know. Don't those who are critizing this act of mine trade with Democrats—buy goods from Democrats? Aren't there just as good Democrats as Republicans, and vice versa? There are good Christian people in both political parties. All the difference there is, is a difference of political opinion on how the government should be run. We are all brethren using our best judgment as to how we can serve our country and its people best.

Yours truly,
J. BICE.

Note.—The above statement of Mr. Bice as regards this paper is correct. —EDITOR.

OAK GROVE

All is well and looking fine.

Our singing Sunday was called to order by our President, Mr. W. J. Northcutt. Then the following directors filled up the evening: Jack Cobb, L. B. Cobb, Buster Scott, Bill Cofer, Lonie Cobb, Ivey Matthews, Lassie Northcutt, Burl Martin, C. H. Foshee, Vester Campbell, Carl Wilson. Then special songs by Flora and Merrie Cobb, Mabeth Northcutt, Ruth Glass, Lesta Cobb, Ollie Glass, Vester Campbell, Ivy Matthews, Burl Martin, E. H. Foshee. Organists for the afternoon were: Flossie Cobb, Birdie Martin, Esther Atkinson, Lois Cobb, Lesta Cobb.

We thank Union Grove, Center Hill, Providence and all others for their presence. Come again. Don't forget the all-day singing here the 3rd Sunday.

LIBERTY HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Lowery, and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn motored to Thorsby Sunday.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Delean Maddox Sunday.

Miss Verbie D. Williams visited Miss Senora Culp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Littlejohn visited Mr. W. J. Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Weldon visited at Rev. C. D. Messer's Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Katie Lee Wells was the guest of Miss Meadie Sansom Sunday.

Mr. Dubie and Bill Chancellor visited Mr. Glover Smith Sunday.

Miss Birtie Bridges visited Miss Lamurel Littlejohn Sunday.

Mr. Earl Williams visited Mr. Frank Littlejohn Sunday p.m.

Mr. J. M. Littlejohn and family visited Mr. J. E. Littlejohn Sunday.

Mr. Ernest Mims is home this week taking his vacation.

Misses Annie Mae and Flora Foshee visited Mrs. Dolphus Baker Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Sansom and daughter, Miss Mattie, visited relatives at Sardis Friday.

Miss Gertie Giles visited at Mr. Jim Smith's Saturday p.m.

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching days. We hope to have a large crowd both days.

Mr. Charlie Bowles who is living this year up near Pleasant Grove on Jemison Route 1, was among the visitors to Clanton Monday. Charley says he lives so far off that he doen't get to come to Clanton very often.

COLLINS CHAPEL

Everybody is enjoying this beautiful spring weather. There is nothing any sweeter than to hear the birds sing in the months of spring.

I am glad to say that our Sunday school is still progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Herlie Mims spent Friday night with his mother, Mrs. Ida Mims.

Miss Estelle Pate and little sister, Alice, returned home Saturday morning after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Ella Bernam of Coal Mount, Ala.

Mrs. Bettie Collins had as her guest this week her daughter, Mrs. Mary Dupree and husband of Birmingham.

Miss Era Cleckler spent Saturday night with Miss Hazel Littleton.

Miss Lottie Mae Robinson spent Wednesday afternoon with Miss Era Cleckler.

Miss Hazel Littleton dined with Miss Era Cleckler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hand of Thorsby spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Littleton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mims and daughter, Mattie, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Robinson of Jemison.

Misses Irene Benson, Audell Burnett, Delene Burnett, Antionette Gore, Eloise Benson, Mildred Gore, and Messrs. Odis Miller, Vesker Aycox, Joe Jackson, Roy Jackson, Roy Huett, Clyde Gore, Lonnie Cox, Askew Davis, Ocie Willis, Earl Collins, Loyd Bean spent a few enjoyable hours with Miss Estelle Benson Sunday night.

Wheat is the Fuel of Life

You can get the most food value out of wheat by eating bakings that are made from good plain flour. A dependable baking powder must be employed or you do not get the full nutritious value of the wheat—nor will your bakings be as palatable and easily digested.

The same results cannot be had if you use Self Rising Flours, which are improperly packed in porous sacks or bags, thus allowing absorption of moisture from the air. Food authorities and physicians agree that bakings that do not raise properly are bad for health. Such foods are hard to digest and in time cause stomach trouble.

Mothers who are interested in the proper growth and health of their children (and all mothers are) should never use anything but a good brand of plain flour and a time-tested leavener such as Calumet—the economy Baking Powder.

Calumet has more than the ordinary leavening strength. It raises every baking to its height of nutritious value. It is pure and dependable—do not look for a substitute—there is none.

Use Calumet and be positive of wholesome nutritious and economical foods.

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Plow Shoes, reduced from $2.50 to **$2.15**

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Men's $3.75 Work Shoes, now **$3.25**

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NEEDED AT STATE CAPITOL

From Headquarters Camp Lomax 151, United Confederate Veterans, Montgamery, Ala., March 31, 1924.

Realizing that there should be suitable oil portraits of our two great Generals, Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson, in onr State Capitol, the first capitol of the Confederacy, Camp Lomax decided to call upon patriotic Alabamians to assist us in this worthy undertaking.

Kindly mail your subscription to W. C. Fuller, Chairman, State Capitol, Montgomery, Ala.

SINGING AT WALNUT

We are requested to annaunce that there will be singing at Walnut Creek church next Sunday afternoon. It is the regular time for the singing society to meet and there are several visitors expected including the Profs. Devaughn. All lovers of music are urged to attend.

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

COOLIDGE LEADING JOHNSON 2 TO 1 IN MICHIGAN VOTE

Ford is Ahead of his Opponent in Democratic Race.

Detroit, April 7.—One thousand, one hundred and sixty-seven precincts out of 2,890 in the State give President Coolidge, Republican, 83,-007; Johnson, Republican, 37,962; Simpson, Republican, 3,259.

One thousand, one hundred and twenty-three precincts give for Democratic preference: Ford, 12,843; and Ferris, 10,405.

With one-third of the State represented in scattering returns tabulated at 9:30 o'clock tonight, Calvin Coolidge had more than two-to-one lead over Hiram Johnson in today's state-wide presidential primary election.

The tabulation did not include returns from Wayne county (Detroit) which gave Johnson a majority over a field of six candidates in the 1920 primary, which he won.

The vote with 651 of the state's 2,890 precincts reported, showed: Coolidge, 45,709; Johnson, 20,456; Wm. G. Simpson, Detroit civil engineer, received 1,904 votes.

Six hundred and nineteen precincts give: Ford, Democrat, 7,582; Ferris, 6,201.

CEDAR GROVE

We, the Sunday School at Cedar Grove, are requested to say to all that are interested in the Sabbath School to be present next Sunday, the 13th, early in the afternoon, that we may get through with the school for the singers to have the evening to sing. Come one, come all; let us spend the evening in studying God's word and singing His praise.

S. A. EILAND.

Get your Nitrate of Soda from J. N. Dennis, Clanton, Ala.

NEW CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING ORGANIZATION

In Montgomery, on the first and second days of this month, there was formed a state-wide organization of poultry producers, for the purpose of marketing their products. Delegates from every county in the state were invited to attend the meeting. O. H. Mastin, delegate from Chilton County reported every county in the state represented except three, and states that everyone present was enthusiastically in favor of the new organization.

The new association will be known as the "Alabama Farm Bureau Poultry Producers Co-operative Association," as it is sponsored by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation and will be conducted on the same plan as is used by the very successful poultry producers marketing organization in California, Oregon and Virginia.

The membership campaign will begin in the near future in every county in the state. The campaign in this county will be in charge of O. H. Mastin and everyone who is interested should see him.

Actual marketing of eggs will not begin until the eggs from at least 100,000 hens are pledged to the association. It is hoped to have two or three times that many signed up by early fall. Marketing of eggs will probably begin about September 1st.

Every farmer in the state should line up in this association for it will enable him to get more for the eggs produced by the hens he now has and will also give him an incentive to increase his flock of hens because of the fact that he will be sure of a profitable market for his eggs every week of the year. During the period of greatest production many eggs will be put in storage and held for better prices. During the past winter, storage eggs sold for from forty to forty-five cents per dozen in Montgomery and Birmingham. The producers probably received fifteen to twenty cents per dozen for these eggs. Under the new plan the producer will receive the profit secured from holding the eggs until prices are higher.

The above is but a very brief statement in regard to the new poultry producers organization. More information may be secured from articles in this paper that will appear in future issues.

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OUR HONOR ROLL

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G. G. Gray, Clanton R 8;
T. L. Gray, Clanton R 6;
F. M. Driver, Clanton R 4;
B. M. Connell, Clanton R 5;
R. S. Easterling, Clanton R 5;
W. E. Easterling, Clanton R 1;
W. H. Wyatt, Clanton R 3;
E. H. Devaughn, Clanton R 2;
D. E. Knight, Clanton R. 2;
J. R. Mitchell, Clanton R 2;
J. C. Edwards, Maplesville R 1;
T. W. Billingsley, Clanton R 3;
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G. S. Miner, Clanton R 2;
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T. K. Littleton, Clanton R 8;
T. J. Bates, Clanton R 1;
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A. J. Jones, Clanton R 8;
Delbert Brand, Clanton R 5;
B. F. Massey, Clanton R 4;
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J. T. Abbott, Pletcher;
J. L. Abbott, Pletcher;
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B. O. Glover, Maplesville;
C. Hall, Lawley;
L. B. Broadhead, Maplesville R 2;
O. A. Larsen, Chicago, Ill.
Joe Ben Downs, Clanton;
J. M. Williams, Clanton R 7;
J. H. Carter, Maplesville;
M. L. Milford, Clanton R 3.

Smilin' Charlie Says

When that race between th' hare 'n' th' tortoise wuz run they didn't have any o' this high powered salesmanship 'n' business psychology, but I notice that th' feller who sticks on the job 'n' takes things as they come manage t' get t'where he's headin' for just the same—

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POOR OR

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Handkerchief Shower.

Quite an interesting meeting of the Civic Club was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hodges. The business meeting was called early because of the invitation to the handkerchief shower extended to the ladies, which was given in honor of Mrs. J. J. Pickens, a much loved co-worker of the Club who is now in Denver. This affair was thoughtfully planned by the president, Mrs. McDavid and lovingly responded to by the club members, to show this little token of love to their esteemed fellow member, who not only retains her membership in the club but is still loyal to its principles. The many dainty and lovely 'kerchiefs given showed how lovingly Mrs. Pickens is held in the hearts of those who made up her club and how deeply they appreciate the fine spirit of service always manifested by her. Delightful refreshments were served.

Study Club Entertained.

An enjoyable meeting of the Study Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. P. Hayes on last Friday afternoon. A business session was held during which the election of officers took place. The officers were all re-elected except Mrs. VanDerveer who resigned her office as treasurer and was filled by Mrs. Guy Roberts. Others are: president, Mrs. N. S. Johnson; vice-president, Mrs. Grady D. Broadhead; and secretary, Mrs. Victor J. Heard.

The apartments were fragrant with bowls of vari-colored hyacinths and jonquils. Late in the afternoon the hostess served a tempting salad plate with hot tea. There were 18 members present. Mrs. Watts Moore and Mrs. W. K. Mullins were visitors to the club.

Spend-the-Day Party for Visitor.

Mrs. Luckie's home was thrown open on last Wednesday to a spend-the-day party, given in honor of her house guest, Mrs. S. E. Alverson. A delightful profusion of spring blossoms were used throughout the apartments and Easter decorations were emphasized in the dining room. A basket of Easter eggs tied with white tulle, guarded on either side by a rabbit formed the central table decoration. The same idea used for place cards and places were marked for the honoree, Mesdames Macy F. Jones, Willie Jones, Watts Moore, T. C. McSwain, Bama Cox, John Armstrong, Mallie White, Marion Gore, Barney Roberts and George Polk.

Flower Vandalism.

Do not be a participant in the flower vandalism so prevalent during this beautiful season. Just now, while the woods are a scene of ravishing beauty and the many pretty wild blossoms are nolding their perfumed loveliness to every passer-by, do not be a "hoggly woggly," as Spang cartoons it, and destroy those precious thoughts of God's handiwork for the few fleeting hours of pleasure they will give you. Let every person be a valient committee with this motto: "Leave the flowers for others to enjoy." If you must pluck them, go at least six yards from the roadside to do so.—Civic Conservation Committee.

Messrs. Rogers and Stewart, accompanied by their wives, from Spigener's were in Clanton Tuesday prospecting for a cotton mill here and were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Exchange hotel, with Mesdames. J. P. Hayes, Hugh Jones and R. C. McDavid, Messrs. W. W. Fox and V. J. Elmore present.

Mr. Evans Edwards from Auburn spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Edwards.

Mr. George Polk was a visitor to the Magic City Saturday.

Mr. Fuqua from Birmingham was in Clanton on business Tuesday.

News was received in Clanton Tuesday of the arrival of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Headley of Birmingham.

Mrs. Etta McElvaine from Verbena spent Tuesday night in Clanton with her sister, Mrs. Elbert Littlejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Saxon from Columbiana were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pitts last week.

Mrs. Geo. Polk and children spent Sunday in Longview as the guests of her sister.

Watch!

One circle of the ladies of the Methodist church will put on "Human Wreckage" at the picture show the week of the 21st. Watch for further announcements.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hastings from Jasper arrived Wednesday for a visit to her brother, Mr. R. E. Luckie and family.

Mr. Tom Jones from Montgomery was the guest of relatives in Clanton for the week end.

Mr. Ralph Jones returned home Monday from a visit to friends in Alexander City.

Mr. Joe P. Gore returned Sunday from a two weeks visit to his daughter, Mrs. Thompson in Selma. Mr. Gore says that he had a mighty enjoyable trip down there.

Mrs. J. F. Barnhart has returned to her home in Montgomery after spending several days here at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Powell.

Mrs. Jake Shepard and daughter, Ruth were the guests of Mrs. J. C. Jones for the week end.

Mrs. William Lenoir from Tallassee was a visitor to Clanton for a couple of days last week.

Mrs. W. K. Mullins and children, who were guests of Mrs. Watts Moore for a few days last week have returned to their home in Birmingham.

After a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Luckie last week, Prof. and Mrs. S. E. Alverson returned to their home in Oxford Sunday.

Miss Warrene Spigener of Marion was called home Monday on account of the death of her aunt, Miss Emma Thomas.

Mr. Jack Seals from Starksville, Miss., and children are visiting relatives in Clanton this week.

Mrs. Hugh Foshee has as her guest Mrs. Willie Martin.

Misses Pauline and Inez Kittrell have as their guest their mother from Birmingham.

Messrs. John and Edwin Mullins, students of Barnes, were in Clanton for the week end.

Mrs. Earl Robinson from Alex City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cox.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie spent Tuesday in Montgomery with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn.

Miss Clara Compton, who is a state Sunday school worker, is holding a training class at the Methodist church this week.

Mrs. Virg Cromwell from Montgomery arrived Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Mrs. Robert Williams spent Sunday in Tuscaloosa

Mrs. Hubert Jones from Birmingham is the guest of Mrs. Anna Jones this week.

Mr. John VanDerveer and son, Joe, spent Tuesday in the Capital City.

Mrs. D. Y. Johnson and children and Mrs. Kate Haynes have returned from a motor trip to Wetumpka.

Mr. and Mrs. Sebioer Thomas and daughter from Kellyton and Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Mitchell, were attendants at the funeral services of Miss Emma Thomas here Monday.

Mr. Grady Taylor is spending a few days in Opelika on business this week.

Mrs. Orr has returned home from a visit to Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris from Stanton were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Bama Cox Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottie Levie from Sylacauga were among the out-of-town attendants at the funeral of Miss Emma Thomas Monday.

Miss Reed from Birmingham was the guest of Mrs. W. D. Spigener last Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Roper from Boothton were recent visitors to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald and Mrs. Watts Moore and Mrs. Arthur Johnson enjoyed a motor trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. H. L. Davis is visiting her mother at Billingsley this week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore had as their guest for the week end Mrs. Harmon from Anniston.

Mrs. P. T. Hinkle is visiting her mother at Eclectic this week.

Miss Kathleen Mullins returned home Sunday from a visit to relatives in Montgomery.

Look!

The Methodist ladies will hold an Easter bazaar at the old Post office building next to the railroad today, Thursday. Come see our fancy work and childrens clothes.

Dr. E. G. Hyman is attending the dental association in Montgomery this week.

Arthur Broadhead spent the week end in Montgomery.

Mr. Julius Reynolds and Ruben Reynolds, Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds this week.

Miss Lessie Reynolds left Sunday to resume her school duties at Lincoln, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wingard and son, Chester, were the week end visitors to rleatives in Columbiana.

Mrs. Mallie White left Tuesday for a few days visit to relatives in the Capital City.

Mr. Frank Thomas from Talladega was home this week.

Messrs. Dark Stephens and Petterson were among the Clanton teachers attending A. E. A. in Montgomery last week.

Miss Bessie Thomas from Andalusia was called home on account of the illnes sand death of her sister this week.

Miss Margaret Smith had as her guests Tuesday her parents from Montevallo.

Ralph Roy, John VanDerveer and Myra Johnson are leaving Thursday for Mobile to attend an annual of the Christian Endeavor, and will be joined in Montgomery by a party on a special train, when a total of 300 delegates will make up the convention.

Miss Grace Powell from Louisville was in Clanton last week attending the bedside of sick friend.

Burton Higgins from Elba is visiting his parents here this week.

Miss Elizabeth Monroe and Miss Crabtree from Scottsboro were visitors to Clanton last week enroute to Montgomery to the A. E. A.

Mrs. Jatie Middleton spent the week end in Columbiana.

Prof. Stephens had as his guest for the week end his daughter, Bocalvia from Brewton.

Miss Annie Johnson spent the week end with her parents at Hartselle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds last of this week.

After a few days visit to her parents, Miss Willadean Reynolds returned to Montevallo to resume school work on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Mrs. Guy Roberts and Miss Lessie Reynolds enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery last week end.

A congenial party composed of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Foshee, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Farley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Watt Willis, Miss Ruth Teel and Miss Esther Farley motored over to Tallassee Sunday and were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willis and son.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on April 21st, 22nd and 23rd. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county, or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education, if living in some other county, to be transferred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for Second who has not finished at least two years of High school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for First who has not had the euqivalent of a full High school course.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in Third's to take for Second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m.; those taking for First and submitting valid Seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

ENGINEERS INSPECT LOCK 12 AND MITCHELL DAM

About two hundred and fifty engineers are scheduled to arrive in Clanton this morning (Thursday) and they will take automobiles for Lock 12. After looking over the engineering of the dam and power house out there they will take the boat for Mitchell Dam, where they will look over the developments down there.

EASTER SERVICES

Clanton Commandery No. 27, Knights Templar will hold annual Easter services at the Clanton Baptist church Sunday, April 20th at 11:00 o'clock, a.m.

All denominations are invited to worship with us on this occasion.

Sir Knights are requested to meet at the Asylum at 10:30 o'clock in full dress.

P. T. HINKLE, E. C.,
G. C. HARRIS, Recorder.

UNION GROVE

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days, and the United Singing Society meets at this place Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Everybody come and let's make it the best.

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Mr. Grady Reynolds made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

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Big Cotton Mill Now In Sight For Clanton

Enthusiastic Meeting Held at Court House Tuesday night—Many Offer Sites for Industry.

The Clanton Chamber of Commerce called a meeting at the court house in Clanton Tuesday night of this week for the purpose of discusing the plans of getting the proposed cotton mill located in Clanton. Everybody interested in the proposition was invited to attend this meeting and in response about a hundred citizens of and near Clanton were present.

The correspondence which has been carried on between Messrs. Steward and Rogers of Spigner and the Chamber of Commerce was read by the secretary, Mr. V. J. Heard, and Mayor Gragg, W. W. Fox and others explained the need of a cotton mill and the plans of going after it. The entire meeting was very enthusiastic, and from all indications, the chances for locating the proposed mill here are good. The citizens of Clanton and surrounding territory realize the advantages we would derive from its location here, and everyone seems to be willing to do anything reasonable to get the promoters interested in locating in our town.

There were some fifteen or twenty landowners present who offered to furnish sites for the mill. The Chamber of Commerce took options on these tracts, which are located near Clanton and on either side of the railroad both north and south of the city. The Chamber took descriptions of the various sites and when the promoters come here they will be carried out and shown over the prospects. Whichever site they select, which must contain at least forty acres, will be bought by the citizens of and near Clanton and donated to the mill.

The prospects for the mill look mighty good for Clanton, and the enthusiasm among the citizens here is such that everything within reason will be done to have the mill come here. Some other town is splitting its shirt for the location of this mill, but there is no other place in Alabama that offers the advantages which Clanton furnishes. Healthy climate, good water, good labor and abundant electric power are what cotton mills want, and Clanton has all these galore. We can't afford to let this opportunity pass. Everybody talk cotton mill until we are assured of it.

DISGUSTED WITH CAN'T

A newspaper headline says that "The Public is disgusted with investigations." The statement is undoubtedly true, with proper limitations. The public is not disgusted with investigations are necessary to bring out pertinent facts, but they have become disgusted with that kind of investigation which goes far afield from the real subject and for no other apparent purpose than fartisan advantage, calls for testimony of a hearsay nature from witnesses whose past reckord throughly disqualify them and whose testimony, even if true, has no bearing on the real questions at issue.

Mr. McAdoo is quoted as saying that the Presidency has no charm for him. Strange, then, that he should be willing to pay so high a price for it.

LOOKING FOR LOCATION FOR A COTTON MILL

Messrs. Steward and Rogers of Spigener were in Clanton one day last week looking over the situation around Clanton with the view of locating a cotton mill here. Mr. Steward is manager of the State's cotton mills at Spigener and Kilby and Mr. Rogers is a wealthy merchant at Spigener. These two gentlemen are backed by textile interests in the north-east, and they are going to locate a cotton mill somewhere on the L. & N. railroad between Birmingham and Montgomery.

The Clanton Chamber of Commerce entertained the men while they, together with their wives, were in Clanton, they being shown several attractive sites a few miles north of town. These two gentlemen seemed to be very favorably impressed with prospects around Clanton and accepted the invitation to come back up here and look over some more prospective sites this week.

The men want a forty-acre tract of land, which the Chamber of Commerce guaranteed would be donated to them. They propose to build a $300,000 mill with 5,000 spindles, and it is a settled fact that wherever they locate their cotton mill a shirt factory will follow. Every inducement possible is offered these gentlemen by the Chamber of Commerce and Clanton in general, and it is hoped that they can see their way clear to locate here.

WALNUT CREEK SINGING

The Walnut Creek soiging society met in regular session Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the spaceous church filled to its capacity. Chairman R. E. Powell called the house to order and sung one song, after which Bro. L. N. Henderson led in prayer. Then the following directors led two songs each: S. M. Yates, J. R. Robinson; quartet by O. L. Devaughn, L. T. Grant, W. M. Devaughn and Ralph Grant; L. F. Cleckler, W. M. Devaughn, O. L. Devaughn, L. T. Grant, J. Z. Mims; quartet by Clydie Mims, Willie Mims, Virgie Mims and Marion Thompson; Ralph Grant, J. A. W. Mims; quartet entitled "Will you Be There?" by the Cooper Quartet. Organists for the afternoon were: Lee Grant, Everee Maddox, Ralph Grant, Mrs. Jesse Baker.

Several other directors were present but on account of lack of time were not used on the program. We invite you to come again and will place you on the program. Everyone present seemed to enjoy the singing to the utmost especially the splendid selections rendered by the two quartets. We were especially glad to have the Cooper Quartet with us and give them a cordial invitation to come again. Also the singing visitors the names of whom we do not know.

We had several short but interesting talks during the afternoon by L. N. Henderson, John Baker, Jr., and O. R. Robinson. Space is inadequate for one to tell all the good things said and done in the society. We invite you every one to come again.

The singing was closed by singing the old favorite song, "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

J. J. JOHNSON, Secy.

THE PLACE FOR THE SICK; CENTRAL ALA. HOSPITAL, CLANTON

By Rev. P. G. Carter, Former Pastor of The Clanton Baptist Church.

A little more than two years ago it was my privilege to help promote the Central Alabama Hospital, and to inscribe my name as a charter member. The two years record of the unparalleled success of this splendid institution has more than justified its existence, and demonstrated the fact that this is one of the best places in the State for the care of the sick. Frequently the hospital is the place where people go expecting to recover their health, but through incompetency, mismanagement, or neglect they go there to die. Not so with Central Alabama Hospital. It is one of such institutions in the State rapidly becoming recognized where its patrons go to get well. Indeed it is possible that some through lack of confidence, prejudice or ill advice went to the larger hospitals of the State only to meet their death might have been living today as the result of the individual careful attention and treatment that is administered by the efficent local hospital. Walking living monuments are in Clanton today whose lives have been saved through the local hospital if for no other reason than when seriously sick they were able to avoid the terrible strain and danger of a long railroad journey, and the vibration of the ambulances in transit to some city hosptial. Can anything be more convincing to the unbiased or unprejudiced mind than the following statistics for the past two years up to April 12th, 1924—Number of cases treated:

Eye, ear, nose and throat	42
Obstetrics	16
Pelvic surgery	24
Appendicitis	57
General surgery	119
Medical cases	101
Children born	17
Total	376

Notwithstanding all these cases treated there have only been 25 deaths during its entire history. An analysis of these deaths will show that in most cases they were hopeless from the beginning, some of them being in a dying condition when they reached the hospital, and passing out shortly after reaching the institution. This was true for example of two diptheria cases, four appendicitis cases, and two cancer cases that were hopeless. Various others could be mentioned in detail if space permitted, and the records are open for proof at any time by proper inquiry. Indeed it is just to say that if the circumstances of the deaths that have occurred were thoroughly investigated there is not a hospital in the State with such a record as this in its low percentage of mortality. With this unparalleled success it is a matter of surprise that the hospital is not taxed to its full capacity all the time. If because of the general good health of the people who live in the territory it serves then the citizenship have reason to be thankful. If because of the rapidity of the recovery of those who have patronized this hospital, then it is a strong recommendation for the efficiency and service. If through the lack of co-operation or prejudice on the part of the medical fraternity then it surely is time for this to cease in the best interests of those who should be the recipients of the splendid humanitarian service now being rendered.

There are some things that are essential to the success of such an institution. One is a competent efficient staff. The statistics quoted distinctly show that in Dr. V. J. Gragg as the Head Surgeon the Central Alabama Hospital has one who is establishing for himself an enviable record for the remarkable success, not only of his surgical operations, but for the medical care of those to whom he has ministered. Of the 258 surgical operations, major and minor, only nine have died which were performed by the different surgeons. These were recognized as hopeless cases from the beginning, and only performed at the insistence of the patient as the last ray of hope for a possible recovery. The facts show that there is no operation of whatever kind, or however important, whether it be appendicitis in its acutest form, tumors, intricate maternity cases or of whatever nature, but that this skilful surgeon has mastered them all. Not to be misunderstood, however, it should be noted that other doctors, both local and visiting, have performed some of the operations tabulated. With the efficiency of the head surgeon, one who is entitled to honor in his own country, must also be conceded the medical skill and surgical knowledge and experience of Miss Annie H. Gardner, a full graduate nurse of extensive culture and training who is the Superintendent of the Hospital, and has held and can hold similar positions in any of the large hospitals of the State. These two make a great team. As a personal inmate for three weeks I can testify to the culture and splendid personnel of the faithful, attentive and loyal staff of nurses that are employed. In fact the whole institution seems to run in perfect harmony and fine business executive. None but a grouch could reasonably be dissatisfied in any way with the service and attention given.

These facts should be sufficient to convince any unbiased mind and to break down all barriers of personal prejudice or pecuniary purpose.

I have written this article of my own volition without any solicitation from other sources with the sole purpose in view of letting the public know, and especially suffering humanity, of the splendid service now being rendered at the minimum of expense by the wonderful Central Alabama Hospital located at Clanton, Alabama.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT NOW INSPECTING BIDS ON CHILTON PROJECT

Contract For Birmingham-Montgomery Gap Expected to Be Let Today or Tomorrow

Montgomery, Ala., April 14.—The state highway commission will hold an important session here Thursday and Friday, at which time it is expected that a contract for the construction of the section of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway through the northern half of Chilton county will be awarded. Bids will be opened Thursday for furnishing cement for the project, and Friday for the road work itself. Bids on the road work were called for upon two conditions, one that the contractor shall furnish the cement, the other option being that the cement be furnished by the state. Thus if the commission finds it more economical to buy the equipment on which bids are to be opened Thursday and furnish it to the contractors, it can do so.

The section of highway on which the bids have been called is about 17 miles long, extending from the Shelby county line to within three miles of Clanton.

COMMISSIONERS COURT IS ADJUSTING TAXES

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County was in session the first of this week with the Board of Review working on the tax valuations of the county. The tax adjustments are being made this year under the new law created py the last State Legislature. After the valuations are fixed, the court will be in session again in a few weeks to hear complaints bf the property owners.

CHANGES IN RURAL ROUTES

Beginning the first of this month the people of Providence community, who have heretofore been served by Rural Mail Route No. 2 from Verbena were put on Clanton Route 1. Verbena Route 2 stops now down at the old Jim Robinson place. Clanton Route 1, which did turn north on top of Iron Ore Hill now goes to Lige Wyatt's place and retraces itself back to Iron Ore Hill, where it resumes its former course.

POULTRY AWAITS BETTER MARKET

Auburn, Ala., April 14.—That poultry development in Alabama must mark time or remain at a stand-still until a better market is provided for eggs is the definite conclusion of John E. Ivey, poultry specialist for the Extension service, after making a thorough investigation of the situation.

Assigning as his first reason for this conclusion Mr. Ivey states that high egg production invariably comes when the prices are lowest and under the present system of marketing the producer receives no benefit from later advances because his or her eggs are sold soon after they are produced. A co-operative egg marketing association which can take advantage of the strong markets by storing eggs when the price is low and selling them orderly throughout the year is necessary.

Under existing egg marketing practices little or no premium is paid for high quality eggs. They the bought from producers on a "hog-round" basis and in that way the producer of good eggs is penalized in order to take care of inferior eggs.

Another weakness of the present egg marketing method is that it is cumbersome and burdensome in that eggs do not go by the shortest and most economical route from the producer to the consumer. It is believed that a co-operative egg marketing association which is now proposed by the Alabama Farm Bureau will bring about needed improvements and thereby benefit both producers and consumers. For this reason the county agents, home demonstration agents, and other Extension service workers will assist farmers in organizing and operating this association.

Pres. Coolidge Strong In His Senate Fight

FOURTH DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETS IN SESSION AT CALERA

Calera, Ala., April 15, 1924.—The Republican Executive Committee of the Fourth District of Alabama met in session in the Wade Hotel at Calera Tuesday morning, April 15th. The counties composing the Fourth District are: Calhoun, Chilton, Cleburne, Dallas, Shelby and Talladega, and the committeemen from each of these counties were in Calera at this meeting.

By direction of this committee, a Republican District Convention was called to meet in Birmingham on May 19th at 1:00, p.m., for the purpose of electing one delegate and one alternate delegate from the Fourth Distrist to the Republican National Convention to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, on June 10th, 1924, and for the purpose of nominating Rupublican candidates for presidential electors, nominating a Congressman to represent this district and candidates for all other offiecrs from said district to be elected at the general election in November, 1924.

Besides the Committeemen, several other prominent Republicans of the District were present at this meeting, which was very harmoneous from start to finish. The following resolutions were passed by the Committeemen:

"We, the Republican Executive Committee of the Fourth Congressional District of Alabama, hereby endorse the record of Hon. O. D. Street, our National Committeeman and of Hon. J. M. Atkins, our State Chairman."

"As has been said, 'America is safe in the hands of Coolidge,' we, the Republican Executive Committee of the Fourth Congresisonal District of Alabama hereby endorse Hon. Calvin Coolidge for nomination as president of the United States."

WANTING NOS. 1 AND 4 STOPPED AT CLANTON

On Friday of last week four high officials of the L. N. Railroad Company met the Clanton Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of hearing the Chamber's argument in favor of stopping Nos. 1 and 4 at Clanton. Mayor Gragg and Judge Reynolds put up some mighty straight argument to the officials in favor of the proposition, as weel as several other citizens of the town. It was shown beyond any reasonable doubt that it would benefit both the railroad company and the public around Clanton for these two trains to be stopped here; however, the officials seemed rather cold on the proposition and held out that it would greatly hinder the through traffic to stop them here. The officials have never reported what they intended to do about the matter, and it is hoped that they can see their way clear to stop at least one of these trains at Clanton.

C. H., G. C., and Riley Robinson of Providence were in Clanton Tuesday buying fertilizer, feed and planters.

Solons are Apprehensive About Next Election, Says Mark Sullivan in The Birmingham News.

Washington, April 14.—The Senate is troubled about the issue President Coolidge has raised.

Congressmen think, that as between the Senate and Coolidge, the Senate is less strong with the country. One third of the Senate, 32, almost equally divided between Republicans and Democrats, are coming up for re-election this year. That is why their apprehension is bi-partisan. Already, some of the most powerful senators have lost in the early primaries.

The Senate would like to restore itself in public esteem. They would like to act in such a way as to safeguard themselves against Coolidge's rebukes to Congress, about failure to act on the income tax before March 15, about delay as to other legislation, and, lately about the way in which they are conducting some of their investigations.

Courts Feared.

It is not only about Coolidge that the Senate is apprehensive. They are apprehensive also about the courts. Already, two actions of the Senate investigations are under review by the courts and there is a wide-spread uneasiness lest Coolidge may raise a third issue. It is believed that if the Senate committee investigating Mellon refuses to conform to law and reason, Coolidge may do as Cleveland once did: order his cabinet officer to refuse to give the testimony and documents the Senate demands.

What the Senate should do in such an event troubles them greatly. They don't want that issue to arise, and that is why, beneath the truculent bluffing from some senators, there is a cautious intention to set themselves right. The two cases in which the actions of Senate investigators are now under review by the courts are the effort to convict Sinclair for contempt, and the similar proposal to put Daugherty and his brother in contempt for their refusal to allow access to the books of Mal Daugherty's bank. The real fear of the Senate is about what might arise in the case of Mellon.

Couzens Rapped.

One of the fundamental legal aspects of these Senate investigations of cabinet officers is this: The ultimate purpose of an investigation of a cabinet official, if he be found culpable, is to impeach him; and in an impeachment proceeding it is the Senate that sits as the court. This being so, it is held to be improper for the Senate to conduct the preliminary investigation.

Coolidge called attention to the fact that Senator Couzens employed counsel out of his own pocket to care for the "investigation" of Secretary Mellon. This immediately put the Senate on the defensive.

WASH MIMS PAROLED

Governor Wm. W. Brandon Monday paroled Wash Mims, Chilton County, sentenced January 3, 1923 for distilling, a year to a year and a half. The pardon board recommended parole in this case.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

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The Oldest Bank In Chilton County

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CAN YOU SAVE $100?

If you are careful with your earnings, can you save $100 every year? Not such a great amount, is it? You could do it if you would try.

Well, here's what would happen to you if you started in at 20 years of age, depositing $100 every year at compound interest and leaving it alone. If you lived to be 70 years old, your total at the bank would be over $30,000. Worth trying, isn't it?

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Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Look Forward Not Backward

Do your best to-day that you may be prepared for to-morrow.

Let the past be forgotten. It will never return with its opportunities. They are gone forever but the GREAT FUTURE holds other and better ones for the man who is ready to grasp them.

Lose no time in vain regrets but hopefully face the future, equipped with experience and a check account with

Total Resources—One Half Million Dollars.

Under the Strict Supervision of the United States Government

WE PAY 4% ON TIME DEPOSITS

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CLANTON, ALA.

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

ORIGINAL

MR. J. M. SMITH WRITES OF HIS CANDIDACY

Thorsby, Ala., April 14, 1924.
To the People of Chilton County:

In making my announcement for member of the Board of Education, I do so realizing the great responsibility that rests on each member of the board. In a measure, the future welfare of our great State is in the hands of the county boards of education of each county. It becomes the duty of each member of the board to do his or her very best to get full and complete co-operation with the district trustees, teachers, patrons, and as much as is possible, the help of everyone, including the children, to the end that we shall in the near future, have a good consolidated school with a vocational agricultural teacher, if possible for each child in the rural districts. However, in some districts this appears impossible on account of the location, condition of the roads, lack of money to furnish transportation and other handicaps that might be mentioned, but much can be done if we only get busy and really try to do something.

I believe the children of the rural districts are justly entitled to equal educational advantages of the town and city children, but this will not exist until we begin to think and study and learn that a child is worth more in a good school with well trained teachers than they are in a cotton patch. We must have our school system more practical in order to have a better citizenship.

I believe we should have more work and less play in country schools as we get plenty muscular exercise at work on our farms.

I believe the school supervisor should be a person who really has the interest of the children at heart and should visit each school as often as possible and should be prepared to offer suggestions for improvement and speak a few words of encouragement to teachers and pupils at the time of each visit and to never criticize any part of the work on account of the lack of knowledge on the part of teacher or pupil.

I shall ask you to investigate my character and qualifications in my home community where I was born and reared and where I have spent my life, with the exception of a few years during the Cleveland panic when I was forced to follow up public works to try to make a support for myself and family.

I claim to have made a success of my business, considering the circumstances under which I have labored; was educated in the oommon schools of the county under the instructions of Profs. J. W. Moore, Henry Estes, J. M. Scott, A. L. Foshee and others; have served as district trustee 15 years; was secretary-treasurer of the Chilton County Farmers Union for ten years in succession; have been connected with all farmers organizations that have existed in the county for the last twenty-five years, except the farm bureau federation, and my intentions are to join that organization in the near future.

Am at present serving as treasurer of the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association of Thorsby, Ala. Served in same capacity last year and handled a business of about fifty-four thousand dollars for the year. I shall ask the Republicans of the county to go to the polls May 13th and vote for your choice and your verdict shall be my verdict, and all true Republicans will support the nominees in the November elections.

In conclusion, wish to state that I am opposed to Democratic rule; have never voted for a Democrat and never will, and am opposed to any man in politics who is a Democrat, and particularly those who claim to be Republicans and vote for Democrats.

Yours for service,
J. M. SMITH.

CHILTON HI SWAMPS WETUMPKA AGGIES

Chilton County high school defeated the Fifth District Aggies on the latter's ground at Wetumpka Tuesday afternoon in a very lopsided affair, 14 to 3. Chilton slapped the offerings of Huff to all parts of the park. Burnett for Chilton was wild at times but came through in the pinches with speed that sent ten Aggies to the bench guessing. Hits galore by Chilton fillowed by errors ditto by Collier paved the way to an easy fielding, spearing long ones which would have gone for extra bases. Wyatt and Hayes starred for Chilton with three easy rollers each.

Following is the box score:

C. C. H. S.	AB	R	H	A	E
Wyatt, 2b,	6	2	3	2	1
Hayes, ss.,	4	3	4	3	1
Wagoner, cf.,	5	0	2	0	0
Thompson, c.,	6	2	1	3	0
Jones, 1b.,	3	2	1	1	0
Ruffin, 3b.,	4	1	1	2	2
Burnett, b, l.f.,	4	1	1	0	0
Littlejohn, r.f.,	4	1	0	0	1
Burnett, j, p.,	5	2	1	3	0
Totals,	43	14	14	14	5

F. D. A. S.	AB	R	H	A	E
Collier, s.s,	5	1	1	3	4
Jennings, c.f.,	4	2	1	0	0
Taylor, 2b.,	4	0	0	2	2
Ingram, c.,	3	0	1	2	0
Harden, 3b.,	4	0	0	2	1
Hannon, l.f.,	3	0	1	0	0
Bateman, r.f.,	4	0	1	0	0
Huff, p.,	3	0	0	1	1
Proffit, 1b.,	3	0	0	2	1
Totals,	33	3	5	12	9

Score by innings:

C.C.H.S., 3-1-7-0-0-1-2-0-0—14
F.D.A.S., 0-0-0-0-0-1-0-2-0— 3

Summary:—Three bast hits, Jennings; two base hits, B. Burnett, J. Burnett, Wagoner.

WILL SERVE DINNER

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist W. M. S. will serve dinner in the basement of the church May 5th and 6th.

The patronage of those attending court has been appreciated. We are planning to serve the very best of dinners. We beg to solici tyour patronage.

CIRCLE NO. 1.

Mrs. O. Kyle, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Victor Heard, has returned to her home in Decatur.

Charter No. 11,515. Reserve District No. 6.
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT CLANTON, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 31, 1924.

RESOURCES.

1.(a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$353,435.70	
(c) Customers' liability account of acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted by it	335.00	
Total Loans		$353,770.70
2.Overdrafts, secured none, unsecured $162.64		162.64
4.U. S. Government Securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 30,000.00	
Total		30,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		11,900.00
6.Furniture and Fixtures		2,565.78
8.Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		23,380.77
10.Cash in vault and amt. due from National Banks		54,874.16
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	$ 54,874.16	
15.Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,500.00
Total		$478,154.05

LIABILITIES.

17.Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
18.Surplus fund		15,000.00
19.Undivided Profits	$ 7,969.67	
(c) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	5,636.22	2,333.45
20.Circulating notes outstanding		30,000.00
23.Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		1,130.73
25.Cashier's checks outstanding		108.70
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	$ 1,239.43	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26.Individual deposits subject to check		248,733.10
27.Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		10,525.12
28.State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		3,712.28
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	$262,970.50	
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32.Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		116,610.67
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$116,610.67	
Total		$478,154.05

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF CHILTON, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, 1924.

J. B. ATKINSON, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
G. C. WALKER,
E. E. UPCHURCH,
D. I. DERAMUS, Jr.
Directors.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

A loss of 20 per cent in the oats of the state is one of the results of the freeze which was finally determined on April 1. Practically all Fall-sown oats were killed and none were resown. About the usual amount of Spring sowing was indulged in. The present condition of oats is 58 per cent of normal, a very low condition due in most instances to poor stands left where oats were not entirely killed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Passmore, Atlanta tourists, were held up and robbed near Scottsboro. The couple had stopped about three miles out from town near Dry Creek bridge on the Lee highway to inquire from the negroes the way to Scottsboro. After giving the directions, one of the negroes drew a gun and demanded money. Mr. Passmore handed over $86 and a watch, he reported to authorities.

Demand for the city of Montgomery to purchase additional fire equipment, increase its fire department personnel, removal of fire headquarters to a fire-proof building and discontinuance of the practice of responding to alarms in the suburbs unless two additional trucks are purchased and placed in service, was made by the Southeastern Fire Underwriters Association in a letter to Mayor W. A Gunter, Jr.

Col. Hartley A. Moon, adjutant general, announces the organization of the Thirty-first Divisional Signal company, in Mobile, one of only 18 similar companies of its kind in the United States. This organization will serve as the signal unit of the Thirty-first Infantry Division, composed of National Guard troops of the states of Alabama, Florida and Louisiana.

At a meeting of prominent women of Gadsden with city and county officials, plans were discussed for the establishment of a detention home or house of refuge. Conviction of young girls on vagrancy charges and their sentences to serve in the county jail has brought out the need for some other place in which to detain these girls.

D. A. Breland, engineer in charge, and a party of 10 location men have started the work of surveying the route of the new highway from the Montgomery County line to Fort Deposit, a distance of some 13 miles. This highway will be of gravel and will connect the road from Fort Deposit to Greenville with the city of Montgomery.

The work of pouring the first concrete arches that support the highway across the main dam at Muscle Shoals was successfully completed during last week. These arches are 32 feet wide and the span is 38 feet, each arch containing 425 cubic yards of concrete. Complete forms for four of these arches and centers for 12 more are in place.

Validity of a $750,000 bond issue by the city of Dothan for the purpose of erecting a power plant was upheld by the Alabama Supreme Court when a decision was rendered in the case of D. C. Carmichael, et al. vs. City of Dothan, affirming the judgment for the Houston circuit court, from which the case was appealed.

A committee on boll weevil control for Marengo county to cooperate with farmers in purchasing calcium arsenate and blackstrap molasses is announced as follows: Judge William Cunningham, Sam Booxer and J. L. Lawson. The committee will assist the National Boll Weevil Control association in fighting the cotton pest.

The Alabama Supreme Court affirmed the verdict of the Jefferson circuit court in the case of Harry P. Dickson vs. the Southern Railway, in which Dickson was awarded $50,000 damages for personal injuries, but cut the amount to $30,000.

The people of Opelika are happy over the announcement of the building of a new union depot. Opelika's fondest dream for years isto be realized, according to positive assurances made by railroad officials.

Montgomery is soon to have mpre traffic signal lamps installed. Seventeen additional corners have been selected for operation of the new lights.

Rebecca Glass, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Glass, of Greenville, sustained a broken hip when she fell from a tree at her home.

Subscribe for The Union-Banner.

Gov. W. W Brandon will make the Memorial Day address in Troy this year, April 26.

The Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce gave a private picture show, showing the evils of bad roads to a number of local ministers and other invited guests at the Princess theater.

Gamboges Panola, two-year-old Jersey state champion milk and butter fat producer in the two-year-old class, died at the home of her owner, J. F. Conoway, of Taylorville, near Tuscaloosa. The animal was valued at $500, and there was $250 insurance on her life.

A recent ruling of the Walker county road commissioners will probably result in the town of Dora having a good road from the business section of the city limits to connect with the county road. It is said the county will give the gravel to connect the business section to the main highway.

The Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph company will rearrange and remodel its building in Montgomery and erect an additional building on the lot adjacent. A new switchboard for the operators will be provided. The estimated cost of the improvement is $100,000.

Miss Ona McClendon was indicted by the Marshall county grand jury on a second degree murder charge in connection with the killing of Jeff Love, Albertville merchant. Love was fatally shot several weeks ago on a lonely mountain road, while out riding with the girl.

T. Theodore Brent, in conference with R. G. Cobb, traffic manager for the Mobile chamber of commerce, announced the purpose of the Warrior-Mississippi barge line, of which Mr. Brent is the head, to build 20 new barges for use in the Warrior river trade.

Progress is being made on the Concord school building, near Bessemer, which was started a few weeks ago, according to the principal, Prof. S. J. Smith. The building will be of tile with brick veneer and will replace an old frame structure that is being used at present.

Nathan Bedford Forrest Klan No. 60, of Birmingham, has purchased a site at First avenue and Sixty-fifth street for the purpose of erecting a modern home which, when completed, will cost in the neighborhood of $200,000.

The short term schools of Baldwin county have wound up their school year and are closed until September. At a number of these schools extensive additions and alterations are being made, necessitated by the increasing number of patrons.

Rapid progress is being made on the Bankhead highway that runs through Jasper. The remainder of the road west, bewteen Jasper and Townley, will be completed by the latter part of July, according to the contractors.

Mobile was selected for the next meeting place and Mrs. Val Taylor of Uniontown, was unanimously re-elected president at the closing session of the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs at Montevallo.

May 23 has been set as closing date for the Gadsden public schools. The present year has seen the opening of the new Gadsden High School and the largest enrollment in the city's history.

Alabama's system of full time game and fish wardens has been abolished by order of Governor William W. Brandon, in future, except for three counties of the state, Mobile, Montgomery and Jefferson.

W. S. Childers, president of the Jasper Bank and Trust company of Jasper Bank and Trust Company of ensuing year of Group Two of the Alabama Bankers association in session at Anniston.

No trace whatever has been found of the relatives of Edward Hidge, 17, who was accidentally killed when he fell off a 30-foot trestle at the Kansas mines in Walker county.

The sum of $22,900 will be awarded to Alabama from the Julius Rosenwald fund for 1924-1925, which money will go towards the erection of 29 school buildings for the use of negroes.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

Th' feller with a beam in his own eye ain't gonna worry much about th' mote in his neighbors eye—

A CHILD IN PAIN runs to Mother for relief. So do the grown-ups. For sudden and severe pain in stomach and bowels, cramps, diarrhoea
CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY
It has never been known to fail.

666
is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

FOR SALE

Farm of 80 acres, one and one-half miles from Jemison; 60 acres in cultivation, 20 acres in timber; five-room house, large barn.

Two Farms 40 acres each with good improvements.

My Home Place of 155 acres; 90 acres in high state of cultivation; fine painted house and barns; one International Tractor; Double-disc Plow, and No. 24 Disc Tractor Harrow; one Binder, Grain Drill, Hay Press, one Mower and Rake, Pea and Bean Huller, Gasoline Engine, Grist Mill and Crusher, 6 Milch Cows, 2 Hogs, and a large assortment of Farming Tools.

Will sell all of the above at very low price and will give liberal terms if desired.

J. M. GLASSCOCK
JEMISON, ALA., Route No. 2.

"Fiddlin' John Carson," seven times champion, hasrecaptured the spirit of the South in his favorite OKeh records.

GOOD OLD Fiddlin' John has "scraped and sawed" his way to fame and fortune. At dances, camp-meetings and at the Atlanta Radio Station, WSB, he has made thousands of friends. Now hear him on OKeh records where he is making thousands more!

Here are Six Records you will enjoy

4890—"The Old Hen Cackled and the Rooster's going to Crow," and "The Little Old Log Cabin in the Lane."

4994—"You will Never Miss Your Mother Until She is Gone," and "Papa's Billy Goat."

40020—"When You and I were Young, Maggie," and "Billy in the Low Ground."

40038—"Casey Jones," and Fare ye well Old Joe Clark."

40050—"Tom Watson Special" and "Be Kind to a Man when He is Down."

40071—"The Farmer is the Man that Feeds Them All," and "The Kickin' Mule."

Clarton Representative
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ODEON RECORDS bring you the world's best music, played by European artists of international fame. These imported recordings are the favorite records of European music lovers. Odeon Records for European folk songs and classics, OKeh records for dancing, song hits and old time pieces—an unbeatable combination.

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POOR OR

New Straw Hats
Here Now. Select Yours To-day!

We've rolled up the curtains on our opening display of Men's select Straw Hats. And if you men want to see something really snappy, nifty and nobby—you want to get around at your earliest convenience and see the offerings in this great event.

Sailors of light or the darker shades of select straw with narrow or medium brims, high or low crowns and attractive color combination or plain bands.

The spring style in dance shoes

At last a dancing shoe that satisfies in price as well as style. Suitable for street wear. And every pair all leather.

The modern styles of Selz $Six shoes are fast becoming the most popular in America.

One of the Royal Blue Line
$6 to $10

Pefz caps

BOYS' AND MEN'S CAPS

We carry in stock at all times the new creations in boys' and young men's caps.

NEW HOSIERY

We have all the new colors in Hosiery to match the new colors in pumps, sandals and oxfords, that we are showing. Come look them over.

We have a complete showing in Shirts, Ties, Underwear, and the prices are right.

PARRISH'S

CLANTON, ALA.

"Get in the Well Dressed Circle"

Young men are particular about their clothes and they have a right to be. Appearance these days counts and it is a natural thing for young men to want to look right in the eyes of their fellowmen.

CURLEE Clothes answer every requirement of the modish young man. They not only look well, but they wear better. The reason is just this: CURLEE Clothes are carefully made from carefully selected fabrics. They are drafted on patterns which assure a **perfect** fit. A try-on of a CURLEE suit will instantly prove to you the truth of these statements.

We have a splendid assortment of CURLEE Clothes in unusually attractive patterns which represent the very latest thought in woolens. CURLEE tailoring is too well known throughout the country to require description. You don't have to be an expert to understand its value. Let us show you.

Demands Immediate Action!

The startling way rats are spreading demands immediate action! They must be wiped out AT ONCE. They are a deadly menace to your health! Destroy them. Exterminate them. Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Greatest rat destroyer known! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

A. C. Smith C. B. Smith
SMITH & SMITH
Attorneys-At-Law
Second Floor Smith Building
CLANTON, ALA.

EASTER SINGING AT POPLAR SPRINGS

The ananual Easter singing will be held at Poplar Springs on Sunday, April 20, 1924. Everybody has an invitation to come and bring dinner and 1924 song books.

H. W. Devaughn,
J. W. Cooper,
J. L. McDowell,
Committee.

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TWO TO-NIGHT
for loss of appetite, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness,
Without griping or nausea
CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
Set your liver right—only 25c

SEEKS $1 A MILE FOR ACTING AS "WALKING ADVERTISER"

RESIDENTS of San Diego, Calif., are anxiously awaiting the outcome on the claims of Henry Stewart, an aged pedestrian, who asserts that that city owes him the magnificent sum of $100,000 for the hired use of "his puppies"—er, excuse us—feet. That's what he told the city attorney there—nearly causing that official's heart to stop.

According to Stewart, it all came about some years ago when some supposedly over-zealous mayor of San Diego is alleged to have promised him (Stewart) the modest sum of $1 a mile if he would walk around the world advertising the approaching San Diego exposition. Stewart claims he walked 100,000 miles from city to city, visiting many foreign lands.

When he put his bill up to the city attorney, it was the first that official had heard of the veteran hiker. And while taken by surprise, he declined to pass on it without making an exhaustive investigation. After ascertaining who was mayor of the city when Stewart started on his long journey and getting other data relative to the promises made the aged hiker, he is hopeful of amicably reaching a financial settlement of the question in some form.

TIMELY FACTS ON COTTON GROWING

Work of Next Few Weeks Will Have Much to Do With Production And Yield.

Auburn, Ala., April 14.—Work during the next few weeks will determine to a considerable extent the production of the present cotton crop and also the yield next fall. Realizing the importance of proper procedure at this time, Frank E. Boyd, Agronomist for the Extension Service, suggests three tasks which should receive attention at an early date.

Cultivation across the rows with a section harrow or weeder just before or just after cotton comes up is declared to be one of the most important cultivations of the year. It is easy; it can be done very rapidly. It destroys legions of weeds, breaks the crust, and stirs the soil. Weeds are readily killed at this stage. A cultivation of this kind reduces future weed injury and renders cultivation easier from the standpoint of chopping and plowing.

Proper thinning of cotton has much to do with the yield. Mr. Boyd recommends that it be left a hoe's width or a hoe-chop apart with two or three stalks in each hill. This recommendation is based upon experimental results.

Immediately after chopping a side application of nitrate of soda should be made. It is assumed that one-fourth of the nitrate of soda to be used was applied with the seed. The remaining three-fourths should be applied just after chopping. Preferably, it should be applied just before cultivation on one side of the row. Delay in applying it reduces its effectiveness.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

FROM FORMER CHILTONIAN

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in the dear old Banner to say a few words. I am a long ways from home. I was born and raised in Chilton County, but have been living at Sycamore in Talladega County for three years. I have not forgotten the good people of Chilton County.

There are few cases of flu around here, otherwise health is good.

Mrs. Charlie Sanders and little son spent Saturday night with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sanders.

Mr. Joe Sanders spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother, Walter Sanders at Sylacauga.

Next Sunday being Easter, I hope all the children will enjoy a happy day egg hunting and the like.

(Mrs.) J. D. SANDERS.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

WELCOME!

The Queen of Roumania is planning a visit to the United States. Roumania owes this country a large war debt and has not yet arranged for its payment, but America will not follow the lead of Premier Mussolini and tell the queen to stay at home until her country's debts are paid. She will be welcomed and royally treated, and the adjustment of financial relations between the United States and Roumania will undoubtedly be hastened.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which assists in improving the General Health.

Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

FREE!

THESE MAGNIFICENT CAKE PLATES, SALAD DISHES AND BERRY BOWLS

(Read Our Offer Below)

BERRY BOWLS

This Beautiful Gold and Decorated Glassware on Display at our Store.

Get One While They Last.

SAVE THE COUPONS

Absolutely FREE With $25.00 in Cash Trade.

G. C. Armstrong

CLANTON, ALA.

BIG RUG SALE

For the next 10 days, or while they last, you will find at my store some of the best bargains in Rugs that have ever been pulled off in Clanton. At this Sale I can sell you rugs as follows:

27x54 Beacon Taps at $1.20
27x54 Fernbrook Velvets at $2.15
36x72 Fernbrook Velvets at $3.65

Also have other rugs at bargains. See me before you buy.

Retherford Furniture Co.

Clanton, Ala.

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The principal charge made against the Republican Administration is that it has not been duly vigilant in prosecuting the frauds that grew out of the Democratic Administration.

All girls who enter the high school of Oswego, N. Y., are required to take a course of 10 weeks in home nursing. The superintendent of the Oswego Hospital is the instructor.

Benjamin Franklin said that "If you want your work well done, go; if not, send." That rule applies absolutely to the great task of the American citizen—voting. If you want the votes cast right at the poles, go; if not, send some one else.

President Coolidge and the Republican senators at Washington have gotten about enough of Reed's and Walsh's monkey investigating of cabinet officers. Investigations are all right where there is corruption, but when same is used for the purpose of embarrassing innocent and prominent officials just to arouse public sentiment against them, it is going beyond any reason. President Coolidge doesn't talk much but when he does speak it means something, and the Senate is beginning to realize it.

The proposed cotton mill for Clanton will have a monthly payroll of $5,000. With this sum scattered around over Chilton county and every merchant and business man getting his share of it, would it not be a great help to us all? It is true that the mill will maintain its commissary, but this does not mean the workmen will spend all their money there. Everybody will get his share of it, even the farmers will find a ready market for lots of their truck and produce. This is a thing that we should all join hands in trying to promote, so if there are any lukewarms who cannot help, let them keep their mouths shut until we have a chance to prove it to them. Let's all go after the cotton mill.

The Republican nominations for county offices have closed. The people have before them a nice list for each office to select their choice from. All the men and women who have announced, so far as we know, are starightforward, honest, upright and worthy of the nomination, but somebody has got to be beaten. It is the people of the county who are to select the winners, and the voice of the majority should be allowed to do the speaking and whatever it says the rest should be pleased with. Brother Z. J. Jones said a few weeks ago that a person who could not take defeat honorably should not announce. If possible, we wish to add emphasis to this assertion, because upon this one fact depends largely the future success of the Republican party in Chilton county. Fifteen out of the nineteen candidates are going to be defeated, so somebody might as well get ready for the shock. It is an easy matter to smile at success, but it takes a real man to lose out and still maintain a pleasing countenance and parallel disposition. Let us all be real men.

Some old geyser said that opportunity was bald-headed except a little wad of hair right on top of his forehead and if one wished to grab it he had better make his pass at it while said opportunity was coming, because if you wait till it is passed you have nothing to grab except his sleek, bald head. The above being both theoretically and practically true, now is the time for Clanton to make its forward pass for a cotton mill. Two men with the doe have come here prospecting, and now it behooves Clanton to show these men that they have a golden opportunity in their chance to locate their mill within our borders. We need to make them feel at home and welcome in Clanton and that the people here want what they have got and that we are willing to induce them to come here. There are a number of towns between Birmingham and Montgomery that would be glad of getting this cotton mill and they are going to make a fight for it. The only way for Clanton to land the proposition is for us to make them the best offer and show them that we need them and they need us. Our opportunity is now before us. The question is, *are* we going to let it pass before we awake to our senses? We believe Clanton is on her job this time and will strike while the iron is hot.

NAILED!

THE FARMER AND THE FREE LIST

Washington, April 14, 1924.—The present Republican tariff law has not imposed undue burdens upon the American farmer but has protected his markets. So far as there was any discrimination at all, effort was made to favor the farmer by placing on the free list the commodities he buys, as distinguished from commodities bought by the people of the country in general.

Nevertheless, there has been persistent misrepresentation on this subject. For instance, the Washington correspondent of the London Times informs the readers of that great British daily that the Democrats in the United States are going to make an issue of the tariff in the coming campaign by proposing reduction of tariff rates on "virtually all articles purchased or consumed by the farmer." Here are some of the things purchased by farmers of duty imposed thereon:

Agricultural implements — plows, tooth or disk harrows, headers, harvesters, reapers, agricultural drills and planters, mowers, horse rakes, cultivators, threshing machines, cotton gins, machinery for use in the manufacture of sugar, wagons and carts, cream separators not valued at more than $50 each, and "all other agricultural implements of any kind or description, not specifically provided for, whether in whole or in parts, including repair parts—now on the free list." How much will the Democrats reduce that tariff rate?

Arsenic, used in insect sprays—now on the free list. How much will the Democrats reduce that tariff rate?

Binding twine—now on the free list. How much will the Democrats reduce that tariff rate?

Bones, used for fertilizers—free. Potash, used for fertilizers—free. Muriate of potash, sodium nitrate, potassium nitrate, calcium nitrate, used for fertilizers—free. Guano, manure, and all other substances used chiefly for fertlilizers—free. How much will the Democrats reduce the tariff rates on those commodities?

In fact, now, what are the articles referred to by Democratic leaders as "purchased or consumed by the farmers" on which it is proposed to reduce the tariff for the benefit of the farmer in particular?

THEY COME NATURALLY

Many efforts rave been made to create slogans, but never with success. Slogans are a natural development of circumstances and the public refuses to accept one with a forced significance. "The Strenuous Life" and "The Big Stick" became popular expressions during the Roosevelt administration not merely because Roosevelt uttered them but because they were descriptive of his policies. "Keep Cool with Coolidge" bids fair to become one of the permanent slogans of thhe present political campaign not because of the play upon words but because keeping cool is truly a Coolidge characteristic. Moreover, keeping cool is a policy that today appeals very strongly to the judgment of the great masses of the American people. The country is tired of hysteria, it has had enough of experimentation with radical ideas, it is in a mood to get back to fundamentals and to proceed in accordance with reason and experience.

COOLIDGE STEAM ROLLER EXPECTED TO FLATTEN FOES

His Opposition is Anticipated From LaFollette and Not From Californian.

Washington, April 10.—The break in the Coolidge campaign for the Republican presidential nomination has come. Nothing but a political earthquake can now prevent the nomination of the president at Cleveland in June.

Mr. Coolidge has had from the start the support of the regular Republican organization, all-powerful in the Eastern States. It was not known what would be his strength in the presidential primaries but the victories in Nebraska and Illinois—states in which weakness would be expected to develop if at all—has knocked the wind out of the sails of the Hiram Johnson campaign and left the field to Mr Coolidge.

Although presidential primary votes are not considered binding at a national convention, they are nevertheless a index of popular feeling. Mr. Coolidge's strength in the priamaries is a surprise even to his friends. To carry Michigan, Illinois, Nebraska and North Dakota is a feat which a regular Republican has not achieved in a good many years. Republican support of the president in the conservative areas of New England and the East has been unchallenged, but the Western seat of radicalism has not been so easy to conquer.

Big Majority Forecast

Mr. Coolidge, according to present indications, will have a majority of the delegates at the Republican National Convention on the first or second ballots. It may be that, for the sake of prestige and campaign effectiveness, later on almost the entire Republican convention will vote for Coolidge, giving him the psychological benefit of virtually unanimous support.

All will not be smooth sailing, however, for Senator LaFollette is scheduled to make a fight for a radical platform, falling in which the Wisconsin delegates and others, possibly from Western States, will announce their decision to support a third ticket.

Efforts will be made by the Coolidge leaders to liberalize the Republican platform, not so much to placate the LaFollette group, but to satisfy the sentiment of the people of Western States. But it is not believed that any platform adopted by a regular Republican convention will suit the LaFollette radicals.

Dawes' Report May Help

One of the most difficult planks to be written will be that concerning foreign policy. The report of the Dawes-Young advisory council to the reparations commission has been received here with gratification because of the belief that it will help compose the Europeon situation, but the administration cannot openly claim credit for the work of the unofficial body of American experts, even though their appointment was made originally with the knowledge and consent of the United States government. The policy followed is exactly that which Secretary Hughes recommended in his New Haven speech. The administration can point to the advice it rendered Europe if the problems of reparation should be solved, but it cannot point with pride to the studied attempt of the foreign relations committee of the Senate to bury the world court proposal advocated by the late President Harding and President Coolidge.

It is significant that the Dawes-Young report has not stirred up opposition in Congress.

RIGHT MEN, RIGHT PLACES

The new Secretary of the Navy and the new Attorney General are added proofs of President Coolidge's sagacity as an executive. Both Secretary Wilbur and Attorney General Stone are peculiarly fitted for the exacting duties of their offices. The former is a graduate of the United States Naval Academy and in addition to special naval training at that institution he has had a long career in the practice of the law. While he can handle efficiently the technical questions that come before a navy chief, he is also well qualified to render legal opinions on the many points of law that are constantly being presented. The latter has a long record as a practitioner and teacher of the law. He has not, however, ever made those corporate connections that seem these days to disqualify a man in the eyes of the people from holding public office. He is also a trained executive, able to handle departmental matters as well as those involving legal interpretations. Without casting any reflections on the men whom they succeed, Messrs. Wilbur and Stone will contribute to the Cabinet just the sort of character which the President's circle of advisers should possess.

NO SENATE BROADCASTING

Senator Howell, Republican, of Nebraska has proposed that the Senate be equipped with radio apparatus that speeches may be broadcast. His proposal was promptly blocked by Democrats. If the statements of some of the members of that party were to to be hurled through the ether with the same abandon with which they are delivered in the Senate, there would be a public reaction that would speedily suppress some of the worst offenders. Democrats evidently recognize the value of comparative privacy in the Senate Chamber.

Stop that cough right now—

YOU can often prevent serious complications by giving Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey at once. Dr. Bell's loosens hard-packed phlegm, soothes inflamed tissues and restores normal breathing. Made of just the medicines that up-to-date doctors recommend—combined with the old-time favorite, pine-tar honey. Children like its pleasant taste.

All druggists. Be sure to get the genuine.

DR. BELL'S *Pine-Tar Honey*

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 13, 1924.

K. M. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924. J. BICE.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. D. HUGHES.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924. H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby anncunce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. B. GREEN.

FOR COUNTRY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. M. SMITH.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

Just for Curiosity

If you are curious about the results of using Calumet—bake a cake and use some other baking powder, then use the same recipe and employ

CALUMET
The Economy BAKING POWDER

Compare the texture of the two cakes—the way they look—the way they taste. The difference will make you join the millions who use Calumet daily.

Sales 2¼ times as much as that of any other brand

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

TORN PAGE

SARDIS NOTES

Rev. C. A. Taylor filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday Messrs. G. W. Ratliff and W. E. Hayes were chosen deacons, and were ordained on Sunday following.

Everybody remember our Sunday School will be in the afternoon next Sunday. There will be an egg hunt and singing here Sunday aftrenoon. All lovers of music are invited as we are expecting Mr. Hughes here to sing and to see about teaching a singing school this summer.

Farmers are about ready to plant. Some have already planted; guess they are in for a race with Mr. Boll Weevil.

We have had a few candidates call to see us, while we do not hear much talk of politics. Don't know who will be in the lead here, but think Mr. Walker will get the majority of the votes in the third district.

What about the dipping? Well we are going to have to dip, so we might as well quit so much talking and bring our old favorite pet cows on and dip them, so that this may be the last year we will have to fool with it.

Rev. Messer will preach at Antioch Sunday. Everybody invited out to hear him.

Mr. Luther Traywick of near Selma was visiting here Sunday.

Several from New Cedron were joy riding here Sunday p.m.

Miss Anthel Ratliff had as her guest last week Misses Ruth and Mattie Lou Carter from Billingsley and her cousin, Miss Malene Ratliff from Maplesville.

Miss Bernice Broadhead has gone for an extended visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. Sam Christian of Selma spent the week end with parents here.

Mr. Cyrus Hayes happened to bad luck Sunday when Mr. Aaron Roper ran into his car and damaged it.

Mr. Thomas Perry of Maplesville was vsiiting here Sunday faternoon.

Messrs. W. W. Klinner and H. L. Ratliff motored to Clanton on business Monday.

Several from here went to the singing at Alpine Sunday.

Everybody remember our singing the first and third Sunday afternoons. We have ordered new books and hope to have a good class soon.

Mr. J. P. Gore leaves next Sunday in his Fordfor a three weeks visit to his daughter in Selma.

GET-TOGETHER DAY AT COLLINS CHAPEL APRIL 11

On last Saturday, April 11, 1924, there was a big day held at Collins Chapel school house, for the purpose of building a new school building.

We are very glad to say we had with us Mr. Tidwell from Montgomery. Our other visitors were, Mr. J. Osmond Middleton, and our County Supt. of Education, Mr. Howard L. Foshee.

We are also glad to say Mr. Tidwell preached, and Mr. Middleton opened the doors of the church, and raised about $1460 on the new school building.

So, let's go to work fellows, and build a new building for Collins Chapel school.

We hope everybody enjoyed their dinner for there was a plenty of dinner for everybody.

Mr. Robert Bean and family had as their guests recently Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Finch from Selmen, Ala. Mrs. Finch also came to see her sister, Miss Mamie Walker, who taught at Collins Chapel this year.

MARS HILL NEWS

We have our Sunday school started up again, as we haven't been having any through the winter season, and we hope to make it a good one this time. We invite everyone to come and join us, both young and old.

We also have singing at this place every second and fourth Sunday evenings, in the Christian Harmony; every second and fourth in the 1924 Showalter books. We invite all who will, to come and help us out.

I want to say our singing Sunday evening was simply good, with a large crowd. Directors were, Charlie Langston, J. N. Scott, Davis Hudgens, C. W. Scott. Everyone seemed to enjoy those good old songs, as it brings our memories back to us of those who used to be with us, that did love them so well.

Our Sunday School will meet at 9 o'clock next Sunday, on acocunt of those who may want to attend the singing at Oak Grove.

Messrs. Luther and Lee Grant of Coopers were in Clanton Monday. Both of them came in and put their names down for The Union-Banner for a year.

BOLL WEEVILS THIS YEAR

New Orleans, La., April 14.—There has been much speculation among cotton farmers and those interested in the production of cotton as to the number of boll weevils which will actually attack the crop this year.

The general belief has been that the severity of the winter with the quick changes in temperature has caused a considerable decrease in the number of weevils. This belief has been strengthened by the announcement of government experts, after an examination of Spanish moss near Tallulah, La., that only 0.5 weevils per ton of moss survived the winter.

This announcement, with the warning that if spring weather should be favorable to the insects they would increase to such proportions without control that considerable damage would be done, is believed to have caused thinking farmers to plan to take advantage of the low rate of emergency by "getting the weevil before it has a chance to get the crop" at a cost that will be much lower than if application of control methods are delayed until there is a noticeable increase in numbers of the pest.

The fact that the examination for the degree of survival was conducted only in Louisiana also has increased the speculation as to whether the same is true in other parts of the cotton belt. So far as is known no other expert examinations have been made but it will be possible for the farmers to determine for themselves within a short time the probable degree of infestation this year.

Many farmers already have planted their crops and others will be doing so within a few days. And, as all farmers know, within a few more days the plants themselves will begin to appear.

With the appearance of the plants the boll weevil problem begins to take on a serious aspect. Whatever the number of weevils that survived the winter, it must be remembered that no food has been eaten by them since going into winter quarters last fall and that they are eagerly waiting for the appearance of the plants. They begin feeding on the tips of the plants just as soon as conditions permit.

In order to get the best possible advantage of the weevil, it is recommended that framers make close daily observations of the plants as soon as they begin to appear, examining every plant for weevils, and as soon as there are as many as twenty insects to the acre begin poisoning either with calcium arsenate in dust form or a calcium arsenate-molasses mixture.

Early applications of poison will greatly reduce the number of weevils, make the late season fight one of less effort and will materially decrease the cost of poisoning in addition to saving a large part of the crop from the weevil's ravages.

The correct way of poisoning at this stage as recommended by state and government experts will be discussed in an article next week. Further information may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney Building, New Orleans, La.

FROM MR. C. T. WALKER

Editor Union-Banner:

As reports have gotten out that I gave Thompson Lumber Company the right to haul lumber over public roads after a rain, I wish to say that such report is false and without any foundation. I couldn't do such a thing if I wanted to. It is too bad that we have church members who will get out such reports and for campaign purposes.

I know I make mistakes, but I am not ashamed of a thing I can't help. What I do stands open for all to see. Thompson Lumber Company will tell you that such reports are false.

Yours truly,
C. T. WALKER.

Chicken Farm Invaded!

Chicken farm was nvaded by a horde of rats last night. Over a hundred chickens reported killed—Bulletin.

Think of this frightful loss! Wipe out this terrific menace! Destroy all rats with Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. SURE-QUICK. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

ELECTION NOTICE

By virtue of a resolution heretofore passed by the Republican executive committee of Chilton county, a delegated Republican Convention is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Clanton, Alabama, on Friday, May the 16th, 1924, for the purpose of electing delegates to the District and State Republican Conventions.

The qualified Republican voters of Chilton County are hereby notified to assemble at a convenient place, at or near their respective voting places in each precinct at 2 O'clock P. M. on Tuesday May the 13, 1924, and elect two delegates from each precinct to said County Convention to be held at the Court House in Clanton, on Friday, May the 16th, 1924.

The Republicans of each precinct are hereby called upon to elect two Republicans from each precinct as members of the County Republican Executive Committee. Said members are to be elected by each voter writing the names of his choice on the ballot to be used in the Republican primary of May the 13th, 1924.

Dated this the 9th day of April, 1924.

W. G. CULP, Chairman.
J. Z. MIMS, Secretary.

Mr. Henry C. Cox of Route 8 was in Clanton Tuesday. He left with The Union-Banner a dollar and a half saying that he and his folks were too lonesome without the paper in their home.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT MONTGOMERY APRIL 21-23.

All arrangements are complete for the great Sunday School Convention, which meets in Montgomery, April 21-23, 1924. Many delegates have already registered. The citizens of Montgomery are throwing their homes open to entertain the delegates and according to Secretary Ellzey, nothing has been left undone to make the Forty-first Annual Convention of the Alabama Sunday School Workers, a memorable occasion.

The program is builded to give help and inspiration to every phase of Religious Education. World Leaders will be present and deliver addresses and many of the great leaders of the State will participate in the program.

Montgomery will entertain delegates for bed and breakfast without charge. All railroads will give reduced rates.

A reception will be given to the delegates during the Convention at Woman's College.

The Pastors Association and all Sunday Schools in Montgomery, are co-operating to make the Convention the most helpful ever held in the State.

OAK GROVE

Don't forget the all-day singing here next Sunday. Everybody come. The Union-Banner a dollar and a half saying that he and his folks were too lonesome without the paper in their home. This class will sing with Mudtown class at Shiloh church the 4th Sunday evening in April.

W. J. NORTHCUTT.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned relatives of Mrs. Eliza Franklin, who was recently claimed by death, desire to return us most earnest thanks to the many kind and thoughtful friends and neighbors who were so graciously and uniformly good to her and to us in this sad hour. We would especially express our appreciation to Mrs. Mattie Weldon, Miss Nannie Boice, Mrs. Congadu Williams and Mrs. Sam Turner for the splendid and untiring service they rendered us all in this dark time of bereavement.

HER RELATIVES.

J. BOOCKHOLDT

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow us space in your valuable paper to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors also Dr. N. S. Johnson for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, J. Boockholdt, who died at his home near Enterprise Saturday morning, April 12.

Mrs. J. Boockholdt and Children.

TO OUR FRIENDS IN CLANTON

May we thus express to you our sincerest thanks for the very kind deeds and expressions tendered us during the bitterness of our affliction in the loss of our dearly loved sister, (Emma Thomas)? Tho no human hand can assuage the grief we suffer, those deeds and expressions are tender memories to us.

HER SISTER AND BROTHERS.

L&N Taxes Greater Than Dividends~

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad's tax bill for the year 1923 amounted to $6,372,310, or nine per cent more than was paid in dividends to the stockholders of the Railroad who assume all risk and responsibility for the Road's operation.

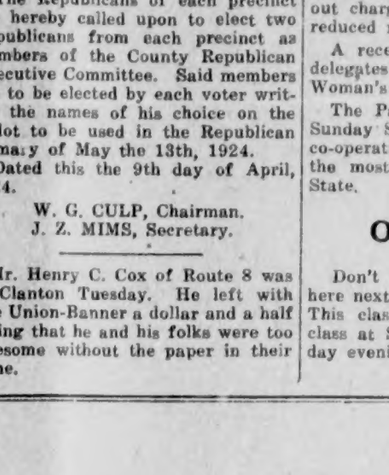
The L. & N. is called upon each year to make an increasingly-heavy payment of taxes to the Federal, State, County and City treasuries throughout the thirteen states in which it operates. Taxes per mile in 1913 were $365; in 1923 they were $1,265, an increase of 246 per cent. The investment in L. & N. property in the meantime increased 56 per cent.

The Railroads pay taxes to maintain the government, improve the roads, provide schools and other public institutions, and for varied other purposes; in order to make the country a better place in which to live. It is apparent therefore that the payment of taxes by the railroads redounds tremendously to the public interest.

The L. & N. is always agreeable to the payment of its just proportion of taxes, yet it is manifest that it, and the other railroads of the country cannot bear their proper share of such tax burdens and at the same time effect desirable improvements and additions except they be permitted to earn a reasonable return upon the value of their property devoted to transportation service.

Studebaker

Announcement



We have just opened Sales and Service Station in the big brick building on the East side of South 6th Street. Our shop will be in charge of Mr. Fate Maddox, an expert mechanic, with years of experience in servicing all makes of cars.

In addition to the Studebaker line, we have secured the Chevrolet franchise. We will have in carload of Chevrolets this week. We will be glad to give you demonstration upon their arrival.

We will also carry complete line of accessories. Your patronage will be appreciated.

POLK BROTHERS

CLANTON, ALABAMA

Studebaker and Chevrolet Motor Cars

CHEVROLET

HE FAMILY NEXT DOOR — That's Right!

POOR ORIGINAL

NOTICE TO ROAD SUPERVISORS OF CHILTON COUNTY:

We wish to call the attention of all parties hauling lumber, logs, cord wood, timber or ore, that there is a license due to the county on trucks hauling the above, and it is the duty of each road supervisor to prosecute. We especially call the attention of each road supervisor to Section 36 of the Road Laws of Chilton County, Alabama, wherein it is provided that, "Any Road Supervisor who fails or refuses to prosecute any and all violations of Traffic Laws herein and all other violations of the Road Laws herein adopted, which come to his knowledge that are committed in his Road Precinct, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as provided by law." We understand that we have been criticized by not putting license on all trucks. As the law has been interpreted to us, we had no authority to put license on any other trucks except those designated above, the legislature of 1923 making this prohibition.

The County Commisisoners are trying to maintain and establish new roads as fast as we can get them, but we are having some trouble in getting rights-of-way, this, of course, always delays the work. We appeal to land owners to give rights-of-way to build these roads, and in so doing it will save the county considerable expense and trouble and delay of time.

The road laws under which the county it now operating are new to this county and if any of the provisions are proven to be unsatisfactory and not of general benefit to the county as a whole, the court will make amends to suit the desires of the majority of the people and interest of the county. The laws were passed with one intention—to improve the roads of our county and to keep them in condition consistent with the progress of the times and in doing so to prorate the burden of the maintenance and construction of said roads upon individuals to whom the roads were of most benefit.

It is consonant with equity and good conscenice that the man who uses the roads very little should pay very little, while the man who uses the roads practically altogether for his business should pay more.

We call upon the people of the county and all public bodies and newspapers to encourage an observance of the road laws, and if there are meritorious amendments to be made to such laws, we invite a constructive criticism and will make changes accordingly where deemed proper and necessary.

All truck license will be half price after July 1st, 1924, provided no lumber, logs, timber or cord wood was hauled with the trucks before July 1st. If they were used for this purpose before July the 1st, full year's license will have to be taken out.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.
T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
Commissioners.

Clanton, Ala., April 14, 1924.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

A CHILD IN PAIN runs to Mother for relief. So do the grown-ups. For sudden and severe pain in stomach and bowels, cramps, diarrhoea
CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY
It has never been known to fail.

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Clanton, Ala.

K. M. VINSON WRITES TO COUNTY VOTERS

The time for candidates to make announcements having expired, we now have before us the names of all the candidates for the various offices of the county to be voted upon on May 13th, and having announced myself as one of the candidates for the office of County Treasurer, I want to say a few words to the voters of the county, both the men and the ladies, relative to my candidacy.

First, I am asking the support of the people on my own merits and not on the demerits of my opponents, for they are all good friends of mine, and after the primary in May, regardless of who the nominee may be, I want to have the same friendship with them all that I now have, and I pledge myself to the voters and to the nominees whoever they may be, that I will do all in my power to elect the entire ticket in November.

To those who can see fit to give me a consideration I assure every one of my highest appreciation and thanks for anything they might do or say in my behalf, and to those who do not know me I shall thank them to investigate my life and learn all they can about me before casting their vote on May 13th. I was reared in Beat 6 of this county, near Enterprise until I was 17 years old, and since that time I have been in and around Clanton with the exception of twenty-one months that I spent in the U. S. Army during the war.

I feel that I am competent to fill the office of County Treasurer, as I have had about three and one-half years experience in the various offices of the county as a clerk, and I am familiar with most of the records of the county offices, and if I should be the choice of the voters of the county I shall at all times stand ready to assist anyone in every way possible with anything that I am able to do.

It is my intention to see as many of the voters of the county as possible before the primary on May 13th, but owing to my present work it will be impossible for me to see all as I would like to, but whether I see you or not, I assure each and every one who can see fit to give me their support of my highest appreciation.

Trusting that we may have a clean campaign, a good turnout in the primary, and most of all, the same friendly feeling for each other after May 13th, that we now have, I remain,

Yours very truly,
K. M. VINSON.

SMALLPOX IN LAMAR AND JACKSON COUNTIES

Montgomery, Ala., April 7.—Reports come from Jackson and Lamar counties of an outbreak of smallpox which is causing considerable concern to the people in that part of the country. Owing to the fact that the type of smallpox which is prevailing is extremely mild in character, the disease was thought to be chicken pox at first until it had gained considerable headway. Representatives of the State Department of Health conferred with the local physicians and the true character of the disease was established. Although most of the cases are extremely mild there is always the possibility that virulent cases will develop.

The health authorities co-operating with the local physicians are, therefore, urging that everyone in this section be vaccinated. Dr. C. A. Mohr, representing the State Department of Health and Dr. Jas. G. Bedsole, City Health Officer, reported Thursday evening that more than four hundred had been vaccinated that day. With such co-operation as this from the citizens in Clark county the outbreak will be quickly suppressed.

UNCLE DOCK WELLS WILL PREACH AT JACKSON CHAPEL

Uncle Dock Wells asks us to announce to the people of the county that he will preach at Jackson's Chapel at 11 o'clock on Easter Sunday and at the County Poor Farm at 3 in the afternoon. Uncle Dock asks that everybody come out to these two services with hearts full of religion, prepared to enjoy the Easter services.

Mr. I. D. Huett, of Billingsley, Rt. 1, came in Tuesday and subscribed for The Union-Banner for a year.

FROM H. B. GLENN, CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Clanton, Ala., April 11, 1924.
To the Voters of Chilton County:

As you are all aware that I am a candidate for Commissioner from the Fourth District, it is useless for me to tell you that I want your votes as that is generally understood among the voters. So, what I want and need to do I think is first to prove to you that I am worthy of your consideration, and second, what more could I do than has already been done or could be done by any of my opponents? As for the first, I am leaving that with the people to say on the 13th of May; as for the second, will say that I think that our commissioners should be farmers or at least live out in the country and not in town in business as that takes up all his time. So you can see that I have no advantage over my opponents along that line.

Now, about working our public roads and taxation for same, will state my position in very few words. I am bitterly opposed to working the boys from 18 to 45 years on public roads when there is a great per cent of them who have nothing—not even a tool to work with and nothing but hands and feet to travel the roads after they have worked them. But I am heartily in favor of taxing the wealth of the country to get revenue sufficient to have them worked with. It seems to me that our commissioners and probate judge have done the best they could in this matter. Am sorry that our wagons did not come in for a reasonable tax, say $1 per year for buggy. $2 for one-horse wagons, $4 for two-horse wagons and so on according to tonnage to be hauled.

In my way of thinking, there has got to be something done besides pick and hoe and shovel route to holp up the public roads under present and future traffic. Of course, I am in favor of all this being done very carefully, for when this is done there will be some badly spent money. But my experience has been that we can if we will, profit by our past mistakes.

So if there is anything else any of you want, to know how I stand on just see or write me at Clanton Route 6 and I will try and make my position clear. But as to my knowledge on duties of commisioners, am frank to admit that same is very narrow.

Now, as to the character and standing of my opponents, will say that I am personally acquainted with some of them and some I have never met, but will say as a word of compliment that they are gentlemen in all that the word implies, and I take it for granted that those I have never met are of the same type. So if you see fit to nominate any one of the other boys, I am with you to elect him in November. I am not canvassing on account of my farm operations, but to any and all, both gentlemen and ladies, candidates for any office in the county, both Democrats and Republicans, that our doors are open to you. I have no ill will toward any one because of his or her political views.

Respectfully,
H. B. GLENN.

THANKS FRIENDS

Editor Union-Banner:

Through the medium of your valuable columns may I be allowed to express my grateful thanks and appreciation to the many friends who visited me during my recent sickness at Central Alabama Hospital. The flowers that were also given brought much cheer during many hours of suffering. Thanks to the careful treatment of Dr. Gragg and his staff. I have now nicely recovered from a severe case of appendicitis and shall soon return to my field of labour at Geneva, Ala. May His richest blessings be yours who said "In as much as ye did it unto the least of these my brethren ye did it unto me."

REV. P. G. CARTER.

Gained Ten Pounds

Mrs. George S. Hunter, of Columbus, Ga., says she suffered severely with female troubles.

"I had to go to bed and stay sometimes two weeks at a time," says Mrs. Hunter. "I could not work. My . . . were irregular and I got very thin. I went from 126 pounds down to less than 100. My mother had been a user of

CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic

and she knew what a good medicine it was for this trouble, so she told me to get some and take it. I sent to the store after it and before I had taken the first bottle up I began to improve. My side hurt less and I began to mend in health. I took four bottles in all during the last ten months. Cardui acted as a fine tonic. . . I am well now. I have gained ten pounds and am still gaining. My sides do not trouble me at all and my . . . are quite regular. I know that Cardui will help others suffering from the same trouble."
Take Cardui.
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NEW HARMONY NEWS

Health is very good except Mr. Monroe Headley's family have the whooping cough. Hope they will soon be well.

Our Sunday school at Pleasant Grove is just doing fine. We have good large crowds every Sunday. Come on everybody and let's make our Sunday school one of the best. Preaching there Sunday was just fine, with a very large crowd. Also singing Sunday p.m. was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mrs. John Carter from Maplesville and Mr. Jesse B. Gaines from Birmingham spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jackson and daughter, Ollie, spent Saturday night at Mr. John Jackson's.

Mr. Jesse Gaines, Mr. Mitchel Gray and Miss Ollie Jackson took dinner with Miss Ruth Williams Saturday.

Miss Maudie Durbin spent Saturday night with Miss Gladys Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and family spent Saturday night and Sunday at Mr. Marlow Williams.

Miss Ruth Williams spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Williams.

Mr. Will Johnson and Mr. Mayron Gray spent Wednesday night at Mr. R. L. Weaver's.

The musical entertainment at Mr. R. L. Williams Wednesday night was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mrs. Lizzie Williams, Mr. Marlow Williams and family spent a few enjoyable hoursr at the home of Mr. E. F. Jackson's Friday night.

Mrs. Annie Weaver and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Williams.

Mrs. Walter Headley and daughter, Gertha, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lizzie Williams.

Miss Roberta Weaver spent Wednesday night with Miss Ollie Jackson.

Mr. R. L. Weaver made a business trip to Selma Friday, returning home Sunday.

Little Miss Pauline Williams spent Saturday night with Miss Gladys Weaver.

Miss Gladys Weaver spent Sunday with Irene and Pauline Williams.

NOTICE QUALIFIED VOTERS

I want to call attention to all parties who are qualified voters and have been left off the list, to come to see me or write me at once. I am very anxious to get the correct record of all voters in the county, and this office will give preference to helping any voter to get their record straight to any other work that we are required to do.

Remember, where anyone writes us about their record and we get it straight, we do not answer the letter, but if we do not get the record clear we always write and explain the trouble.

When writing me state where you registered and the date of your birth, if you have paid your poll tax in different names—be sure and mention this fact.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

Mr. F. F. Jackson, of Route 7, was here Monday on business.

MR. J. MONROE SMITH FOR MEMBER EDUCATION BOARD

Just before the time closed for nominations for county offices on the Republican ticket, Mr. J. M. Smith of Thorsby, Route 1, placed his announcement Saturday afternoon for member of the County Board of Education.

Mr. Smith lives five miles west of Clanton in Liberty Hill community, where he was born. He has served as District School Trustee for fifteen years and now has two daughters in the teaching profession. He has another daughter to graduate from the county high school in June. Mr. Smith served as secretary-treasurer of the Farmers Union of Chilton county for ten years in succession and is at present serving in the capacity of treasurer of the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association of Thorsby, Ala.

Mr. Smith has worked to advance the cause of sacred music in Chilton County for twenty-five years, and has a son who is now a music teacher. Mr. Smith is known by most of the people of the county, especially the farmers. His varied and extended experience in school and public matters would make him thoroughly qualified to fill the office for which he has announced.

W. S. Bowles of Billingsley was in Clanton Tuesday of this week.

NEW GARAGE IN CLANTON.

In another place in this weekly paper we are carrying a big adv. of Polk Bros., announcing their opening of a new garage and service station in Clanton. Their business will be located in the big Downs warehouse building, a block and a half south of The Union-Banner office. Mr. Fate Maddox, the original jitney driver and automobile fixer of Clanton, will be at the head if the repair department. Everybody here knows Fate and knows of his ability as an automobile mechanic.

In addition to their line of Studebaker cars, Polk Bros. have secured the agency for the Chevrolet cars here. They will also carry a line of accessories of these two makes of cars.

The Polk Brothers have done a nice business here selling Studebaker and Gray cars, and we feel sure they will make a big success of their new undretaking.

EXTRA SESSION OF THE STATE LEGISLATURE IS PROBABLE

Indications are now that the Governor will likely call a special session of the State Legislature this summer for the purpose of making some appropriations to the public schools of the State. It is supposed that if the session is held it will be held some time in August.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute f Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syru prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages

Constipation	Wind Colic
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Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness. Rest, a Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletche
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend

Please Take Notice

that we intend to put more people to riding on Goodyear tires in Chilton county this year than ever before.

We have a larger range of prices, as good a tire as money can buy and we make free delivery of casing or tube as far as ten miles.

Call us when the next tire shoots and a man will be there in a few minutes, install tire, pump it up and have you on your way.

We appreciate your business.

LAWRENCE MOTOR COMPANY
CLANTON, ALA.

AVERY SHAWNEE JR. PLANTER

An Old-Time Favorite

THERE are no frills about the Shawnee Jr. It is simple and sturdy. It responds instantly to the operator's every desire. Depth of planting is accurately controlled by a simple movement of the handles, without stopping. In the same way the opener is lifted clear of the ground and planting mechanism is thrown out of gear at the ends of the rows. Perfect control means more and better work with greater economy.

The Shawnee Jr. has no sprockets to clog, no chains to break. A double pitman gives a simple, direct, trouble-free drive. Supplied with the Shawnee Jr. as regular equipment is a wide variety of plates. A standard picker wheel gives continuous force feed. Special picker wheels give intermittent spacing of seeds. Quantity of seed planted is easily and accurately controlled. Special hoppers, duplex and single seed, are supplied as extras. All changes in equipment are easily made without tools.

The Avery Shawnee Jr. abundantly supplies the farmer's needs for a walking planter that does all sorts of planting. We will gladly demonstrate it. Come to our store and see for yourself its many good features.

There is a full line of famous Avery walking, riding and tractor plows, tillage implements and Champion harvesting and haying machines

MULLINS & MOORE
CLANTON, ALA.

TORN PAGE

MEMBER

DAY OF NARROW ROAD HAS NOW GONE BY

Importance of Ample Right of Way For Widening.

Don't build the road narrow. But however it is built, have a right of way ample enough to provide for widening in the future. On these two hang all the law and the profits of modern road building!

An expensive fault of the narrow road is the concentration of traffic. Wheels moving constantly over the same places produce parallel lines of excessive wear. To prevent rapid disintegration of a single track road a heavier foundation and surface is needed than is required for a wider road.

Substantial shoulders at the sides on which the passing traffic may turn out are also necessary as otherwise the wheels of vehicles turning out to pass will quickly wear ruts at the edges. In these water collects, to penetrate beneath the foundation, with disastrous results. A narrow road with soft earth shoulders is dangerous to motor traffic in slippery weather.

To build the heavier foundation and surface needed to bear the concentration of traffic on a narrow road, and the substantial shoulders at the sides, requires as much money as to build a wider road. On a wide road, traffic is scattered, and wear is distributed. With a paved surface sufficiently wide for two lines of rapidly moving vehicles to pass in safety, the necessity for artificial shoulders is eliminated. To build a narrow road, thin and without shoulders, means a loss of the entire investment in a comparatively short time.

A narrow right of way requires drainage ditches close to the travel. With no shoulder between paved surface and ditch the chances of serious accident are largely increased. All drainage ditches tend to become deeper, so that the danger to traffic becomes constantly greater.

Before any program for beautification of highways is undertaken, some assurance that the rights of way are wide enough to accommodate future traffic should be had.

Motor vehicle traffic will increase as the mileage of hard roads increases. A general extension in the width of wearing surfaces will call for wider rights of way. To obtain wider rights of way now means an ultimate saving of a large sum of money and will prevent many future difficulties.

SAXON & PITTS
Lawyers
Office in Johnson Bldg.
CLANTON, ALA.

Smilin' Charlie Says

Don't wait 'till a rainy day t'repair th' barn roof or you'll lose the hay y'made while the sun wuz shinin'—

UNION GROVE

Everybody is busy farming around Union Grove.

Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching days. There was a large crowd at each service, and Rev. W. P. Lowery delivered two very interesting sermons.

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a large crowd and had some more good singing. Directors for the afternoon were: E. L. Glasscock, O. B. Robinson, Vester Campbell and Lassie Northcutt. The class was dismissed for fifteen minutes and was called to order by the president, E. L. Glasscock. The following directed after recess: Enoch Foshee, A. H. Glasscock and Akins Collins. Organists were: Misses Genie Collins, Myrtle Dorminey and Emma Campbell. The class rendered two good quartetts composed of Vester Campbell, Akins Collins, David Childress and A. H. Glasscock. We were very glad to see such a large crowd out and invite you back again.

The singing at Collins Chapel next Sunday afternoon has been called off on account of the all day singing at Oak Grove and Poplar Springs, so that all who can may attend at these places.

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting are still improving.

Miss Myrtle Dorminey and sister, Mrs. H.V. Shaw of Birmingham spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Iris Robinson had as her guest Sunday evening with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Miss Pearl Chandler dined with Miss Myrtle Dorminey Sunday.

Misses Mollie and Hattie Vinzant are spending this week with Misses Edna and Amy Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Martin and family of Siluria spent Sunday in this community.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent a while with Miss Amy Robinson Sunday evening.

Miss Euna Davis is spending this week in Siluria.

Mr. T. E. Pavey and family leave today for their new home in Florida.

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The World stands out on either side
No wider than the heart is wide;
Above the world is stretched the sky,
No higher than the soul is high.
The heart can push the sea and land
Farther away on either hand;
Te soul can lift te sky in two,
And let the face of God shine thru.
But East and west will pinch a heart
That cannot keep them pushed apart;
And he whose soul is flat—the sky
Will cave in on him by and by.
—From "Renascence."

Customer of mine says that, just as one match can start a fire that'll destroy a city, so can one slanderous lie start a scandal that'll ruin a dozen lives.

Bazaar to be Held.

The Baptist ladies of Circle No. 2 will hold an Easter Bazaar at Mullins & Moore Store Thursday and Friday of this week. Fancy works of all kinds will be had. Come see them.

Mrs. Hugh Jones and little daughter Mary Courtney, are spending the Easter holidays in Montgomery.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes are spending a couple of days in Montgomery this week.

Dr. V. J. Gragg attended the State Medical Asociation in Montgomery on on Tuesday.

C. J. Davis from Dothan was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday.

rMs. Geo. Polk and Mr. and Mrs. Arant and Mrs. Clyde Jones were visitors to Wetumpka to attend the ball game there Tuesday.

Mr. Bill Murphy, Misses Marjorie and Loraine Murphy, Sara Luckie, Lurline Miner and Rita Arant were visitors to Wetumpka Tuesday.

Mrs. Stanley Hubbard from Verbena was a visitor to Clnaton on Tuesday.

Masque Party.

The intermediate classes of the M. E. Church with Mrs. Claud Jones and Mrs. M. A. Gore, will have a masque social at the basement of the church Friday night at 7:30.

Mrs. V. J. Elmore left a few days ago for a visit of several weeks to her father at Elba.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson expects to leave the last of this week for a visit to Chicago, where Dr. Johnson is taking a special course in medicine, and will visit her mother in Indiana before she returns home.

Mrs. H. F. Downs was among the shoppers in Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. John Browder is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Thomas were visitors to the Magic City Sunday to see Mr. Frank Thomas, who is in a hospital there, having undergone an operation for appendicitis last week.

Mrs. Glennie Evans spent Monday in the Capital City.

Mrs. Grady Heflin has returned from a visit to her mother in Randolph.

Mrs. Guy Roberts is shopping in Montgomery this week.

Mr. Roger Williams of the Montgomey Advertiser spent Monday in Clanton.

Mrs. Clyde Jones Entertains.

Mrs. Clyde Jones was hostess on last Wednesday afternoon to the members of her card blub. Wisteria was the attractive means of decorating the reception rooms. Fancy sewing was indulged in until late in the afternoon when a delightful salad plate with iced tea was served to Mesdames Macy Jones, R. E. Luckie, John Armstrong, Bama Cox, M. A. Gore, George Polk and M. B. Arant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sartor and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen were called to Birmingham Sunday on account of the serious illness of Mr. L. H. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White were called to Montgomery Sunday on account of the serious illness of Mr. White's sister, Mrs. Ernest Lane.

Mr. John M. Bridges was a visitor to relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds have returned to their home in Montgomery after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds here.

Mr. W. C. White from Mt. Creek was a visitor to Clanton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. McKee are visiting friends and relatives in Clanton this week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson left Monday for a motor trip to visit their parents at Columbia and Whatley.

Mrs. R. C. McDavid was an attendant at the Federation of Women's Clubs at Montgomery last week.

Mrs. Oscar Jones Hostess.

An enjoyable meeting of the Card Club was held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Jones last Wednesday, when her home was attractively decorated with spring blossoms. After a series of games the prize card was awarded to Mrs. Frank Callen, this being a boudoir lamp. A tempting salad plate was served late in the afternoon.

Besides the club members, Mrs. O. Kyle, Mrs. McSwain and Mrs. Hosea Downs enjoyed the game.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson has returned from a trip to Montevallo where she attended the Federation of Women's clubs.

PROGRAM OF QUARTERLY MEETING OF UNITY W. M. U.

To be Held with the Big Springs W. M. S. on April 24th.

PASTOR'S DAY—"DUTY DONE MEANS VICTORY WON"

10:00. Devotional—Challenge of Duty—I Cor., 4:1-2; Jas. 2:15-20—Rev. J. W. Mitchell.

10:15. Welcome—Rev. Martin, pastor of Big Springs; Response, Maplesville W. M. S.

10:25. Recognition of pastors present.

10:30. How the W. M. U. organization can help to win the Victory, Mr. Arthur Deloach.

10:50. What hath God wrought through Southern Baptists in the Past Four years?, Dr. J. E. Barries; Coming Events, Mrs. W. C. Dyer.

11:30. Missionary Sermon, Dr. S. J. Ezell.

Campaign Song.

1:30. Devotional—Rewards in the Christian Victory — II Tom., 4:6-8; Luke 6:35—Mr. W. M. Mims.

1:45. Business.

2:00. The Campaign Record of the Societies in this Associaiton.

2:10. Four-Minute Talks: "How the W. M. S. Helps Church as a Whole."

1.—How it helps the pastor, Rev. E. A. Norris.

2.—How it helps the Sunday School, Mrs. Dickinson.

3.—How it May Help the Prayer Meeting, Rev. M. L. Harris.

4.—How it may help the Young Peoples Missionary Societies, by Mrs. Gilbert.

Reports of Committees. Adjourn.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FORD FOR SALE—1923 model, good condition. For further particulars write or see Frank A. Oslin, Jemison, Ala., Rt. 4. 10-3t-p

I will have a car load of Kainit for sale next week and one of Nitrate of Soda the last of this week.—J. M. Dennis.

LOST—One tool box, containing auto pump and car tools; lost Sunday between town and Gap of Mountain. Finder please return to Banner office, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

FOR RENT—One 4-room house with one-half of good size garden and pasture for one cow. If interested see, phone or write H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, Rt. 6. 4-17-3t-p

ASK prices Nitrate Soda, Calcium Arsenate, Potash, Kainit, Phosphate, Hay, Hulls, Meal, Bagging, Ties; Quote Peas,, Cottonseed.—Cantelou Brothers, Brokers, Montgomery, Alabama. 3-2t-c

GRIST MILL FOR SALE—I have a Grist Mill and outfit, also house and lot, which I will sell. Would sell mill alone if wanted. House is in center of town, could be used as shoe shop or chicken house in connection with mill. Just behind Union-Banner office. T. G. TAYLOR. tf

WANTED—Honest, reliable man to represent us in Chilton county handling our products exclusively. Man accepted must have $200.00 in cash to finance initial order of merchandise. Prefer man who has own car, altho not necessary. An opportunity to get into a good paying business for yourself. For detail information write or wire B. F. Winston, Factory Representative, Gay-Teague Hotel, Montgomery, Ala. 1t

WANTED—Industrious man desiring to make $40-$70 or more weekly, selling Whitmer's big line of guaranteed Extracts, Toilet Articles, Home Remedies, ect. in Chilton County. Car or team needed. We teach you. Goods furnished on credit. Pleasant, healthful work. Big profits. Mr. Milton Denton, Warren County, Kentucky, made $98.00 one week recently. You can too. Write today.—The H. C. Whitmer Company, Columbus, Indiana. 4-3-3t-p

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

F. A. Davis, Federal highway engineer, has inspected both routes proposed for the Greene-Sumpter county highway and recommended in a report to the government that federal aid be denied if Highway Commissioners Rogers and Suttle carry out their plan to build in through Gainesville Rogers' home town, instead of by way of Epes and Boligee.

Alabama produced 231,763 tons of pig iron in March, the record for the year so far, going above February by 12,405 tons, production being steady for 31 days in March, while February showed two days less. The January production in the state, with the same number of blast furnaces and the same number of days as March, is given at 235,556 tons.

City health officials, headed by Dr J. L. Perdue, have opened a strenuous campaign against mosquitoes and flies in Greenville, and have issued orders for every property owner or lessor to remove from their premises any and all kinds of debris and weeds. The order will be rigidly enforced by the police, it is announced.

"Leila shot me" were the words uttered to him by Lucius B. Humber declared Dr. R. F. Elrod, physician while on the stand as main witness for the state in the second trial of Mrs. Leila C. Humber, charged with murder in connection with the fatal shooting of her husband near Girard in 1922.

Developments in mining circles of Walker county indicate a big increase in coal production in that county. Several mining companies are preparing to increase the output of their mines.

Albert Freeland, of Grand Bay, was appointed by Gov. W. W. Brandon road commissoner and member of the board of revenue of Mobile county, to succeed Jack G. Cleveland.

Loss by fire of a state-owned school house at Dutton, Jackson county, was reported to Chester E. Johnson, state fire marshal.

Right at Home at the Feed Mill

Charles Anderson, foreman of a feed mill, says, "The roaches were right at home hert until thty got so thick I had to get rid of them. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder so I put it around and got rd of them without any trouble." Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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Things Our Readers Want to Know

Things that are ordinarily very hard to clean—pots, pans, stoves, toilets, steps, etc.—quickly become spotless when Red Seal Lye is used as the cleanser.

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Red Seal Lye eats up grease greedily, changing it into soap and, with the water, washes away dirt of all kinds. (Do not use it, however, on aluminum.)

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POOR ORIGINAL

NEWS FOR FISHERMEN

Montgomery, Ala., April 9, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

According to a ruling of the Attorney General, the Act of the Legislature of Alabama, approved September 29, 1923, establishing a closed season on fresh water trout, bass and bream during the months of April and May of each yaer, does not apply to any of the fresh waters of the State except those used by the State for fish cultural work.

I had previously interprtted the Act of the Legislature as not relating to private ponds having neither egress nor ingress, such for example, as artificial ponds where farmers have constructed same for their private ponds wholly on one man's premises.

As the application of the Act in its entirety was not clear in my mind, I recently asked the Attorney General for an opinion, with the result mentioned.

Practically every State in the Union has a closed season during the chief spawning months of the principal edible game fish. Most of the Florida waters even now have a longer closed season than was written into the Alabama statutes, although Florida has much better fishing than does Alabama.

Upon the opinion of the Attorney General, fishing with hook and line, fly, troll or spinner, will not be prohibited during the months of April and May, of each year.

Very truly,
I. T. QUINN,
Com. of Game and Fisheries.

FIGHT AGAINST MOSQUITOES

Montgomery, Ala., April 14.—Offensive methods are to supplant or snupplement defensive methods in the fight against mosquitoes in Alabama. Instead of permitting the malaria-carrier to breed unmolested and then screen against them, the new plan is to break up the breeding places.

The new slogan is O. S. O., or translated means organized scientific offensive. Of course the screening will continue, but the chief method of combatting malaria will be the elimination of small puddles where the mosquito breeds. In the fight against disease as in modern warfare, it has been found cheaper to pursue an offensive campaign than wait for the enemy to attack.

The State Health Officers will follow the policy of the Western cow boy who said he always shoots first, because it is cheaper. Scientific advice will be furnished by the State Board of Health or the County Health Officer to any community wishing to take up the fight.

Organization is a matter for each locality or community. Every county school district should have an anti-mosquito committee.

REPORT OF COUNTY BOARD OF REVIEW OPEN FOR INSPECTION

**The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.**

Notice is hereby given by S. M. Pate, Tax Assessor of Chilton County, Alabama, that the Board of Review of said County has returned its report, and the same is open for inspection, and that said Board of Review will sit at the court house at Clanton in the County of Chilton, State of Alabama, beginning on the first Monday in June, 1924, to correct any errors in assessments or valuations. (Sec. 158, 1923 Revenue Acts.)

This, 15th day of April, 1924.
S. M. PATE,
Tax Assessor, Chilton Co., Alabama.
4-17-3t

Mr. G. O. McKee, wife and son of Montgomery are visiting relatives and friends in Clanton this week.

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MR. J. BICE WRITES TO VOTERS

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper for the following letter to the Republican voters of Chilton County:

I am before you as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer and I wish to bring these facts before you. I was county treasurer for two years, 1917-18, and my record is before you. The books in the treasurer's office show for themselves. At no other time has the treasurer ever had as much work to do as had to be done while I was in office those two years. I had to call in all county warrants that were outstanding. There was about one hundred thousand dollars worth of warrants of fr m one to five hundred dollars. Most of them were small—not many five hundred dollar ones compared with the numbor of smaller ones. I had to make a record of every one of these, showing the amount, whose they were, when they were issued, for what issued, and when due. When this was done I had to make two type-written copies of them, one copy for the men who were to buy the bonds and one copy for the commissioners. I am simply mentioning this to show that when the duties of the office and its bookkeeping was the heaviest it has ever been, I handled it efficiently.

In 1922 Mr. Thomas, a Democrat, who had been put in office by Republican commissioners resigned and I was appointed, holding the office from June 1st to January 16th, 1923, seven and one-half months; so you can see that I never held the office but a little over a half term, whole term being four years as provided by the law. You may compare my books with those of any treasurer of Chilton County for the past 20 years. First year's examination, my books balanced not one cent difference; next year 80c difference, and the examiner was sure there was a mistake in counting up. In the next seven and a holf months, there was 40c difference, which I paid rather than go back over the books.

I know the law pertaining to the treasurer's office. I have studied the law governing those matters which come under the duties of that office. The idea that the treasurer's job is simply keeping books is a mistake, for there are many things to be done in that office that require executive ability and knowledge of law.

For the last 25 years I have been working hard for the Republican party, giving my money freely and helping in every honorable way possible. When our paper was about to fail, I helped to put it on its feet. I helped in the warehouse and in many other ways. During the days when I had money I freely gave to any interest of the Republican party. Now, I am not financially able to canvass the county, but will deeply appreciate your vote and your influence in my interest. I am not an orator, neither can I write fine sentences, but I am trying to say I believe in a fair and square thing in politics as well as in everything else.

Now, I leave it with you. Will you vote for or against the man who is thoroughly qualified as to executive ability and who has been faithful to the Republican party in giving his time, energy and money whenever needed in the interest of the party?

Respectfully,
J. BICE.

Thorsby, Ala., April 7, 1924.

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WORLD'S SMALLEST BALLOON

ONE hears of something new about aircraft creations almost every day. Here's the latest subject of gossip—the "world's smallest observation balloon." Only 14 feet in length, look how it compares with the ordinary army air service dirigible in the background. Just like a rowboat up against an ocean liner.

Its inventor and builder is A. Roy Knabenshue, a familiar figure in aircraft circles for many years who is now wintering in Los Angeles, Calif. He is shown—in the above photo—holding the midget balloon.

LEGAL NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
In the Probate Court of said State and County, March 13, 1924.

Under and by virtue of an order and decree of Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court of said County and State, made and entered on the 27th day of March, 1924, I, W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house door of said county on the 18th day of April, 1924, at 12:00 o'clock Noon, the following described real estate, belonging to said estate of Addie Horsley, deceased, to-wit:

SE¼ of NW¼, and E½ of SW¼, all in Section 22, Township 23, Range 13, situated in Chilton County, State of Alabama.

Said sale is made for the purpose of division among the joint heirs of said estate.

W. G. ATKINSON,
4-3-3tc Administrator of said Estate.

If your advertising is not placed in this paper, you are missing over 1,500 of the readers of this section.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on April 21st, 22nd and 23rd. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county, or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education, if living in some other county, to be transferred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for Second who has not finished at least two years of High school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for First who has not had the euqivalent of a full High school coprse.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in Third's to take for Second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m.; those taking for First and submitting valid Seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

SOUTH CALERA

Mr. Dan Cryder and little daughter, Gertie, are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Lee of South Calera this week.

Mr. W. J. Clark and Mr. Raymond Clark made a business trip to Birmingham this week.

Mr. R. L. Crim spent Saturday night at the home of his son, E. D. Crim of this place.

Mrs. Carrie Busby spent Tuesday at Wessington visiting relatives.

We are very sorry to say that the Misses Ardell and Julia Crim are sick this week, but we hope, by the attention of kind friends and relatives they will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim have as their guest this week their daughter, Mrs. Badie Watts and two children from Ensley.

The little Misses Vera and Era Busby are visiting their brother, Mr. Horace Busby of Pelham.

Mrs. G. T. Lee spent one day in Birmingham last week.

There was a singing given at the home of Mrs. C. Campbell Sunday night. There was a nice crowd and all enjoyed the singing.

Mr. Homer Martin was home Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Clark spent Monday with Mrs. Ellen Broadhead.

Mrs. Sarah Crim has returned from the Fraternal Hospital in Birmingham where she has been very sick for several weeks. We are glad she is able to be home again.

Mrs. Jane Martin went to Birmingham Sunday to spend the week as the guest of friends and relatives there.

Mrs. W. J. Clark and Miss Catherine Clark were visitors to the Magic City last week.

Mrs. Angeline Busby returned to Birmingham Sunday night after visiting several days with her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Houlditch.

Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin motored to Thorsby Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Compbelle was visiting Miss Mexa Tate Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Walker of Anniston was in South Calera Sunday.

Mr. John Grubbs and Mr. Elwood Armstrong of Calera spent Sunday afternoon in South Calera.

EASTER SERVICES

Clanton Commandery No. 27, Knights Templar will hold annual Easter services at the Clanton Baptist church Sunday, April 20th at 11:00 o'clock, a.m.

All denominations are invited to worship with us on this occasion.

Sir Knights are requested to meet at the Asylum at 10:30 o'clock in full dress.

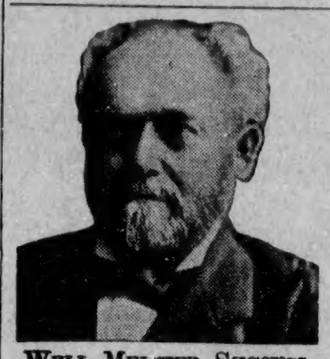
P. T. HINKLE, E. C.,
G. C. HARRIS, Recorder.

SPECIAL SESSION CHILTON CO. SINGING CONVENTION

It will be gratifying news to the singers of Chilton county to learn that a special session of the Chilton County Singing Convention will be held at the county high school building in Clanton on the first Sunday in June. Prof. A. J. Showalter will be present, besides Prof. H. C. Collins of Georgia, Prof. Dye of Birmingham, and the Ganus singers from Birmingham. The Vaughan singers have been invited, but it is not known for sure that they will be here. The other singers named have agreed to be present.

It is a rare treat to the singers of the county to have such accomplished singers as Prof. Showalter and the others mentioned be present, so it is hoped that the other communities of the county will join hands in making this the best singing ever held in the county. Watch for futher announcement.

Fishermen are having fine luck out at the river these days. You can see them coming in every day now with all they can carry.



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Hats of Alluring Smartness

These chic new models with their clever trimming ideas are indeed most attractive. The large variety of new style—from the small cloche shapes to the wonderful picture hat—gives you a large assortment from which to choose that "Exquisite Easter Hat"—fashioned with just your type of beauty in view.

Developed of the loveliest silks and finest straws or combinations of both with their trimmings introduced in ways which add to their style and attractiveness in a rainbow of colors—these hats are most enticing.

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To Complete the Smart Easter Suit

In crisp freshness these new Blouses came just in time for Easter. Alluringly new in style you will adore the beautiful models. Costume Blouses so wonderfully fashioned that when worn with the tailored suit or separate skirt they give that smart appearance so desirable.

Fashioned of georgette, crepe de chine or canton crepe, adorned with tucks, pleats, lace or embroidery with long puffed sleeves or nifty short ones, all in the wanted Spring shades—you cannot help but find the blouse needed to set off your smart suit.

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15 yards of medium weight Sheeting, for Saturday's selling only **$1.00**

Good heavy Work Shirts, on sale for Saturday only 2 for **$1.49**

Boys' new Spring all-wool Suits, just received by express from New York; all sizes and should have $10, will sell Saturday at **$8.95.**

100 newest Men's and young Men's Straw Hats, worth up to $4.00 but are going to sell up to 100 of these Hats Saturday for only **$1.98**

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. R. MORTON, Manager.)

Messrs. C. R. Foss, A. E. Reagan and E. F. Mead made a trip to Montgomery last Friday.

Rev. E. W. Butler went to Stony Point near Deatsville last Saturday to fill an appointment Sunday at the Congregational church there, in the place of Rev. Each who was expected to go but was detained on account of the Young Peoples Conference here which closed Sunday night. Mr. Butler returned Monday morning.

The concert given by Margaret Laird at the Wadesonian Theatre last Wednesday night under auspices of Thorsby Parent-Teachers Asosciation, for benefit of the new public school building equipment fund, netted $57.15. The house was well filled and the work of the singer who is known best by her stage name as "Peggy Davis" was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

Next Saturday, April 19th, at 11:30 a.m., the Parent-Teachers Association will sreve at the Town Hall, another of their fine 25c dinners, the proceeds to go as before to the public school equipment fund. The way our ladies are going after this proposition looks as if they would be ready to equip the building before it is ready. Somebody needs to get busy.

Thorsby Public School closed an 8-months term Wednesday of this week. The children will now be at liberty to help harvest the 1924 strawberry crap which will soon be ready to begin on and promises to be by far the largest ever gathered in and around Thorsby.

The examination for fifth, 6-weeks term at Thorsby Institute will be held April 17th and 18th, the honor roll will be out next week. The school had several distinguished visitors last week. Rev. Neil McQuarrie, Rev. Chas. L. Fiske, Rev. J. F. Blackburn and Miss Olive Pearson. Several former graduates and other students were also welcome visitors. It was with pleasure that we noted the development of these young people, as a result of the training and inspiration which they received as Thorsby Institute students, but now widely scattered and employed as teachers or in business.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will be held Thursday afternoon, April 17th at the home of Mrs. Frank Nelson.

A new departure among Congregational young people in Alabama and some from adjoining states was established by the meeting in Thorsby for three days, last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, of the first Christian Life Conference, under direction of Miss Olive Pearson of New York, assistant secretary of Congregational Sunday School Extension Society, assisted by Rev. Chas. L. Fisk of Cleveland, Ohio, District Education secretary for Ohio and the South East of the Congregational Education Society. Both of these people are in their way among the most efficient field workers the denomination sends into this section. Both are unusually fine singers and good mixers; they are full of enthusiasm, good talkers and so earnest withal that they inspire confidence at once.

The Conference brought quite a lot of young people from Alabama and north Florida, many of them being former students in Thorsby Institute and several had graduated here in years past and are now leaders of young people in the communities where they live and work. Another notable visitor was Rev. J. F. Blackburn of Atlanta, who is Sunday School Extension secretary for the South East states. It was the business of these older ones to plan the work and encourage the young peonle to carry on the meetings and the discussions, which they did with admirable understanding and spirit. Miss Ida M. Lockwood at one time a member of Thorsby Institute faculty but now an ordained minister who graduated from Atlanta Theological Seminary and is serving two churches in north west Florida, was present with two of her young people. One of them was Miss May Bell McJunken who came to Thorsby Institute as a student eight years ago. She was then timid and shy but developed amazingly during her four years in Thorsby. After graduation here she spent one year in government work at Washington, D.C., and has since been a teacher. She is now a member of the faculty of the county high school at Crest View, Florida. During the grogress of the Conference she paid high tribute to the influence of Thorsby Institute and the inspiration Miss Jenkins had been to her. This came in the course of a short talk she made to the young people in one of the meetings. One could not but compare this efficient speaker with the fledging that come among us eight years ago.

On last Friday evening the members of the Christian Endeavor Society, the delegates to the Christian Life Conference and all the students of Thorsby Institute were invited to a Model Christian Endeavor Social at the girl's dormitory. Many interesting and merry-making games were heartily enjoyed by all those present. Miss Fellie Stephens posed as a young lady direct from Japan and she introduced a very novel ball game asserting that it was direct from her homeland. Miss Willie Littlejohn, as the young lady from China, brought with her a merry-making and fun provoking black ball. Miss Betty Lakeman being a student of physical culture naturally brought forward a very interesting Japanese back-hand race. Last but not least of the young ladies from afar was Miss Pearl Steiner, who as a charming young Indian princess introduced a very interesting India game. After some time had been spent in merry-making a short Missionary play was presented under the direction of Miss Jenkins and a dramatization of the Ten Virgins was given under the leadership of Miss Olive Pearson. The social was well attended and proved to be one of the best that the Christian Endeavor society has given this year. Dr. Fiske also gave two songs which were very much enjoyed.

The Chistian Endeavor Society met at the usual hour last Sunday evening. Mr. Harris Turner was the leader for the evening and he had arranged a very interesting program on "Our Decisions and how they Should be Made." Many interesting things relating to our decisions were brought out at the meeting. We were pleased to have so many visitors with us and wish to assure them that they are always welcome.

On Friday evening of this week at 7:30 there will be a "Good Friday" service at the Congregational Church.

Beginning Sunday, April 20th and continuing through the week and the following Sunday, there will be a series of special meetings at the Congregational church under the direction of Rev. Neil McQuarrie, who so acceptably conducted evangelistic services here about a year ago. Mr. McQuarrie is no stranger to Thorsby people and he always has a message worth hearing. The people of Thorsby and vicinity, regardless of denominational affiliation, will be welcome to these meetings, they will be helpful to Christians and the unconverted alike.

Next Sunday evening at 6:45 instead of the regular Christian Endeavor Socicty meeting there will be a srevice of Story and Song for about an hour, followed by a short sermon by Rev. McQuarrie.

On Thursday, April 10th at the quarterly meeting of Thorsby Institute Board of Trustees, all trastees whose terms of office expire in July of this year were re-elected for a term of three years, committees were re-elected with but slight changes, officers were re-elected to succeed themselves for one year and every member of the faculty was re-elected for the ensuing school year.

This does not necessarily imply that there will be no changes in the personnel of the faculty next year, but simply means that the work of each one has been of a satisfactory character and the Board is willing they should continue. If they do not the change will be of their own choosing.

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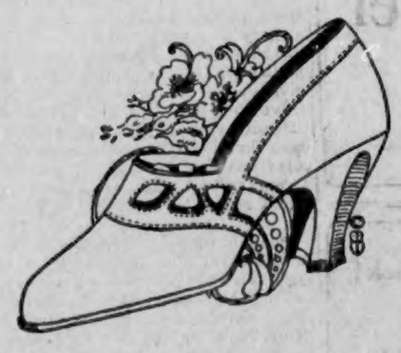

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Commission Awards Chilton Road Contract

Section of Birmingham-Montgomery Highway to Cost Over Half Million Dollars.

The State Highway Commission Monday awarded a contract amounting to over half a million dollars for construction of the section of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway thru the northern half of Chilton county from the Shelby county line 17.45 miles, to Lomax, some three miles north of Clanton. The road will be of plain cement concrete type, which was recommended by the State Highway Engineer and favored by Commissioners Scruggs and Suttle, while Chairman Rogers voted against the concrete surface type.

The contract was awarded in three parts; contract for the grading to W. A. Taylor of Sylacauga, $119,-021.36; for bridges on the highway to W. T. Weaver of Collinsville, $22,392.20, and for the paving to Speed-Parker, Inc., of Louisville, Ky., $412,532.35, making the total cost $553,945.91.

State Highway Engineer W. S. Keller reported to the commission on the various bids which had been submitted and tabulated and stated that it was found necessary to distribute the work among the three contractors in order to get the lowest bid. He stated that the bid of Speed-Parker was approximately $3,000 per mile below the best "black top" surface bids, and recommended that it be accepted.

The commission first awarded the contract for the grading and the bridges, without opposition. When the question of surfacing came up, however, Chairman Rogers expressed the belief that no concrete road would prove satisfactory "without a top." Commissioner J. H. Scruggs moved that the bid of Speed-Parker for the concrete paving be accepted and his motion carried, Commissioner J. F. Suttle voting with him, and Chairman Rogers voting "no."

CONTEST CASE WILL COME UP AGAIN MONDAY WEEK

Monday, May 5th, is the day set for the opening of the contest case between C. D. Messer and L. H. Reynolds, which was postponed from February. It is understood that Judge N. B. Denson of Opelika, who had charge of the case before, will be here on the above named date to try the case. Quite a bit of preparation in regard to the standing of the voters has been made since the case was called last time.

CAUGHT WITH WHISKEY STILL

On Tuesday of last week the Sheriff's force went down between Mt. Creek and the Graphite Mines and captured a small tin can still owned by Sam Cunningham, a negro, who was taken into custody by the officers. The still was not in operation when the officers located it but Cunningham came to the still soon and the officers took charge of him. There was no whiskey there but there were about forty gallons of beer, which was destroyed. Cunningham was brought to jail where he still remains, not being able to make bond.

STATE HIGHWAY WILL GO BY WAY OF OLD ROUTE

White City Route is Voted Down by 2 to 1 by Highway Commission In Session Tuesday.

The long drawn-out controversy as to the route of the Montgomery-Birmingham highway from where it leaves the Reese Ferry bridge over the Alabama River to its point of junction in Chilton County with the location already established, was settled Tuesday noon when the state highway commission by a vote of 2 to 1 decided in favor of the route No. 1, being the location tentatively decided through Verbena.

This route is known as the Liberty Church route also as the Loder route, and is officially designated as Route No. 1, being the location tentatively decided on.

Voting in the majority were Chairman John A. Rogers and Associate Commisisoner Scruggs. Associate Commissioner Suttle cast his vote for Route No. 2, by Prattville.

Before the commisison took its vote, communications were read from people in Clanton, Verbena, Prattville and other places on each route. The reasons given for the location of the road on route No. 1 were that the people most generally favored that route, and that it woud accommodate the public better.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR AT BAPTIST CHURCH FOR EASTER SERVICE

About forty members of the local order of Knights Templar were present at the Baptist Church last Sunday dressed in full uniform. Seats were reserved for the Knights on the front pews in the center of the building. The spaceous auditorium as well as the gallery were filled to capacity during the service.

Rev. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church delivered an excellent sermon on "Why I Believe in the Resurrection." Rev. Ezell preached a very forceful sermon on this appropriate subject, it being on Easter Sunday. Several very fine musical numbers were rendered by a choir composed of members from both the Baptist and Methodist classes. The songs and music were very fine and suitable for the occasion.

S. S. LECTURE AT FLOYD

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a space to announce the Sunday School Lecture which we are going to have April 27 at Floyd by Bro. Aldridge, Bro. Shaw and Bro. W. T. Johnson. Everybody is invited at Floyd church.

W. J. HUETT.

NOTICE

There will be a mass meeting of the farmers and their friends at Liberty Hill Church Saturday night, April 26th, 8 p.m. Everybody is invited. Will speak in the interest of the Farmer and their friends, by state and national speakers. No politics.

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STOCKHOLDERS CANNING FACTORY MET AT COURT HOUSE LAST THURSDAY

On Account of Such Fine Weather For Farming, Not Many of Stockholders Present.

Pursuant to a call issued by the Board of Directors, the stockholders of the United Farmers Canning Company met at the court house in Clanton at 2:00 o'clock last Thursday afternoon. Not many of the stockholders were present which is attributed to the fact that the weather was so nice for farming that most of the farmers were taking advantage of it by working on their farms.

The purpose of the meeting was to inform the stockholders of the conditions of the factory's business and if possible to formulate plans to operate on this year.

It was brought out in this meeting that the deed to the land on which the factory is locoted is now in the hands of the company. There has been puite a scrumble and some misunderstanding regarding this deed, but the company now has the deed in its possession.

It was found from the treasurer's report that the actual indebtness of the company now is $1875, of which amount amount $1200 was incurred in installing permanent equiptment, the land and insurance on the property. The remainder was incurred by actual loss in operating expenses while the plant was running last summer. The company paid about two months operating expenses and turned out only about one day's full run of canned tomatoes.

It was decided impossible for the factory to operate this year inasmuch as there is no money in the treasury and the company is not in shape to borrow any money. The reason the company can't borrow any money is because of the fact that the Peterman Construction Co. has filed a builder's lein against the canning company for the amount of $925. The Board of Directors, however, informed the stockholders that the lien filed by the consrtuction company is of no legal value, but it will take a course of time for the case to be worked out in the courts.

As brought out in this meeting there is now carried on the building and plant a total of only $1500 insurance. A resolution was passed in the meeting to ask all the stockholders to donate $1 each in order to increase the insurance on the property.

Since the company can borrow no money to operate on this year, it was decided that the plant would be leased to any reputable party who would take and operate it this fall.

As will be seen from the above reports, the canning company is not in a very workable condition at the present time, but it is hoped that as soon as the courts have thrashed out the parts of the procedure that are before them, the company will be more in shape to do something. As soon as the lien by the Peterman Construction Company, if proven invalid, the company can then borrow money on which to operate. If, in the meantime, some good man who has the confidence of the people of the county and the money to finance the running of the plant would take the outfit in charge, it looks reasonable that he could make some money out of it for himself and for the company.

This is the only chance for the plant to be operated this year. Probably in another year, the company will be in shape to borrow enough money to operate on and can probably clear enough to pay off some of the debts of the concern. There is money to be made in the canning business in Chilton county if it is only gone at right and properly managed.

TIPPETT—MADDOX WEDDING

At the home of Rev. G. B. Golden at Walnut Creek last Saturday night Mr. Arthur Tippett was united in marriage to Miss Evereo Maddox, Rev. Golden officiating. Mr. Tippett is a prominent young man of this section, he having held a position with the Alabama Power Company for the past several years. The bride is the admirable daughter of Walter Maddox, who lives a mile and a half east of Clanton.

BIG K. K. K. CELEBRATION

By order of His Excellency, Exalted Cyclops, Central Klan No. 35, Realm of Alabama, Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, the announcement is made of a Great Klan Celebration to be held in the high school ball park in Clanton on Thursday of next week, May 1. A lengthy program has been arranged consisting of an address, "The Principles and Purposes of the Klan" by a representative from the Imperial Palace, Atlanta, Ga.; Naturalization ceremony for hundreds of Aliens; and a magnificent Pyrotechnic Display—Klan Fireworks. The program begins at 7:30, p.m., and the fireworks begin at 9:30. Read the full announcement elsewhere in this paper.

STATE ANNOUNCES 1925 PROGRAM OF HIGHWAY BUILDING IN ALABAMA

$10,650,995.87 Will Be Expended In Construction Of 683.47 Miles.

The program for 1925 of the state highway commissoin as announced Friday calls for a total of $10,650,-995.87 to be expended in the state.

The announcement also states that the total work completed or already under way since the highway building program was started has cost $18,254,764.37.

The plans call for construction of 683.47 miles during 1925 and construction of one mojor bridge, as against 1,430.63 miles and seven bridges already completed or under construction.

The figures were quoted in a statement issued by R. P. Boyd, office engineer of the highway department.

Following is a list of the districts, together with tabulation by Mr. Boyd, as of April 15, showing the road mileage completed and under construction in each, also the construction ordered under the 1924-25 program and the amount of money involved in each instance.

First District.

Counties of Choctaw, Clarke, Marengo, Mobile, Monroe, Washington; completed and under construction, 109,19 miles, $1,404,539.30; ordered under 1925 program: 76.50 miles,$1,-098,500.00.

Second District.

Counties of Baldwin, Butler, Conecuh, Covington, Crenshaw, Escambia, Montgomery and Pike. Completed and under construction, 249,88 miles, cost $2,309,732.68; ordered under 1925 program, 61.40 miles, $627,-779.50.

Third District

Counties of Barbour, Bullock, Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Henry, Houston, Lee and Russell. Completed and under construction, 246.52 miles, $1,-854,597.69; ordered under 1925 program, 110.74 miles, $680,761.16.

Fourth District

Counties of Calhoun, Chilton, Cleburne, Dallas, Shelby, Talladega. Completed and under construction, 76.20 miles, $1,656,753.42; ordered under 1925 program, 95.30 miles, $2,360,859.50.

Fifth District

Counties of Autauga, Chambers, Clay, Coosa, Elmore, Lowndes, Macon, Randolph and Tallapoosa. Completed and under construction, 127.62 miles and bridge, $1,724,564.09; ordered and under 1925 program, 84.53 miles, $1,604,095.71.

Sixth District

Counties of Bibb, Greene, Hale, Perry, Sumter and Tuscaloosa. Completed and under construction, 95.79 miles and bridge over Warrior, $1,-641,025.50; ordered under 1925 program, 90 miles, $1,367,000.00.

Seventh District

Counties of Cherokee, Cullman, DeKalb, Etowah, Blount, Marshall, St. Clair. Completed and under construction, 129.11 miles and three bridges, $2,215,559.49; ordered under 1925 program, 27 miles and bridge over Coosa, $710,000.

Eighth District

Counties of Colbert, Lauderdale, Limestone, Madison, Morgan and Jackson. Completed and under construction, 147.04 miles and bridge over Flint River and over Shoal Creek, $2,328,536.89; ordered under 1925 program, 57 miles, $694,000.

Ninth District

County of Jefferson. Completed, 22.54 miles and bridge, $951,448.39; ordered under 1925 program, 26 miles, $940,000.

Tenth District

Counties of Pickens, Fayette, Franklin, Lamar, Marion, Winston, Walker. Completed and under construction, 126.74 miles, $2,168,007.-37; ordered under 1925 program 55 miles, $568,000.

GILLESPIE—MADDOX WEDDING

On last Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents occurred the marriage of Mr. Lewis Gillespie to Miss Selester Maddox. Rev. W. H. Wilson performed the ceremony. Lewis is the son of Walter H. Gillespie of Clanton and his young bride is the daughter of Mr. W. E. Maddox who lives a mile north of Clanton. They will make their home on Mulberry.

ROAD-WORKING DEVICE

Commisisoner C. T. Walker has built a road-scraping device which he is using on the roads of his district. He has made a model of the machine which has been placed in the commissioners court room at the court house. It is hoped that when road supervisors are in Clanton they will step in this office and see Walker's Road Drag. It might prove beneficial if the supervisors all over the county would build them one to use on their roads.

Mr. Lee H. Downs of Birmingham was in Clanton the first of this week. He is the son of R. J. Downs of Rt. 2.

Electric Output of State Shows Rapid Growth

An Increase Of 156,000,000 Kilowatt Hours Made By Power Company In Year.

Increase in the electric output of 156,000.00 killowat hours for 1923 (from 607,000,000 to 763,000,000), placing the company 12th or 13th in the United States among central station companies in the total output of energy and maxium demand, and of the number of customers served to a total of 65,000 are announced in the annual report of the Alabama Power Company to its stockholders, made Saturday.

The report shows a steady and healthy growth of the company and also reflects, favorably, on the industrial progress of the state. This is especially noted in the fact that the report shows that during the year there were connected to the company's lines 85 new industries, using 26,000 horse-power, in addition to an increased use of 22,000-horsepower by existing industries. The demand ranged from 1000 horsepower to 4,000 horse-power.

For every dollar invested by a central station power campany to serve industries, there is invested, by the existing or new industry, not less than $25 in machinery, permanent equipment, etc., thus greatly increasing the investment of capital in the state," the report states.

The report also discusses the position of the Alabama Power Company in making a second offer for Muscle Shoals which offer is explained in detail.

Record Held Rare.

The report holds that the company's record is regarded by experts as a chronicle of achievement rarely equaled in the public utility fields. Cities, towns and industries made large demands for electric energy to meet their ever-growing needs, the report shows. The demand increased to a total of 238,000 horse-power, with a total connected load of 460,-000 horse-power throughout the company's system, thus reflecting to some extent the progress of the state, as shown by the continued increase in the use of electric power.

Lands New Industries

In addition to increasing the supply and improving the distribution of power, it is stated, the company waged an aggressive campaign to bring new industries into the state and to discover new applications of electricity, in which work it is held to have been singularly successful. The Cherokee Bluffs plant will be the largest development of the company upon its completion, and will probably have 140,000 horsepower or more installed capacity. The two developments near Tallassee are expected to be completed in 1924.

DIXIE CONCERT BAND HERE MAKING SPLENDID PROGRESS

Band Practices Twice Weekly under Direction of Mr. C. E. Bice of Weldon's Music House.

The Dixie Concert Band of Clanton, which was organized a month or two ago and which is under the direction of Mr. C. E. Bice, is getting along nicely in their work. They are able now to do quite a bit of concert playing and will conduct the music at the Ku Klux Klan celebration in Clanton next Thursday night. The boys in the band are doing splendid work, and the people of Clanton should do all they can to encourage them to work hard on their assignments that we may soon have a really and truly efficient concert band.

Following are the members of the band and the instruments of each:

Vincent Gragg, bass.
Jack Hayes, trombone.
Thomas Gragg, baritone.
Billie Smith, small drum.
Sam Upchurch, solo cornet.
Reese Mullins, solo alto.
Burton Mullins, soprano saxaphone.
Joe Ben Downs, trombone.
Luther Culpepper, bass drum.
Arthur Broadhead, first cornet.
Kenneth Danforth, alto.
Stewart Armstrong, alto.
Joseph Hester, solo cornet.
Arthur Littlejohn, trombone.
Elwyn Gore, alto.
Miss Addie Mae Weldon, C. medley saxaphone.

Following are the officers of the Band, who also compose the Board of Directors:

C. E. Bice, director.
Vincent Gragg, president.
Jack Hayes, vice-president.
Thomas Gragg, treasurer.
Miss Addie Mae Weldon, secretary.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN BUSINESS HOUSES HERE

Last week Messrs. Jesse Baker and Tom Taylor purchased of J. B. Downs and sons a two-thirds or controlling interest in the Downs Grocery Co., the oldest wholesale grocery house in Clanton. Mr. Baker, who has been half owner of the store of Baker & Taylor sold half of his interest or one-fourth of the entire business to Mr. Reedie Taylor. Reedie Taylor has been working for the past several months as clerk in the Peoples Savings Bank.

Messrs. Jesse Baker and Tom Taylor will operate the wholesale grocery house in the future. Reedie Taylor will assist Mr. R. W. Taylor in operating the retail store known as Baker & Taylor.

CORRECTIONS TO LIST OF QUALIFIED VOTERS

The additions and corrections to the list of qualified voters of Chilton county will be published in The Union-Banner next week by the Probate Judge of Chilton county. All whose names did not appear on the first list published two weeks ago, and who are qualified voters, should get in touch with the probate judge at once and get the matter straight.

PLEASANT GROVE

There will be a singing at this place next Sunday afternoon, 4th Sunday. Everyone is invited to come and bring your 1924 song books. Prof. Smith and class and Prof. Huett are expected and many others. This is the M. P. church, 7 miles south-west of Clanton on the Clanton and Billingsley road.

J. P. JACKSON.

Look Forward Not Backward

Do your best to-day that you may be prepared for to-morrow.

Let the past be forgotten. It will never return with its opportunities. They are gone forever but the GREAT FUTURE holds other and better ones for the man who is ready to grasp them.

Lose no time in vain regrets but hopefully face the future, equipped with experience and a check account with

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Wayside Flowers

Pluck to the wayside flower,
It is the traveler's dower,
A thousand passer's-by
Its beauties may espy,
May win a touch of blessing,
From nature's mild caressing
The wild rose on the slope,
On whose soft lips the south wind blows.
A cheerful message tells,
The nodding blue bell's dye,
Is drawn from heaven's blue sky.
Then spare the wild flower,
It is the traveler's dower.

In the woods, where the shadows are deepest,
From the branches overhead,
Where the southern smilax cluster
And the softest moss is spread—
Dwells the sweet violets
Behind their leafy screen,
And give as angels give unseen,
Then spare the wayside flower
It is the traveler's dower.

—Mrs. E. H. Tillery,

Bridge Club Entertained.

Mrs. Hugh Simpson was the charming hostess for the Wednesday Bridge club at her residence on last Wednesday afternoon. The apartments were very attractive in early spring flowers. Five tables were arranged throughout the apartments where bridge was enjoyed. On each table a bon-bon dish of home-made candy was placed. At the conclusion of several interesting games it was found that Mrs. Lyman held the highest score of the club members and was presented with a beautiful pair of hand made pillow cases. And Mrs. Guy Higgins held the highest score of the visitors and was presented with a deck of cards. The hostess served cream and cake with little Easter chickens. Beside the club members were Mesdames Higgins, Mullins, Roberts, Pitts, VanDerveer, Paige, Downs, Hart, McSwain, Moore, Chandler, Petrey and Miss Bettie Mullins.

Embroidery Club Entertained.

The members of the Wednesday Embroidery club enjoyed a lovely meeting at the home of Mrs. M. L. White when Mrs. Bama Cox proved a charming hostess.

Music on the Edison was enjoyed and after a pleasant afternoon a refreshing ice course was served to Mesdames Clyde Jones, R. E. Luckie, M. L. White, Lee Smith, Grady Taylor, Marion Gore, John Armstrong and Henry Pipes. Mrs. Macy Jones will be hostess at a spend-the-day on next Wednesday.

The following announcement will be of interest to the many friends of the bride-to-be who was a former popular Clanton girl:

Majure-McDonald

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Clifford McDonald of Wetumpka, Ala., announce the engagement of their daughter, Sibyl to Colquette Majure, the marriage to take place in June. No. cards.

Philathia Class Meets Next Tuesday

The Philathia Sunday School class of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. R. E. Luckie on next Tuesday afternoon, April 29th, at 3:30 o'clock.

Mr. John Deramus from Verbena was the guest of friends in the city Sunday.

Miss Willadean Reynolds from A. G. I. A. at Montevallo was at home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sartor from Birmingham were in Clanton Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Lee Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Todd (Billie Jones) and Miss Alma Jones were the week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stewart and Miss Willie Jean Stewart from Birmingham accompanied the remains of their father to Clanton Friday where interment was made in the Clanton cemetery.

Mrs. Etta McElvain from Verbena was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Elbert Littlejohn for the week-end.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie left Sunday for a visit to Deland, Fla., and will be joined in Montgomery by her sister, Mrs. Geo. Nicholson and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Holmes and little daughter, Helen arrived Saturday for a visit to Mrs. T. C. McSwain.

Mrs. Grady Reynolds has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Morgan from Montgomery.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson spent Saturday shopping in the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pipes spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Hughes Kennedy in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yates from Luverne were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Johnson Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hughes Kennedy, nee Miss Leona Pipes, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little son at their home in Birmingham on last Saturday, April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hubbard from Verbena were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Watts Moore Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Jones was a visitor to the Magic City last week.

Mrs. M. L. White visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lane, who is in Hubbard's Infirmery in Montgomery, Thursday.

Miss Sallie Parrish from Atlanta, Ga., arrived in Clanton last week for a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Martin Nix and daughters, Misses Gladys Mae and Evelyn from Wilton were the week-end guests of Mrs. Claud Jones and mother.

Miss Jean Johnson from Nashville, Tenn., is spending the Easter season with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Messrs. Clarence and Leon Evans were the guests of their mother, Mrs. Jean Evans Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth and Dorothy Duncan were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Duncan for the Easter tide.

Mrs. John M. Bridges, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. H. Reynolds, returned to her home in Bessemer Sunday.

Mr. John Ellis from Howard College was the guest of his parents for the Easter season.

Mrs. John Gore spent Friday in Birmingham shopping.

Miss Ruth Splawn from Leeds, Ala., was the week-end guest of Miss Jean Johnson.

Mr. Macy Jones spent a couple of days in Birmingham on business last week.

Messrs. M. A. Gore, Joe Gore and Lonza Parrish motored over to Selma Sunday for a visit to Mrs. Tom Thompson.

Mr. Harry Margolis of the popular Leader store, is visiting relatives in Nashville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande had as their guest Sunday Mrs. Lande's father, Mr. Margolis from Wetumpka.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry Thomas visited their brother, Mr. Frank Thomas n Birmingham Sunday.

Mrs. P. T. Hinkle has returned from a recent visit to her mother in Eclectic.

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

MR. VINSON WRITES

To the Republican Voters of Chilton County, Alabama:

In making my announcement for the office of Commisioner for the fourth district of Chilton County, I did so fully realising the responsibilities and the importance of the office. The tasks of the commissioners of Chilton County are growing greater and more complicated each year. The responsibilities are growing greater and greater and the revenue of the county is increasing rapidly year by year, so that we have now much more to do with than we had a few years ago. In the course of another year or so, the commissioners will have something to do with and they must do something for the county.

All the candidates are now out and you can begin to make up your minds as to who would be the most suitable and best qualified for the various offices to be filled. My opponents are all good and trustworthy men, as best I know and can find out, so it matters not which of us are nominated I will do all that I can to elect him in the general election.

As you all know, I have had four years experience in the office to which I now aspire, and I know that I am better qualified to fill the office now than I was when I was elected before.

I want you to well consider each one of us before making up your minds as to which one you will vote for and then vote for the one that you think can and will do the most for the interest of the county and the people at large, for their interest is of more importance than either of us candidates. In fact, Chilton County deserves the very best that there is for it and its people.

Now, my dear voters, both men and women, I appreciated to the fullest extent you giving me the office before and will equally as well appreciate it this time if you can see fit to give it to me. I did the very best that I could when I was in office and was at all times willing for a majority of the people to rule, and I voted and worked at all times as best I could for what I thought the people wanted. I pledge you my word and honor that if you can see fit to give me the office again that I will do the same, for I consider the commissioners as well as the other public officials, are and should be servants of the people. If I should not be willing for the people to have a say in the affairs of their county, I would not ask for the office.

I again insist that you examine my past official record and the way I have managed my own business, and then if you think I can serve the people as well as any of my opponents, then I ask that you cast your vote and influence for me. I feel that my past experience as a commisioner would help me considerably in performing the duties of the office should I be elected again. If after such considerations you think that one of my opponents is the proper man, why then I say vote for him and the peoples choice will be my choice.

I admit there was not much progress made while I was in office before for there was nothing to do anything with and furthermore, there was so much to be done as you yourselves know if you will just think back a few years when every thing we bought we had to buy on time and pay two or three prices for it.

Now since there is something to do with and the County is in so much better condition financially, I would like to see if I could not do something for the betterment of the county, and people.

I am trying to see all that I can before the Primary but since it is a very busy season of the year with farmers and I have a large crop of my own, it is impossible for me to see all of you, so you that I fail to see please take this as a personal plea for your support and influence.

Be sure to come out on the 13th, and cast your vote for some one of us and of course I will appreciate it if you can cast it for me. Do not forget to come for we need you in the primary as badly as we do in the general election.

Yours for the success of the Republican party in the county, State and Nation,

A. P. VINSON.

NON-JURY TERM CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION HERE

The regular non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County was in session at the court house in Clanton Monday and Tuesday of this week. The civil docket was taken up Monday and the following cases were disposed of by Judge Geo. F. Smoot:

Armstrong Bros., against Mrs. A. S. Millikin; dismissed on motion of plaintiff.

W. G. Robinson against J. B. Downs; continued by agreement.

Bean Bros., against H. B. Mahan and A. E. Giles, note; continued.

Gulledge Bros., against James Dejarnett et als, note; judgment for $251.28.

John W. Hawkins against Fate McGraw, note; dismissed by plaintiff.

American Bread Co., against T. J. Beutell, note; judgment by default for plaintiff for $101.56.

Continental Jewelry Co., against E. T. Weldon, account; settled and costs paid.

Chattanooga Insurance Co., against T. J. Henderson and T. J. Woolley, account; continued generally.

Lum Machinery & Supply Co., against Jno. B. Higgins, account; judgment by default for $88.10.

Alabama Machinery & Supply Co., against S. J. Reynolds, note; judgment by default for $246.40.

W. C. Burnett against G. H. Vinson et als., note and attachment; judgment for $277.29.

Liberty Overall Co., against M. A. Pinson, note; settled and costs paid.

Bean Bros., against J.E. Gore, note; judgment for $67.00.

Joe Gore against J. E. Gore, note; judgment for $129.00.

Jones Flour & Grain Co., against D. W. Cobb, note; judgment for $656.80.

Jefferson Shoe Co., against G. W. Freeman; continued.

A .E. Edwards against C. E. Abernathy, note; abatement confessed and cause abated.

C. C. Gray et als., against W. F. Allen, attachment; settled and costs paid.

C. M. Foshee against Mobile & Ohio R. R., appeal; continued.

Following are the cases on the criminal docket disposed of Tuesday:

Mell Kimball, v.p.l., alias warrant issued and case continued.

Robert Moore, v.p.l., wthdrawn.

Joe Grooms, v.p.l., continued.

Lafayette Watts, v.p.l., continued and costs paid.

J. L. Davis, v.t.e.l., nol prossed.

Mack Henley, v.p.l., continued.

K. M. Fikes, adultery, continued.

Eula Edwards, adultery, continued.

Mary Cleckler, v.t.e.l., nol prossed.

Newt Foshee, v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $50.

K. M. Fikes et als., defaulting bond, forfeiture made final.

Eula Edwards et als., defaulting bond, forfeiture made final.

Will Smith, petty larceny, declared not guilty.

Eugene Selman, v.p.l., withdrawn.

Lester Watley, v.p.l., continued.

Marcus Selman, v.p.l., withdrawn.

Renzy Mims, v.p.l., agrees to plead guilty in November, continued.

D. F. Jones, v.t.e.l., nol prossed.

Jessie Smith, v.p.l., continued.

P. H. Walker, v.t.e.l., nol prossed.

R. E. Walker, v.t.e.l., nol prossed.

Lum Rasberry, v.p.l., continued on payment of costs.

John Maddox, v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $100.

Roy Howard, abusive language, nol prossed.

Ruben Willis, petit larceny, nol prossed.

Bud Williamson, public drunkeness plead guilty, fined $35.

Ross Ford, v.p.l., guilty, fined $100 appealed, bond $500.

Resewell Williams, petit larceny, nol prossed on payment of costs.

Shep Knight, v.p.l., guilty, fined $50—20 days for fine and 50 days for costs.

Jno. G. Gray, v.c.s.a.l., nol prossed.

Henry Williams, v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $50.

M. C. Henley, peace proceeding, continued.

George Hunter, v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $50.

George Marcus, v.p.l., continued.

John Carter, abusive language, declared guilty and fined $1.

A. C. Smith, abusive language, nol prossed.

Mary Cleckler, et als., bond forfeiture, forfeiture made final for 1c and costs.

Mell Kimball et als., defaulting bond, continued to May.

W. F. Culpepper, abusive language, continued.

Olin Northcutt, abusive language, found guilty, fined $50.

Bill Lowery, Jr., v.p.l., plead guilty fined $100.

Carl Peavey, c.c.p., found guilty, fined $100, appeal, bond $500.

CLASSIFIED ADS

JUST RECEIVED—Twenty Tons of Nitrate of Soda, for sale.
J. N. DENNIS.

FOR SALE—One Overland touring Car, has been run two thousand miles, with extra equipment; cost the man who owned it $651.85; we will sell for $500.—Lawrence Motor Co., Clanton, Ala.

FORD FOR SALE—1923 model, good condition. For further particulars write or see Frank A. Oslin, Jemison. Ala., Rt. 4. 10-3t-p

FOR RENT—One 4-room house with one-half of good size garden and pasture for one cow. If interested see, phone or write H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, Rt. 6. 4-17-3t-p

GRIST MILL FOR SALE—I have a Grist Mill and outfit, also house and lot, which I will sell. Would sell mill alone if wanted. House is in center of town, could be used as shoe shop or chicken house in connection with mill. Just behind Union-Banner office. T. G. TAYLOR. tf

WANTED—Industrious man desiring to make $40-$70 or more weekly, selling Whitmer's big line of guaranteed Extracts, Toilet Articles, Home Remedies, ect. in Chilton County. Car or team needed. We teach you. Goods furnished on credit. Pleasant, healthful work. Big profits. Mr. Milton Denton, Warren County, Kentucky, made $98.00 one week recently. You can too. Write today.—The H. C. Whitmer Company, Columbus, Indiana. 4-3-3t-p

LIBERTY HILL

Miss Verbie D. Williams spent Saturday night with Miss Birdie Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward dined with Miss Meadie Sansom Sunday.

Mr. Leonard Culp was the guest of Mr. Earl Williams Sunday.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Delene Maddox Sunday.

Misses Leila and Ellen Minor were the week end guests of Misses Mae and Meldie Sansom.

Misses Lamurel Littlejohn and Birdie Bridges were the guests of Mrs. Ester Dukes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn and children visited his father, Mr. Jim Littlejohn Sunday.

Mr. Zack Lowery and family motored to Thorsby Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Milford and Mrs. Julie Oden were visitors at Mr. N. G. Ward's Sunday.

Mr. Joe Wells, wife and baby from Birmingham visited his father, Mr. C. R. Wells Sunday.

Rev. Tom Billingsley will preach at Liberty next Sunday at 11 o'clock. We hope to have a large crowd.

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Farm of 80 acres, one and one-half miles from Jemison; 60 acres in cultivation, 20 acres in timber; five-room house, large barn.

Two Farms 40 acres each with good improvements.

My Home Place of 155 acres; 90 acres in high state of cultivation; fine painted house and barns; one International Tractor; Double-disc Plow, and No. 24 Disc Tractor Harrow; one Binder, Grain Drill, Hay Press, one Mower and Rake, Pea and Bean Huller, Gasoline Engine, Grist Mill and Crusher, 6 Milch Cows, 2 Hogs, and a large assortment of Farming Tools.

Will sell all of the above at very low price and will give liberal terms if desired.

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Studebaker

Announcement

We have just opened Sales and Service Station in the big brick building on the East side of South 6th Street. Our shop is in charge of Mr. Fate Maddox, an expert mechanic, with years of experience in servicing all makes of cars.

In addition to the Studebaker line, we have secured the Chevrolet franchise. We received a carload of 1924 Chevrolets last week. Come in and let us demonstrate these cars to you.

We will also carry complete line of accessories. Your patronage will be appreciated.

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Studebaker and Chevrolet Motor Cars

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AN EXPERIENCED COTTON MILL MAN IN CLANTON

Mr. W. A. Cherry of West Point, Ga., former and and native resident of Chilton county, was here the first of this week investigating the possibilities of the proposed cotton mill being located in Clanton. Mr. Cherry who lived a few miles north of here, left this county about ten years ago and has been working at the cotton mill business practically all of that time. He is now employed in one of the biggest mills in the South and has worked himself up to a good position. This being his home county, Mr. Cherry says that he would like to get in with the mill when it is located here so that he might be able to stay at home.

After looking around over the conditions here and learning the sentiments of the people in general, Mr. Cherry stated that the prospects looked mighty good for the mill to be located here. All the business men of the town are willing to donate liberally toward the purchasing of the tract of land which will be required for the mill and any other requirements which the promoters may designate.

OUR WEEK'S HONOR ROLL

During the past week the following names have been written up for The Union-Banner, most of which are new subscribers:

E. F. Jackson, Clanton, R. 7.
L. T. Grant, Verbena, R. 2.
Lee J. Grant, Verbena, R. 2.
J. T. Blow, Clanton, R. 4.
I. D. Huett, Billingsley, R. 1.
H. C. Cox, Clanton, R. 8.
J. C. Calloway, Clanton.
John Thomsen, Clanton, R. 8.
Mrs. L. K. Durbin, Gadsden.
J. T. Ingram, Lawley.
R. D. Gibbons, Calera, R. 1.
J. S. Hand, Newton.
John Giles, Clanton.
L. R. Cobb, Jemison, R. 3.
Ed Chandler, Plantersville, R. 2.
Robert W. Littlejohn, Thorsby, R 1.
W. R. Pate, Clanton, R. 4.
D. C. Littlefield, Clanton, R. 8.
P. R. Devaughn, Clanton, R. 2.
W. H. Foshee, Clanton, R. 4.
R. M. Foshee, Clanton, R. 4.
J. S. Massey, Clanton, R. 4.
John M. Parrish, Clanton, R. 5.
A. L. Taylor, Clanton.
Miss Sallie Parrish, Atlanta, Ga.
W. G. Robinson, Clanton, R. 8.
Mrs. Millie Hayes, Lawrenceburg, Tenn.
L. H. Downs, Birmingham.
A. L. Robinson, Verbena, R. 2.
W. H. Falkner, Sterett, Ala.
W. A. Cherry, West Point, Ga.
S. M. Edwards, Thorsby, R. 1.
G. C. Robinson, Clanton, R. 1.
J. Mid Mims, Clanton, R. 1.
S. J. Nations, Clanton, R. 1.
A. F. Northcutt, Jemison, R. 2.
T. D. Whitworth, Verbena.
Green D. Melton, Thorsby R 1.
Mrs. E. J. Roberson, Jemison R 2.
J. C. Courtney, Maplesville R 2.

SELLING STUDEBAKERS AND CHEVROLETS

Mr. Sie Foshee asks us to announce to the public that he is now selling Studebaker and Chevrolet cars for Polk Brothers. Sie is a famous automobile salesman, he having won great renown selling cars for Polk Brothers during the past year.

A. C. Smith C. B. Smith
SMITH & SMITH
Attorneys-At-Law
Second Floor Smith Building
CLANTON, ALA.

NOTICE TO ROAD SUPERVISORS OF CHILTON COUNTY:

We wish to call the attention of all parties hauling lumber, logs, cord wood, timber or ore, that there is a license due to the county on trucks hauling the above, and it is the duty of each road supervisor to prosecute. We especially call the attention of each road supervisor to Section 36 of the Road Laws of Chilton County, Alabama, wherein it is provided that, "Any Road Supervisor who fails or refuses to prosecute any and all violations of Traffic Laws herein and all other violations of the Road Laws herein adopted, which come to his knowledge that are committed in his Road Precinct, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as provided by law." We understand that we have been criticized by not putting license on all trucks. As the law has been interpreted to us, we had no authority to put license on any other trucks except those designated above, the legislature of 1923 making this prohibition.

The County Commisisoners are trying to maintain and establish new roads as fast as we can get them, but we are having some trouble in getting rights-of-way, this, of course, always delays the work. We appeal to land owners to give rights-of-way to build these roads, and in so doing it will save the county considerable expense and trouble and delay of time.

The road laws under which the county it now operating are new to this county and if any of the provisions are proven to be unsatisfactory and not of general benefit to the county as a whole, the court will make amends to suit the desires of the majority of the people and interest of the county. The laws were passed with one intention—to improve the roads of our county and to keep them in condition consistent with the progress of the times and in doing so to prorate the burden of the maintenance and construction of said roads upon individuals to whom the roads were of most benefit.

It is consonant with equity and good conscenice that the man who uses the roads very little should pay very little, while the man who uses the roads practically altogether for his business should pay more.

We call upon the people of the county and all public bodies and newspapers to encourage an observance of the road laws, and if there are meritorious amendments to be made to such laws, we invite a constructive criticism and will make changes accordingly where deemed proper and necessary.

All truck license will be half price after July 1st, 1924, provided no lumber, logs, timber or cord wood was hauled with the trucks before July 1st. If they were used for this purpose before July the 1st, full year's license will have to be taken out.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.
T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
Commissioners.

Clanton, Ala., April 14, 1924.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which assists in improving the General Health.

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IT'S NICE TO HAVE FRIENDS IN FLORIDA

Speaking from a general standpoint, it is a glorious thing to have friends—in fact, we know of no other one class of things from which we would dislike more to part, but it is especially nice to have good friends in "The Land of Flowers."

Last week just as we had gotten over the rush of getting The Union-Banner mailed out the draryman came in with a big, well-packed crate of ripe, juicy oranges. On the end of the box was a label bearing the inscription "From J. Wiley Foshee, Lakeland, Fla." We cannot begin to express the appreciation which we have toward Mr. Foshee for this nice present, but will say in his behalf that he could not have sent us a more acceptable gift.

Mr. Foshee writes that he gathered this box from one of the fifteen orange trees which he has on his place which are twenty-eight years old. Mr. Foshee says that they kept a record of what one of these trees produced and thirty-seven boxes came off it averaging 200 oranges to the box. Mr. Foshee also writes that they have all kinds of vegetables now and a nice crop of corn about two feet high.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the several polling places in the State of Alabama, by the Democratic Party, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, between the hours of Eight A. M. and Five P. M., for the expression of the preference of the Democrats of Alabama for the nominees of the Democratic Party for such State, District and County Officials as are to be elected at the regular election in November, 1924.

This 5th day of April, 1924.

R. B. EVINS,
Chairman State Democratic
4-24-3t-c Executive Committee.

NOTICE QUALIFIED VOTERS

I want to call attention to all parties who are qualified voters and have been left off the list, to come to see me or write me at once. I am very anxious to get the correct record of all voters in the county, and this office will give preference to helping any voter to get their record straight to any other work that we are required to do.

Remember, where anyone writes us about their record and we get it straight, we do not answer the letter, but if we do not get the record clear we always write and explain the trouble.

When writing me state where you registered and the date of your birth, if you have paid your poll tax in different names—be sure and mention this fact.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

Mr. A. L. Robinson of Corinth, member of the school board, was in Clanton Monday of this week.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

Mr. Jimmie Taylor, who is attending business colledge in Montgomery, spent a few days with relatives here recently.

Miss Sallie Parrish, who is working in Atlanta, Ga., was here Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

BIG RUG SALE

For the next 10 days, or while they last, you will find at my store some of the best bargains in Rugs that have ever been pulled off in Clanton. At this Sale I can sell you rugs as follows:

27x54 Beacon Taps at $1.20
27x54 Fernbrook Velvets at $2.15
36x72 Fernbrook Velvets at $3.65

Also have other rugs at bargains. See me before you buy.

Retherford Furniture Co.
Clanton, Ala.

FREE!

THESE MAGNIFICENT CAKE PLATES, SALAD DISHES AND BERRY BOWLS
(Read Our Offer Below)

BERRY BOWLS
This Beautiful Gold and Decorated Glassware on Display at our Store.
Get One While They Last.
SAVE THE COUPONS
Absolutely FREE With $25.00 in Cash Trade.

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CLANTON, ALA.

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CLANTON KLAN, NO. 35, REALM OF ALABAMA INVISIBLE EMPIRE,
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN, ANNOUNCE A

GREAT KLAN CELEBRATION

TO BE HELD IN CLANTON AT

HIGH SCHOOL BALL PARK

Thursday, May 1st, 1924

PROGRAM

7:30 p.m.—Address, "The Principles of The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," by a representative from Imperial Palace, K. K. K. K., Atlanta, Georgia.

8:30 p.m.—Naturalization Ceremony—Several Hundred Aliens to Become Citizens of the Invisible Empire.

9:30 p.m.—Magnificent Pyrotechnic Display—Featuring Klan Fireworks of all kinds; the most Unique Pyrotechnics Ever Shown in Central Alabama. Hundreds of dollars in thrills.

20,000 SPECTATORS——EXPECTED——1,000 ROBED KLANSMEN

Will Be No Congested Traffic As There Are Four Inlets and Four Outlets to This Park—50 Klansmen to Direct the Traffic.

Parking space for 2000 automobiles. The Klavaliers of the Klan will police your car. Park your car as they direct.

Klan officers and Klansmen from all over the State will be present.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED to be present to witness the weird and solemn Naturalization ceremonies, to hear the principles of the Klan expounded, and to enjoy the most spectacular Pyrotechnic display ever offered in this section. Mingled with the Hooded Citizens of the Invisible Empire.

MOST STUPENDOUS KLAN CEREMONY EVER HELD IN CENTRAL ALABAMA

Come early and stay late. Bring your whole family and all your friends. Soft drinks, cigars, and all kinds of refreshments.

FOR INFORMATION, WRITE P. O. BOX 186, CLANTON, ALABAMA.

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Odds of ten to one are being offered against Senator Walsh's winning the Democratic Presidential nomination. This must be an awful blow to the Senator's pride after the time and effort he has spent in advertising himself through so-called Senate investigations.

Two purposes of the Ku Klux Klan are said to be to aid enforcement of the laws of the land and to protect American womanhood. Two more noble motives could scarcely be conceived of, and there is not a place in the world, that we know of, which needs a rigid application of these principles more than here in Clanton. There are things going on around here every day—and every night too—that are a shame before God. If some people have ever had any sense of morality and personal respect evidently such sense has been overcome by their beastly desire for lascivious gratification. If possible, let us have a stronger and more effective application of the principles named above, augmented by the officers of the law and the good people in general.

Prof. Adams, the Yale tax expert, who for years has been serving Republican and Democratic revenue committees in Congress, has resigned from the Senate committee investigating the Treasury Department. He finds the work of that committee has changed from consrtuctive to destructive, and characterizes its proceedings as "a particularly demoralizer form of child's play." In his opinion there is no necessity for a probe of the internal revenue bureau. Its faults are no more than those to be expected among more than 19,000 people engaged in collecting annually $2,500,000,000 and refunding $100,000,000. There are inevitable mistakes of judgment, and a few cases of actual graft, but they can be attended to without a Senate probe to destroy the morale of the Treasury service.

Straw votes are never conclusive of popular sentiment, but the extent of the Literary Digest poll on the Mellon tax plan commands more attention than the usual test ballot. A total of 2,135,000 votes were received, coming from every state in the Union. Of the 15,000,000 ballots sent out, 14.2 per cent were marked and returned—a remarkably high proportion for a canvass by mail—showing the deep interest of the public in the question. Forty-seven states voted in favor of the Mellon plan, and only one against it. States voted in substantial proportion to the amounts which they contribute in Federal taxes. For instance, New York voted over five to one in favor of the Mellon plan, while South Dakota had a slight majority against it. It is significant that the former contains one taxpayer to every ten persons, while the latter has only one to every 30 persons. The people who pay the taxes evidently want the Mellon plan, and if the others could comprehend that maximum cuts in their cost of living depend upon its adoption, it would command still further support.

Says President Coolidge: "The physical vigor, moral strength, and clean simplicity of mind of the American people can be immeasurably furthered by the properly developed opportunities for the life in the open, afforded by our forests, mountains, and waterways." Suiting the action to the word, the President has appointed a national policy committee on out-of-door life. It consists of Secretary of War Weeks, Secretary of the Interior Work, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, Secretary of Commerce Hoover, and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Roosevelt.

The Federal Government is already engaged, through many of its departments, in the promotion of out door activities. Public interest in the citizens' military training camps conducted by the War Department is increasing. Tourist travel through the national parks, supervised by the Department of the Interior, is growing every year. Campers and hikers are offered special inducements in the national forests under the Department of Agriculture. It is the desire of the President to coordinate all those and other recreational facilities at the command of the National Government, and to formulate a national recreational policy that states and private organizations may follow as a guide.

WHAT IT MEANS—

CLEANINGS

The Democrats and radicals are hot upon the chase,
While tame and gentle beasties engage them in the race;
The goose that laid the golden egg they're after now, we note,
A-chasing in the Mellon patch, since they can't get Calvin's goat.
—Philadelphia North American.

If a man of the caliber and character of Andrew W. Mellon is unfit to serve his country, then as Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, told Congress, "the only place for the President to look for cabinet members is the poorhouse or heaven."—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

Senators who are trying to make the Secretary of Treasurey responsible to one house of Congress must deeply regret that the capital of the Nation was named after Washington instead of after King George.—Boston Transcript.

It wouldn't be a bad idea for Congress to quit trying to smirth or tar or oil-stain the reputations of other people and try making a start toward making one for itself.—Los Angeles Times.

We gather from the remarks of most European statesmen that all that is needed to stablize the world is a loan by America of about sixty billion real dollars.—Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

Protection of our home market means maintenance of our standards of life, and the operation of the normal laws of trade will increase the command we now hold.—Omaha Bee.

Up to date all Senator Magnus Johnson has done to help the farmers was to win second place in a milking contest in which there were only two entries.—Toledo Blade.

If Senator Couzens had his way, the country very soon would not have a Secretary of the Treasurery whom it could trust with a wooden nickel.—Boston Transcript.

Polish journalist says "Uncle Sam is a strong man at home, but a helpless babe abroad." Even so, it isn't always so easy to steal his candy.—Cleveland News.

It's all rot about the bolshevists hating money. They hate it only when the other fellow has it and they can't steal it.—Marion Star.

The Senate is no longer speaking of "Silent Cal." It has learned that c-a-l are the first three letters of caloric.—Troy Times.

CANE CREEK

On the fourth Sunday in this month, which is next Sunday the singing class of Cane Creek will meet at 9 o'clock and engage in song service until 11 o'clock. Rev. M. J. Parrish will fill the pulpit and deliver his usual well prepared sermon. In the afternoon at 1:30 the singing society will meet, and we are hoping to see a large crowd out and have a good singing. Let's everybody come on out with a renewed spirit and get our society started up again.

EVERYBODY WANTS COTTON MILL

Since the agitation for the cotton mill question got started in Clanton, some of the other towns within the available territory have begun to open their eyes and move around a little. They all realize that a cotton mill would bring them new life and they would like to have it located in their midst. Some of the towns have already agreed to donate them forty acres of land.

If Clanton gets this cotton mill the people here have got to show some life and go after it. If we don't exert some effort and offer the promoters some inducement the other towns will, and there is where the mill will go. The merchants and business men of Clanton have got to have something here that will put some money in circulation, otherwise somebody is going broke. We have been getting some revenue from the saw mills of the county and some from the Alabama Power Company's operations at Lock 12 and Mitchel Dam. The lumber industry has seen its day and the power company has finished its work in our country. We have got to have something other than agriculture to live from in this town and country. A cotton mill is the best thing we know of and the chances for one are good if we will only grab it.

We understand that the builders of this mill are going to begin breaking the ground within the next sixty days somewhere between Calera and Montgomery. We believe as yet the men are more favorable impressed with Clanton than any other place, but it is not a settled fact yet. We should not be satisfied until it is a certainty and this should be obtained at once.

Right at Home at the Feed Mill

Charles Anderson, foreman of a feed mill, says, "The roaches were right at home here until thty got so thick I had to get rid of them. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder so I put it around and got rd of them without any trouble." Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Smilin' Charlie Says

Th' wimmin folks sure do look good in their frills of to-day, but how dye suppose they're gonna look in th' old family album ten years from now? —

JUSTICE! HAVE WE ANY?

In regard to public road working, the ones who did not have the money to pay $5.50 have to work seven days which nets each man about seventy-eight cents per day. Is it right, because a man cannot pay $5.50 to secure a road exemption to be forced to work for so small a sum per day? Another thing that is not right, the overseer in Beat 10 is working his men 10 hours a day while in Beat 5 the overseer is working his men only 8 hours per day.

As to truck owners having to pay $24.50 for state and county license and two cents on every gallon of gasoline burned and in addition to this our probate judge and county commissioners are imposing another additional tax of $11.50 on lumber trucks, while Coca-Cola, Line-Cola, Chero-Cola and all gasoline and kerosene trucks are not imposed on by the additional $11.50 tax.

All these licenses and gasoline taxes are supposed to go for the upkeep of the public roads, and from the looks of our highway they are narrowing them down till we soon won't have any roads to keep up.

I notice one man that is running for county commissioner has published that he believes that every wagon, buggy and all other vehicles should have to pay license and of the same commissioners that is trying to be re-elected.

It is a fact that we are all overburdened with taxes and licenses already without any more being added. So, the only way to get rid of so much taxes and licenses and unfair road laws is to get out and keep out such men as would try to impose such laws on the people. Now, let us see how a man stands on such things before you cast your ballot for him. We have some good men who will take half the amount of money and do twice as much good for the county. Let us be careful whom we put into office to make our laws over us in our county and handle our money.

H. N. SMITH.

ARRESTED SATURDAY

On last Saturday shortly after noon Deputy Harvey Fosbee placed under arrest William Vance of Clanton, under the charge of carnal knowledge in regard to a 15-year old girl by the name of Senie Mae Mims-Culp. Mr. Vance was placed under bond of $1,000 which he succeeded in making and was released on bail. It is reported that there are some other men implicated in the case, but as yet no other arrests have been made. Vance was tried in Justice Court before J. L. Wilson Wednesday. He was bound over to the Grand Jury under bond of $500.

Senie Mae Mims-Culp is the daughter of Mr. Elbert Mims of Shady Grove community, 8 miles west of Clanton, she having been married to Clifford Culp only a few weeks ago. The girl was brought to Clanton last Thursday morning and placed in jail where she still remains awaiting trial. It is reported that proceedings are being made to send the girl to the reform school.

The most noticeable recent fad in Washington is to charge everything to some man who is in his grave.—St. Louis Times.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

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(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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A. P. VINSON.

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C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. B. GREEN.

FOR COUNTRY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. M. SMITH.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

Please Take Notice

that we intend to put more people to riding on Goodyear tires in Chilton-county this year than ever before.

We have a larger range of prices, as good a tire as money can buy and we make free delivery of casing or tube as far as ten miles.

Call us when the next tire shoots and a man will be there in a few minutes, install tire, pump it up and have you on your way.

We appreciate your business.

LAWRENCE MOTOR COMPANY

CLANTON, ALA.

POOR C

DELINQUENT TAXES

The State of Alabama, County of Chilton.

To Whom It May Concern:

Take notice that the Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers and of real estate upon which taxes are due, and therein reported to the following named persons, as here shown, the following real estate, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $10.02.

BEAT 2

No. 227.—Arthur Glass—W ½ of SW¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, Range 13

W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 24, Range 13.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 11, Tp. 23, Range 13. Tax and cost $29.98.

No. 325.—Stephen Moore Estate—SW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 1, Tp. 23, R. 13.

S ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13.

NE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $24.37.

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $15.30.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $15.02.

No. 402.—Mrs. J. A. Skaggs—One house and lot 2, Block U, vacant lot 2, Block 2, all in Jemison, Ala. Tax and cost $15.15.

No. 430.—A. L. Sammons—NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 9, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.82.

No. 455.—J. R. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.11.

No. 458.—G. M. Wilson—S ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 3, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.92.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $6.61.

No. 972.—Mrs. G. W. Finley—All that part of SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 35, Tp. 22, R. 14 lying between the old Clanton and Thorsby dirt road and B.&M. Highway, save and except that particular lot or tract of land sold by F. R. Woodyard and wife to B. F. Higgins, Jr., on the 6th day of July, 1908, and recorded in the deed record 89, page 305, in the office of the Judge of Probate, Chilton County, Alabama, beginning at the point where the B. & M. Highway crosses the E. line of NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 35, Tp. 22, R. 14 and running thence N. along the E. line of said forty 110 yds., thence in a westerly direction 80 yds., more or less to the B. & M. Highway, thence in a southerly direction along E. side of the B. & M. Highway 126 yds. to point of beginning. Tax and cost $31.03.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U. —NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.00.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—E. ½ of SW ¼ of NW ¼, E ½ of NW ¼ of SW ¼, 1 acre in SW cor. of SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $19.75.

No. 1221.—W. E. Lowe—One house and lot 6, Block 14 of Gowan Addition to Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $14.80.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $42.07.

No. 1371.—J. M. Mims—SW ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres in N. side Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $5.71.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $40.71.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $38.48.

30 acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 9, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $11.85.

No. 1589.—A. W. Smith—SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.86.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U. —N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $6.35.

No. 1688.—E. D. White—One dwelling house and lot in W. Clanton, Ala., bounded on the N. by Maplesville road or Main St., on E. by J. W. Edwards and on S. by Mrs. Haley Edwards and on W. by Mrs. Jane Hayes in Clanton, Ala.

One house and Lots 3 and 4, Block 23 in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $21.00.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $9.64.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost, $5.54.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $11.15.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $7.58.

BEAT 5

No. 1793.—G. W. Bogan—Vacant lot (Harding Lot) 7, Block T.

Vacant lot, (Culver Lot) 10, Block T in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $3.92.

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $15.93.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $11.77.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.24.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $22.80.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $46.34.

No. 2498.—W. B. Green—E ½ of SW ¼, 10 acres on N. side of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $21.88.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $33.74.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $18.75.

No. 2517.—H. S. Hicks—S ½, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $43.35.

No. 2519.—Sheley Hicks—SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 10, Tp. 21, R. 12.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $24.57.

No. 2520.—Solomon Hicks—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $8.87.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $34.03.

No. 2585.—D. J. Nichols—E ½ of E ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 21, R. 12.

That part of NE ¼ of NW ¼ lying N. of branch on the edge of 40 acre Block, Sec. 34, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $23.60.

No. 2635.—Martha Watley—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $11.15.

BEAT 8

No. 2867.—Frank E. and J. O. Morrison—8 acres beginning at SE cor. of SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 25, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $8.89.

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $4.64.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $11.96.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $11.57.

No. 3068.—J. D. Caton—10 acres in SW cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.00.

No. 3147.—Mary H. Forsman—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $12.75.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $17.80.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.73.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $11.16.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $6.78.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.25.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $7.13.

No. 3979.—A. L. Glasscock—NW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 3, Tp. 23, R. 14.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 34, Tp. 24, aR. 14. Tax and cost $18.38.

No. 3996.—M. I. Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $7.79.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.41.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $15.37.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $17.61.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $6.50.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.06.

BEAT 14

No. 4298.—Mrs. Frances Armstrong—13½ acres on N. end of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 22, R. 12. Tax and cost $6.78.

No. 4441.—Mrs. Selma Veazey—W ½ of SW ¼, less 2 acres in SW ¼ of SW ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 10 acres in SE cor., Sec. 5, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $18.13.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.27.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $6.73.

BEAT 16

No. 4780.—J. M. Robinson—NW ¼ of SE ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $8.87.

This is to notify you to appear before the Probate Court of this county at the next term thereof, commencing on Monday, the 12th day of May, 1924, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why a decree for the sale of said real estate should not be made for the payment of taxes assessed upon the same, fees and costs.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
4-24-4t. Judge of Probate.

SARDIS NOTES

Our singing society met for the first time Sunday afternoon. There was a very large crowd with many visitors from other places. We were glad to have Prof. I. D. Huett with us and will be glad to welcome him back any time. He has promised to be with us again the second Saturday and Sunday in May. The following directors were used: Misses Thula Ratliff, Beulah McCary, Messrs. Alonza Hayes, Horace Deason and I. D. Huett. Organists for the afternoon were Mrs. Gladys Short and Miss Lela Hayes.

Our regular singing evenings are the first and third. We are glad to have a large crowd and invite every body to come who can.

After the singing Sunday afternoon an egg hunt was enjoyed. There was nearly one hundred eggs hidden.

We are glad to see our trustees already busy getting ready for our school. We don't think they could have gotten a better teacher than Prof. G. S. Millsap. The next thing is to put the house in first class shape as we want to try to have a three-teacher school this summer.

Rev. C. D. Messer preached an excellent sermon to a large crowd at Antioch Sunday.

Health at this place is good except Mr. Walter Anderson is very low with pneumonia.

Mrs. L. H. Ratliff and children, Malene, Fereldine and Henry Dell of Maplesville were visiting relatives out here Sunday.

Messrs. John Fo[illegible] and David Weaver, and Misses Archel[illegible] Ratliff and Lennie Headley motored to Selma Sunday.

Miss Alpha Ratliff was the guest of Misses Thula and Annie Ratliff Sunday.

Mr. Monroe Ramsey of Tyler visited parents here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Harmon Broadhead, who has recently purchased for himself a grist mill at West End Clanton, spent the week end with parents here, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Broadhead.

Many from this place went to Highland Sunday and report a grand time.

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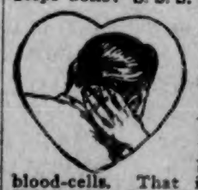

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FORD PROPOSAL VERSUS CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Chapter II.

A STATEMENT OF THE ALABAMA POWER COMPANY, SUPPORTED BY REMARKS FROM THE CONGRESSIONAL RECORD:

THE FACTS IN THE CASE—

$1,527,512.75 For Property Costing Over $80,000,000.

Henry Ford acquires for $1,527,512.75 government property which cost over $80,000,000. That property includes $500,000 of platinum belonging to the nitrate plants and platinum is the equivalent of cash. The result is the Ford Corporation acquires these plants for slightly over $1,000,000. That will be a little over 1 per cent of its cost. They consist of $4,200 acres of land with two great nitrate plants, dwellings, sewerage, locomotives, cars, repair shops and all modern improvements; two steam power plants, one of 6,500 horsepower (about the size of the steam plant on the banks of the Alabama River at Montgomery erected some years ago by Richard Tillis and now owned by the power company) and another steam plant of 90,000 horsepower, which is 12 times the size of the "Tillis plant," and nearly as large as all the power units at Lock 12. For the latter plant alone the power companies have offered to pay $4,500,000. All this is to be deeded to the Ford Corporation.

Taxpayers To Spend $3,472,487.25 For New Steam Plant.

The Ford proposal would take from the United States Treasury, cash to build in addition a 40,000 horsepower steam power plant for the Ford Corporation 100 miles south of Muscle Shoals and a connecting transmission line for the private use of the Ford Corporation, all to cost $3,472,487.25 to be repaid the government in installments.

THOSE WHO ARE INFORMED SAY:

Rep. Kearns, of Ohio:

"Perhaps it would be well to state that Mr. Ford is offering for the government's real estate holdings at Muscle Shoals only $5,000,000. These holdings cost the government, to be exact, and without any accumulative interest, $85,343.296. For this real estate and with all the gigantic buildings constructed upon it, together with all the railroad engines, steel freight cars, steam shovels, picks and shovels, rock crushers, cement mixers, railroad tracks and numerous other machinery and tools, he is offerinv the ridiculously low and unconscionable price of $5,000,000."

"For the Conbress of the United States to authorize the sale of more than $85,000,000 worth of the bovernment property to probably the richest man in the world for $5,000,000 would seem to me to come danyerously near beinb criminal."

Rep. Hill, of Maryland:

"There has been a good deal said about the alleyed selfishness of the power companies makiny the offer represented by the Hull bill, now before the House. To me nothing can be more preposterous than the proposal of Sec. 19 of the McKenzie bill to spend $3,472,487.25 of good, present, actual government cash to build for the Ford interest a steam power plant, nearly 100 miles away from Muscle Shoals, that has no possible relation to the Muscle Shoals water power or nitrate plants, except that during the war the Gorgas plant furnished extra power from the Alabama Power Company to Nitrate Plant No. 2."

(To Be Continued).

Alabama Power Company

THOMAS W. MARTIN, President
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

ORIGINAL

LAUNCHING AN ATTACK UPON MOSQUITOES

Montgomery, Ala., April 21.—Selma and Dallas county have provided the means for launching an attack upon the mosquito in the offensive campaign which the State Board of Health has advised in the crusade against malaria. Heretofore the fight against mosquitoes was practically a defensive warfare, depending almost solely upon screens to keep the mosquito out, but this is changed now and the battle cry is "Organized Scientific Offensive."

According to news from Selma the city council of that municipality has agreed to appropriate $5,000 to match a like amount appropriated by the governing body of Dallas county. The expenditure of the funds is to be under the direction of special committees and the engineer which the State Board of Health has been requested to make a survey of the situation in the city and county.

While the death rate in Alabama from malaria is low, compared with other states and also as compared with automobile accidents, the morbidity, in some sections, is rather high. The fact that this is one tell on human life and energy which can be practically wiped out is encouraging many counties to plan an aggressive drive against the mosquito.

One thing which anti-malaria work demands is the use of fine mesh screen in the defensive campaign while the work of eliminating the mosquito's breeding place is being destroyed. Screen coarser than sixteen mesh is practically useless in keeping out mosquitoes, although it will keep out flies.

NOTICE BANKRUPT SALE

Pursuant to an order made by the United States District Court, Northern Division, Middle District of Alabama, in Bankruptcy, I, as Receiver of G. W. Freeman, Bankrupt, will offer, to the highest bidder, for cash, during legal hours of sale, subject to approval of said Court, on the 28th day of April, 1924, at the United States Government Building at Montgomery, Co. of Montgomery, State of Alabama, all right, title and interest Bankrupt had in and to stock goods, wares and fixtures and book accounts:

Stock Dry Goods, Shoes, Groceries	$1057.09
Store Fixtures	228.35
Book Accounts	1051.56
	$2337.00

Right reserved to sell separate or as whole. Inventory now on file.

Montgomery, Ala., 16th day of April, 1924.

M. HUGH STUART, Receiver.

REPORT OF COUNTY BOARD OF REVIEW OPEN FOR INSPECTION

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given by S. M. Pate, Tax Assessor of Chilton County, Alabama, that the Board of Review of said County has returned its report, and the same is open for inspection, and that said Board of Review will sit at the court house at Clanton in the County of Chilton, State of Alabama, beginning on the first Monday in June, 1924, to correct any errors in assessments or valuations. (Sec. 158, 1923 Revenue Acts.)

This, 15th day of April, 1924.

S. M. PATE,
Tax Assessor, Chilton Co., Alabama

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Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

BUILDING PLANS NOW AVAILABLE TO FARMERS

Auburn, Ala., April 21.—The Extension Service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute is now prepared to furnish farm building plans of many kinds to those who request them. To comply with numerous demands, T. B. Chambers, an expert in this line, was recently employed for this particular task, and he is now preparing a long list of plans for general distribution.

Unusual interest in poultry at the present requires that special attention be given to plans for chicken houses and equipment, but plans for residences, barns, and farm buildings of many types, styles, and sizes have either been prepared or are in the course of construction.

It is preferred that these plans, which are furnished in blue print form, be made through either the county agent or the home demonstration agent, because they can be of assistance in offering suggestions as to the kind of plan which should be requested.

Those ready for distribution are of standard type but special plans will be prepared upon request. If such are desired they should be requested four to six weeks before they will be needed.

According to Mr. Chambers, plans should be used for construction of farm buildings of all kinds. In many instances it will reduce the cost. It will improve the arrangement and add to the value of the bulding. Another advantage is that the timber for the building can be accurately figured in advance and this frequently reduces the timber bill, lowering the cost.

QUARTERLY MEETING AT THORSBY ON APRIL 26

The W. M. U. Quarterly Meeting of the Chilton County Association will meet at Thorsby Baptist Church, April 26th, Saturday before the fourth Sunday.

10:00—Devotional, Mrs. Martin.
10:15—Welcome, Rev. Whorton.
Response, Miss Lola Manning.
10:25—Recognition of pastors.
10:30—How the W. M. U. organization can help to win the victory, Rev. Durbin.
10:50—What hath God wrought through Southern Baptists in the past four years, Rev. Whorton.
11:30—Missionary Sermon, Rev. Dykes.
12:00—Lunch.
1:30—Devotional, Mrs. A. L. Foshee.
1:45—Business.
2:00—The compaign record of the Societeis in this Association.
2:10—Four-minute talks.
How the W. M. U. helps the church as a whole, Rev. Whorton.
How the W. M. S. may help the pastor, Rev. Foshee.
How the W. M. S. may help the Sunday School, Mrs. Harper.
How the W. M. S. may help the prayer meeting, Mrs. Piper.
How the W. M. S. may help the B. Y. P. U., Mrs. Garrick.
How the W. M. S. may help the Young People's Missionary Societies, Miss Lena Franklin.
3:00—Young People's hour.

Mr. A. F. Northcutt of Jemison Route 2 was in our office Monday and subscribed for the paper. Mr. Northcutt says that he has never taken this paper before.

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THE SECRET OF BAKING GOOD BISCUITS

By Helen Harrington Downing
Director Home Economics, Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago, Ill.

The ability of a housewife as a cook is very often judged by the biscuits she makes, but they are really very simple to make. If the materials used are of the best, the recipe followed carefully and measurements are made accurately, only a little experience is required to produce excellent biscuits.

The principal requirements in making baking powder biscuits is, of course, that a reliable brand of baking powder is used and used correctly, that the ingredients be mixed quickly, and not so much as to make a tough biscuit. Too stiff a dough should also be avoided

All breads are divided into two classes—

1. Quick Breads
2. Yeast Breads

Quick breads are made in a shorter time than is required for making yeast breads, and are generally served hot.

A quick bread requires the following ingredients: flour, a liquid, salt and a leavening agent. To these may be added some other ingredients not necessary, but often desired, such as shortening, sweeting, flavoring and eggs. There are some points to emphasize, which cannot be repeated too often.

When mixing fat into a dough such as buiscuit, it is preferable to add the fat in solid form and mix into the dry ingredients, either with a knife or with the tips of the fingers.

Although it is possible to make a good soft dough using a spoon for mixing, the beginner, however, must be careful not to stir the dough so as to toughen it as is often the case with the first biscuits a person makes.

Sweeting, raisins, currants, and spice are often added separately or combined and added to biscuit dough after part of the milk is added

Baking powder is used in place of yeast, to make a flour mixture rise. When the mixture is of liquid and a good, plain straight flour, and is stiff enough to knead, it is called a dough.

Bread dough, biscnit dough and pie dough are examples of this degree of stiffness.

A biscuit dough can be used in making many delicious vartations. By adding grated cheese to flour, a delightful change to serve with salads is the result. Roll these biscuits thinner and cut smaller than the usual biscuits. Thinly rolled biscuit dough sprinkled with sugar and sliced bananas, rolled and as a jelly roll, makes an excellent dessert. serve with a lemon sauce.

Tiny, thin biscuit may be split, buttered and served with tea, while larger ones maybe served with breakfast or luncheon. In order to utilize left over biscuits of this kind, they may be split and toasted or dipped quickly into boiling water and baked in a quick oven until the surface is dry.

When you bake, do bake good biscuits—don't waste time on inferior products. A good flour and a reliable baking powder, a hot oven, and your family will appreciate your efforts. Try these recipes:

Baking Powder Biscuits

3 cups pastry flour
4 level teaspoons baking powder
4 level tablespoons butter or lard
1½ cups milk
1 level teaspoon salt.

Sift flour once, then measure, add salt and baking powder and sift three times, rub in shortening with fork or spoon, add milk, mix lightfully, turn out on a well-floured board and roll or pat one inch thick, cut and bake in quick oven (450 degrees Fernheit) fifteen to seventeen minutes.

This recipe is based upon the use of Calumet Baking Powder.

Coffee Cake

4½ cups pastry flour
4 level teaspoons baking pawder
4 tablespoons sugar
3 rounding tablespoons butter or lard
2 eggs
1 1-3 cups milk
1 level teaspoon salt.

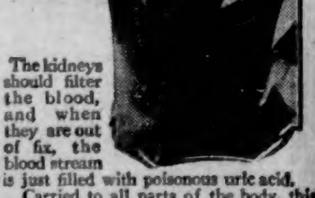
Sift flour, then measure; add baking powder, salt and sugar; sift three times, chop butter in with spoon, beat egg whites with half egg-shell of water added to each until stiff, then add yolks and beat in; add milk and beat all together; turn into two square pans and spread even; brush top with milk. Spread with the following:

½ cup flour
½ cup sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 tablespoon butter,

Mix flour, sugar and cinnamon; rub butter in until it is crumbly; spread thick on top of cake; bake in moderate oven 30 to 35 minutes at 325 degrees Fernheit.

This recipe is based upon the use of Calumet Baking Powder.

ALARMING!



The kidneys should filter the blood, and when they are out of fix, the blood stream is just filled with poisonous uric acid.

Carried to all parts of the body, this poison causes backaches, headaches, rheumatic pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability or depression and distressing bladder troubles.

But that isn't the worst of it. In chronic neglected cases, the excess uric acid is apt to form into gravel or kidney stones, and to cause gout, sciatica, dropsy and even Bright's disease.

Let the first pain in the back be your warning. Get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's new An-uric tablets (anti-uric-acid). Your druggist can tell you about this new discovery for bad kidneys. Or, send 10c for a trial package to Dr. Pierce, Pres., Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

STORE EGGS NOW FOR LATER NEEDS

Auburn, Ala., April 21.—With egg production about as high as it will be during the year and prices near the bottom, now is a good time to begin storing eggs to be used next fall and winter when production is low and prices are high. In this way eggs will be kept off the market, which should be done when it is overloaded.

According to John E. Ivey, poultry specialist for the Extension Service, the waterglass method is the best way to preserve eggs at home. Waterglass is a liquid sold by druggists, and a good solution for preserving eggs can be made of one part of waterglass to nine parts of boiled water. The object in using boiling water is to kill all bacteria.

After the solution is prepared it should be placed in a crock or glass container and eggs placed therein as they are gathered. This may continue until the waterglass solution is within three inches of the top. It should stand at least two inches above the eggs.

The next step in the preserving process consists of placing a cheesecloth or paper over the jar to keep out trash, and the final step is to place the jar in a cool place, such as a cellar or similar location where it will remain cool. The jar should be inspected occasionally. If the solution is evaporating more should be added. Eggs preserved in this way are ready for use when needed.

MR. CLARY VINES MOVES BACK

Mr. R. C. Vines and family arrived in Clanton the latter part of last week from Pascagoula, Miss. Their household goods arrived also and they have already moved into the old Joe Cox home a mile and a half east of Clanton, which they have purchased. Mr. Vines has already begun making a crop on his place. He has been taking vocational training under the government war department for the past three years at Pascagoula.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON RETURNED FROM CHICAGO

Dr. Arthur Johnson has returned from Chicago, where he has been for the past two months taking a special course in medicine. Dr. Johnson is now back in his office on Sixth Street and is at the service of his friends.

MONTEVALLO GLEE CLUB PLAY AT HIGH SCHOOL

We are requested to announce that the Glee Club from Montevallo, consisting of twenty-four girls, will put on a play at the high school auditorium Friday night of this week. The ladies of the Baptist church are sponsoring the play. An admission of 35c and 50c will be charged.

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The startling way rats are spreading demands immediate action! They must be wiped out AT ONCE. They are a deadly menace to your health! Destroy them. Exterminate them. Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Greatest rat destroyer known! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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Substitutes are generally more expensive in the end than genuine articles. Housewives have learned—they KNOW this is true where bakings are concerned.

Self rising flours are classed as substitutes for plain flour and good baking powder. The use of these special mixtures is very liable to result in false economy, failures and waste on bake day.

Remember there is a big difference, in many ways, between biscuits and other bakings made from these so-called self-rising flours and those made from good plain flour and a dependable leavener. Try the experiment—make a baking from each—convince yourself.

You will find the baking made from flour and baking powder far more attractive in appearance. It will raise higher—retain its full food value and taste better.

For best results, do not fail to use Calumet, the Economy Baking Powder, and a reliable brand of plain flour.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Mr. George W. Freeman, merchant at Thorsby, has been adjudged bankrupt by the U. S. District Court at Montgomery, and a receiver has been appointed who is advertising for sale the entire stock of goods, fixtures and book accounts.

The Congregational church building at Thorsby is getting a new dress of paint applied by Mr. Perry Littlejohn.

Rev. J. M. Graham, Mrs. E. W. Butler and Mrs. S. E. Norton were delegates from the Thorsby Congregational Sunday school to the State S. S. Conventoin at Montgomery Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Easter services at Thorsby Congregational church were held at night and consisted of a program of story and song led by Rev. Each, who read a most interesting story about a blind boy in the time of Jesus Christ on earth, stopping at frequent intervals for appropriate Easter selections of music sung by the choir under direction of Miss Parker. This program was followed by a short but impressive sermon by Rev. Neil McQuarrie, who is conducting here each night this week, except Saturday, a series of evangelistic meetings. Rev. McQuarrie is a most interesting speaker always bringing a helpful message. The meetings are held at 7:45 p.m., and are open to all who desire to attend.

The dinner and sale of articles last Saturday,under auspices of Thorsby Parent-Teachers association, netted a little more than $50, which added to what has previously been raised by the same organization within a month which makes a trifle over $150 now on hand for equipment of the new public school building, before a shovel full of earth has been moved for the preparation for construction.

However, this does not mean that necessarily that "There's Nothing Doing" in the matter. The building committee held a meeting last Monday and after discussion of the project, agreed to use only brick tile adopted by the State Department of Education as material for the outer walls. They have carefully examined the building plans offered by the State which call for four rooms for classes together with an auditorium or assembly hall. These plans were satisfactory to the committee, as far as they go, but is was noted that they make no provision for a department for manual training, which for a modern school even of the grammar grades, which is as far as many children can hope to go, as considered by educators of today very necessial.

In the summer and fall of 1922 the writer visited many public schools of grades below high school, and found that our northern boys and girls have every advantage over those of the South in manual training. We saw domestic science classes composed of girls 10 to 13 years old and boys of the same age working at machines for iron and wood work under direction of a competent instructor. In other classes we saw others of similar age studying bookkeeping and mechanical drawing. These things are no longer considered as fads but a necessary part of educational equipment for our boys and girls, and the citizens of Thorsby may be thankful that they have a committee in charge of educational facilities who will try to give our boys and girls opportunities as good as provided for those in other communities. In order to ascertain if it is not possible that our new school shall have these facilities a sub-committee consisting of Mayor Bentley and Ernie Hansen, went to Montgomery Tuesday by appointment for a conference with Mr. Ledbetter, State superintendent of public school building construction, to see if some modification or change in the plans for our building may not be arranged to incorporate the manual training feature. As soon as this matter can be adjusted this sub-committee will visit manufacturers and dealers in such materials as can be utilized in the building to familiarize themselves with quality and costs. They will then report to the building committee who will probably solicit bids for construction.

Thorsby strawberries are now beginning to move to market, the first shipment of eleven cratea being made Monday. It is hoped our Fruit Growers Asociation will begin loading cars early next week. The season is late but the crop has not been affected by frost at any time so far, and it is hoped the yield of high grade berries will be large. Preparations have been made to load about forty cars during the season. The weather for the past few days has been quite favorable, though a little too cool part of the time for rapid ripening.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins made a week end visit to Albany, Ala., where she met her mother, Mrs. Frank E. Jenkins and an aunt Miss Grace Stanley of Hartford, Conn., who are visiting the old home and freinds of Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins and where Miss Jenkins lived as a little girl. Mrs. Jenkins and her sister, Miss Stanley, will probably visit Thorsby before they return north.

Mr. Harry Peterson reports to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Peterson the birth of a girl baby at the home of Mrs. Peterson's parents at Prattville. Harry, who is well known and loved in Thorsby, is now stationed at Mt. Creek as telegraph ogerator. His wife was a Prattville girl who has made many friends in Thorsby during their visits and a short residence here.

Quite a number of Thorsby young people attended the singing at Oak Grove and Poplar Springs last Sunday.

Miss Gladys Flummer is spending this week among friends in Birmingham.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Aaron Littlejohn, who has been sick for the past two weeks is making slow progress on the road to recovery.

Miss Myrtle White entertained quite a number of young people last Sunday afternoon at an Easter egg hunt, among them were Misses Viluna, Pauline and Alpha Mae Shirley. After the hunt refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. G. White had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Grover White from near Coopers.

Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer gave the little folks of her Sunday School class an Easter egg hunt at her home Monday afternoon.

Miss Anna Werness of Birmingham spent Easter Sunday with her mother in Thorsby, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Mr. Reno Villadsen of Jasper visited his mother, Mrs. Anna Villadsen one day last week.

Mrs. G. L. Harper has been spending several days in Talladega with Mr. Harper's daughter who is quite ill.

GIRLS NOT COMING

On page 6 of this paper is an announcement that the Glee Club girls from Montevallo will play at the high school in Clanton. The engagement was called off after this page of the paper was printed, so the play will not be held.

The Ladies Guild of Thorsby will hold their regular monthly social on Thursday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. O. L. Jackson.

Miss Ida Brueckner of Milwaukee, a sister of Mrs. Fred Howard, is enjoying a two-weeks vcation in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Carlson who have been visiting Mr. Carlson's brothers, John and Claus Carlson for the past two months, have returned to their home in Chicago. Miss Beatrice Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, went with them and will spend some time visiting friends in Chicago, Cleveland and other places.

Mis Alma Lefstead, who has been teaching in Marengo county the past year, completed her term last Friday and has returned to her home here.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. S. E. Norton gave an Easter egg hunt to the little folks of her Sunday School primary department, some fifteen in number.

Notice To The Music Lovers Of Thorsby and Vicinity

C. E. Bice, representing the Weldon Music House of Clanton, will be in Thorsby Friday, April 25th, at Harper and Billingsley Store to demonstrate the Starr Phonograph. He will have a supply of the latest Okeh records.

Any one who is interested in buying a phonograph, piano, or anything in the music line, don't fail to meet him there on that date. Come out and hear the latest music on a Starr Phonograph, the best on the market, whether you buy or not.

DON'T MISS IT

The annual contest between the two literary societies of the C. C. H. S. will be held Thursday night, April 24th at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Chosen members of each society will contest in readings, declamations, stories and a debate.

Reading—Tutwiler, Inez Kittrell; Lanerian, Erazelle Foshee. Declamation—Tutwiler, Claudie Wyatt; Lanerian, Sam Upchurch. Story—Tutwiler, Loris Calloway; and Lanerian, Pearl Harris.

The debating subject is: Resolved, That the world as a whole is growing better. The Tutwilers represented by Estelle Littlejohn and Flossie Wilson, will uphold the negative side of the question; the Lanerians, represented by Udah Curlee and Charles Moore, will defend the affirmative.

We expect this to be the most entertaining event of the school year. Without your personal presence, it can't be so. Don't fail to be there to see what they do and hear what they say.

CLANTON DEFEATS TEAM FROM THOMPSON HIGH

On last Friday afternoon, at the high school park in Clanton, the Chilton County High School nine defeated the Thompson High School team of Siluria, the final score being 10 to 6.

The summary of the game was as follows:—2-base hits, Wyatt, Wagoner, Thompson, Jones, Ruffin 2; double play, Hayes to Wyatt to Jones; Left on base, Clanton 8, Siluria 4; base on balls, Mullins 1, Hodge 2; struck out by Mullins 11, Hodge 0.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that mortgage made by J. E. Melton and wife, Eula Melton, to J. A. Fuller, Trustee, dated July 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 408, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage was duly transferred to the undersigned Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones, and said default continuing, we, the said Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones as transferees of said mortgage, will, under and by virtue of the power of said mortgage in said mortgage contained, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on

Monday, May 26th, 1924,

the following described property, viz:

That certain lot or parcel of land at Maplesville, Alabama, situated in the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 21, Township 21, Range 12, containing one-half acre, more or less, and particularly described as follows: Run 465 feet and 5 inches, more or less, in a southerly direction from the crossing of the Southern and Mobile & Ohio Railroads, along the center of the right of way of the Southern Railway Company, thence in a westerly direction, at right angles, 50 feet to a point on the western boundary of said right of way, which is the point of beginning of said lot; thence run in a westerly direction from said point of beginning, at right angles to said western boundary of said right of way, between two sweet gum trees near said right of way, 210 feet to a stake; thence at right angles in a northerly direction 135 feet, more or less, to a stake; thence in an easterly direction, at right angles, 174 feet, more or less, along the south side of a hickory tree near the line of the Martin Gin lot, to the western boundary of the said Martin gin lot; thence in a southeasterly direction, along west boundary line of said Martin gin lot, 47 feet, more or less, to a point which is the corner of said Martin gin lot, and is the western boundary of the before mentioned right of way of the Southern Railway; thence in a southerly direction along the said western boundary of said right of way 95 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The said sale will be held for the purposes provided for in said mortgage,

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SOUTH CALERA

Mrs. J. W. Boyer of Calera spent last Wednesday with Mrs. G. S. Tate.

Little Miss Olene Chapel spent several days in Birmingham last week as the guest of friends and relatives there. She returned home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Dora Campbell spent the week end at home visiting her mother.

Mrs. Jane Martin returned from Birmingham Thursday where she has been visiting for a few days.

Mr. H. A. Tate and daughter, Estelle of Leeds are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate this week.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham was in South Calera Sunday. Calera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma were visiting Mr. Busby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby last week end.

There was a singing given at Mr. G. S. Tate's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby of Pelham spent Sunday with Mrs. C. E. Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. Badie Watts and two children of Ensley returned home on Sunday night after a week's visit to Mrs. Watts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim.

Mr. Homer Martin was home for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ellison attended the singing at Oak Grove Sunday.

Miss Lois Busby, who is attending school in Calera spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Cecil Martin has as her guests Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby from Selma.

Mr. Alza Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Mrs. W. H. Busby, Mr. Leon Busby and Miss Hazel Cox enjoyed an auto trip to Mitchell Dam Sunday, also to the singing at Poplar Springs.

Mrs. Sarah Crim spent Monday night with Miss Mexa Tate.

Mrs. Jessie Cox visited the home of Mrs. J. H. Anderson Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen, Mrs. J. W. Boyer, Mrs. C. Campbell of Calera spent a while at Mrs. G. S. Tate's Sunday night, engaged in a prayer service. Other people of the community were there also.

We are sorry to say that the family of Mr. W. J. Clark is moving to Birmingham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin and children of Calera were visitors to Mrs. Cecil Martin Sunday.

ANNUAL EASTER SINGING AT POPLAR SPRINGS SUNDAY

The Easter Anniversary Singing was held at Poplar Springs church April 20th, 1924. There were more people present at this than any former session of the singing. It is estimated that there were 1,500 people present. There were around 300 automobiles, buggies and wagons on the grounds.

Prof. O. L. Devaughn was elected chairman for the day, after which he appointed the following committee to arrange the program: Jimmie McDowell, J. D. Collins and Jasper Robinson.

The directors for the forenoon were L. T. Grant, Grover Gilliland, McKinley Gilliland, Newton Gilliland, G. C. Powell, Dewey Huett, J.M. Taylor, and W. M. Devaughn, all three songs each. There were two quartets rendered by the Cooper Quartet, which was worth the trip to Poplar Springs if one had not heard anything more. At 12 o'clock the singing was adjourned for dinner.

At 1:30 the singing was called to order by the chairman. The directors for the afternoon were: Jasper Robinson, Arthur Beaird, W. M. Devaughn, Akins Collins, G. C. Weldon, Jesse Jones, J. A. W. Mims, O. R. Robinson. The organists for the day were Miss Jewell McDowell, Miss Genie Collins, Grover Gilliland, Lee H. Grant, Miss Lela Mae Devaughn, Miss Zula Willis, Arthur Beaird and Mrs. Jesse Baker.

There were also some very good talks made by Bro. Parrish, Jasper Robinson, L. N. Henderson and others. But the best was made by Mr. McDowell who gave the singers a cordial welcome and an invitation to come back on next Easter Sunday in 1925.

The closing song was sung by the chairman, and dismissed with prayer by Bro. M. J. Parrish.

S. M. PATE, Secy.

THE OAK GROVE SINGING

As the Lord sent us a beautiful sunshine Easter, we gathered at 9 a.m. and had Sunday School. Then we took 10 minutes for arrangements after which the singing was begun. Most every place in the county was represented. There were so many singers that only one song was allowed each until afternoon.

At noon dinner was spread on the table and the crowd was well fed, there still being some food left. We feel like it was a day well spent. There were also some candidates up here, whom we were glad to see. We ask all the singers to come again when we will try and give you more time. We were sorry that some of our best voices were not able to sing. We thank all the young people for their good behavior in every respect. All during the day the conduct was unsurpassed.

Following is a list of the directors for the day: W. J. Northcutt, Ealon Cobb, Jack Cobb, Ivey Matthews, Lassie Northcutt, Bill Cofer, J. M. Smith, special song by E. H. Foshee, Lassie Northcutt, Obe Robinson and W. J. Northcutt; Maxie Boswell, E. L. Glasscock, L. R. Cobb, J. S. Castleberry, special song by Ruth Glass, Carl Wilson, Mabeth Northcutt, with guitar accompaniment by Lois Martin; Carl Wilson, James Franklin, W. H. Robinson, Amie Boswell, solo by Mabeth Narthcutt, special song by Frank Lowery, Lum Scott, Mrs. Arthur Cobb, E. H. Foshee. Organists for the forenoon were: Miss Flossie Cobb, Miss Mamie Cofer, Ammie Boswell, Miss Esther Atkinson, Mrs. Effie Childress, Miss Lesta Cobb.

Directors for the afternoon were: W. J. Northcutt, Vester Campbell, W. R. Scott, Lum Scott, special song by Ivy Matthews, Lesta Cobb, Lorandzie Cobb, Burle Martin, Will Northcutt; L. A. Mattox, Obe Robinson, special song by E. H. Foshee, O. B. Robinson, Mrs. Bertha Martin, Lassie Northcutt; Burle Martin, Arch Glass, Mrs. Childers, Mrs. Lesta Cobb and Mrs. Bertha Martin, duet, Mrs. Arthus Cobb, quartet by A. H. Glasscock, Obe Robinson, song by Burl Martin, quartet by Bill Cofer, Lassie Northcutt, and Obe Robinson; Jim Franklin, E. L. Glass, Vester Campbell, Job Scott, W. J. Northcutt.

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MR. R. W. KENDRICK WRITES ON COMMISSIONERS RACE

Editor Union-Banner:

All candidates for nomination in the people should now consider the men that are worthy of their confidence and who are most competent the May primary having announced, for the places to which they aspire.

The people of the county were informed through a list of names published in the paper that the people of the third district wanted Mr. Walker for commissioner again. We do not need the Democrats to help dictate who we should put out and nominate. If the people will notice the list, there are a number of Democrats who signed petition endorsing his announcement. There could be a still larger number who would endorse the other fellow if they thought this the right way to conduct a campaign.

There is nothing in this part of the district that shows any credit to Mr. Walker's administration. But on the other hand, there are several things he has done and had done and has not done that are not creditable to the intellect of a man in such an important position. If the people were rightly informed they would know that the people in the third district want a man that will not surrender his authority and the county's interest to a few who have some personal motive in view. In dealing justice to all I do not deem it necessary to explain the situation any further at present. If any voter should wish to know why I say what I do I can explain.

Mr. Walker seemed to insinuate that Mr. Burnett would only get the votes of his uncles and cousins, and seems to think he should have invited him to go along. Was Burnett canvassing for Walker? I do not know Mr. Burnett, but I ask the people of the county if it is not fair that the commissioners office be given to a man who will endeavor at all times to do the things that are to the best interest of all the people. We find by a life-time acquaintance of Mr. J. F. Anderson that he is a first-class Christian man, always prominent in church affairs, a man with a fair education, good sound judgment, firm in his convictions, with some ability as a carpenter. What more ability could a man possess in order to make a good commissioner? His name was on the ticket eight years ago but Mr. Milling was nominated. Since that time he has stayed with and worked for the party. This is evidence enough that he stands for the right.

We are entitled to a man who lives in this part of the district as the present commissioner and the other candidate both live on the other side. I hope the people will justly consider the situation and in casting your ballot for Mr. Anderson you may be assured that you will be favoring the people of the third district and voting for a man that is worthy and appreciative of your support.

R. W. KENDRICK.

Pletcher, Ala., April 21, 1924.

HON. W. B. GREEN

Postmaster of Active, and Member of the Firm of Green & Co.

No man in Bibb county has more friends and truer, warmer friends, than W. B. Green. Mr. Green was the nominee of the Republican party for representative to the legislature last year. In his campaign he made hosts of friends among all parties. Quiet, dignified and genial in manner and of such candor and honesty of purpose, he made many friends. So we can truthfully say for him that, though he met with political defeat, the popularity and extensive friendship he formed is more than compensation for his defeat. He stands today one of the most respected and influential citizens of Bibb. He does a thriving mercantile business at Active on the line of the M. & O. railroad. The firm of W. B. Green & Company is one of the most prosperous in that section.

The above clipping is taken from an issue of the Blocton Messenger published about twenty years ago. Mr. Green is now a candidate on the Republican ticket for nomination as member of the school board in Chilton County. He now lives near Lawley in this county.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

The Sunday School at this place is very good. Also the B. Y. P. U. is moving on nicely.

There was an egg hunt at Mr. Will Moore's Sunday morning, which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. W. S. Hall and children of Vick spent the week end with friends at this place.

Mrs. Annie Green and daughter, Miss Lizzie dined with Mrs. Kate Stanford Sunday.

We are glad to say that Miss Lizzie Green is improving after a long spell of sickness and was able to attend the B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Nealy Burnett and family of Maylene is visiting relatives this week at this place.

Mrs. Lizzie Burnett gave a singing Sunday night and was attended by a large crowd.

Messrs. Talmadge Green and Brant Stanford motored over to Lawley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Littlejohn and family dined with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Moore Sunday.

Miss Paralee Moore, Miss Birdie Hall, Miss Sadie Littlejohn and Mr. Gordon Green dined with Miss Ida Mae Moore Sunday.

Mr. Ira Hamrick of Lawley visited this place Saturday night.

We have Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. every Sunday afternoon; Sunday school at 2:30 o'clock and B. Y. P. U. at 3:00 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

ENDORSES MRS. SIMS

Editor Union-Banner:

Here I come asking for another small space in your good old paper, to say that I guess all who expect to be candidates have announced. And we sure have a good bunch to select from this time. I notice that we have two ladies this time, and I want to say that I don't believe that the voters of Chilton County would make any mistake to give this office to Mrs. Lois Sims. I think she is a perfect lady and has the ability to conduct the business of the office to the credit of herself and the Republican party.

Mrs. Sims is a daughter of Mr. T. J. Hubbard, who has spent his life faithfully serving the party and the people as tax collector of the county and everything that came up for the interest of the people. If given a chance I am sure that Mrs. Sims will do likewise. I am sure that I do not know of anyone who would appreciate our votes more than she, as she has two children to raise and educate and needs the support of the office. So I plead in her behalf to give Mrs. Lois Sims your vote May 13th.

I am not accustomed to advocate or write letters to the paper in behalf of any one as a candidate in our primary, but I feel just like it would be a great honor to us and our party to give Mrs. Sims the office and help to lighten her burdens in life that much, since she is worthy of the honor and help.

So, I am for harmony in our party; respects to all the same, from the same old "Ignorance Drops,"

"DR." J. N. SCOTT.

MR. LEE HENRY STEWART

Mr. Lee Henry Stewart, age 62, died at the Baptist Hospital in Birmingham Tuesday night. He had been a conductor on the L. & N. since the year 1896. He was a member of the Fountain Heights Methodist Church and an active member of the Masonic order. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. W. H. Sartor of Clanton.

The remains were shipped to Clanton Wednesday afternoon and interment was made in the Clanton Cemetery.

YOUNG CLARENCE OAKS FINISHES BUSINESS COURSE

In last Sunday's Birmingham Age-Herald we noticed an advertisement of Spencer Business College of Birmingham, in which was carried the picture of one of their pupils who has recently finished his course and made an exceptional record. The picture is the likeness of Clarence Oaks, the young son of our Mr. John W. Oaks of Clanton Route 4. This notice in part reads: "This young man learned bookkeeping in Spencer College in 9 days."

This is quite a record for any young man, and we are indeed proud to claim Clarence as one our home boys. Not only his parents but all who know him are glad to hear of the splendid record he has made.

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PROGRESS

In 1923 - and Part of Its Program for 1924

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad shows in the accompanying comparative figures a few of its outstanding accomplishments in 1923—the banner year of its performance:

	1923	1922	Increase
Tons of freight handled	57,468,190	48,890,798	17.5%
Passengers carried 1 mile	767,475,053	699,328,572	14.7%
Tons of coal handled	30,306,989	27,374,648	10.7%
Cost of operation	$118,702,530	$103,502,493	11.7%
Value of materials used	33,379,764	28,696,080	16.3%
Railway taxes	6,372,310	4,686,148	35.9%

This unprecedented record demonstrates the great value of the L. & N. in aiding the business development of the territory which it serves.

In addition, the L. & N's improvement work for 1923 and its program so far developed for 1924 evidence its purpose to keep abreast with the growing needs of the times. In 1923 the L. & N. spent $31,635,463 for new work. Its 1924 program embraces construction of various roadway improvements and the acquisition of 42 new locomotives, 5,115 new freight cars and 60 new passenger cars—making a total of $33,147,846.

It is believed that this splendid record will be appreciated by the public and should induce such fair-minded consideration and co-operation as will aid the L. & N. in its further progressive development and its constant effort to give even better service to the people of the South.

Old Folks' Ailments

"I began taking Black-Draught over fifty years ago and my experience with it stretches over a good long time," says Mr. Joe A. Blakemore, a Civil War veteran and former Virginian, who is now a prominent citizen of Floyd, Texas. "It is the best laxative I know of for old people. . . A good many years ago, in Virginia, I used to get bilious and I found that

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

MESSER-REYNOLDS CONTEST IS DISMISSED BY THEIR ATTORNEYS

Famous Case Brought to Close When Counsel on Both Sides Agree to Dismiss Controversy.

On last Friday the long drawn-out controversy of C. D. Messer against L. H. Reynolds, involving a contest of Reynolds' election as probate judge of Chilton county was brought to a close when a petition dismissing the case was drawn up by Messer's attorneys and signed by the members of the counsel for the contestant and contestee. This case was filed in the circuit court of Chilton county in December, 1922, and has gone thru a number of legal processes since that date. The actual trying of the case was begun in February of this year but was continued to give Messer a chance to work up his side of the case better. The case was postponed to the first Monday in May, which will be next Monday, but as will be seen from the following agreement, no further action will be taken in the case:

The Agreement

C. D. Messer, Contestant, vs. L. H. Reynolds, Contestee.—In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama.

It is agreed by and between the parties in the above cause that the same shall be dismissed, either at the time same is set, May 5th, 1924, or at the next call thereafter, of the non-jury docket of said court.

It is agreed that neither party will take any further action in this case.

This the 25th day of April, 1924.

J. F. Thompson, F. L. Tate, G. C. Walker, V. J. Heard, L. F. Gerald, Attorneys for Contestant.

J. J. Mayfield, J. O. Middleton, O. D. Street, Reynolds & Reynolds, Attorneys for Contestee.

COTTON MILL MEN WILL MEET OTHER OFFICIALS IN CLANTON

Communication from the two cotton mill men in Spigener informs the Chamber of Commerce here that these two men are making arrangemetns with officials of the Alabama Power Company and the L. & N. Railroad Company to meet them in Clanton one day soon to look over the sites offered for the mill. The Chamber of Commerce has taken options on ten different sites around Clanton, and whichever site these men select will be presented to the mill by the citizens of Clanton and surrounding territory.

It is supposed that the men from Spigners want the power company and railroad representatives here so that they can get an idea of the cost of electric power and railroad facilities necessary to the operation of the cotton mill.

HAMPTON-WATSON WEDDING

On Saturday morning, April 20th at the court house in Prattville occurred the marriage of Mr. William L. Hampton to Miss Delene Watson. Mr. Hampton is a young man well known in Clanton and is liked by all who know him. The bride is the daughter of Mr. W. J. Watson, who lives a mile and a half west of Clanton. They will make their home at Clanton.

STATE CONTRACTS FOR PORTLAND CEMENT FOR THE CHILTON HIGHWAY

Commission Accepts Bid of Portland Cement Company For Material.

Contract for furnishing cement for the portion of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway in Chilton county was awarded to the Lehigh Portland Cement company by the state highway commission at its meeting Tuesday morning. The company will furnish 66,000 barrels of cement more or less at the average price of $2.54 per barrel.

This cement will be furnished to the Speed-Parker company of Louisville, Ky., which has been awarded the contract for constructing the road. The bid of this company was $414,786.85, and the value of the cement furnished them by the state will be deducted therefrom. It is thought that the state will save approximately $8,000 by buying the cement and furnishing it to the contractors.

A request was read from A. I. Smith, second division engineer, for additional help on the construction of this road in Chilton county and the commission voted to give the force asked for as the need arose.

NOTICE OF THE REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given that a convention of the Republican party for the 4th Congressional District of Alabama will be held at the Hillman Hotel in the city of Birmingham, on Monday, the 19th day of May, 1924, at 1:00 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a delegate and an alternate delegate to the Republican National Convention to be held at Cleveland, Ohio, June 10, 1924.

GRADY REYNOLDS,
Chairman, Executive Committee of the Republican Party for the 4th Congressional District of Alabama.

SEVENTH GRADE CLOSING EXERCISES GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The closing exercises of the Seventh Grade of the Clanton Grammar School will be held at the Chilton County High School Building on May 9th, at 8:00 p.m. The seventh grade diplomas will be awarded at this time, and a short program will also be rendered. This will be the only exercises that will be given by the Grammar School. Everybody is invited to be present.

W. E. MARTIN, Principal.

NO SINGING AT LIBERTY

There will be no singing at Liberty Hill Sunday, May 4th on account of the Memorial Services at New Salem.

LEONALD CULP. Pres.

Mr. Collie Glass of Birmingham has moved his family here. Mr. Glass is an up-to-date barber and will be in charge of the new barber shop just put in by C. Reese Mullins on Seventh street.

Depriving Bergdoll of his citizenship relieves him of something for which he has never had much use — Washington Star.

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ALABAMA COLLEGE MILLION DOLLAR CAMPAIGN

Montevallo, Ala., April 28, 1924. Unusual enthusiasm prevails at the Alabama College over the million dollar campaign. Students are working in every conceivable manner to raise funds for the college. A Rummage Sale, put on by the sophomore class, cleared nearly $100.00. Tag Day, put on by the junior class, cleared about $75.00. Other classes are running cold drink stands, beauty parlors, and collecting tolls at the gate for all visitors who enter. Every single person in the college is enthusiastic and doing her part towards our great goal of one million dollars. Every one is expecting the people back home to share their enthusiasm and to assist.

At a recent meeting of the students from Chilton county, the following committees from the county were unanimously selected by the stunents:

Mr. Omar Reynolds, chairman of county, Clanton; Clanton—Clay Marcus, Mrs. Napoleon Johnson, Mrs. Guy Roberts, Miss Irene Jones, Mr. Jim Jones, Dr. V. J. Gragg; Verbena—Mr. Sidney Gibson, Irby DeRamus, Mr. Frank Gulledge; Thorsby—Miss Lena Franklin, Mr. Charles Peterson, Mrs. G. F. Harper; Maplesville—Mrs. Parnell, Miss Blossom Crumpton; Stanton—Mr. Leon Dyer; Jemison—Mr. Tom Hand, Miss McMay McNeill.

Everyone is urged to accept and do his or her part for the campaign.

Mr. A. L. Collins of Sylacauga was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters.

NEW SALEM NEWS

There will be memorial services at this place next Sunday, May 4th. A program has been arranged for the forenoon and singing in the afternoon. We invite Liberty Hill class and all singers from other communities. We are expecting quartet singers from Birmingham. We invite everybody to come and bring a well filled basket.

MT. PLEASANT, BEAT 12

As Sunday was our regular preaching day we had a very large crowd. Rev. Martin delivered a very interesting sermon which we all appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Williams and family and Mrs. R. T. Robinson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Benson Sunday.

Mrs. Lembric from Autauga county is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sadie Benson this week.

Misses Lessie Robinson and Linnie Northutt spent a while with Miss Eula Barnett Saturday.

Miss Minnie Lois Williams was the guest of Miss Cilla Robinson Sunday.

Mr. R. T. Robinson, son and daughter, Euell and Lessie, went to Clanton Sunday evening.

A few from this place attended singing Sunday at Oak Grove.

Misses Margie and Bertha Campbell visited Miss Quilie Campbell Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Martin of Jemison Route 3 was among those to pay up his subscription Monday.

HONOR ROLL FOR CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

First Honor Roll

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent or tardy:

Sixth Grade

Jackson Armstrong, Grover Harris, Clarence Jones, Gertie Fiquette, Vera Jones, Glennie Mims, Gladys Williams, Geneva Deason.

Fifth Grade

Bill Minor, Arthur Johnson, Mary Louise Foshee, Bronson Ruffin, Louise McSwain, Amie Gray, Martha Foshee, Jo Erle Gowan, Georgia Wood, Paul Cox, Charles Raspberry, Luke Calloway, Mary Nell Goodgame, Nelson Parrish.

Fourth Grade

Zebbie Gray, Jennie Welch, U. L. Foshee, Herman Harris, Myrtle Headley, Mary Heard, Leora Mims, Raymond Taylor, Pauline Wells.

Third Grade

Dorothy Sessions, Byron Bean, J. P. Jones.

Second Grade

Julia Edwards, Marie Fraser, Mary Louise Moatts, Rose Mary Pickens, Alice Mae Polk, Myrtle Powell, Mary Alice Mahan, Nellie Jones, Ruth Gray, Monroe Askins, James Dennis, Alex Hayes, Carl Jones, I. V. Jones, Wilson Maddox, George Popwell, Daniel Lee Sanford, Wesley Danforth, Vernie Parker, Clyde Little, Albert Parrish.

First Grade

Clara Cowart, Edith Littlejohn, Elnor Hosey, Merle Aldridge, Elizabeth Eubanks, Mary Edith Jones, Louise Marcus, Helen Moore, Nell Neighbors, Bernice Sterling, Vernice Sterling, Chloe Nevins, Mary Frances Raspberry, John Ezell, J. D. Jones, John Thomas Marlor, Joe Moore, Morris Popwell, Grady Reynolds, Edward Roy, Renfroe Sorrell, James Roberson.

Second Honor Roll

The following pupils have made an average above 85:

Sixth Grade

Hubert Ellison, Aubrey Gore, Paul Holley, Ralph Johnson, J. C. Jones, Joe Luckie, Samuel Martin, J. L. Teel, John VanDerveer, Chester Wingard, Chester Miller, Ruth Easterling, Pearl Hann, Catherine Hayes, Myra Johnson, Pauline Lawrence, Catherine Littlejohn, Mary McSwain, Corinne Polk, Edna Wyatt.

Fifth Grade

Leola Calloway, Esther Lee Dennis, Lawrence Edwards, Albert Roy Wolfe, Elizabeth Johnson, Lester Carter, Vivian Sanders, Foster Miller, Julia Ruth Hester, Janice Danforth, Mattie Arant, Johnnie Culp, Minnie Gray, Erle Ellis, Glenn Ed Grant, Eual Martin, Adolphus Moats, Ottis Gray, Edwin Wagoner, Mary Goodwin, John Ponder Lawrence, William Honeycutt, Clarence Easterling, Curtis Carte, Hurst Middleton.

Fourth Grade

Ila Mell Arant, Clarence Fiquette, Vivian Gray, Miriam Kittrell, Erin Littlejohn, Josephine Littlejohn, Leroy Martin, Ruth Mims, Jane Roberts, Charles Simpson, Joe VanDerveer, Jeanette Wallace, Gladys Cowart, Eunice Edwards, Frances Higgins.

Third Grade

Doris Aldridge, Janibeth Johnson, Frances Maddox, Mamie Middleton, Ruth Maddox, Clyde Jones, Sallie Mahan, Lois Miller, Joe Roberson, Anderson Wallace, Elizabeth McSwain.

W. E. MARTIN, Principal.

SINGING AT FRIENDSHIP

There will be singing at Friendship church next Sunday afternoon at 2:o'clock. After the singing the matter of the Sunday School at that place will be taken up and discussed. All singers are invited to the singing and all interested in the Sunday School are urged to attend.

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LIBERTY HILL

Rev. Tom Billingsley preached here Sunday to a large congregation.

Mr. Ephriam Smith of Birmingham visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Harrison Hayes of Thorsby visited Mr. Leonard Maddox Sunday.

Miss Minnie Taylor was the guest of Miss Meadie Sansom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wilson from Birmingham visited Mr. E. F. Varden Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Alphus Littlejohn of Thorsby was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward Sunday.

Mr. Allen Smith visited Mr. Dave Sansom Saturday night.

Miss Verbie D. Williams visited relatives at Pletcher Monday.

Miss Francis Lowery was the guest of Miss Gussie Littlejohn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Littlejohn visited Mr. W. J. Morris Sunday.

Mr. Luther Hayes was the guest of Mr. Leonard Culp Sunday.

The entertainment at Mr. W. T. Ward's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Delean Maddox visited Miss Minnie Taylor Friday night.

Miss Katie Lee Wells visited Miss Senara Culp Saturday.

Mr. Jim Dunlap went to Selma last Sunday.

Miss U. L. Foshee visited Mrs. Dolphus Baker Saturday night.

The singing class went to Pleasant Grove Sunday evening and had a nice time and good singing.

Mr. N. G. Ward attended preaching at Lomax Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Weldon of Clanton visited Rev. C. D. Messer Friday night.

Mr. J. M. Mims visited his father, Mr. George Mims at Mulberry Saturday.

Mr. C. D. Wells visited at Pletcher Sunday.

Miss Cora Smith visited Misses Ruth and Ruby Wells Sunday.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN MAY SINGING AT PROVIDENCE

We are authorized by Mr. J. W. Cleckler, secretary, to announce that the old Salem Fourth Sunday in May singing will be held at Providence in Beat 16 on Sunday, May the 25th. This will be the third session of this singing to be held at Providence. The singing was originated by the Salem Church about thirty years ago, but since that church has been run out by the back water from Mitchell Dam, her sister church, Providence, is carrying on the good work. All the singers of the county are invited to attend and co-operate in making this the best session of the singing.

POISONING THE BOLL WEEVIL

New Orleans, La., May 1.—While a thorough investigation of young cotton plants by farmers to determine the proper time for pre-square poisoning is urged it is not considered necessary that every plant on every acre in a field be examined. By selecting several rows in various parts of the field for examination it is believed that the degree of infestation can be determined with sufficient accuracy.

However, a most minute examination of the plants in these rows should be made and to do this it will be necessary for the farmer to get down on his knees and look over every portion of the plant. This operation should be repeated daily until it is determined that there are as many as twenty boll weevils to the acre. Poisoning should begin at this stage.

Equal effect has been obtained with calcium arsenate in dust form and the calcium arsenate-molasses mixture at this stage, according to the reports of state experiment stations, but farmers should not confuse the recommendation for use of the liquid mixture in the pre-square stage with the recommendations for late season poisoning. Calcium arsenate in dust form only is found to be the most effective after squares have formed.

At this stage calcium arsenate may be applied either by cotton dusting machines or may be shaken on the plants from a bag. The mixture, which should be composed of one pound of calcium arsenate, one gallon of molasses and one gallon of water, may be applied to the tips of the plants where the weevils feed by sprinkling a few droys from a home made mop. About one gallon of the mixture should be used to the acre.

Further information on boll weevil control may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney Building, New Orleans, La.

Mr. Ephriam E. Smith of Birmingham was in Clanton Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

UNION GROVE

The farmers are very busy around here planting their crops and picking Irish potato bugs.

Miss Amy Robinson returned home Sunday night from a week's visit in Siluria with Miss Hattie Vinzant.

Miss Rede Belle Davis from Shelby is visiting her cousins, Misses Euna and Annice Davis this week.

Mrs. Earl Jones and little son from Shelby spent a few days last week with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis.

Miss Edna Robinson spent a while with Miss Rebecca Dorminey Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Arthur and Bernie Chandler spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Myrtle Brasher and family, Mrs. Earl Jones and son, Mrs. Clyde Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Davis spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis.

Don't forget the play at this place May 3rd, Saturday night. Everybody be sure and come.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. R. NORTON, Manager.)

Mrs. Reno Villadsen and children of Jasper, are spending a few weeks with Mr. Villadsen's mother, Mrs. Anna S. Villadsen in Thorsby.

Rev. E. Oscar Johnson of Silver Hill, Ala., occupied the pulpit at the Thorsby Lutheran church last Sunday morning and evening. Mr. Johnson will probably be a frequent visitor in Thorsby for the summer at least. At the evening service he read a very interesting letter from Rev. John Burson, formerly of Silver Hill,, but now a missionary in China, in which he tells of the eagerness of the Chinese people to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Magne Anderson have returned to Thorsby after an extended visit with Mrs. Ivey Horn, their daughter, with her husband and children at Boyles, Ala.

Mr. Fred Howard and family motored to Selma last Sunday.

Rev. E. W. Butler, accompanied by Jerome Wilson, motored to Montgomery last Sunday, where they attended services at the First Baptist church, returning in the aternoon by way of Union church (Congregational), seven miles east of Mountain Creek, where Mr. Butler preached at 4:00 o'clock p.m., and then drove on home.

Among Thorsby visitors the past week were Mrs. Vera Anderson and little Helen, Miss Ruth Peterson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Peterson, both of Birmingham; Mr. Herbert Peterson, wife and two children of Jemison, and Mr. Wilbur Peterson of Detroit, Mich.; sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson; Miss Agnes Leary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary, now employed in Birmingham, who was accompanied by her friend, Miss Bray.

Mrs. Carl C. Petersen made a trip to Prattville to make the acquaintance of their new grand-daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Petersen last week.

Mrs. J. M. Graham made a visit to their son, Clarence and his wife at Anniston, returning last Sunday night.

Rev. Neil McQuarrie closed a series of evangelistic meetings at the Congregational church last Sunday night, and left for Atlanta, his home, Monday morning. The meetings were helpful to all who attended and there were several converts, who were urged to unite with the church of their choice at an early date and not drift about without chart or rudder.

The United Singing Society will meet at Thorsby Baptist church at 2 o'clock p.m., Sunday, May 4th. All lovers of music are invited to come and enjoy the singing.

On Sunday night, May 4th, at the Congregational church following the Christian Endeavor meeting there will be a stereopticon lecture by Rev. Jos. E. Each, pastor of the church, which will take the place of the regular praise service of singing for this one occasion. Everybody is also invited to the regular preaching service which will follow the Sunday School Sunday morning, preaching by the pastor.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins will entertain the members of the senior class of Thorsby Institute at her home, Campus Cottage, next Saturday evening. The class comprises Misses Margaret Butler, Laura Darby, Etta Foshee, Olene Mims, Lillian McKee, Bernice Rogers, Claudie Smith and Fellie Stephens; Messrs. Codie Bell, Eugene Davenport, Spurgeon Kelley and Gresham Lowery.

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IT would take something akin to a microscope to read the book you see nestling in the palm of the above hand. It's an almanac—known as Schlorr's Bijou almanac of 1840—and measures three-quarters of inch in height, mind you, by a half inch in width. All of which makes it—the smallest book in the world.

This miniature volume, which is owned by a resident of Sydney, Australia, is composed of one hundred pages, beautifully printed. And there are three "full page" portrait engravings in it, likewise wonderfully rendered. A duplicate of this interesting specimen has been placed in the British Museum.

BRAINS VERSUS MUSCLE

The writer has been more than a little interested during the past few days to note the changes which have taken place in railroad construction and repairing of the roadbed within the past fifty years. The introduction of the block signal system, an electrically operated device in which the steel rails become the conductor for the current, the gap where rail ends meet being bridged by an insulated wire attached to the end of each rial by insertion in a small hole drilled through the thin part after the rail is laid. The drill is run by a small gasoline motor which sets on the rail and does its work while one would be getting read to do it with a ratchet drill in the old way.

A section gang laying new rails, some of them 66 feet long and weighing 100 pounds per foot, no longer attempt to put it in position by muscular action but the heavy work is delegated to a portable but powerful derrick which handles it quickly and with ease.

In laying ties, old or new, instead of tamping the dirt under them with elbow grease applied to pick and shovel and bar, the work is now mechanically done by compressed air forced through a hose and applied from a special nozzle exactly where it is wanted.

The last meeting of the Helen Keller Literary society was profitable and enjoyable. The sophomore class was responsible for the program. As they had just completed the study of Carlysle's Esay on Burns, it was very appropriate that they should give us a Burns program. The Senior class had been studying contemporaries of Burns so they were invited to assist in the program.

Life of Burns, Geraldine Dobson; Historical Setting, Lillian McKee; a song, "Oh wert Thou a Cold Blast, by Crescendo Club; To a Mountain Daisy, A man's a Man, Bernice Rogers; Contemporaries of Burns, Spurgeon Kelley; Duet, Flow Gently Sweet Afton, Etta Foshee, Claudie Smith; To a Mouse, Rosa Nelson; Was Burns a Success? Palmer Lefstead; a song, Auld Lang Syne, Crescendo Club.

On last Sunday evening the Christian Endeavor Society held its usual meeting at 6:45. The leader of the evening was Miss Lonnie Primm. The topic for the evening was "What do Misisons offer for life Service?" The members discussed the topic from all angles and made clear the wonderful opportunities that are open to young women and men of this country. If we intend to give our life in service to God, why not consider the openings that the mission fields offer to us?

Seventeen of the boys and girls of the Thorsby Public School made a perfect record for punctuality and attendance during the school year, 1923-'24. Each one of them received a new one-dollar bill as a reward for his faithfulness. The prize winners were: Cecil Cleckler, Charles Cleckler, Howard Cleckler, Agnes Collins, Hilma Collins, Rosa Lee Collins, Vernon Collins, Waylon Collins, Dorothy Von Franklin, Kathryn Foss, Lota Mae Hayes, Lucile Howard, Edith Johnson, Kathryn Lenoir, Lola Martin, Ralph Pate, Grady Papwell.

ATTENDANCE HONOR ROLL

Second Six Weeks, 2nd Semester ,24.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy during six weeks:—Codie Bell, Dorothy Butler, Margaret Butler, Eugene Davenport, Plato Deason, Dobson Geraldine, Cecil Each, William Each, Etta Foshee, Doris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, F. D. Greene, Mable Howard, Sixten Hall, Lewis Kelley, Spurgeon Kelley, Betty Lakeman, Edmund Lakeman, Lalmer Lefstead, Ronald Lucas, Olene Mims, Lillian McKee, Roy Raybon, Bernice Rogers, Cola Ruffin, Fellie Stephens, Francis Wilson, Bernice L. Wood, Boona Wood, Hosie Wood.

First Honor Roll.

Average of 90 or above; no grade below 85.—Codie Bell, Pearl Deason, Geraldine Dobson, Claudie Eiland, F. D. Greene, Betty Lakeman, Palmer Lefstead, Arnold Littleton, Ronald Lucas, Olene Mims, Bernice Williams.

Average of 85 or above; no grade below 75.—Ben Brown, Dorothy Butler, Bargaret Butler, Hazel Collins, Connie Darby, Mary Deason, Iola Gerald, Sixten Hall, Nora Lee Lesley, Gresham Lowery, Jewel Martin, Ruth Martin, Ethel Peterson, Lois Primm, Roy Roybon, Henry Robinson, Bernice Rogers, Mattie Scott, Gertrdue Steiner, Ruth Turner, Robert Ward, J. C. White, Marcelle Wilder, Cola Ruffin, Claudie Smith.

EXPRESS APPRECIATION

We wish to give many thanks to the good people of Jemison and adjoining communities for their aid and loving kindness shown toward us during the recent bereavement of our loved one, Huston Davenport, who was killed April 26 by live wire in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Huston Davenport and Rel.

HUSTON DAVENPORT KILLED

On last Saturday morning at 11 o'clock while changing some live wire on a cross arm for the T. & T. Company for the A. & W. P. railroad, in Atlanta, Ga., Mr. Huston Davenport was instantly killed. It seems that his foot slipped and he fell, hitting the live wire on one knee and on one shoulder blade, receiving several burns on the hands. He never knew what had happened as he never spoke again.

Mr. Davenport would have been 24 years old the 24th day of May. He leaves a wife and one child 11 months old. He was married a little less than two years ago.

The remains were received in Jemison Sunday morning, April 27th, and were laid away in Providence cemetery to await resurrection. Funeral was conducted by Rev. Monroe Honeycutt.

Mrs. Elbert Littlejohn and young son, Charles Elbert, returned from the Central Alabama Hospital last Saturday.

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The Saturday Evening Post recently published an article under the title "President for sale." We know a man who would like to sue the paper for libel, but won't.

Senator Underwood tried to capture the Democratic presidential nomination by consorting with the papists and the Jews. But Senator Underwood is politically dead—and we are taught never to say bad things about the dead. Mr. Underwood could have been president if he had remained an American and had let Rome alone. — American Standard.

The county commissioners and probate judge are receiving many congratulations upon the work that is being done on the roads of the county. Not all of the bad places have been reached yet, but the work is being steadily pushed. The big caterpillar tractor is the thing to work roads with. The work which it has done on the Higgins Ferry road is very pleasing. The commissioners are making arrangements to buy another of these tractors soon.

Judge William M. Maltbie of the Superior Court of Connecticut holds that the person who buys intoxicating liquors, or other beverages prescribed by the Volstead act, is equally guilty with the bootlegger who sells the stuff.

In Judge Maltbie's court at Hartford last week two bootleggers pleaded guilty to violation of the liquor law. Appearing against them as unwilling witnesses for the State were several prominent persons whose names had been found on a sales list carried by the prisoners. They included doctors, lawyers, politicians, manufacturers, contractors, merchants and an author. Notwithstanding the fact that the prisoners had admitted their guilt, the witnesses were called one after another. The majority testified that they had purchased the bootleg liquor.

Some had entered the courtroom smiling. Others were resentful that they, respectable citizens, should have been dragged into a case involving a couple of common bootleggers. At first they were not very serious about it. Gradually it commenced to dawn on them that they were confessing to a part in illegal transactions, publicly and openly. They lost their jaunty spirit.

The Court did not impose sentence on the bootleggers immediately. Instead, the Judge turned on the witnesses in a manner that carried his remarks and their names to front pages of newspapers throughout the East.

"You witnesses who are supposed to represent property, respectability and social position—what are you, after all, but participants in crime, instigators of crime?" said Judge Maltbie. "These men here have pleaded guilty to breaking the laws of their country, not in any outburst of passion, but coldly and consciously, in order to secure a portion of the results of an illegal traffic. And they have done it to get your money.

"Not only have they broken the laws in this respect, but the trade which they represent drags after it every manner of violence up to murder, smuggling, piracy, and worst of all, bribery and corruption, which reach out to every man who tries to enforce these particular laws of his country. And the trail of these crimes leads right to the door of you who have come here and told that you have played a part in it.

"It is your money that causes it. There's many a man sitting in that pen over there who is deserving of more at the hands of the court and the public than you are."—The New York Times.

STORM TUESDAY NIGHT

Shortly after midnight Tuesday night, during the wind and rain storm the home of Isaac Moates on the Will Robinson place near old Salem church was badly ranshacked. The dwelling house bas lifted from the pillars and set three or four feet off from its proper location and an out building was carried away by thte wind.

Mr. Moates and his family were in the house asleep when the storm came which shook up everything considerably and carried off one side of the roof. No one was hurt but reports say that they were frightened mighty bad, Isaac especially. The household furnishings were badly damaged by the water and wind.

WHY IS IT?

APPLY THE RULES OF EVIDENCE

"Guilt is personal and corruption knows no party," Secretary Hughes reminds his New York audience in the course of a vigorous defense of the Republican Party from Democratic assaults. He called attention to the fact that the interests of the Government were in the courts, and that eminent counsel, appointed from both political parties, were there to see that full justice is done and that no guilty individual escapes.

Secretary Hughes deprecated the idea that the people were being misled by what has taken place at Washington. Throughout the country they are in close touch with court proceedings and are following with interest what takes place in countless jury-rooms. "Our people," Mr. Hughes declared, "are dealing directly with the credibility of witnesses, with the exhibition of the grudges and personal animosities of talebearers, and they know the difference between evidence and hearsay, between proof and malicious reports, between scurrilous innuendoes and sustained charges."

In expressing his confidence in the good sense of the people, Secretary Hughes puts a far higher appraisal on the general intelligence of our citizens than has been conceded by the Democratic Senators in charge of the Senate investigations. The latter have acted on the belief that the majority of the voters would accept without question the unsupported and unexamined statements of convicted criminals in and out of prison, and of others whom the Department of Justice is endeavoring to put behind the bars. Even without cross examination, the animus behind much of the testimony has been so apparent that it has been discredited from the moment it was uttered. Every man and woman able to cast an intelligent vote has a knowledge of the ordinary rules of evidence and is capable of applying them to the Senate committee testimony. The results will not be a tribute to Democratic political sagacity.

"THE AMERICAN STANDARD"

The Union-Banner is in receipt of Volume I, No. 8 of The American Standard, published in New York. As the name implies, the Standard is an all-American periodical, and the way it raps the Roman Catholics, foreigners and bootleggers is a plenty. In one article among forty others, The Standard says: "Roman Catholicism and Americanism are not compatible. Roman Catholicism is oriental in origin, pagan in conception and destructive in results. It is a product of orientalism, is the offspring of the East, a child of the colored enslaved races of mankind."

America is no place for Roman Catholics. Our forefathers, in the days of Roger Williams and Thomas Hooker, bled and died that this country might be founded upon the principle of religious freedom. This idea has been paramount all down through the pages of American history and it will continue to be the primest of American ideals in spite of the pressure brought against it by the alien immigrants into the New World. America stands for religious freedom—Rome Stands for religious bondage and political slavery. No, indeed, Rome doesn't suit America at all, and it will take a long time and rivers of shed blood before America takes orders from the Beast on the Tiber.

THE NORTHWEST WHEAT REGION

In an extensive article in a recent number of the Saturday Evening Post, Garet Garrett points out some facts concerning conditions in the wheat region of the Northwest which many people overlook. For instance, although there are, throughout the entire United States, an average of 3500 people for each bank, and this average is 5130 for each bank in Michigan, yet in Minnesota there are only 1600, in Montana 1370, in South Dakota 921 and in North Dakota 768 people to each bank. Those figures concerning population include men, women and children, and not more than one-third of the entire population has any use for a bank. That means that in North Dakota each bank had, on an average, about 200 patrons. Of course, the patrons support the bank. Undoubtedly these banks rendered a valuable and useful service but it may very properly be doubted that they rendered a service equal in value to the cost of maintenance. According to Mr. Garrett, some of these banks, in order to get business, encouraged farmers to go into debt so that the bank could get the interest. This extension of credit necessarily resulted in a form of inflation, particularly in land and live stock values, with the inevitable consequence that the mortgage covered the actual value of the property and the farmer lost everything. The banks, unable to collect, went broke. Too much credit, rather than too little, was the origin of the trouble.

FROM MR. W. B. GREEN

Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to state to the voters of the Republican party that in the primary on May 13th, that I will appreciate the vote and influence of every voter in said primary. As my business is such that I cannot canvass the county and meet you all face to face, I will try to write a few lines in next weeks paper stating my views in regard to the school system in the state and county. I am not in favor of taking a back step in the maintenance and up-building of every school in the county, large or small, and I am not in favor of building up one section of the county at the expense of another.

So, just read these lines below, which will give you an idea as to what I stand for:

As I was passing by the way
Where a school house used to stay
I heard a voice from somewhere say
"They've moved our school away."

"We're like a bee without a queen,
Tho' better days we all have seen,
So give us back our school again
That we our happiness maintain."

"For we are lonesome night and day
Since they took our school away;
A Federal truck will now they say
Take us there another way,
(And it may get back another day.)

"But now she's stuck in mud they say
And may be there till away in May,
So give us then the aeroplane
To get us over that muddy lane;
For every time there comes a rain
It grows from bad to worse again."

W. B. GREEN.

Mr. R. S. Wetmare, the Equitable Life Insurance agent, was in Clanton Wednesday on business.

ELECTION OFFICERS

Following is a list of the Inspectors, Clerks and Returning Officers appointed to serve in the primary election on May 13, in Chilton County, Alabama:

BEAT 1 — Inspectors, Ellis Ellison, Mat Vines, W. J. Falkner and B. G. Jones; Clerks, Willie Burnett and O. R. Mullins; Returning Officer, J. E. Smitherman.

BEAT 2, BOX 1—Inspectors, W. H. Conway, R. M. Hubbard, W. H. Killingsworth and Noah Duffey; Clerks, C. C. Conway and J. D. Cooper; Returning Officer, Y. O. Freeman.

BEAT 2, BOX 2—Inspectors, J. T. Childress, J. P. Gentry, W. R. Clements and C. L. Hayes; Clerks, Lum Scott and Clarence Hayes; Returning Officer, J. W. Abbott.

BEAT 3—Inspectors, W. F. Deshazo, S. J. M. Webb, D. M. Martin and W. H. Veazy; Clerks, O. O. Calfee and W. T. White; Returning Officer, W. B. Cooper.

BEAT 4, BOX 1—Inspectors, T. G. Wyatt, C. D. Duke, W. D. Spigener and J. W. P. Murphy; Clerks, Dewey Rockett and G. D. Broadhead; Returning Officer, T. J. Littlejohn.

BEAT 4, BOX 2—Inspectors, A. L. Foshee, G. D. Melton, T. H. Neighbors and T. M. Pyron; Clerks, J. Z. Mims and L. C. Ross; Returning Officer, J. H. Foshee.

BEAT 4, BOX 3—Inspectors, W. B. Foshee, W. H. Wilson, D. A. Wingard and V. J. Elmore; Clerks, D. R. Mims and P. D. Wilson; Returning Officer, B. F. Edwards.

BEAT 4, BOX 4—Inspectors, J. M. Grant, Grady Taylor, J. Mell Martin and J. P. Lawrence; Clerks, J. N. Dennis and J. M. Parrish; Returning Officer, J. W. Foshee.

BEAT 5, BOX 1—Inspectors, Lee Robinson, Pauline Robinson, C. D. Bullard and S. S. Scott; Clerks, Alfred Robinson and W. B. Strock; Returning Officer, Ethan Jones.

BEAT 5, BOX 2—Inspectors, Willie Howard, W. S. Clark, G. W. Coburn and T. J. Henderson; Clerks, J. A. Ranes and A. A. Culver; Returning Officer, T. J. Gulledge.

BEAT 6, BOX 1—Inspectors, J. I. Bice, E. G. Mullins, J. W. Cox and T. J. Deason; Clerks, L. C. Keen and J. R. Owens; Returning Officer, John Pool.

BEAT 6, BOX 2—Inspectors, J. A. Huett, C. C. Vinson, W. Y. Keel and J. A. Boockholdt; Clerks, Raymond Brigance and Lee Boockholdt; Returning Officer, C. B. Huett.

BEAT 7, BOX 1—Charlie Coburn, J. H. Carter, G. W. Fox and P. D. Williams; Clerks, J. C. Coburn and Ed Smitherman; Returning Officer, Hill Foshee.

BEAT 7, BOX 2—W. A. Moore, Charlie Littlejohn, W. R. K. Stanford and J. R. McAfee; Clerks, H. A. Gentry and W. M. Oden; Returning Officer, Sam Shoults.

BEAT 8, BOX 1—Inspectors, T. G. Milling, D. M. Apperson, W. H. Foshee and J. A. Sample; Clerks, Wade H. Harris and T. D. (Parnell; Returning Officer, J. R. Rucker.

BEAT 9, BOX 1—Inspectors, Perry Gore, W. M. Benson, E. H. Adams and C. R. Foss; Clerks, S. P. Collins and E. N. Bentley; Returning Officer, J. H. Benson.

BEAT 9, BOX 2—A. F. Mims, H. T. Childress, J. R. Parnell and S. M. Adams; Clerks, C. S. Howard and G. F. Harper; Returning Officer, L. E. Diefenderfer.

BEAT 10, BOX 1—Inspectors, J. H. Gillespie, D. S. Robinson, J. R. Taylor and W. H. Thornton; Clerks, S. M. Yates and A. C. Smith; Returning Officer, J. L. Lansford.

BEAT 11, BOX 1—Inspectors, E. N. Tracy, J. S. Dennis, J. B. Robinson and R. E. Jones; Clerks, Joseph Littleton and W. S. Stephens; Returning Officer, H. C. Vines.

BEAT 12, BOX 1—Inspectors, J. P. Bean, R. S. Chandler, Maud Robinson and W. H. Dobbs; Clerks, Martin Gore and C. A. Retherford; Returning Officer, L. F. Littlefield.

BEAT 12, BOX 2—Inspectors, T. J. Dorminey, Alfred Cofer, S. L. Aldridge and R. T. Robinson; Clerks, Guss Glass and Bill Aldridge; Returning Officer, J. E. Dorminey.

BEAT 13, BOX 1—Inspectors, W. R. Houlditch, J. G. W. Bailey, J. W. Bailey and B. B. Armstrong; Clerks, W. G. Conway and Berney Killingsworth; Returning Officer, Willie Shaw.

BEAT 14, BOX 1—Inspectors, Z. J. Jones, S. E. Waldrup, J. M. Nix and Fleetwood Roseberry; Clerks, W. R. Redding and W. L. Lenoir; Returning Officer, L. G. Posey.

BEAT 15, BOX 1—Inspectors, J. L. Abbott, J. R. Short, W. W. Broadhead and R. F. Deason; Clerks, Walter Kendrick and E. G. Caldwell; Returning Officer, W. J. Moates.

BEAT 15, BOX 2—Inspectors, L. B. Broadhead, Jim Culp, W. S. Cox and W. W. Williams; Clerks, A. D. Culp and J. D. Culp; Returning Officer, M. L. Milford.

BEAT 16, BOX 1—Inspectors, Riley Robinson, John Cleckler, J. M. Parrish and J. Mose Robinson; Clerks, R. M. Robinson and E. Robinson; Returning Officer, J. Mid Mims.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that the above and foregoing named persons are appointed as officers to hold the Primary Election for both Republican and Democratic Parties on the 13th day of May, 1924, in Chilton County, Alabama.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Probate Judge.
J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.
T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff.

Miss Mattie Lou Giles, from Birmingham visited Mrs. John Giles, of Clanton this week.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 13, 1924.

K. M. VINSON.

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C. D. HUGHES.

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

H. B. GLENN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. B. GREEN.

FOR COUNTRY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. M. SMITH.

FROM MR. J. F. ANDERSON

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please let me have space in your paper to say a few words to the voters of Chilton County? I am a candidate for county commissioner of the third district, as you all know. I would be glad to see and talk with all but I can't before the primary, but I want to see as many as I can and I want to say to those that I do not see that I want you to consider this just as though I were in person with you talking.

I will not say anything about my past life, only that I was reared up in this county and have lived here about all my life, so you can get my record very easily. I do believe in good roads, but I think that we should build them only as fast as we have funds to pay as we go, so that we will not have a debt over us in the future to burden us with a heavy tax to pay the debt. I believe that we should be subject to road duty from the ages of 18 to 45 years old, and I think when we do any work do it good so that we may get something out of it, and have it done at the right price. In this way I think that we would save money.

So I will not say much more now, for the best way anyone can do is to talk less and do more. Men and ladies, after you look over what I have said and have considered it, if you do think that I would be worthy of your vote and influence, there is not a man in the field that would appreciate it any more than I would. Any way, whoever is the choice of the people in the primary will be mine in November. I have always voted the Republican ticket and always will, and if I am nominated and elected I will assure you all that by the help of God I will try to act in a way and manner that not one voter may ever regret having voted for me. Best wishes for the Republican party.

J. F. ANDERSON.

INDIGESTION causes bloating—gassy pains that crowd the heart—constipation. Always find relief and comfort in CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
No griping—no nausea—only 25 cents

POOR O

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Joint Hostesses Entertain.

The Philathia S. S. class of the Methodist church were delightfully entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Luckie, when she and Mesdames Willie Jones and Claud Jones were joint hostesses. The reception rooms were attractive with an arrangement of baskets of exquisite pink and white roses.

The President, Mrs. Macy Jones presided in her usual charming manner, opening with the reading of the 12th chapter of Romans, followed with prayer by Mrs. Barney Roberts. The committees were named to serve for next month and upon the resignation of Mrs. J. C. Page as secretary, Mrs. T. C. McSwain was appointed to fill that place. A play is to be given by the class soon. Arrangements were made for the class to put on a special program for the opening exercises Sunday morning. No further business, the hostesses served a salad plate with iced tea.

Missionary Society Meets.

Mrs. Hugh Simpson was hostess on Monday afternoon to the W. M. S. of the Methodist church. The home was a bower of loveliness with a profusion of pink and white roses.

The meeting was presided over by the President, Mrs. J. C. Jones, who conducted the devotional. Reports from the outstanding committees were heard and $65.00 was reported as proceeds from the Bazaar, which was held recently. A menu was made out to serve a plate lunch to the K. K. K. visitors at the High school on Thursday night. Iced drinks will also be served. Plans were also discussed to repeat the 4th of July celebration this year.

After the close of the business session, a refreshing dessert course was served.

One new member, Mrs. Lula Calloway was welcomed into the society.

A splendid program has been arranged by the Philathia S. S. class of the Methodist church for the opening exercises at 9:45 a.m., Sunday morning, as follows:

Song—By the Class.
Prayer—Mrs. J. C. Jones.
Scripture Lesson—Mrs. Herbert Neighbors.
Solo—Mrs. Claud Reynolds.
Reading—Mrs. Macy Jones.
Duet—Mrs. Neighbors and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong.
Talk—Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson.
Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Macy Jones Hostess.

Mrs. Macy Jones was a charming hostess on last Wednesday when she entertained at a spend-the-day party to her sewing club. The home was most attractive with bowls and vases of bright garden flowers.

At the noon hour a bounteous four course dinner was served. Later sewing was indulged in and music on the Victrola was enjoyed.

Mrs. T. C. McSwain and Miss French Evans were guests of the club for the day.

Recital to be Given.

On next Friday evening, May 2, and Tuesday evening, May 6, at 8 o'clock at the High school auditorium, Mrs. Barney Roberts and Miss Anne Johnson will present their pupils in a piano and expression recital. The public is invited.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie returned Sunday from a delightful visit to Deland, Fla.

Mr. Clay Marcus spent Thursday in Birmingham on business.

Messrs. J. T. Rockett and Sam Pate were in Birmingham on business Monday.

Mrs. Martin Nix has returned home after a week's visit to relatives here.

Miss Exa Jones and Mrs. C. D. Thomas spent Saturday shopping in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler and daughter from Montgomery were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sartor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Jones and Mrs. J. M. Pitts motored over to Wilton for the week end.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Neighbors spent the week-end in Goodwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Polk and children were visitors to Columbiana for the week-end.

Mrs. J. C. Jones spent Tuesday in the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ellis enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery Wednesday.

Mr. Rucker Sims from Alex City spent the week-end with friends and relatives in Clanton.

Mrs. Willie Jones is expecting as her guest Sunday her son, Wallace Jones from Birmimngham.

Dr. and Mrs. Dick Hayes have returned to Clanton after an absence from the city of several months.

Mesdames John Browder, Thad McSwain, Hugh Simpson and Victor Heard motored to Montgomery last Friday.

Mrs. J. Watts Moore spent a couple of days in the Capital City last week.

Mrs. Arden Allen was the guest Sunday of Mrs. Thad McSwain.

Dr. Ezell is in Tuscaloosa this week where he is holding a revival meeting.

Misses Jones and Gladys Kemp left Monday to attend summer school at Jacksonville, Ala.

Mr. W. C. Robinson left Monday for Havana, Fla., on business in interest of his mill there.

Miss Beverly Hester returned to Brimingham Monday after a few days visit to her parents here.

Mrs. J. C. Hanley has returned to her home in Ensley after a week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Rowell.

Miss Evelyn Potts-Nix from Wilton is spending this week with Miss Mary Sue Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson returned home last week from a motor trip to Columbia and Whatley, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Singleterry of Montgomery are the guests of Mr. W. H. Sartor and family this week.

Mr. Clay Marcus was in Birmingham on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Parrish, Mrs. M. A. Gore and Mrs. Tom Thompson motored down to Montgomery Sunday.

BASEBALL FRIDAY & SATURDAY

On Friday and Saturday of this week the Chilton County high school will play the University Hi of Birmingham at Polk's Park, at 3 p.m. each day. Come back your home team.

CLASSIFIED ADS

JUST RECEIVED—Twenty Tons of Nitrate of Soda, for sale.
J. N. DENNIS.

FOR SALE—One Overland touring Car, has been run two thousand miles, with extra equipment; cost the man who owned it $651.85; we will sell for $500.—Lawrence Motor Co., Clanton, Ala.

FOR RENT—One 4-room house with one-half of good size garden and pasture for one cow. If interested see, phone or write H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, Rt. 6.
4-17-3t-p

WANTED TO BUY—4 to 6 cars of pasture cattle at once. Will pay from 2½ to 3 cents per lb. gross, delivered at Maplesville. — W. B. Green, Lawley, Ala. 1t-c

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LOST OR STRAYED—One pointer puppy with brown ears, white streak down face, brown spot on right side and at root of tail. Answers to name of "Dan," limps slightly. Left home in Clanton last Sunday morning. Liberal reward for information or return.—M. F. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

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FROM W. H. ROBINSON

To the Voters of Chilton County:

As you have seen my name as a candidate for commissioner of Chilton County from the fourth district, I wish to say to the people of the county that I cannot get to see you all as I would like to.

I think I know the duty of commissioner and I have been a voter for 40 years. I have not asked for office before, and I wish the people to consider me. I stand for equal rights to all and special favors to none. I realize that a commisisoner is only a servant for the people and that it is his duty to serve the people, and as I have never asked for office before, I would that you all both ladies and gentlemen consider me. I stand for the welfare of the people of Chilton county both financially and to the upbuilding of the county in general. It is not worth while for me to say where I stand for you all know.

Yours truly,
W. H. ROBINSON.

PLEASANT GROVE—LAWLEY

There will be a Community Reunion at Pleasant Grove church next Sunday, May 4th. A good program has been prepared. The following men are some of the speakers: Rev. W. J. Ruddick, Rev. W. H. Connell, Rev. W. T. Edwards and Mr. J. E. Wallace.

Dinner will be served on the grounds. All former residents of the community and former members of the church are urged to be present. Everybody else are cordially invited.

Farmers Are Good Pay, Extensive Holder of Farm Mortgages Says, Citing Infrequent Foreclosures

FERTILIZING
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RICE GROWING IN ARKANSAS

The farmers who have made use of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's farm loan division represent twenty-five states, and the total area on which mortgages are held (approximately 3,750,000 acres), would constitute a plot of land the size of Connecticut and Rhode Island.

These farm investments on December 31, 1923, totaled $142,344,374.97. Of this amount $45,313,000 was loaned last year, according to a statement recently issued by Robert Lynn Cox, Second Vice-President, and head of the Metropolitan's farm loan division.

The extent of the crop production of 3,750,000 acres (covered under mortgages to Metropolitan Life Insurance Company) is indicated by the fact that if only 30 per cent. of the acreage were put in corn, the annual production, figuring 35 bushels to the acre, at an average price of 65 cents, would make a return of $25,593,750.00.

Loans are made in the best agricultural sections of Iowa, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Mississippi, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri, Alabama, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina and other states, chiefly in the central, northwestern and southwestern territory.

Despite widely current reports of the serious situation facing farmers, it is a noticeable fact that Mr. Cox reports only 45 foreclosures pending out of 18,648 mortgages. Only eight farms have been placed in foreclosure in Minnesota and four of these were subsequently reclaimed.

According to Mr. Cox, a realization of the economic hope of the American farmer, long deferred, is now in sight. "The farmer," he said, "is getting at last his chance to share largely in bringing about better economic conditions in the world, and I am sure he will not dissappoint those who believe we can look to rural surroundings for the development of our best citizenship."

FAVORS VINSON FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Clanton, Ala., April 29, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

The Republican primary will soon be held and there is but little being said. I hope that the people will wake up and not let this election find us napping, for this is an important election just the same as all others are important. We now have every elective office in Chilton County filled with Republican officers and we must strive to keep them so. In order to do this we must nominate good competent men who can carry our banner safely through in November.

There is one office to be filled at this election that needs our careful attention at this time. This is the office of county treasurer. We have several good applicants who are offering themselves for this place, all of whom are well qualified, but we must select the strongest person for the nominee because the Democrats will make a stronger fight this year than ever before and we can not take any chances of being defeated or even a chance of losing an officer.

Kin M. Vinson is a candidate for this office and is well qualified to fill it with credit to the party and to the whole county. He can be of great help to the people in many other ways other than just to fill the office he is seeking, for he has had about three years experience in three or four other offices in the court house as a clerk and is familiar with the records of almost every office in the county. He is a man who, if nominated, will be able to poll every vote in the entire Republican party in November. If we were to nominate a lady for this position, I do not believe that she could poll the full strength of the party for I have seen a good many voters of the county and have heard a number of them express themselves that they do not believe that the women ought to vote and say that they would not support a lady at all. We have two most excellent ladies asking for this place, and I have the highest respect for them but I do not think the time is ripe yet to elect women to office.

While wrting this I wish to mention a few other things in Mr. Vinson's behalf. He was one of the many young men who were drawn away from his wife and baby to face the hardships of the army life for 21 months, about 10 of which were spent in France during the World War. He is one of those veterans who came back home with his morals as strong as they were before entering the army. It takes a man of moral strength and moral courage to withstand the army life without it wrecking him but Kin M .Vinson is one of thise who made good in the army and has made good at every thing he has undertaken since he came back. During the great and bloody war we were sleeping in comfortable homes, making money as we have never made it before nor since, while thousands of our boys were suffering and many sheding their blood for us. When the war closed we were willing to praise the boys for the victory in mere words but now we have an opportunity to prove our sincere appreciations of their making such sacrifices by rewarding one of our home boys by nominating him to fill one of the county offices. Let's prove our sincere appreciation by voting for Kin M. Vinson who is the only candidate before us today who has gone through the hardships to serve us.

As I see the situation, there is every reason why we should vote for Mr. Vinson for the office of county treasurer. He is as well qualified to fill the office as any man in Chilton County and is a man who is not afraid of hard work. He was reared on the farm in Beat 6 and knows what it means to toil with our hands. He is an honest and upright young man in every respect and is a hard worker at whatever he undertakes. He has so conducted himself as to command respect of everyone and is a loyal Republican who will ever be found working for the upbuilding of the Republican party. Mr. Vinson has never asked for any public office before and I believe that we should give our young men a chnce. Two of his opponents are men who have held office off and on for several years and I feel like they ought to have a rest.

Voters, just stop and think for one minute. Where is the justice to turn down a young man well qualified in every respect and one who has fought for us, and vote for some one who has been honored with this same position before? I feel that common justice and gratitude will sanction that we vote for Kin M. Vinson for county treasurer of Chilton County.

Very truly,
O. R. ROBINSON.

MORE IGNORANCE DROPS

Editor Union-Banner:

Here I come for another chat in your good old paper for the voters of the county. The primary election is drawing near and this is to determine who is to be our officers for the next four years. So let us consider well before we vote, the records of each condidate for office. I want to say that we do not want men like Mr. C. T. Walker, who is not satisfied unless they can heap up burdens on the people of the county, even when it is not necessary. Just think for a moment, the State has fixed the taxes on us until we had over $2,000 coming in each month to build and keep up the public roads of our county—more than has even been paid in. Yet, he is not satisfied and wanted all wagons and trucks that hauled lumber and logs taxed extra, but by some means the taxes were removed from the wagons but kept on the trucks. Mr. Walker says that the State laws interfered, but I want to say that it is no more so than trucks if they are hauling the same class of products.

No, that was not the cause. He wanted the money, and as I have said heretofore, some people think if a man owns a little gasoline saw mill or a Ford truck they take him for a millionaire. I believe in taxing the people when it becomes necessary but not a few for the benefit of all, then make it equal to all, not pick out just one class of men and put the whole burden on their shoulders. Mr. Walker is one of the men the Bible mentions—he will heap up burdens upon men that are graver to bear and will not relieve one of them with even the touch of one of his fingers. I want each truck man and all others who oppose that law to remember him at the polls May 13th and give your vote to Mr. J. L. Burnett. He is competent and a good man for the place. I have known the Burnetts for many years and have found all of them perfect gentlemen. I have one of them farming for me and he is O.K.

I want to say further to the truck owners of the county that we have employed a lawyer and are preparing for the fight against the unjust law taxing trucks hauling lumber and logs, cordwood and ore and timber, and we want to know how many of you that will help, who you are and how much you will give to aid us in this fight. Some who have already bought tags say that they will help, so write me or W. A. Barnett, Jemison, Ala., giving your name and address. I want to say that we have the asurance that it can be knocked out, and why should we not stand up for our rights and justice. So don't forget to write me or Mr. Burnett by next Saturday or just as soon as you can.

So, I will take a rest as it is hard work fixing up these "igrounts drops" so I remain, the some old

"Doctor" J. N. SCOTT.

MISS COLLINS WRITES

Thorsby, Ala., April 29, 1924.
Voters of Chilton County:

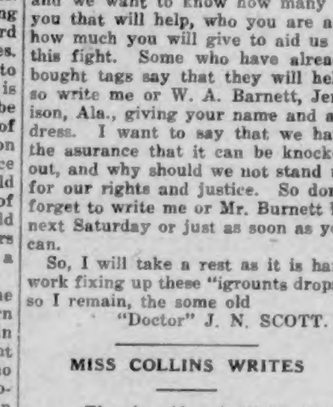
On account of the busy season both with you and myself I find it impossible to make a complete canvass of the county as I would like to do and meet each one of you face to face. I want to assure you that I have no intention of slighting you in the campaign.

I wish to assure you further that if you deem it right and of best interest of the county to cast your vote for me and if I am elected, it will be the pride of my life and my most hearty endeavor to perform the duties of the office of treasurer in a way that will be pleasing and beneficial to you and the county. I assure you that I shall leave nothing undone that will add to efficiency in any way and shall safeguard all that is entrusted to me.

I am very sorry that I could not see all of you, and will ask you whom I fail to see to please accept this means of solicitation of your votes. I have no stones to throw or any comment to make about the various candidates in this race but am perfectly willing to leave my race in your hands.

Trusting that you will give me a serious consideration in casting your suffrage on May 13th, I am,

Yours to serve,
GENIE COLLINS.



Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

WILL CLOSE STORES ON EVERY THURSDAY P.M.

We, the undersigned merchants of the town of Clanton, Alabama, hereby agree to close our places of business and to discontinue said business by not selling goods with the doors closed, except in emergencies on each and every Thursday afternoon, beginning at 12:00 o'clock noon and extending through to the Friday morning following, beginning on the 8th day of May, 1924, until the first day of September, 1924, and that this petition with the signatures thereto be published in both of the county papers published in our town:

Elmore's;
Tom Kemp;
J. R. Broadhead & Sons;
Weldon's Music House;
M. Lande;
Farmers Hardware Co.;
Parrish's;
Mullins & Moore;
McDonald Mercantile Co.;
Miner Grocery Co.;
Headley & Wagoner;
W. A. Kemp;
N. A. Gray;
J. Mell Martin;
Moatts Brothers;
J. W. Littlejohn;
Wingard Brothers;
Frank Lowe;
J. D. Petrey;
W. L. Powell;
G. W. Marcus;
C. Reese Mullins;
Chilton County News;
Just-Right Barber Shop;
Hugh Jones;
Clanton Motor Car Co.;
Retherford Furniture Co.;
G. C. Armstrong;
Lawrence Motor Co.;
The Union-Banner;
Baker & Taylor;
Jno. T. Ellis & Sons;
Chilton Hardware Co.;
M. A. Gore;
Clanton Mill & Gin Co.;
W. Z. Hodges;
Bean Brothers;
Jones Hardware Co.;
Main Street Garage;
Alabama Harness & Shoe Shop;
Downs Grocery Co.;
J. Lee Smith;
F. M. Connell & Son;
Chicago Sales Co.;
Polk Brothers;
Clanton Mercantile Co.;
Carter Brothers;
Fred Calloway;
Robinson Garage.

Lay Eggs in Batches!

One of the worst of all household pests—the roach—lays her eggs in batches of 16. They breed with startling rapidity, contaminate food, spread disease. They are a constant menace to your health! Wipe out all roaches TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Hate Dishwashing? Read This Carefully

NO longer is dishwashing a distasteful task to thousands of women. They now use Red Seal Lye to soften the water and loosen the dirt and grease. Then a quick rinse in hot water and the dishes and silver are not only immaculately clean but sanitary as well. Try washing dishes the "Red Seal" way.

Be Sure and Buy only the genuine Red Seal Lye
Write for FREE booklet, "Home Helps"
P. C. Tomson & Co.
Philadelphia, Pa.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Things Our Readers Want to Know

Jobs that housewives used to dread—such as cleaning toilets, sinks and greasy pots and pans—are now made easy tasks by letting Red Seal Lye do the "dirty work."

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Red Seal Lye is the best odor-destroyer you ever used. And as a disinfectant there is nothing that approaches this handy household product in effectiveness.

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Thrifty women by the thousands make their own soap right at home by using Red Seal Lye in combination with meat-scraps and grease.

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ORIGINAL

DOLLAR DAY, $ATURDAY, MAY 3rd

—$1.00—

Overall$ $1.00 pr. You had better come early if you want a pair. Will $ell only a few at thi$ price. Good heavy grade$

—$1.00—

We will offer a limited quantity of good heavy work $hirt$, all ize; long a$ they la$t, 2 for $1.

—$1.00—

One lot of Prince$$ lip, gown$ and teddy uit, material$ good and beautiful made; worth more, but will $ell the lot $aturday $1 each.

—$1.00—

Again $aturday we are going to offer about 1000 yd$. of light weight $heeting, 15 yd$. to the $1.00.

—$1.00—

'Nother $ale on Towel$. We have bout 25 doz. large $ize bath towel$, we expect to $ell 5 for $1.00 long a$ they la$t $aturday.

—$1.00—

Big a$$ortment of men'$ and young men'$ $pring and $ummer $traw Hat$, $ample line; value$ up to $3.50, choice $1 $aturday.

DON'T FORGET LOCATION NEXT TO FIRST NATIONAL BANK

CHICAGO ALE COMPANY

CLANTON, ALABAMA

ONLY ONE PURCHASE TO A CUSTOMER

MR. WATSON WRITES

Clanton, Ala., April 24, 1924.

To the Voters and Taxpayers of Chilton County:

I take this method of presenting to you some of the things that I would stand for if nominated and elected commissioner for the fourth district. Believing that I am fully qualified, I would do everything in my power to manage my part of the county's affairs for the best interest of the county and to the interest of the tax payers of the county.

I believe that everyone who draws on the county treasury ought to give value received for what he gets. I don't wish to criticize any present or past commissioner, but I do believe many times they are too slack along this line. I believe that each commissioner ought to be thoroughly acquainted with his district. He ought to know every road and every bridge and be able at all times to give a close estimate as to what it would cost to work or repair them. I believe that the trucks that were given the county a few years ago by the State have been demonstrated to the county inasmuch as they were not built to work roads with and their upkeep costs more than the work they do is worth.

I believe in sending a man out with a good tool and then pay him for what he does. If he works a day, pay him for a day, if he works four hours pay him for four hours and not a day. I live on what is called the Maplesville highway, one and a half miles from Clanton, and I believe the people in the most remote parts of the county are as much entitled to a good road as I am. Of course, the nearer town, the more traffic, which calls for more work, but it will work the other way just the same. The further from town the less traffic and less work, after they are once worked and put in shape.

I believe it will be necessary to make some changes in the present road laws, as it does not seem right to me for a man that hasn't got five dollars and fifty cents to have to work it out at about seventy-eight cents a day. Neither does it seem right for a man with a truck, after he has paid up all demands for the year, then have to dig up $11.50 more before he can haul a load of lumber. I know if we work roads by taxation we have got to get the money from some source of taxation, but we can't expect to get it all out of the little Ford truck lumber hauler.

As some have asked me as to how I stand on the county having a farm demonstration agent, I will say that I am in favor of a county agent, providing he would get the right kind of a man, one that is a live wire and one that will make good for the county—I mean a man who is trained up for that purpose and does not mind work and will get out among the farmers and make himself useful. Other counties use them to great benefit. Why not Chilton? Since most of us are dependent upon the farms for our living, the farmers are entitled to all the help that he can get. I believe that the county commisisoners ought to buy the material that they use for road work by wholesale as much so as possible, such as cement, sewer pipe, lumber and nails, instead of paying a high-priced hardware man a great big profit on everything they buy. A county commissioner ought to handle the county's money more economically than he would his own, if possible, because if I waste my own money, there is nobody hurt except myself, but if I waste the tax payers' money, it hurts every tax payer in the county.

Now, these are just some of the things I would stand for if I were a commissioner. My record as a citizen, as a taxpayer, as a Christian, as a Republican voter, is an open book. I have done nothing that I am ashamed of or want to keep hidden. I would thank both men and lady voters to investigate as to my fitness for the position that I am asking you to give me, before you cast your vote for any of my opponents, then if you see fit to give me the nomination, I assure you now that I will appreciate it as much as any man you could nominate. I claim that I have made a success of my own business, considering the circumstances under which I have labored. I am 52 years old, have been a taxpayer in Chilton County 29 years. I need the position and feel like I am as much entitled to it as any of my opponents, however, if you see fit to give it to one of them, your choice will be my choice in the November election.

Respectfully,

W. J. WATSON.

"JOY-RIDING" GANDER

UP near Portland, Oregon, lives a proud farm woman wh ohas a real honest-to-goodness "honker" for her Ford car. It's her prize gander. His name is "Bob" and, in the above picture, you see him contentedly perched os "Henry's" radiator. He's just perking up his head, listening for the whir of the motor that will see him off on another of his favorite joy-rides.

Now "Bob" is just a real up-to-date gander. He has a passion for motoring." And like a lot of "human birds"—the greater the speed, the better he likes it. His mistress, however, being of a conservative type, thinks 25 miles an hour is fast enough but—even at that speed—"Bob" has the time of his life going over the bumps in the country roads.

So far, he has not been jarred loose from his precarious radiator perch but if his mistress ever takes him over some of the roads we've traveled, we're thinking it'll be—"Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot" for "Bob" and his speed mania.

FUN—LAUGH—GOOD CAUSE

There will be a ball game Thursday May 8th at Polk's park. Methodist Men's Bible Class, vs. Baptist Men's Bible class. Game called at 3 o'clock p.m., admission 25 and 15 cents; receipts divided between classes 50-50. Umpires, Wilkerson and Ezell.

Baby Attacked!

Mrs. Crawford writes, "I was attracted by the screams of my baby. I rushed to the cradle and there was a rat crawling on the child! My husband put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around and we haven't seen a rat since. I certainly am grateful." Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Mobile will become a strong competitor of New Orleans on canned goods, shipped via water from the Pacific coast for distribution to inland points when railroads publish their new tariff, according to a report at the traffic department of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce.

J. H. McCulley, field agent for the Cotton Association of Alabama; W. O. Winston, district extension agent and T. A. Sims, state club agent, after a trip through the Black Belt, says that the outlook for cotton this year is discouraging on account of late planting.

Notice has been received from the state department of education that Palmetto School, Pickens county, has been placed on the list of accredited high schools. The Palmetto school building is one of the best buildings in the state, being erected on what is known as the 8-1-S state plan.

Devotion and gratitude that outlived old "Massa" and "Missus" caused Dan Freeman, a former slave to leave property valued at $3,000 to the five grandchildren of his former master in preference to his three children," it has been revealed in the Montgomery probate court.

Prospects for a big peach crop in Monroe county are good this year for the first time in several seasons, growers say. About 1,000 acres of bearing trees have bloomed, and orchardists have been spraying their trees to protect them from brown rot and worms.

Miss Annie Wheeler, one of the daughters of the late Gen. Joe Wheeler, stated that there was absolutely no foundation to the rumor in such wide circulation that a portion of the Wheeler estate had been sold to an eastern mill syndicate for $2,200,000.

The two-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson, of Hackelburg, was strangled to death from the fumes of ammonia. The little fellow, in some way, got hold of a bottle of ammonia and placed it to his mouth with fatal effect.

Students of State Agricultural and Mechanical institute, of Normal, Ala., commonly known as the Council School for Negroes, scored a decided success when they presented a four-act drama at Sixteenth Street Baptist Church in Birmingham.

An appeal from a decision of the circuit court of the fourteenth circuit upholding the constitutionality of the Alabama drainage act, enacted in 1915 and amended in 1923, was filed with the supreme court, by J. N. Collins, probate judge of Fayette County and J. T. Maddox, probate judge of Lamar County.

Tom Worthington, white, must serve from two to three years in the penitentiary for distilling. Some weeks ago Worthington started out to obtain signatures to a petition for a parole, declaring that he knew he would have to serve time. He goes to prison with his petition in his pocket, it is said.

Wallace Donaldson, 14 years old, of R. F. D. No. 1, Ione station, was almost instantly killed, and William Burke, 17 years old, of 133 Pine street and Leslie Tompkins, 14 years old, of Berney station, Birmingham, were injured when Donaldson touched a match to a bottle of liquid that he found in the road.

Residents of Lambert, in the northern part of Mobile county, reported to Sheriff Paul Cazalas that the cattle dipping vat at that place had been dynamited. Deputy sheriffs have taken one suspect into custody. Opposition to cattle dipping is the cause of the vandalism, according to the sheriff.

The port of Mobile, what it means to the city and state and its increased importance when $10,000,000 of public funds have been spent for modern facilities will be the general topic for discussion by Gov. W. W. Brandon, Gen. William L. Sibert and others at the annual meeting of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce May 7.

Thorsby strawberries are now beginning to move to market. The season is late, but the crop has not been affected by frost at any time so far and it is expected that the yield of high-grade berries will be large. Preparations have been made to load about 50 cars during this season.

T. B Hale, manager of the water company at Gadsden, has received patents rights on a device which he has invented to prevent waste of oil from automobiles. The device also is said to keep plenty of oil on bearings of all kinds.

FROM C. L. WILKINS

To the Voters of Chilton County:

Gentlemen and ladies, who are voters of this county and who we believe should and will decide by your votes on May 13th, the choice of the Republican party for the different offices of the county:—As I am in the bunch, I would be glad for you to consider my case, and if you should give me a job as commissioner for the fourth district, then, as I have said before, I expect to give you the very best I have in my shop.

I am a Missionary Baptist in profession. I believe in foreign mission but I believe we should have some home mision too. If I should be your choice for commissioner I would like to carry along some home mission work in our county and district. I believe all men have a right to justice and provide things honest in the sight of all men, we would gain confidence in ourselves again. Now, as the tax question is an important one before us today, I would like to say a few words in that direction. There is no one hardly who minds paying a debt when he thinks he has gotten his money's worth. While we have got to have tax and the only thing to do is that we can do is to elect men that will be reasonable and will not go beyond our reach. If we can make a man believe he is worth a dollar then you can most always get that much tax and not make him mad, and if a man is using the public roads he is willing to work it or pay for it being worked, but he is sure to want it done on the road that he is traveling. Yet, I believe that road tax is necessary, if we could just get it to work right. Let us just consider John and Ben a little. John lives nearest a bad spot of road and he doesn't want to work and he does not want to pay tax to have it worked. Of course he will work if you warn him out lawfully but he is mad and there is no joy in John. He is a hard working man and has good judgment about road work. Just go over to John and give him the contract of fixing that spot of road. He lives there and he has the tools to do it with and he can do it when he can't do anything else, therefore, he will do it cheaper than any one else It will help him and it will help the county and it will make him love his friends and the county love him. Now, Ben lives somewhere near a bad spot of road and he is in the same fix John was in—he won't pay tax and he won't work Just go over and tell him you want to hire him to fix this road and you want him to make a good job out of it, 25 feet wide. He is most sure to trade with you and you have made the county a friend. But go and warn them to work when they are busy and you still have a mad man, no good for himself or anyone else. There are many other things just as important that make me believe I can be a help to my county and my people.

Now, as we all know, if we will just think a minute, that we in Beat 6 have never had a commissioner. For that reason if for no other, I beg the support of the voters of Chilton County. As it is a busy time, looks like I just haven't got time to see all of the voters. If I don't get to see you or if I do, and you can cast your vote and influence in my favor, I shall be thankful to you for it. I hope that all of the voters will go out to the primary and cast your vote for someone if not for me, for that is just about all the right we have now. If we don't be careful, we may not have that right very long.

C. L. WILKINS.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

th' feller who usta hanker t' take th' old clock apart just t' see what wuz in it now has a son' who's gettin' every station in th' country on his home made radio set — — — — — —

SHIRTS, TIES, COLLARS -- GLOVES --

Every man is desirous of neatness and attractiveness in his New Summer Attire—not only in the selection of the right Suit but what's far more important—the wearing of just the right kind of Shirt, the correct Collar, the becoming Tie and dressy Gloves.

For the very latest and the widest assortment in those needs we can satisfy him best.

WE SELL GOOD GOODS—WE PRICE THEM RIGHT.

Clanton Mercantile Company

Clanton, Alabama.

J. MELL MARTIN

Undertaker Clanton, Ala.

FUNERAL SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING METALIC CASKETS

I BUY RIGHT AND SELL RIGHT. NO ORDER TOO LARGE TO BE HANDLED NOR TOO SMALL TO BE APPRECIATED. SPECIAL PRICES ON HEARSE SERVICE.

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

We are glad indeed to see Mrs. H. M. Nix back home from the hospital and to know she stood the operation well.

Our school was out Friday, April 25th. The day was enjoyed by going on a picnic.

Our Sunday school, B. Y. P. U., Sunbeam and G. A. S. and R. A. S. are still improving. We are always glad to see so many attend.

We have in town a new garage, erected by Mr. A. C. Maness and Mr. Homer Sewell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Williams, little son, Tommy and Miss Estelle Davis are off on a camping trip to Mississippi and Tennessee.

Mr. W. W. Brooks and family have moved to Montgomery.

Mr. David Bearden of Selma was visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Cuts and little daughter, Geúnett of Selma were visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice McGee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Christian and Miss Elna Seales of Selma were visiting here last Sunday.

We have in town a new jitney bus owned by Mr. Tom Glass. He makes a trip from here to Clanton every day.

Mrs. P. C. Pulliam, little son and daughter, Jack and Louise spent Saturday with Mrs. R. R. Seales.

Mrs. Consule Collins and children spent last week with Mrs. Clint McGee.

Mrs. E. Bankhead and children of Jasper are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. T. U. Crumpton.

Mrs. Bessie Tucker of Birmingham, Mrs. Willie Bell Dawson of Talladega were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jeffcoats last week.

Mrs. Esther Vines spent last week with her brother, Dr. H. M. Nix.

Mrs. Alice McGee and children, Mrs. Ada Cuts and little daughter spent Sunday p.m. with Mrs. Charlie Seales.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glass and Miss Stella McGee motored to Clanton Sunday p.m.

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Second Floor Smith Building
CLANTON, ALA.

HAIRY VETCH LEADS AS WINTER LEGUME

Alabama Farmers Have Turned It Under and Planted Cotton and Corn.

Auburn, Ala., May 1.—Hairy vetch continues to be the most popular winter legume in Alabama. Despite the most severe winter in many years, it came through, and thousands of acres of it are now being turned under and the land planted to corn or cotton.

Due to the cold weather during the winter and spring hairy vetch is late this year; but farmers have turned it under in time to plant cotton and corn. About 5,000 acres of it grew in Dallas county alone. Approximately two-thirds of it is being planted to cotton and one-third to corn.

After making a careful study of hairy vetch throughout the State, Frank E. Body of the Extension Service, reports that lack of inoculation was the chief cause of failure. "Where vetch was inoculated it came through the winter and made a good growth," said Mr. Boyd. "Although it is late it remains the leading winter legume in the State, and I am confident that the acreage planted next fall will be the largest on record."

Due to inadequate inoculation the stand in several instances was very poor, but Mr. Boyd, the agent, and officials of the Experiment Station have insisted that it be allowed to grow in order to include the land. They declare that the same land should be planted to vetch again next fall because of this inoculation.

REPORT OF COUNTY BOARD OF REVIEW OPEN FOR INSPECTION

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given by S. M. Pate, Tax Assessor of Chilton County, Alabama, that the Board of Review of said County has returned its report, and the same is open for inspection, and that said Board of Review will sit at the court house at Clanton in the County of Chilton, State of Alabama, beginning on the first Monday in June, 1924, to correct any errors in assessments or valuations. (Sec. 158, 1923 Revenue Acts.)

This, 15th day of April, 1924.

S. M. PATE,
Tax Assessor, Chilton Co., Alabama.

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APRIL MARRIAGES

W. W. Fox and Mrs. Mattie Woolley.

G. W. Hiver and Miss Eunice Jones.

Burnie Lee Cobb and Miss Nela Mae Riley.

B. L. Cofer and Miss Bertie G. Martin.

L. C. Horn and Miss Willmons Tyson.

Barto Wright and Miss Rosa Partridge.

Clifford Culp and Miss Senie Mims.

A. A. Evans and Miss Lillie Donehoo.

Thos. R. Sims and Miss Beatrice Webb.

R. E. Mooney and Miss Rubie Seale.

Otto Burnett and Miss Roberta Headley.

Arthur Tippett and Miss Everee Maddox.

Lewis Gillespie and Miss Selestia Maddox.

Middleton Favor and Miss Ella Willis.

Henry Davis Wyatt and Miss Pearly Mae Jones.

Lester Parnell and Miss Gulma Brunice Baker.

Charlie Mims and Miss Flora Payton.

INSURANCE MAN TELLS OF FRIEND'S RECOVERY

"He suffered considerably from gas in stomach and colic attacks, and at times was very yellow. His doctors diagnosed his ailment as gall or bladder trouble and that an operation was necessary. Some one persuaded him to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. Since taking it one year ago he tells me he has been able to eat anything." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

MORTAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that mortgage made by J. E. Melton and wife, Eula Melton, to J. A. Fuller, Trustee, dated July 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 408, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage was duly transferred to the undersigned Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones, and said default continuing, we, the said Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones as transferees of said mortgage, will, under and by virtue of the power of said mortgage in said mortgage contained, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on

Monday, May 26th, 1924,

the following described property, viz:

That certain lot or parcel of land at Maplesville, Alabama, situated in the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 21, Township 21, Range 12, containing one-half acre, more or less, and particularly described as follows: Run 465 feet and 5 inches, more or less, in a southerly direction from the crossing of the Southern and Mobile & Ohio Railroads, along the center of the right of way of the Southern Railway Company, thence in a westerly direction, way, which is the point of beginning of said lot; thence run in a westerly direction from said point of beginning, at right angles to said western boundary of said right of way, between two sweet gum trees near said right of way, 210 feet to a stake; thence at right angles in a northerly direction 135 feet, more or less, to a stake; thence in an easterly direction, at right angles, 174 feet, more or less, along the south side of a hickory tree near the line of the Martin Gin lot, to the western boundary of the said Martin gin lot; thence in a southeasterly direction, along west boundary line of said Martin gin lot, 47 feet, more or less, to a point which is the corner of said Martin gin lot, and is the western boundary of the before mentioned right of way of the Southern Railway; thence in a southerly direction along the said western boundary of said right of way 95 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The said sale will be held for the purposes provided for in said mortgage,

PETTUS, FULLER & LAPSLEY,
ATTORNEYS.
Mary C. Nicolson,
Mary M. Jones,
Transferees.

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Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

AUBURN FRUIT CROP IS VERY PROMISING

Proper Care And Management Have Been Big Feature Summer Spraying is Timely Work.

Auburn, Ala., April 28, 1924.—The fruit crop on the Experiment Station here is very promising. Apple, peach, and pear trees are loaded with young fruit which is growing rapidly.

As a protection against diseases and insects the apples have received their first summer spray and the peaches their second. Additional applications will be made from time to time in order to keep these pests under control.

Proper care and management are assigned as the main reasons for successful fruit production at Auburn, where failures rarely, if ever, occur. Cultivation, fertilization, and spraying are properly done at the right time.

To supply nitrogen and add humus this orchard grows one or two crops of legumes each year. In preparing for legume crops, in turning them under, and also between crops, the trees are cultivated.

Spraying is done during the winter, spring, and summer seasons. Ordinarily, only one winter spray is applied. Several summer sprays are applied to control diseases and insects which grow rapidly during these seasons.

According to Prof. C. L. Isbell, Horticulturist for the Experiment Station, the Auburn method of cultivating, fertilizing, and spraying fruit trees is not complicated. It is practical for farmers throughout the State. If it is followed the production of good fruit should follow.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the several polling places in the State of Alabama, by the Democratic Party, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, between the hours of Eight A. M. and Five P. M., for the expression of the preference of the Democrats of Alabama for the nominees of the Democratic Party for such State, District and County Officials as are to be elected at the regular election in November, 1924.

This 5th day of April, 1924.

R. B. EVINS,
Chairman State Democratic Executive Committee.

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FREE SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED BY THE SOUTH'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

The Birmingham News is again this year offering to the boys and girls of Alabama five additional free scholarships to the State's leading colleges. There are no wires to be pulled in this proposition of the News. No special favors will be granted but the way is open for all. The only restrictions are that you must be a high school graduate, have not attended college previously and that you are unable to obtain a colledge education without outside help.

If you are interested and want to find out the complete information on the subject, correspond with the Scholarship Editor of the News, Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. C. J. Cobern of Maplesville was in Clanton Monday. He went from here to Birmingham to visit his children.

Child's Eyelashes Bitten Off!

Glenn Herrick, noted scientist, says "Down south I saw roaches so bad, they actually ate the eyelashes off a sleeping child!" Just another example of these deadly pests. Roaches must be wiped out for health's sake! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

We are glad to know that Mrs. Epsie Green of this place is improving rapidly after an operation in the Elizabeth Duncan Hospital at Bessemer.

Mr. Rush Burnett and Miss Sadie Littlejohn, with Mr. W. B. Green and son, Haskell, motored to Bethsalem Sunday.

Several of the members of the Lawley B. Y. P. U visited the B. Y. P. U. meeting at Friendship Sunday p.m.

Mrs. Amma Green spent the day with Mrs. Ola Littlejohn Sunday.

Mr. Talmage Green, Miss Mildred Stanford and Misses Ruth and Evie Lawley attended a picnic at Antioch last Friday.

Mr. M. C. Moore, Miss Delene Littlejohn, Mr. Jim Fountain and Miss Paralee Moore motored to Lawley Sunday p.m.

Mrs. Mollie Green and son, Layton motored to Maplesville Saturday p.m. on business.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day at Friendship. Everybody invited to come.

There was a musical entertainment at Mrs. J. H. Green's last Monday night, which was attended by a large crowd, and was enjoyed by all.

Rev. E. H. Littlejohn, Mr. W. R. K. Stanford and son, Brant, motored to Marion Saturday to preaching.

ALL DAY SINGING AT WALNUT CREEK

There will be an all-day singing at Walnut Creek church the second Sunday in May, which will be the 11th. All singers invited.

R. E. POWELL.

Warning From Health Department!

"Everybody is warned against the peril of rats. They carry cholera and typhus germs and spread bubonic plague." Protect your health by wiping out these pests! Start TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. SURE—SUDDEN. Destroys all rats. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

NOTICE

The patrons of Cross Roads school are requested to meet the trustees at Cross Roads school house Saturday night, May 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock. There is some very important business to attend to.

GREEN D. MELTON, Trustee.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

Mrs. W. T. Jones

A Letter to You

Montgomery, Ala. — "I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for woman's weakness, and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets as a laxative, and am delighted with these remedies. They gave me perfect satisfaction and I am willing and glad to recommend them—especially the 'Favorite Prescription' for women who suffer."—Mrs. W. T. Jones, 21 Gordon Street.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true friend to women in time of trial when the organs are not performing their functions. For headache, backache, heat flashes, catarrhal condition, bearing sensations, mental depression, dizziness, fainting spells, lassitude or exhaustion, women should never fail to take this tried and true woman's tonic.

What "Favorite Prescription" has done for others it should do for you. Get it at the drug store, in tablets or liquid, or send 10c for trial package to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and write for free confidential medical advice.

NEW BARBER SHOP

Opposite the George Marcus Meat Market on Seventh Street, in the C. Reese Mullins building. Everything clean as a pin. Hot water from electric heat. Satisfaction guaranteed. Collie Glass and Hop Cowart, barbers. Your patronage will be appreciated.

C. REESE MULLINS
PROPRIETOR
CLANTON, ALABAMA

USED CAR SALE

If in market for Used Cars, see ours before buying. We have some real bargains to offer, with a small cash payment and liberal terms on balance, in the following cars—

2 Ford Tourings, each	$ 50.00
1 Premo Touring	175.00
1 Chalmers Touring	275.00
1 Maxwell Touring	150.00
1 Dodge Roadster	200.00

POLK BROTHERS
Clanton, Ala.
Studebaker and Chevrolet Cars

"I Never Ate A Better Meal In Any Restaurant!"

THAT'S what patrons are telling L. & N. dining car stewards every day. Nothing breaks the monotony of travel like a good meal, when it is well cooked and appetizingly served.

Cold meats and salads served on chilled plates; hot dishes on those taken from the warming cabinet. From crisp celery or the delicious stuffed mangoes to the demitasse, you will find L. & N. food and service unexcelled on any other railroad, and equalled by few restaurants.

Remember, when you are enjoying a meal on any railroad, that, due to the enormous initial expense (present-day dining cars cost the railroads more than $50,000 each)—the cost of hauling these big, heavy cars, the expense of stewards, waiters, cooks, linen, silverware, to say nothing of the spoilage of unused food—it is costing that road an average of about 44c more than your check will call for, and that this deficit is being absorbed by the railroads in order that you may travel in comfort.

Fact No. 43

L&N
THE OLD RELIABLE

RIDING CULTIVATOR

We have one only International No. 4 Cultivator left which we will make a special low price for cash, rather than carry it over another year.

They are great time and labor-savers, and farmers with suitable land cannot afford to farm without one.

Jones Hardware Company
CLANTON, ALABAMA

ORIGINAL

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE IN FAVOR LEASING MUSCLE SHOALS TO HENRY FORD

(Continued from page 1).

McNary, Oregon, Weeks said he had studied the Hooker-White-Atterbury proposal in a general way and he would be glad to have the chief of engineers study the offer and make recommendations.

The chief of engineers will be heard Wednesday' Chairman Norris said.

"I think the government can dispose of Muscle Shoals, under better terms than any of the present contracts," Weeks said.

"I am opposed to government operation and think we could enter into a limited partnership with some private enterprise."

He said he doubted the wisdom of entering any binding contract for fifty years.

"In three years you will be able to carry power anywhere east or west of the Mississippi river by means of an inter-connecting transmission line," he said.

"If by reason of drouth some needed power, a telephone call would bring it. This whole question revolves around nitrates and it will take four or five years to find out what process is best because this whole industry is in its infancy."

Later Chairman Norris explained that Miller was employed by Ford's Dearborn Independent. Decision to put the telegram into the record was made at an executive session of the committee before the public hearings were opened.

QUINCY, FLA.

The farmers here have already transplanted their tobacco plants and the plants are growing nicely.

The sewing club met at the home of Mrs. Littman last Thursday afternoon. After an hour of fancy work being done by the ladies, Mrs. Littman served ice cream and cake. The club members all know to expect a pleasant afternoon when invited to the home of Mrs. Littman. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. P. Hicks next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Eugene Thompson, Mr. C. B. McGee and Mr. Harvey McGee left last Friday for their homes in Chilton and Bibb counties. Mr. Thompson will return next week with his bride, Miss Pearl Jefferson of Lawley. They will make their future home here, where Mr. Thompson is a contractor. Miss Jefferson is the attractive young daughter of Postmaster T. W. Jefferson of Lawley, Ala., and indeed a very charming girl; loved by all who know her. Mr. Thompson has a new house and it mostly furnished, ready to occupy on their return. We wish for this young couple many years of happiness together.

Mr. C. C. Culp has sold his Ford truck and has purchased himself a new Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hicks are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born the 12th of April.

The Blessed Lumber Co. have sold their sawmill and timber here to the Simpson Lumber Co., of Mississippi. Mr. Prime, the superintendent of the new company and family, with several other families from Mississippi have just arrived to take charge of the mill. Mr. T. Holmes, former superintendent here and wife have gone to Birmingham, where they have several children. We regret very much to see Mr. and Mrs. Holmes go away.

Mrs. Sam Shoults of Chilton county, Alabama, is now here visiting her sister, Mrs. W. P. Hicks. Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. Shoults will be remembered as Misses Willie and Ila Walker of Lawley, Ala.

Mr. Moodie Collins of Lawley, Ala. is now sawyer for a lumber company about four miles from this place.

Florida is truly named for the "Land of Flowers," because of forest here is a mass of flowers and beautiful moss; all varieties in colors and sizes. The most beautiful wild flowers we have ever seen grow here in the forest. In the swamps grow large magnolias, palms and palmettoes. They are beauties themselves. How wonderful nature is, so many of us never stop to look about us at the great things that God has given us to look upon. We can look at the beautiful wild flowers, how lovely they are. We should always think how good God is to give us something beautiful and not something ugly. How can some people say, "There is no God."

DELIVERS LECTURE BEFORE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL

On Last Sunday, Prof. Stephens, principal of the Chilton County high school, made a speech before the Clanton Methodist Sunday School, which is worthy of special mention. The subject used by Prof. Stephens was "Sunday Schools," and the following is what he had to say on the subject:

"What is to be had at Sunday Schools? This is the question that will present itself to the mind of one who is asked to join in the work. Can we answer that question? Upon the answer depends the success or failure, ultimately, of the whole structure upon which the institution is founded. What manner of answer then will we give? Let us see for a moment. The belief in the soul is universal. If it is not the essence of self, then it is the nucleus from which evolves all that is spiritual and everlasting. The world is agreed that in this essence is foun l the minimum of individuality that can't be destroyed. That out of this comes all that is spiritual. As it develops and takes on strength and comp'exity man is transformed from the physical type to the mental and spiritual type of man. Spiritual development means the progress of the soul in experience. Spiritual exercise and emotion takes place in proportion to our spiritual experience just as we grow and develop by the exercise of our physical powers.

"The first thing we can do then is to convince those who are not taking advantage of this great institution that they have a spiritual nature, full of promise and hope, calling for development and expression. That is experience, self expression of the soul is the highest and most precious gift of God to man. That this power of self expression depends upon its experience in spiritual things is certain. If we would teach the child botany or physics, we give him expression with flowers and machines; if we would teach him surgery we give him experience with the human body; if we would teach him agriculture we give him experience with animals and plants and soils,—the greater the experience the greater the power developed. The same law holds for spiritual development and growth. To teach it means to furnish the proper environment for experience. Without the environment, without the elements or factors that cause us to react to the stimulae, we get no self expression, no rich and varied experience that makes us all strong in that we have the wherewithal to solve the problems of life which arise for solution. There is a world of difference between telling and teaching. How many ball games would be won by telling the boys how to play or by writing it out and having it read in bed before the boy arises in the morning?

To teach, then, means to furnish the proper environment. The environment for the development of the spirit of man is presented by the great Sabbath Schools of the country and their extension work. These are not the only means but it is here that the proper environment is arranged to give the individual experience that he needs to get self expression for his powers of soul.

"When I was asked to make a talk on the subject of Sunday Schools I was somewhat at a loss to know just what I could say. I did not want to disappoint anyone, yet I knew all would expect me to make sime display of my powers of language and oratory. Suddenly there came the inspiration. The ladies of the Methodist Sunday School had challenged the men for a contest of programmes. They were so sure of themselves that they readily agreed that we could have the advantage of time and place. Last Sunday they gave us what they had. It began with songs and readings by the children, little children, children whose earnest innocent faces glowed with a certain light that touched back into memory when life was to us one continuous wonder and revelation, and we stood wide-eyed and fascinated at the tales of fairy and goblin told at mother's knee. Then suddenly there stepped forth two little white robed maidens, as the two lillies of the valley had sprung up by magic, emblematic of the purity and innocense and love of the world. As they approached the cross erected for the occasion the significance of the act flashed through the minds and souls of those present. Throats gripped; eyes burned with scalding tears—the spirit of Christ was in our midst lifting us to the heights of spiritual purification. All I could say here in description would be but a feeble replica of what was enacted there.

The soul of man, with its power to rise to the heights of spiritual joy if brought into contact and communion with Christian spirit finds its most appropriate environment in the great American Sabbath Schools. Here the soul aghunger finds kindred souls to lead or follow in the expression and growth of that spiritual nature which is the crowning gift of God to man. We realize its power. We dimly divine its destiny. Without it man lapses into the beast; with it he climbs into the glories of the infinite. The politician harrangues, the statesman thunders the doctrines of democracy; the attorney weaves his tangled thread of evidence to hide or discover the guilt or innocence of his client; the minister testifies to the promises of God in the fulfillment, but in the final analysis it is the character of the man that moves us to action—the purity and sincerity of his spiritual life speaking with convincing voice. This is our inspiration. Would we rise to the heights of the promises of our nature? Would we rejoce in the unfolding to the highest of the lives of men? Would we safeguard our country and secure the future for our children and posterity? Then, under the dictates of sense and reason, the one way to secure these blessings to ourselves and guarantee them to posterity is to develop that power in man given him by the creator to see and know that happiness to onesself is bound up with the happiness of others and that soul-power makes of all mankind one. That one can no more detach himself and put on happiness, leaving the world in misery, than he can detach his limbs and make them happy with the body in sin and suffering.

Sunday Schools, then, is one of the roads by which man may reach his destiny—may know and reach his destiny—the common school of the soul, the preparation for the spiritual life, the hope of the individual—the destiny of the human race."

COOLIDGE APPEALS TO COMMON SENSE

Washington, April 28.—"If the president's speech before the Associated Press at N. Y. was as 'sedative' as some people have described it, it was exactly what the country needs," declares the Republican Publicity Association, through its President, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr. "We have had irritants so long and voluminously that anything in the nature of a sedative can not be otherwise than beneficial. With public and private scandal manufacturing or distributing committees at work and with a dozen or more interlocked organizations of socialistic purpose striving to plunge the Nation into any sort of radical experiment, it is well that some man of sound sense and courage rise to present an example of calm thinking while he teaches the doctrine of individual endeavor and thrift. Sensationalism has held the stage so long that the nation's nerves are on edge and a sedative is not out of place.

"Those who critcise the President's address because it manifested studied caution are perhaps unwittingly paying it a high tribute. Caution is far too rare in these days of recklessness in public utterance by men some of whom have hitherto been held in high esteem. It takes no small degree of courage to be cautious at a time when most of the aspirants for political favar are vying with each other in the effort to win support by extremes of extravagant utterance. Once each year the American people like to attend a circus to observe the antics of a whirling dervish, a thrilling trapeze performer or a snake-like contortionist, but throughout the remainder of the year wise men give their attention to the more substantial and essential activities of life.

"There was no occasion for President Coolidge to endeavor to start something new in his address at New York. Last December he outlined to Congress a very comprehensive constructive program. That list of subjects for the consideration of congress convered more than could probably be accomplished even if the Legislative Branch of the Government were permitted to work with utmost diligence. Unfortunately Democratic leaders have seen fit to utilize investigative activites as excuse for delaying the work of Congress and there is danger that much of the President's program will be neglected.

"In such a situation as this the President was not only wise but tactful in avoiding in his New York address the presentation of new issues that might divert attention from the important measures he commended to Congressional consideration when he delivered his regular message on the state of the Union last December."

ADDITIONAL LIST OF QUALIFIED VOTERS IN CHILTON CO. ALABAMA

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BEAT 1
Burnette, C. C.
Martin, Ross
Smitherman, J. E.

BEAT 2
Atkinson, F. T.
Cooper, H. P.
Garner, L. E.
Gentry, J. E.
Hayes, J. M.
Littleton, J. C.
Langston, J. A.
Langston, J. M.
Messer, Elizabeth
Smitherman, D. C.
Scott, Mrs. Levie
Scott, O. P.
Scott, J. W.
Scott, Mrs. Sarah E.
Thomas, W. N.

BEAT 3
Broadhead, D.
Broadhead, S. L.
Davenport, J. H.
Deshazo, W. G.
Lenoir, C. B.
Nix, J. T.
Veasey, Mrs. Minnie
Williams, J. S.

BEAT 4—BOX 1
Adams, S. B.
Adams, L. B.
Adams, Camilla
Bice, I. W.
Baker, John
Connell, W. N.
Culver, A. J.
Ezell, Mrs. Grace E.
Ezell, S. J.
Evans, Mrs. Glennie T.
Franklin, W. A.
Foshee, W. H.
Foshee, Mrs. Mary M.
Gray, G. G.
Glenn, Mrs. Mary E.
Gore, J. P.
Headley, Mrs. Alice
Headley, H.
Hilyer, S. H.
Heflin, R. W.
Hand, C. H.
Headley, A. T.
Jones, J. H.
Johnson, C. C.
Jones, Mrs. Pauline
Jones, Sophie Courtney
Johnson, Mrs. Maybell H.
Johnson Edgar G.
Johnson, W. T.
Jackson, J. H.
Mims, T. J.
Martin, Mrs. Mary
Mims, Monroe
Mims, Julia
Mims, F. M.
Moore, Elisha
Miller, E. W.
Maddox, W. E.
Mims, R. F.
Parrish, Mrs. Annie M
Ray, O. L.
Simpson, H. M.
Smith, J. H.
Taylor, Mrs. Iris M.
Taylor, Arthur L
Wyatt, Mrs. Mary Eliz
Wyatt, J. D.
Willis, Mrs. Mary
Willis, G. W.

BEAT 4—BOX 2
Best, J. V.
Butler, R. M.
Bates, Mrs. Dora
Beutell, T. J.
Blalock, Stephen L.
Carter, T. R.
Carter, O. M.
Devaughn, Mrs. Temperance
Davis, Mrs. Ola
Davis, H. L.
Duke, B. H.
Foshee, Walter
Higgins, Robert F.
Hayes, Mrs. Lula
Hayes, W. H.
Jones, D. W.
Jones, J. A.
Johnson, Mrs. Mary Adell
Jones, B. L.
Kennedy, Clara I.
Kennedy, W. H.
Kennedy, Mary I.
Littlejohn, Mrs. Leona
Littlejohn, H. T.
Lowery, Mrs. Davis
Lowery, J. W.
Mims, J. W.
Nix, J. M.
Nivens, James A.
Price, W. Jace
Powell, L. M.
Popwell, Mrs. Daisy
Popwell, J. R.
Pate, Woodie
Price, Lonnie
Price, Mrs. Hollie
Price, J. D.
Roper, G. C.
Roper, O. O.
Robinson, Miss Grace
Riggins, J. W.
Smith, Clarence N.
Shaw, H. S.
Sims, B. H.
Tippett, John W.
Tippett, Mrs. Manda A.
Wells, C. R.
Weldon, J. T.

BEAT 4—BOX 3
Armstrong, Minnie
Baker, Marshall M.
Durbin, M. C.
Dobbs, Russell
Edwards, W. A.
Foshee, W. B.
Gray, J. Y.
Gray, Mrs. Catherine
Glenn, Nora
Glenn, H. B.
Henley, Jake
Headley, Mrs. Bell
Headley, S. J.
Johnson, J. L.
Jones, Vermon D.
Middleton, Mrs. C. L.
Mims, J. A.
Mims, Mrs. Addie
Popwell, Walter
Popwell, J. H.
Parrish, J. Pate
Rollen, Walter J.
Ross, L. C.
Roper, H. B.
Smith, C. O.
Smith, J. P.
Traywick, B. C.
Williams, Alice
Wilson, Mrs. Docie

BEAT 4—BOX 4
Atkinson, J. B.
Baker, Etta
Carroll, Lewis
Calloway, Mrs. Essie
Calloway, W. A.
Calloway, W. J.
Dupree, Martha
Deloach, J. L.
Eiland, Mrs. Mary A.
Eiland, R. J.
Easterling, Ethel
Foshee, J. W.
Gilland, W. F.
Grant, E. F.
Gardner, B. F.
Hayes, J. P.
Hayes, Mrs. J. P.
Johnson, T. S.
Jones, R. T.
Johnson, Esau
Johnson, Mrs. Lillie Ann
Lawrence, Jas. A.
Lowe, Reuben W.
Lowe, Miss Ruth
Lawrence, Jas. A.
Mims, J. W.
McDowell, J. W.
Moore, Mrs. Bertha S.
Mims, G. T.
Mims, Mrs. Laura
Popwell, Ruben
Patterson, J. W.
Page, John C.
Powell, E. C.
Rich, J. T.
Ray, Horace
Stonecipher, J. P.
Smith, S. H.
Tippett, Geo. T.

BEAT 5
Bullard, C. D.
Caffey, G. H.
Claughton, W. M.
Driver, O. H.
Duffey, R. L.
Gardner, J. B.
Gardner, N. L.
Gulledge, J. H.
Hornady, G. A.
Hurt, L. F.
Hurt, James M.
Howard, T. N.
Jones, W. B.
Johnson, Dowdell
Johnson, Hilda Mae Caton
Robinson, Mrs. Mardue
Scott, J. R.
Whitaworth, Sallie B.
Williams, S. D.
Whitworth, T. D.
Williams, J. F.

BEAT 6
Atkinson, R. F.
Chandler, R. G.
Chandler, J. L.
Culver, W. G.
Edwards, Albert R.
Edwards, Oliver E.
Edwards, Jasper
Edwards, Lizzie
Popwell, Walter
Popwell, Mrs. Tonia
Popwell, Maddison
Wilson, A. N.
White, J. W. G.
Wilkins, A. E.

BEAT 7
Atcherson, W. M.
Foshee, Mrs. Mattie
Green, D. T.
Green, Mrs. Mollie
McAfee, J. R.
Moore, W. A.
Oden, Mrs. Pearl
Oden, W. M.
Parnell, C. N.
Stanford, Mrs. Kate
Williams, Mrs. Rosa Lee
Lawley, Walter

BEAT 8
Johnson, W. A.
Keener, W. C. K.
Parnell, T. D.
Walker, J. C.
Walker, Wm. L.
Walker, John T.

BEAT 9—BOX 1
Anderson, Nelis
Bates, Dora
Collins, C. D.
Goodgame, W. H.
Gore, Mrs. Ida G.
Grice, B. W.
Gore, Milford
Howard, Mrs. Elizabeth
Howard, Louis H.
Hutchison, James B.
Kendrick, L. T.
Littleton, John
Littleton, Mrs. Ira
Peterson, Carl C.
Peterson, Martin
Patterson, J. F.
Robinson, H. E.
Shirley, E. W.
Thompson, G. J.

BEAT 9—BOX 2
Bice, J.
Childress, T. W.
Franzen, Andrew
Hayes, Clarence
Price, Lonie
Reagan, A. E.
Vines, J. L.

BEAT 10
Boswell, Wm. M.
Boswell, A. O.
Davis, Bettie E.
Dennis, Mrs. Laura
Davis, A. T.
Devaughn, Mrs. Temperance
Cleckler, Fonza
Culp, Mrs. Lizzie
Cox, W. M.
George, James E.
Headley, Mrs. Mahalie
Headley, J. A.
Kelley, E. D.
Miner, G. S.
Moore, Mrs. Anna
Nelson, G. W.
Prickett, Lottie
Taylor, B. L.

BEAT 11
Cleckler, Sallie Bell
Dennis, Sherman
Minor, J. L.
Robinson, J. R.

BEAT 12
Blow, J. T.
Collum, J. W.
Hall, Thomas D.
Mims, James Herlie

BEAT 13
Roberts, Roy
Roberts, Iva B.
Virgin, Henry F.

BEAT 14
Bowles, C. C.
Childress, Miss Alice
Dawson, W. R.
Dawson, Mrs. Dovie
Dawson, E. T.
Plier, Charlie H.
Wright, J. S.
Wright, Inez

BEAT 15
Anderson, G. T.
Culp, E. H.
Cox, John W.
Edwards, R. A.
Edwards, E. E.
Franklin, John F.
Franklin, Mrs. Etha
Milford, J. P.
Minor, J. Nathon
Ratliff, Mrs. Ella
Sexton, J. B.
Sexton, Russell C.
Weldon, J. W.
Wagoner, M. F.

BEAT 16
Miner, Mrs. Mary Malissa
Parrish, J. M.
Robinson, Miss Glennie

I, L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate in and for Chilton County, in State of Alabama, hereby certify that the above list of names, as the same appears by precincts and districts, is the supplemental list of qualified electors of Chilton County heretofore published in The Union-Banner under issue of Thursday, April 10, 1924, the above electors having reasonably satisfied said Judge of Probate by proper proof that his or her name should be added to said original list.

I further certify that the said original list of voters published in said newspaper, together with the above supplemental list, is the official list of qualified voters in said county and for the districts and precincts therein for the next ensuing year until the next list is published as provided by law.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

SOUTH CALERA

The Oak Grove singing class met with the Shiloh class Sunday afternoon. Directors for the afternoon were: J. H. Wood, Lorenza Cobb, Lassie Northcutt, Mr. Foshee, Mr. Blankenship and Mrs. Sarah Crim. Organists were, Miss Flossie Cobb, Miss Campbell and Miss Mexa Tate. The Oak Grove quartet rendered a beautiful selection, also a guitar duet was given by the Misses Martin, and a duet by Miss Cobb and Miss Martin was also enjoyed. The people of Shiloh were certainly glad to have the people of Oak Grove with them and we hope they will come back again next fourth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby were visitors for the week end to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess motored to Columbiana Monday.

Mr. Leslie Dean from Gadsden spent last Wednesday night at the home of Mr. G. S. Tate.

Mr. Elmer Campbell was home for the week end.

Mr. G. S. Lee made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson were the guests of Mrs. Robinson's parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Busby last week.

There was a singing at the home of Mr. P. Collum last Saturday night. A large crowd was present and all enjoyed the singing.

Mr. Homer Martin was home Saturday night and Sunday.

Little Misses Vera and Era Busby returned home Saturday evening after spending two weeks with relatives in Pelham.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Busby returned to Selma last week after a visit to Mr. Busby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Rev. Morton filled his regular appointment at Shiloh church Sunday morning.

Miss Catherine Clark went to Shelby Wednesday, returning to South Carela Saturday evening before leaving for Birmingham Monday.

Mr. Will Jones was home for the week end from Pelham.

Miss Lutie Jones visited relatives in Pelham last Monday.

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To Hold Primary Election Next Tuesday

REPUBLICANS, GO OUT TUESDAY AND VOTE FOR CHOICE

The Republican campaign in Chilton county which closes with the primary on next Tuesday, March 13th has been, as some choose to call it, a short and sweet campaign. We have on the ticket a goodly supply of candidates, but the campaign has been very quiet and peaceable. In regard to this election The Union-Banner has a few words which it wishes to say to the Republican voters of the county.

There is one ultimate aim which the Republican party of Chilton has in view and that is the election of our entire ticket in November, and it would be very unwise for us even before the primary to consider lightly this important matter. The Democrats are not raising any fuss, but our folks should not let this fact cause us to be in any way indifferent as to our own affairs and our own ticket. The fact that they are silent is only the strongest evidence that the Democrats have both eyes open and both ears cocked, taking in every movement that the Republicans have made and are going to make. They do not hope to succeed with their own party but their hopes lie in some possible flaw or some weak point which we may allow to creep into our own ticket and our own affairs. If we make any mistake in selecting any of our candidates, they will put forth their utmost efforts to beat us with a good man from their own ranks. They have withheld the naming of their candidates until after our primary for no other reason than to see whom we nominate and take advantage of us by naming their strongest men to oppose them.

For the reasons above laid out the Republicans should be very careful in selecting our candidates in this primary. By all means, we should nominate the strongest men we have on our ticket, and now is the time for us to select these men. We all have personal friends whom we would like to give our vote, but in the meantime, we have other things to consider as well. If we fail to look beyond the primary and determine as best we can how our choice will run over the entire county against a good Democrat, we will be doing a mighty risky and unwise thing. We should nominate men against whom the Democrats can find not a flaw or a blemish, because it is in this very identical respect that their hopes lie in beating one or more of our candidates. Let us not consider lightly this all-important matter.

Another thing we should bear in mind is the past political record of the candidates. If a man has stuck to the party in the past that is very good reason to suppose that he will continue to stick and fight for our principles even if he is tendered a public office. If our party shall stand and continue to hold together, we have got to nominate and elect to office men who will stand true to the principles of the party and do their utmost in waging our battles against the opposing politicians. A man in office can be a wonderful help to his party or he can do it harm whichever he chooses. We need men who have good judgment along this line.

And lastly, we should nominate good, true, straightforward, honest Christian men or women for our public offices. Our party was founded and has heretofore functioned upon the principle of right and justice to everybody, and for us to hold our own we have got to present the goods in this one respect. The people are not going to keep any one party in power very long unless it gives satisfactory service and there is no reason why it should. The mere fact that a man is a Republican is not going to hold him up in public esteem but at the same time he has got to be a true and faithful servant of his constituents. Our party has furnished men of this type in the past—this is the reason that the party has been entrusted with the management of our county. Let us continue to furnish such men for our public offices and in this way warrant the support and aid of the voters of the county.

So, we appeal to the Republican voters of the county to go to your respective voting places next Tuesday and vote. This is a rather busy season with the farmers, but the few minutes time it will take you to go to the polls and vote may be worth infinitely more to you than what little work you would do by staying at home. Let's all stop our work next Tuesday long enough to go to the polls and vote.

KKK CELEBRATION HELD IN CLANTON THURSDAY NIGHT

Clanton Klan, No. 35 of the Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, held a public Klan celebration and naturalization ceremony in the high school ball park in Clanton Thursday night, May 1. There were present on this unique occasion between eight and ten thousand spectators. Taking part in the various numbers of the program were about seven hundred robed Klansmen.

The program was opened at 7:30 when the Dixie Concert Band of Clanton rendered a nice musical number. This was followed by an address on "The Principles of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," by Dr. W. Earle Hotalen, Emperial Lecturer of Atlanta, Ga. Dr. Hotalen, dressed in full Klan regalia, stood before this massive group of people for about an hour and delivered a lecture which was unsurpassed from the standpoint of Christian religion and American ideals. During the lengthy speech several outbursts of applause were given the lecturer by the enthusiastic host of listeners.

Under the charge of Bert E. Thomas, the State officials of the Klan administered the naturalization rites to upwards of 250 new members of the organization. This ceremony was held in open view of the spectators, who were allowed to hear the oaths taken by the naturalized aliens.

After the naturalization ceremony came the pyrotechnic display featuring Klan fireworks of all kinds. This was the most unique display of pyrotechnics ever shown in this vicinity.

This occasion will be long remembered by the people of Chilton county and adjacent territory, which has served much in creating in the hearts of the men and women a profound reverance for the organization and a sincere regard for the principles which it expounds.

200-MILE ROAD TO BE PAVED THRU CLANTON IN YEAR

Hard-Surface Highway to Connect Decatur and Montgomery; Bee Line Highway.

Mintgomery, Ala., May 2.—Montgomery and Decatur will be connected with a paved highway, most of the work on which is included in the 1924-25 program of the state highway department, according to information today from W. S. Keller, state highway engineer. The continuous paved road from Montgomery to Decatur will be a few miles under 200. The distance between the two points by rail being approximately 182 miles. The road will be part of the famous Bee line highway. The section between Birmingham and Montgomery is commonly known as the "Birmingham-Montgomery" highway, which passes through Clanton.

Mr. Keller stated that the entire route between Montgomery and Decatur has been built or is on the program for 1924-25, except for some 15 to 20 miles in Blount county, and the section of the road in Montgomery county, from the city of Montgomery to the Reese's Ferry bridge over the Alabama river. The Blount county section is reported as being located on the abandoned right of way of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, and the Montgomery county road is also in comparatively good shape, so that these two stretches will be given attention later, although both will be eventually paved.

Mr. Keller stated that according to plans at the highway department, the highway will enter Montgomery at West End, passing by Maxwell Field, the aviation station on the outskirts of Montgomery.

WORK BEGINS ON CHILTON HIGHWAY

Actual work has really begun on Chilton county's portion of the Montgomery-Birmingham highway. The bridge crew have already pitched their tents up near Minooka and are beginning to build the culverts and bridges. They have gone at this thing just right, since the bridges are the first things that ought to be built. After this is done the graders can go right to filling in the dirt around the bridges and using them for transporting the material and implements. The fact that the work has really begun on this highway will be gratifying news to the people of Chilton county.

TRUCK OWNERS ASKED TO MEET IN CLANTON SATURDAY

Editor Union-Banner:

By the request of 15 truck owners, I am asking all the truck owners in Chilton County who oppose the truck tax law to meet us in Clanton at the court house next Saturday, May 10 at 10 o'clock a.m., to arrange with our attorneys to fight our case. Everybody be there who oppose this law whether you own a truck or not.

Respectfully,
J. N. SCOTT.

ROBERT TEEL BACK HOME

After serving a year's sentence at Vredenburgh, Mr. R. A. Teel returned to his home in Clanton last Thursday. We don't know whether he was joking or not, but Bob says he is glad to get back home. He says he had rather handle cross ties any time than lumber.

CHILTON WINS SERIES FROM UNIVERSITY HIGH OF B'HAM

The University High School boys of Birmingham arrived in Clanton early Friday morning expecting to take back home with them a series of easy victories. But when they left Saturday evening they were fully confident that they need more practice to cope with the "Tigers," as they had been beaten three straight games and more than quadroupled in score, 32 to 7.

Each of the local pitchers, Burnett and Mullins, was in superb trim, and when supported by a team that could gather hits like the Chilton boys, proved too much for the city visitors. The only sensational play of the entire games came in the second inning of the second game when the score stood two and one in favor of the visitors, Mullins started the races when he got a three-base hit with two on.

Grabin was the "star" for the University boys, getting two hits and three runs in the second game. He was by far the fastest man on the team, this being demonstrated when caught off of base between third and home.

The city visitors showed a very nice spirit during the games, and offered their assistance in helping the "Tigers" schedule a series of games with some of the best high school teams of the State.

NEW BOLL WEEVIL CIRCULAR READY FOR THE FARMERS

Explains Conditions Under Which Poison Should Be Applied and Tells How to Do It.

Auburn, Ala., May 5.—"Poisoning the Boll Weevil" is the title of a circular written by Dr. W. E. Hinds, published by the Extension Service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, and now being distributed to farmers by county demonstration agents. At the outset Dr. Hinds explained the conditions under which boll weevil poisoning should be done, saying:

"It will pay to poison if the weevils are really injuring your crop seriously; and if your land is sufficiently fertile to yield at least one-third bale per acre with weevil injury eliminated; and if your farming organization is such that you feel assured that the poison will be applied at the right time and in the right manner; and if you are willing to spend the full amount necessary to provide an adequate supply of poison and proper dusting machinery.

"You should not poison if the cost of calcium arsenate, plus the labor to apply it, and the depreciation on the dusting machines will total more per acre than the current value of 100 pounds of seed cotton.

Hand guns of the cheapest type should be figured as depreciating 100 per cent in a season and the larger machines about 25 per cent."

Early destruction of weevils is rated as very important. "Wherever 20 or more over-wintered weevils per acre occur," said Dr. Hinds, "it is advisable to make one pre-square application of poison. Apply it just before squares become large enough for weevils to feed on them."

For this pre-square application either a freshly mixed home-made calcium arsenate-syrup mixture or dry calcium arsenate may be used. For all later poisoning Dr. Hinds strongly recommends the use of only dry calcium arsenate.

REPUBLICANS WILL ELECT DELEGATES TO THE COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republicans of the county should not overlook the matter of selecting their delegates to the county convention to be held in Clanton Friday, May 16th. The Republicans of each voting precinct are to meet at or near the voting place in that precinct at 2 o'clock on the day of the primary election, May 13th, and elect two delegates to the county convention to be held on the following Friday. At the county convention delegates will be chosen to represent the county in the State and District conventions. The Republicans of each Beat should look after the election of their delegates.

MOVED BACK TO CLANTON

Last week ex-Sheriff H. A. Harris moved back to Clanton from Maplesville, where he has been teaching school for the past two years. Mr. Harris is occupying his same home on Fifth street. We are glad to have Mr. Harris and his family back in Clanton with us.

VISITED TUSCALOOSA

On last Sunday Dr. J. P. Crumpton and wife, accompanied by J. M. Wyatt, Mrs. Lucian Duncan and Misses Elizabeth and Dorothy Duncan, took a motor trip over to Tuscaloosa. They went by way of Randolph, Centerville and Blocton. They report a very enjoyable trip notwithstanding the fact that the roads were found rather bumpy and rough. The trip was made in Dock's new Dodge.

ENDORSES W. J. EASTERLING

Editor Union-Banner:

In behalf of the candidacy of W. J. Easterling, who is in the race for county commissioner from the Fourth District, I wish to say that I have known Mr. Easterling for the past thirty years and have always found him to be upright, true and honest. He is a true Republican, having always supported the Republican ticket and worked for the success of the party.

Mr. Easterling is not in favor of burdening the people with taxes, and if elected to this office, he will do all he can to make the burden of taxation as light as possible. He will spend the people's money to the best advantage of all the people of the county. Mr. Easterling is fully qualified to attend to the duties of the office of county commissioner, and I, knowing him as I do, unhesitatingly recommend him to the voters of the county.

Yours very truly,
J. M. JOHNSON.

VERBENA SCHOOL WILL BUILD FINE NEW HOME SOON

The trustees of the Verbena Consolidated High Schoil are proud to have received from the State Department of Education the news that their school has been placed on the list of accredited high schools of the State. This worthy credit was extended the Verbena school with the understanding that a new modern building be provided in time for school next year. In response to this requirement, the trustees are arranging to construct a $30,000 modern, fully equipped building, same to be finished in time for use next session. With this fine new building and with their name on the accredited high school list Verbena will make the other near-by towns sit up and take notice. Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, the hustling young principal of the school, like the other citzens of Verbena, is not saying much about what they are doing, but they are going to build them a school and you may depend on that.

COUNTY BUYS ANOTHER TRACTOR

To the road working machinery has recently been added a five-ton "Best" caterpillar tractor. The county bought a Holt five-ton tractor a few weeks ago, and everybody seems to be mighty well pleased with the work it is doing. With the equipment the county now has, the commissioners are in position to do some real road building, and they are doing their best to get our roads in good shape. Everybody thinks that the commissioners ought to work their particular road first, but we should bear in mind that we have a number of roads in the county that need working and we have got to work them one or two at a time. The work will be extended to all the roads just as soon as possible.

COMMISSIONERS COURT

The Commisisoners Court of Chilton County was in session Monday of this week passing on claims against the county for road work. Some other matters of minor importance regarding the road working program were discussed.

The regular quarterly meeting of the court will be held Monday and Tuesday of next week. At this meeting the regular business of the body will be taken up and disposed of.

GRAND RALLY OF THE FARMERS AND THEIR FRIENDS

A grand rally of the farmers and their friends will be held at Maplesville on Saturday, May 10th, 10 a.m., to organize the Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union of America. Everybody invited. There will be speaking (no politics) by Mr. Yoakum, president of the Gulf Coast & Sante Fe Railway, Mr. Reno Prisa, of the Farmers Union of Iowa; Mr. Collins of Kansas, and Mr. McElderry of Alabama, Judge Taylor of Uniontown and others who wish to be heard.

W. R. K. STANFORD,
State Organizer.

CAN VOTE BUT ONE BALLOT IN MAY 13th PRIMARY ELECTION

There seems to be some misunderstanding among the voters as to whether a voter can vote for state officers on the Democratic ticket and for county officers on the Republican ticket in the primary next Tuesday. As a matter of information, we will state that the law does not allow this kind of voting. Only one ticket can be used, and the attention of the election managers and the public in general is called to this fact.

Section 17, page 223 of the 1915 Acts regulating primary elections in Alabama reads: "Any qualified elector who is also a member of a political party, as herein defined, participating in a primary election, shall be entitled to vote at such primary election and shall receive the official primary election ballot of the political party, and no other."

Section 11 of the same Acts provides that the State Executive Committee of the political party has the power to regulate quelifications of electors participating in the primary. This power is also extended to the county executive committees in the nomination of county officers.

Section 60 provides a penalty of not less than $50 and not more than $500 or hard labor for not more than six months for violating any of the primary acts.

The election managers at primary elections have a right to ascertain a voter's political record to determine which ballot he shall vote, and when a voter uses a party's ballot in a primary election he enters into a moral obligation to support that party's ticket in the general election.

WELDON DRUG STORE SOLD TO DR. J. P. HAYES & SON

A recent business transaction of importance in Clanton was the selling of the Weldon Drug Store by Mr. E. T. Weldon to Dr. J. P. Hayes and his son, Wilbert Hayes, the first of this week. Wilbert, otherwise known as "Dick", returned a few days ago from Macon, Ga., where he has completed a course in pharmacy, and with the help of his father, he has gone into the drug and pharmacy business for himself. Wilbert is a hustling young man and the future before him in his chosen profession is very promising indeed. With the help of his father, who is one of the foremost and ablest physicians in our town, "Dick" will certainly make good in his drug store.

It is reported that Dr. Hayes will move his office into the drug store building, so that he may be close to the drug business and may be able to render his son all the assistance possible in caring for the work of the store. Dr. Hayes says that he is going to put some money into this business and see that it is pushed to a finish.

The barber shop now owned by Mr. E. T. Weldon and which has heretofore had quarters in the front of the drug store will be moved out so as to give the drug store ample room and frontage space. The barber shop will still be owned by Mr. Weldon and operated by N. A. Gray but will be located in the old Wolfe shoe shop stand just west of the drug store.

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Candidates Make Last Appeal to the Voters

LETTER FROM A REPUBLICAN VOTER

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your interesting paper for a few words.

I noticed in a recent issue a letter from one Mr. O. R. Robinson in behalf of the candidacy of Mr. Kin Vinson.

I agree with Mr. Robinson that we must keep Republicans in office but he fails to get me to see or to believe that the faithful Republicans of Chilton county are afraid to plact their trust in the candidacy of a 100 per cent American lady whose people are tried Republicans and stood by the party for all these years.

Mr. Robinson says the time is not "ripe" for the ladies to hold office but the weakness of that argument is self-evident, because the very law that gave them the right to vote also gave them the right to accept the votes of others.

How can one imagine a man going about over the county or staying at home and asking the women to vote for a man as Mr. Robinson is doing and then say that the time is not ripe for a man to vote for a woman.

I will ask Mr. Robinson to please explain to the voters of the county what he means by saying the time is not "ripe" for a woman to hold office. Does he mean that they are not honest and can't be trusted or does he just mean that they should be left unconsidered without a reason?

Mr. Robinson refers to Mr. Vinson coming back from the army a clean man. That is good and we appreciate that fact, yet that was nothing but the duty of a man and no one has a right to boast of performing a plain duty. As for his service in the army, we also appreciate that too, yet when you stop to consider what more did he do than millions of others, including the ladies who sat by a dim light in the weary hours of night to prepare clothing and other comforts for the soldiers over there, not only that but the ladies volunteered their services in the work of the Red Cross, that the soldiers needs might be met.

But this, voters of Chilton county is not the question that service has been rendered by both sides and we are out now looking for some one that will make a good treasurer of this county, and this being the fact, I know of no better way to safeguard that part of the county's affairs for the next four years than to cast our votes for Miss Genie Collins who has just come out in a recent issue of The Union-Banner and says: "I shall leave nothing undone that will add to efficiency in any way and shall safeguard all that is entrusted to me."

Fellow citizens, I am of the type that when I hear the voice of a lady pledging her heart to the work I know nothing to do but to believe it.

In reference to Mr. Robinson's letter refering to Mr. Vinson's qualifications, will say Miss Genie Collins has been at work in the court house for three and one-half years and is well qualified to take care of any business coming her way as well as being able to give valuable information pertaining to other affairs of the county.

Hoping that the voters of the county will join with me in a serious consideration of Miss Genie Collins on May 13th, in showing our appreciation of her services past rendered and also thanking the editor of The Union-Banner for printing this letter, I am,

Very truly,
A REPUBLICAN VOTER.

LETTER IN INTEREST OF MRS. LOIS SIMS' CANDIDACY

Jemson, Ala., May 5, 1924.

Edtor Unon-Banner:

Please allow me a small space in your good old paper for the benefit of my friends and to the voters of Chilton county, and also the Republican party.

I have not been accustomed to writing to the paper but I feel just like I want to say something in this campaign in behalf of Mrs. Lois Sims, as she has two children to raise and educate and needs the support of the office; and she is competent and worthy of it. I fully believe that if she is elected that she will fill it to the honor of herself and to the honor of the Republican party. As we are commanded to help the needy, I feel just like we could not do a better deed than cast our votes for her. So I hope that each voter on May 13th will consider her. So I have nothing more for this time.

Respectfully,
J. A. ROGERS.

MR. J. P. DYKES WRITES LETTER TO VOTERS

Calera, Ala., May 3, 1924.

To the Republican Voters of Chilton County:

As it is generally known that I am a candidate for nomination and re-election as a member of the County Board of Education, I am taking this opportunity to thank the Republicans of the county for their past support and influence in my behalf. I will appreciate a continuance of your support and influence, and should I receive the nomination it will be my purpose to co-operate with the patrons of the schools in management of same just as I have in the past.

I feel that my past experience as a member of the board will aid me in the discharge of the duties of the office and will ultimately be of benefit to the schools. I have the interests of the schools of our county as a whole at heart, and appreciate the disadvantages that we heretofore had and feel that if elected I will be able to serve the people and the schools more efficiently in the future than I have in the past. I probably have made some mistakes in the past in the discharge of the duties of the office. However, I have tried at all times to do the right thing and to make you an efficient officer, and at the same time maintain our party and the principles for which it stands.

I have no ill feeling toward any of my opponents and realize that they are all desirous of rendering service to their fellow-man end the cause of education, however, when I announced I felt that the people of this county would give due consideration to the fact that I have not received any pay whatever for my past services as I was elected under a law that did not authorize payment for the service as a member of the board, however, this law has now been changed and the person elected for the next term will receive compensation for his services. I will therefore appreciate receiving the nomination as I would thereby receive some pay, or partly so, for the expense that I was put to during the past term.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the citizens of this county for their past confidence in my ability and for having co-operated with me and the board in our humble efforts to educate our children.

I have made no promises to receive the vote and influence of any person and if I am nominated it will be my purpose in the future as in the past to discharge the duties of the office to the best interest of our party and maintain as high a standard of education in the county as is possible.

Yours very respectfully,
J. P. DYKES.

MR. HUBBARD WRITES ABOUT ELECTION

Editor Union-Banner:

The Primary is near at hand, and we will soon know who the Republican candidates are, and who we will be expected to vote for in November.

I want to thank you for what you said about my political record in refering to my daughter, Mrs. Sims being a candidate for County Treasurer. I hope no act of mine will ever cause any Republican to ever regret having supported me in the past. I have at all times been ready to help elect our nominees. I have never sulked, or been sore when my party acted, when they make nominations. I always yield to their choice, in fact I have no patients with any Republican that put his opinion against his party's opinion.

Now my daughter, Mrs. Lois Sims has two children to support and this office would help educate her children, but I am not appealing to the Republican voters soley on this account, but I know she is well qualified for the place, and will make the County an efficient officer and I assure all Republican voters that I will appreciate any help you may geve my daughter, but on the other hand if you decide that some one else is better qualified, and more deserving than she is I will do all I can to help elect your choice and youu will find Mrs. Sims working and voting for the ticket.

Again thanking the people of this County for what they have done for me I am as ever a Republican for the party, and hope to see a good turn out at the Primary, and my wish is that after the nominations are made that all Republicans will go to the polls and vote for the Nominees.

Respectfully,
T. J. HUBBARD.

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF CHILTON COUNTY:

I take this method of again bringing to your attention the fact that I am a candidate for Treasurer of the County, subject to the action of the Republican primary on May 13th.

While I have seen many of the voters from every portion of the county, my duties have been so exacting that I have not been able to canvass the county as thoroughly as I would have liked. However, the Republicans of Chilton county know me and I know them, and I will be deeply grateful for whatever support is given me. If nominated and elected, I pledge the people the faithful discharge of the duties of the office. It is hardly necessary for me to say that I will stand by the nominees of the primary for the people must know that for well nigh forty years I have worked for and supported the ticket of their choice.

In conclusion, I wish to thank my many friends throughout the county for their assurance of support, and to urge all the Republicans to take part in the primary, and we will all see that the ticket is elected in November.

Sincerely,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

J. L. BURNETT WRITES LETTER TO THE VOTERS

Lawley, Ala., May 5, 1924.

To the Voters of Chilton County:

Doubtless you are aware that I am a candidate for the office of county commissioner from the Third District of Chilton county, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held May 13th. I am asking for this office wholly on my own merits. I feel that I know the duties of a commissioner and if I should be fortunate enough to be nominated and elected, I want to assure every one that I shall do my full duty to the very best of my ability and with special favors to none. If elected, it will always be my aim to work for the interest of all the people and spend their money as economically as is consistent with their best interest.

My record is open to all, and to those who are not personally acquainted with me, I wish to insist that before you cast your vote that you give me a full investigation. I was raised in Beat 7 of this county and shall be glad to have you make any investigations of my life record. I have never voted anything but a straight Republican ticket and have been voting that for twenty-six years. After you have investigated my records if you find that I am worthy of your support and if you believe that my ability is such that will enable me to make a successful commissioner, I most heartily solicit your support and influence.

I would like to have seen every voter personally before the primary, but I am a farmer and it has been impossible for me to have the time to make a thorough canvas, but it has been my desire to meet and talk with every voter, but since it has been impossible to do so, I again insist that you give me a full investigation and cast your vote accordingly to your honest convictions. Should I fail to get the nomination, I shall continue to work for the Republican party in the future just as I have always done in the past.

Sincerely,
J. L. BURNETT.

MRS. LOIS SIMS WRITES LETTER TO VOTERS

Jemison, Ala., May 5, 1924.

To the Voters of Chilton County:

As I haven't had anything to say to the voters through the county paper in regard to my candidacy, and haven't had the opportunity of seeing only a few, I take this means of asking your support in the race for county treasurer.

I feel that I am amply qualified to fill the office with credit to myself and the county. I am the daughter of Mr. T. J. Hubbard of Jemison, and I have always been a Republican and believe in the principle of same.

I have never asked for an office before, but if you can see fit to honor me with your vote and I am elected, I promise to do my uttermost to discharge the duties entrusted to me by dealing justice to every one.

I have two children in school age that I am trying to educate and feel that the office would greatly help me to do by them as I would like.

I again ask you to consider me when casting your vote and I am sure no one will appreciate it more than I will.

However, if I am defeated, your choice will be mine.

Very truly yours,
(MRS.) LOIS SIMS.

MR. BICE WRITES A LETTER TO VOTERS

Thorsby, Ala., May 5, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a short space in your paper for a few words to the voters of Chilton county, to both men and women. I assure you I will appreciate your vote and influence and anything you do for me will not be forgotten. I will not be able to canvass the county and see all of you; I wish I could. If you give me your vote and influence you will not regret it. I understand the work of county treasurer. There were no complaints against me the two years I held it and there can be none. Come on and get in the boat. I am going to win the race. I am now on the home run and seem to be ahead. I have a great deal of encouragement from all parts of the county. So come on the 13th and stand by your old friend that never backs from duty and stands for the right in all things.

Your friend,
J. BICE.

—For additional letters from candidates, see page 3.

Mr. W. B. Cooper of Route 7 was in Clanton recently.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. R. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-70, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

ADVERTISING PAYS SAYS PROF. DUNCAN

Suggests That Farmers Use Their Local Papers to Find a Market For Surplus Products.

Auburn, Ala., May 5.—Proper use of advertising for selling farm products is a good way to increase farm incomes. Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director of the Extension Service, is confident that this can be done, and he offers concrete suggestions for doing su.

"If you have a surplus of fruits, vegetables, seed, or a few hogs, calves, chickens, or an extra milk cow for which you have no satisfactory market a small advertisement in your local paper might find you one," said he. "It may be that the first will not succeed, and that a second or a third will be necessary. If you are looking for a market outside of your county or local territory you can well afford to consider the farm papers, but this must depend upon the product and upon the market which you wish to reach."

Attention is called to the fact that successful business men long ago discovered the value of advertising. There are many big concerns which appropriate tens and hundreds of thousands of dollars annually for advertising purposes.

From the standpoint of buyers, advertising has an advantage. It is safer to buy goods that are well advertised, because no concern can afford to spend large sums advertising a product which is without quality. Advertising is one of the big forces in successful selling today, but farmers have not taken advantage of it to the extent that manufacturers, jobbers, and merchants have done.

NO SERVICES AT FRIENDSHIP ON FOURTH SUNDAY

We are requested to announce that on account of the all-day singing at Providence on the Fourth Sunday in May, there will be no preaching at Friendship at the regular 11 o'clock hour that day. Instead there will be service Saturday night before. Preaching will be held Sunday night as usual.

PROVIDENCE, BEAT 16

We have reorganized our Singing Society at this place and elected officers. If no change is made, we will meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month at 2 o'clock p.m. All singers and lovers of music are invited to meet with us.

J. MID MIMS.

TO ORGANIZE CHURCH AT ROBINSON GRAVEYARD

All interested in orgniazing a Missionary Baptist church at Robinson Graveyard, near Mineral Springs are requested to meet at Mineral Springs school house on Saturday night before the third Sunday in May. Mr. Guy Higgins has agreed to donate site for building.

J. M. PASCHEL.

CEMETERY CLEANING AT PROVIDENCE

Any and all persons who are interested in the Providence cementery (Beat 16) are requested to meet at said cemetery Friday morning, May the 16th, with necessary tools for cleaning off the cemetery and church ground.

G. C. POWELL

Mr. Joe Robinson, son of Jno. M. Robinson, was in Clanton Sunday and Monday. He went out to the river on a fishing trip Monday.

"If Your Pain Is There, What You Need Is a Good Tonic For the Kidneys"

The kidneys are the scavengers and they work day and night in separating and the poisons from the blood. Their signals of distress are easily recognized and include such symptoms as lumbago, backache, depressions, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic twinges, dropsy.

People are realizing more and more every day that the kidneys, just as do the bowels, need to be flushed occasionally. The kidneys are an eliminative organ and are constantly working, separating the poisons from the blood. Under this continual and perpetual action they are apt to congest, and then trouble starts. Uric acid backs up into the system, causing rheumatism, neuralgia, dropsy and many other serious disturbances. It means that you are a victim of uric acid poisoning. Then ask your druggist for Anuric (anti uric acid) and you will very soon become one of hundreds who have been helped by this powerful enemy to uric acid.

Dr. Pierce manufactures Anuric (kidney-backache) tablets and you can obtain a trial pkg. by enclosing 10c and addressing Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

PROGRAM PROVIDENCE, BEAT 13

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow us a small space in your most valuable paper to announce the program and arrangements for our Annual Memorial Service at this place, Providence Church, Beat 13.

Devotional exercises, conducted by C. S. McCain, J. F. Lowery and others, 10 o'clock a.m.

A song, No. 157, Hallelujah, led by W. R. Houlditch.

Welcome address, by W. H. Shaw, Birmingham.

Song, No. 208, title, French Board, led by J. H. Martin.

Preaching at 11 a.m., by Rev. Thomas, pastor.

A song by Mr. Berl Martin, If You Love Your Mother Meet Her in the Sky.

After preaching, the audience will proceed to march to cemetery and sing No. 130, Passing Away; also No. 341, Lone Pilgrim.

Prayer by Rev. R. M. Honeycutt; after which a song, No. 335, When I am Gone.

Dismissed for dinner by Rev. G. W. Bailey.

In the afternoon will be taken up in song service in the new books and we especially invite the coming of all singers and lovers of music, and let's make this a day of joy and a success, if it is our Master's will so to be.

Also we are expecting the Clanton Quartet class, of whom we certainly greet them a happy welcome. We hope to make this a day to be long remembered and enjoyed by all who attend. So come one and all and let's make this a real memorial day. Everybody is invited to come and bring a well filled basket.

Also we wish to say that we especially invite everybody interested to meet us Thursday, May 15th, for the purpose of cleaning off cemetery at this place, Providence, Beat 13.

C. S. McCAIN,
J. H. MARTIN,
W. F. THOMPSON,
Committee.

D. M. Apperson and Wade Harris of Maplesville were among the attenders at commissioners court last Monday.

REPUBLICANS MEET

Street, Coolidge and Ford Endorsed at Albany-Decatur Session Last Friday.

Albany-Decatur, Ala., May 3.—Morgan County Republicans endorsed O. D. Street for national committeeman, Calvin Coolidge for president and Henry Ford as the lessee of Muscle Shoals at a meeting held here Friday night. A banquet was served at the Lyons Hotel prior to the business meeting. The delegates to the state Republican convention will be elected here May 13. The State convention will be held at Birmingham May 19. Jerry Murphy, of Huntsville, was cosen from this district to be delegate to the national Republican convention.

FOUND GLASSES

Last Monday afternoon Uncle Dock Gentry brought into our office a pair of gold rim spectacles which he found at the court house a few minutes before. The glasses are in a white cloth-covered case. Owner may get glasses at The Union-Banner office by paying for this advertisement.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

Th' wheelbarrow ain't as classy lookin' as some o' these fine automobiles but it'll do a powerful lot o' haulin' if it's got enough push behind it

NEW BARBER SHOP

Opposite the George Marcus Meat Market on Seventh Street, in the C. Reese Mullins building. Everything clean as a pin. Hot water from electric heat. Satisfaction guaranteed. Collie Glass and Hop Cowart, barbers. Your patronage will be appreciated.

C. REESE MULLINS
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CLANTON, ALABAMA

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Candidates Make Last Appeal to the Voters

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WM. R. BAKER WRITES

Clanton, Ala., May 8, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

In offering myself to the voters of Chilton County for their consideration on May 13th for the nomination as member of the County Board of Education, I do so with a full understanding of the responsibilities the office carries with it. I have taught school for thirteen years during which time I was more or less associated with the Board.

I have read the school laws repeatedly for the past fourteen years and have been in conference with the various county Superintendents of this and adjoining counties. I have attended practically every educational gathering or speaking of any kind I could get to for the past fifteen or twenty years. I have read from one to four books on education every year for the past ten or twelve years.

There is nearly as much money to be handled by the County Board of Education as there is by the Commissioners of Chilton County, and there is room for waste or saving in these offices just the same as in those of the commisianers. If nominated and elected I expect to do all in my power to handle this money is economically as it is possible to handle it. I intend to do my best to give every boy and girl in Chilton County an equal chance at an education for the next four years, so far as State and county funds go, if you elect me.

I believe that wherever it is handy for enough choldren to come together there should be from a two to four teacher school, but I fail to see the economy just yet in burdening the people of Chilton County with taxes enough to haul seven thousand children to ten or twelve schools in the county. A truck can carry only about twenty children at a load, and if we have to employ trucks enough to haul 5,000 children it would take about two hundred and fifty trucks. If we had to pay each truck $75 per month, which is very reasonable on our muddy winter roads, or would take $18,750 per month, which is enough to hire two hundred first and second grade teachers for twice that length of time. To put it in other words, it would cut our schools to one-third the length of time they can get by not having the districts so large and still part of the children have to walk to school. I don't think it will hurt a child to walk to school with wet, muddy shoes any worse than it will to get them wet and muddy pushing a truck out of a mud hole and then riding with them wet and muddy.

I believe that nearly every school house in this county needs some improvements. Some should be discarded and new ones built in their place, or in case the children are handy enough, go to another one.

As the people pay the taxes to support our school system, they should have more voice in the schools than they now have. If the people build their school house, I believe the majority in any district should say for what purpose the house should be used. I believe the qualified voters of any district should elect their trustees; I believe the qualified voters of the county should say who their county superintendent should be, and I promise if elected, to give the people these rights as far as it is in my power to do so.

In conclusion let me say that if I wanted advice on law I would go to a lawyer; If I wanted to know what was the matter with my car I would go to a mechanic; and I have always tried to take the advice of school men on school subjects. In my humble way of thinking I believe we need school men on the school board in Chilton County. If the voters of the county will only give me a chance to make good, by your help and the help of our Maker I shall do all in my power to make a model school board member and have the best schools Chilton County has ever had.

I want also to state that I have been fighting the battles of the Republican party for the past fifteen years, and every time that I have failed to get my choice in the primary I have put my shoulder to the wheel and done all that I could to land the man who was the choice of the majority of the people, and God being my helper I expect to do so this time.

Let me again beg each man and woman voter of Chilton County to please consider me, and if you possibly can cast your vote for me on May 13th.

Yours as ever,
Wm. R. BAKER.

MR. J. H. BENSON WRITES INTERESTING LETTER TO US

Editor Union-Banner:

The primary is near at hand and the Republicans will on next Tuesday have a chance to vote for their choice for the various officers to be elected. I can see no reason for any mistake to be made as we have a good bunch of candidates to pick from, and I feel sure good officers will be nominated. When I say good officers I speak advisedly, for it is a foregone conclusion that the Republican nominees will be elected as the Democrats are acting wise one time by not putting out a ticket. They have abolished courts just to fit the prejudice of a few in Clanton and have done so many things that the people are opposed to that they would do well to let the people forget what they have done before they try again.

There is one thing the Republicans ought to feel proud of in this county, and that is every time they split and some get sore and will not support the ticket, you may just bet your bottom dollar that the Democrates will do something to disgust not only the Republicans that voted with them but many Democrats are turned away by the action of just a few. Isn't it passingly strange that the conservative Democrats will take a back seat and let a few ruin their party and follow the lead of less than a dozen wo are dominated by a sentiment of rule or ruin? Who is it that suggested that they not have a ticket? Just a few who say that they can pick out the candidates better than the people can in a primary. This is just the reason that it would be dangerous to give the Democratic party control of the affirs of this county—less than a dozen would dictate the policies of the officers and that policy would be in the interest of their select crowd.

I want to say a few words about our road law. It seems to me to be a good one, and with a few minor changes, we will soon have good roads all over the County. I hate to see a few selfish men that show the spirit of destroying the entire system just because they have to pay $11.75 on a truck to haul lumber. We all know that the saw mills do our roads more damage than all other hauling put together, and the Legislature took the same view when they made the law that the counties could only tax lumber trucks and those hauling minerals. I have not heard of any kicking except those like Jap Scott who was kicking because they have to pay a little fee of $11.75. Why not wait and see what the road law will do for us before we kick. From what I have seen there has been more real road work done in the last two months than there has been done in this county for two years. Just wait and see when the road machines get to your neighborhood and see what they do for the roads. Let's pay our truck license and give the law a chance before we kick.

I want to say a few words in behalf of Monroe Smith, candidate for member of the County Board of Education. He is a fine fellow and will make an ideal member of the Board. We can be assured that if he is elected he will listen to what the people say, and when it comes to electing a Superintendent, you can bet your bottom dollar that he will vote for a man worthy of the cause and one who will not pretend to be a Republican and then always vote the Democratic ticket and try to run the politics of the county. We need a Superintednent who will as nearly as possible stay out of politics and work for the interest of the people and the schools. Our schools have suffered already on account of politics. We are entitled to a Republican superintendent as we are responsible for the administration, but we do not want to get a pretended Republican who always aids the Demorcats I am glad to see our people so well united, and we must support the nominees. We can all see what it would mean to the county to let the Democrats get in control.

We must not forget the mass meetings the day of the election at each voting place at two o'clock p.m. We must elect good delegates to go to Clanton for the Convention which meets at Clanton Friday, the 16th. Let's elect delegates that are with the people—men that always stand by the party in defeat as well as in victory. I would not trust any man politically who would stand to rack fodder or no fodder. We have a few that are always bully good fellows when they are wanting something but when they are defeated then they begin to kick. We want Republicans who will stand up under defent is well as under victory.

Yours truly,
J. H. BENSON.

MR. H. B. GLENN MAKES FINAL APPEAL TO COUNTY VOTERS

Editor Union-Banner:

Through the columns of your paper I wish to make my position clear, as there seem to be many different opinions as to how the public roads of the county should be worked or kept up, and as I am a candidate for commissioner from the fourth district, will say first and last that I am for taxation for this purpose. In the main I favor taxing the wealth of the county for property owners use and ware them out. At the same time I am in favor of the boys that are 18 and over and are bearing their part of the burden in money or work.

Now, with the increased traffic both in volume and weight, it seems to me that we will have to collect taxes from all available sources in order to have the public funds for this purpose. As for wagons and buggies, I have two of each and am more than willing that a reasonable tax be assessed against them to help get roads for them to run on. Some think that we will never work the roads by taxation—I believe it can be done, but not in six months or in twelve months. It will take time to try it out as it is new to us. There will likely have to be changes made, but I for one one am willing and ready to try it out.

St, trusting that I have made my views clear on this subject and the primary is near at hand, let me appeal to all Republican voters of Chilton County to go to the polls on the 13th and cast your votes for the candidates of your choice for the different offices to be filled, then get behind the nominees and elect them in November.

So again I ask you to consider me at the polls, and your choice will be my choice.

Respectfully yours,
H. B. GLENN.

MR. HUGHES WRITES

To the Voters of Chilton County:

When I announced myself as a candidate for treasurer of Chilton County I did so fully realizing the duties and responsibilities of the office. While it is now less than a week until the primary, I am quite sure almost all the voters in the county have their minds settled as far whem they will cast their vote.

Everybody knows that anyone on the ticket yould appreciate your support, otherwise they would not have announced. Some of the candidates have said in substance that they are the only competent persons on the ticket to fill the offices. I would not think of saying that of myself, for the people would know it to be false. Every person on the ticket, so far is I know, is competent, reliable and honest.

I wish I could have seen every voter in the county, but as I have not, will you take this as a personal appeal for your support? To those who do not know me, I would be glad you would investigate my religious, social and political life. Those who do know me know that no one else could more highly appreciate your support.

Should I be nominated and elected I will endeavor to serve the people. If some one else is the people's choice in the primary that will be my choice in the general election.

Thanking you for any support you may lend me, I remain,

Respectfully yours,
C. D. HUGHES.

FOR MISS COLLINS

Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please allow me space in your paper to say a few words for Miss Genie Collins who is in the race for the treasurer's office. I don't pretend to understand politics, but I do believe that a woman who has had the business training that Miss Genie has can fill the place satisfactorily. She is not afraid of work, and her pleasing manner wins her friends wherever she goes. Since the fall of Eve, the joke has been on the women, but if a man is elected to the office he will hire a woman to do the work, then why not give her the honor and salary along with the work.

Here's hoping Miss Genie Collins will be the nominee with due respect to all the other candidates.

Yours respectfully,
MRS. A. P. ROBINSON.
Jemison, Ala., Route 4.

K. M. VINSON WRITES

Clanton, Ala., May 7, 1924.
To the Republican Voters:

Now that the time is near at hand for all the cendidates to close their campaigns before the primary, I want to say a few words to the citizens of our county:

First, I want to say that I am proud of the manner in which the many candidates have conducted their campaigns. We have had a clean and quiet campaign, each candidate trying to win on his or her own merits and not on the demerits of their opponents.

I have tried to let the people know that I will appreciate their support for the office of county treasurer, but I realize that there are many voters whom I have not been able to see and express myself to, but I want to assure each and every one who can see fit to vote for me on next Tuesday of my hearty appreciation and thanks for their support, and should I be the choice of the people as your nominee and be elected in November, I shall put forth every effort possible to serve you in a manner that you will never regret your vote.

Now, as my final word to all, both men and ladies, allow me to insist that you all come out on next Tuesday and cast your vote for the ones of your choice, and when you have selected your nominees, regardless of who they may be, I am for the entire Republican ticket and will do all in my power to help elect it unanimously in November.

Trusting that we may have a good turn out on next Tuesday, and that every candidate will be submissive to the people's selections, I remain,

Yours very truly,
K. M. VINSON.

MR. W. B. GREEN WRITES REGARDING CANDIDACY

Lawley, Ala., May 6, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to say a few words to the voters who will participate in the Republican primary to be held on May 13th. To begin with, will state that I am in favor of taking care of those first that are not able to take care of themselves. Either give every nook and corner of the county a school of some kind or else furnish each and everyone of them a safe and comfortable conveyance to a school some where. If it is good to haul some of the children to school it is good to haul them all, and if it is not good to haul them all let's stop hauling part of them at the expense of all.

In regard to so-called consolidated schools, I am not in favor of tearing up any of our rural schols for the purpose of consolidation unless by unanimous consent of all the patrons. Oh, but they say you can have the advantage of vocational courses and training in a consolidated school—teaching your daughter how to cook, sew, wash dishes, milk cows, clean house and many other useful vocations. That may be all true, but my experience is from observation and experience is that the best way to learn said vocations is by helping their mothers at home and taking quite a lot of the hardships from their shoulders. By so doing, they can pay their way as they go and when they become graduates in the primary course it is well enough for them to attend a higher grade and take an advanced course in studies, but few of them is likely to take the advanced course (enough). And as for the boys' course in agriculture in a vocational school, experience teaches us that between the plow handles is the best place that I have ever found for a boy to learn practical farming, especially in the primary grade up to about 16 years of age, and then when he completes a full primary course, up to that time he feels like he knows enough and has but little respect for a higher grade (enough of the farm.)

Now, in conclusion I wish to say that I think this end of the county is entitled to representation on the school board of Education, but you may think that I am not the proper person for the place. Although we have never failed to answer to the call and give from a stand-off to at least 2 or 3 to one, but it has always been done from a patriotic standpoint and not for gain or favor, and we will be found with our heads in the right direction again, regardless of who is nominated on May 13th.

Now, I think that everyone that will be on the Republican ticket on May 13th is worthy of the support of every voter in said primary and that they are well qualified to fill the position that they aspire to. Though some of us are doomed for defeat on that day, although sometimes defeat means victory in the future. So I wish I could vote for you all but you know I can't, but I will ask each and everyone of you to look down the line and make a cross mark just to the left of W. B. Green on the ticket. Now, before I close, I wish to congratulate the voctors that get the votes to put them over on May 13th, and say to the defeated ones that although you lost, the friends and acquaintances you made during the campaign more than compensated you for your loss.

So three cheers to the victors and a dish of cold crow to the rest of us, so just keep up courage.

W. B. GREEN.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

The strawberry season is now in full swing. Monday three cars were loaded and shipped. Contrary to the general opinion that the crop would be heavy because no late frosts killed them off, it has developed that the extreme cold weather early in January, after a season of mildness, destroyed many incipient fruit buds and consequently the crop will be very much less than anticipated. This is true not only in Thorsby but in all competing strawberry sections. In fact, the supply is so much less than the demand that prices are advancing instead of going down as the season progreases. The quality of the Thorsby berries is excellent and prices are ruling higher than ever known here, after the first week on the season, and best of all, they are sold before a wheel of the cars are turned, so there is no guessing where the grower will "get off."

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald and daughter Ila visited in Clanton Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Gerald will entertain the Lutheran Ladies Aid Society Thursday afternoon, May 15th.

Messrs. C. R. Foss, A. E. Reagan and Walter Parnell, together with Mrs. Reagan and Miss Naemi Turnquist motored to Montgomery last Sunday.

Mrs. Nels Petersen and children spent the week end at Prattville.

The stereopticon lecture at the Congregational church last Sunday night was not given as announced because the picture slides failed to arrive. However, the large audience thoroughly enjoyed the song service which was held as a substitute.

During the morning service at this church six new members were received, they were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williams, Bernice and Martha Williams, Plato Deason and Geraldine Dobson. Because one of the candidates for membership preferred baptism by emersion and because this church recognizes all forms of baptism as valid, a baptismal service was held at Charlott Creek at 4 o'clock p.m., last Sunday.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society was entertained last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. E. Norton.

MRS. A. M. JOHNSON PASSES

Mrs. Hattie Johnson, wife of A. M. Johnson, passed away at 12:30 a.m., Monday, May 5th, after a lingering illness which kept her pretty closely confined at home for more than a year. Funeral services, largely attended, were held at Thorsby Lutheral church at 2 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, conducted by Rev. E. W. Butler of Thorsby, a friend of the family, as no Lutheran minister was available. Rev. Butler spoke briefly from the text "Who shall roll us away the stone: And looking up they saw that the stone had been rolled away?"

A quartette choir composed of Misses Leora Goodgame and Naemi Turnquist, Rev. Butler and M. J. Soberg, sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and at the grave they sang "Nearer my God to Thee." The contributions of flowers were abundant and beautiful. As a token of respect and affection for both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, practically every place of business in the town was closed during the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson were married 47 years ago and were looking forward to the celebration of their Golden Wedding. They had no children. Mrs. Johnson leaves, besides her husband, five sisters, Mrs. Olive Tagg now at the Johnson home in Thorsby, Mrs. Walter Child of Minneapolis, Mrs. Lillian Monear and Miss Sarah Dale of Detroit, and Mrs. Ed Rothwell of Gowan, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson came to Thorsby from Waseca, Minn., in 1887 and have lived here continuously ever since that time. Mrs. Johnson endeared herself to almost anybody who knew her by her gentle, kindly nature. To the extent of her physical ability she went about doing good. If anyone was sick or in trouble one could expect to find Mrs. Johnson doing something to relieve the situation. Without ostentation, she lived an exemplary Christian life among a God fearing people She was exceedingly fond of flowers and had success in their cultivation and then always wanted to share them with her friends.

Although her body is laid away, her spirit is still with us and will long be cherished by those who knew and loved her.

At Bates Hall Saturday evening, May 10th, at 7:30 p.m., the Jeffersonian Club of the Helen Keller Literary Society will present "Mr. Bob". Tickets will be 25c for adults and 15c for children under 12. The proceeds will be given for new desks for the assembly room. You are assured an evening of keen pleasure. Come and bring a friend.

The Christian Endeavor Society met last Sunday evening at its usual time, 6:45. The leader was Mr. Plato Deason. The meeting was opened by a song, after which Rev. Each led in prayer. There were several interesting talks made by the membors of the society. The president announced that the "Echo" conference from Mobile would be held here April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fyock and daughters, Canstance and Eva, and little son, Kent, and Mr. Louis Lindquist of Bessemer spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson.

COOLIDGE LEADS IN HOME STATE OF HI'M JOHNSON

San Francisco, May 6.—Complete and incomplete returns from 2,503 precincts of the state's total of 6,974 give: Johnson, 105,084; Coolidge, 112,756; McAdoo, 35,070; no preference, 5,977.

Over the state the advantage of Coolidge fluctuated acordcing to whether the precincts were in the southern or the northern sections of the State. At 9 o'clock President Coolidge lead Johnson by 3,323 votes.

Indiana returned overwhelmingly in favor of President Coolidge.

Baby Attacked!

Mrs. Crawford writes, "I was attracted by the screams of my baby. I rushed to the cradle and there was a rat crawling on the child! My husband put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Bake around and we haven't seen a rat since. I certainly am grateful." Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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Expert Repairing at Reasonable Prices
FRANKLIN GARAGE
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THE TIME TO SAVE MONEY IS WHEN YOU HAVE IT
MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN SHOULD SAVE PART OF THEIR INCOME
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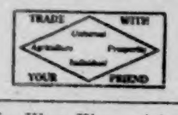

The Ku Klux Klan celebration in Clanton last Thursday night was a grand success, if the crowd of people in attendance means anything. About sundown the people began to come into town in wagons, buggies, go-carts, Fords and automobiles, and by the time set for the performance to start the whole town was working alive. We feel perfectly safe in saying that there were more people here Thursday night than have ever before been here on any occasion.

All at once Al Smith has come to loom about first or second among the Democratic timbers for president. We are not at all surprised that this development has come, only we expected it earlier. Al has played on the quiet but he has been playing just the same. The Roman Catholics and the rum runners are going to make a hard fight for old "Alcohol." He may get the nomination at the Democratic convention, but even then he will not have won dominion over the White House. There will be another fight to come.

Why is it that the Democrats are so jubilant over Lafollette's third party talk? In answer to this question we will ask, why is it that Democrats are so prone to place their arms around the neck of a Republican who is nursing some personal grievance against his party and is about ready to turn independent? The Democrats always do their campaigning on the weakness of their opponents instead of on their own merits. That's the reason they love a sore Republican.

The speech made Thursday night by Dr. W. Earle Hotalen on "The Principles of the Klan" was very fine indeed. The way he attended to the Catholics and foreigners was a plenty, in our estimation. The principles on which the Klan are founded are truly American and are deserving of the hearty support of all American citizens. At the rate things have been going in this country for the past decade, this country would soon wake up in the hands of Rome and the aliens from Europe. But the better element of Americans has risen thru the Ku Klux Klan and will hold the Star Spangled Banner up out of the mud and slime into which the Pope and other oriental powers would have it trampled.

KING'S CHECKMATE

If all the people of the United States could read the Congressional Record each day there would be such widespread disgust with the Democrats in Congress that there would be no possibility of the re-election of a sufficient number of members of that party to interfere with the orderly progress of national legislative business. An illustration of the Democratic method may be found by turning to page 6660 of the Record for April 16. In the midst of an address on the Immigration Bill by Senator George, Senator King, Democrat, entered the Senate Chamber and immediately interrupted with this remark, which is quoted word for word:

"I have just come into the Chamber and I heard the last sentence of the Senator, namely, that following a certain year a large number of immigrants came into the United States, they established their own quarters, they solidified themselves, and assumed rather an aggressive mood."

To which Senator George replied, "No; I did not say that."

Now, think of the absurdity of Senator King's procedure! He came into the Senate while another Senator was in the midst of an address and interrupted to criticise the only sentence of the debate he had heard. Without any knowledge whatever of what had gone before and without even getting a correct understanding of the import of what the Senator had said, he interrupted what was an interesting discussion, and wasted a lot of time in a colloquy which aided the consideration of the bill not one whit. In fact, King admitted the impertinence of his interruption by saying a moment later, "Does not the Senator think—perhaps it is not germane to what the Senator is discussing****" etc.

And the amazing thing is that King, a Democrat, who thus makes himself ridiculous and wastes the time of the Senate, is sent to Washington by the same state, Utah, which also sends Smoot, a man who never speaks unless he has something to say and always makes his remarks pertinent to the subject before the Senate.

VIRTUOUS BY CONTRAST!

CONSTRUCTION WINS OVER CRITICISM

The pre-convention campaign in Republican primaries resulting in an overwhelming endorsement of President Coolidge may well be the occasion for reflection upon the significance of the votes in the various states. Whatever other conclusions may be reached it seems reasonably certain that one of the lessons of the contest has been that the American people do not look with favor upon a campaign conducted along negative lines. Avowed and tentative candidates for the Republican nomination in opposition to President Coolidge have made their campaigns, so far as the public has observed, upon the basis of criticisms of the Republican Administration.

The great mass of the American people always have been and still are constructive in their habits of thought and their practices. They have been builders, not destroyers. Their eyes are upon the future, not upon the past. It is not surprising, therefore, that the pages of American history do not record the name of a man who has been honored by his own or succeeding generations because of campaigns of criticisms he has conducted. The men whom the nation now delights to honor, whatever their political affiliations, have been men who had constructive policies of their own and waged their campaigns on an affirmative rather than a negative basis.

It may be said with entire frankness, that men who have been active or potential candidates against Mr. Coolidge have some measure of constructive effort to their credit. They have been honored by their own States and their abilities and achievements are recognized throughout the Nation. Their friends and admirers have been greatly disappointed, therefore, that in their effort to make themselves available as presidential nominees they did not set forth constructive programs rather than devote their energies chiefly to criticism.

Contrasted with their methods is the very comprehensive and well-conceived list of national policies set forth by President Coolidge in his annual message to Congress last December. His suggestions have met nation-wide approval and have not been seriously attacked even by his opponents. Criticisms aimed at him have been by inference rather than by direct assertion. While his critics have displayed a surprising degree of mental agitation President Coolidge has calmly gone about his official business. Apparently he has not permitted his course to be directed by what might appear to be his temporary political interests. He has adhered to policies that seem not only to be sound today but consistent with wise management of national affairs with a view to the promotion of general welfare through generations to come.

Young men who are entering upon careers of public activity may well take to heart the lessons of this primary campaign. They should never forget that the American people are seeking leaders of constructive ability who appeal for support upon the strength of their own achievements and plans rather than upon the supposed weakness or alleged mistakes of their opponents.

THE REFORMED TRANSFORMED

Mr. A. Mitchell Palmer, Attorney General under the Wilson Administration, exploded with righteous wrath when the testimony of the notorious Gaston B. Means before the Senate committee involved himself. But he remained discreetly silent when similar testimony from the same source was blackening the character of prominent Republicans. "For that committee," cries Palmer, "to allow a witness like Means to repeat his unfounded charges, long since disproved, is well calculated to discount the sincerity of this present investigation, and to justify the widespread criticism of the Senate for becoming a mere distributor of slander and slinger of mud."

How true! It is exactly what Republicans have been saying since the start of the investigations, when the procession to the witness stand of crooks first began. But why did not Mr. Palmer voice his sense of outraged justice when the course of the Democratic committee first became apparent? He was perfectly willing to stand quietly by while Republican reputations were being lynched without trial. It was not until the rope was felt about his own neck that his tongue was loosened. By his silence Mr. Palmer gave tacit approval to what the committee was doing and constituted himself an accomplice in its reckless political campaign. The people have no sympathy for him in his present predicament.

A FEW LINES FROM SHOULTS

Editor Union-Banner:

I haven't seen any news from this place for some time, so I will let the rest of the county hear from us.

We have put a new top on our Baptist and Methodist churches and have had the Baptist church painted inisde and out.

A community reunion was held with Pleasant Grove Sunday, May 4th and was attended by quite a large crowd. We had many visitors from other communities, whom we were very glad to have with us. We were glad to see faces again which we had not seen in a long time. We feel that everyone present enjoyed themselves. We were slightly disappointed in the forenoon in that some speakers failed to come until after noon. But we had some good songs which everybody enjoyed. At noon a bountiful dinner was spread. In the afternoon we were entertained by two of our former pastors, Rev. Connell and Rev. Ruddick of Stanton, also by Rev. Jones of Maplesville. Each one gave us a good message. We especially thank the people for their good behavior. We feel that everybody was benefited by this reunion.

We have Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock when not hindered. But the school is not what it ought to be. We need more in our Sunday school. It is a good place to go to so next Sunday we hope to see several faces out that we haven't been seeing. Come on, dear friends, both old and young and let's make our Sunday school a great blessing to our community. Let's see what a great work we can accomplish. Time is too precious to waste in idleness, so let's give the Lord one day in the week, the wholly sabbath, in appreciation to Him for His excellent Greatness, and see if we don't get along better in life.

A READER.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

Prosperity of the cotton farmer depends on whether he or the boll weevil will collect on the investment of time, labor and money in the raising of the cotton crop. The boll weevil has done most of the collecting in the past several years, but farmers now are preparing to put an end to this by applying the government methods of control.

The boll weevil can be controlled in any neighborhood by application of these methods, and all farmers who have not already done so are urged to make their plans now to use the control measures they have been paying experts for thirty years to work out. It is not easy to control the boll weevil. It takes work and study, but it pays when it is done right. It is a waste of time and money when it is done wrong.

We used to think that mosquitoes did no more than sting us. Now we know they cause malaria, and by screening our houses we keep out malaria. The scientists taught us these things. They can't tell us how to destroy all the mosquitoes, but they tell us how to conrol them and to escape their damages. So the scientists are telling us how to control the boll weevils. Their methods are not perfect, but they are practical; they have been tested by farmers who have taken pains to study, to learn and to fight the pest day by day and week by week.

An important part of the general plan of weevil control is good farming. That may be practiced by every farmer and will help very much. It will pay even when there is no weevil damage or when the weather makes poisoning too expensive for profit. In brief, the best farmers begin fighting the boll weevil by:

1. Putting the soil in fine condition; a good seed bed is necessary to obtain the best results.
2. Planting after danger of frost is past and the earth is warm enough to cause quick sprouting and a good stand.
3. Using selected seed of a variety that matures early.
4. Fertilizing highly to make quick growth and set bolls before the weevils multiply enough to destroy the crop.
5. Narrow spacing, a hoe's width, and one to three stalks to the hill.
6. Putting cotton on well-drained land that under average conditions will make at least a bale to three acres and adopting the slogan, "More cotton to the acre, not more acres to cotton."

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HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(The following announcements are paid political advertisements by the parties whose names appear at the bottom of each.)

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican Primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

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(MISS) GENIE COLLINS.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

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K. M. VINSON.

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J. BICE.

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MRS. LOIS SIMS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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H. B. GLENN.

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W. H. ROBINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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A. P. VINSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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C. L. WILKINS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

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W. J. WATSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Fourth District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Fourth District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held of May 13, 1924.

W. J. EASTERLING.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third District, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

C. T. WALKER.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Commissioner of Chilton County, Alabama, from the Third district, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. F. ANDERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Third District)

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J. L. BURNETT.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination as a member of the County Board of Education for Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held in Chilton county on May 13, 1924.

J. P. DYKES.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

Wm. R. BAKER.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

W. B. GREEN.

FOR COUNTRY BOARD OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of member of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama, subject to the action of the Republican primary to be held on May 13, 1924.

J. M. SMITH.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

9 milch cows with young calves, from pint to four gallons, to suit your vessels. Also 11 head of mules, and few pigs.

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He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

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The State of Alabama, County of Chilton.

To Whom It May Concern:

Take notice that the Tax Collector has filed in my office a list of delinquent tax payers and of real estate upon which taxes are due, and therein reported to the following named persons, as here shown, the following real estate, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $10.02.

BEAT 2

No. 227.—Arthur Glass—W ½ of SW¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, Range 13

W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 24, Range 13.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 11, Tp. 23, Range 13. Tax and cost $29.98.

No. 325.—Stephen Moore Estate—SW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 1, Tp. 23, R. 13.

S ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13.

NE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $24.37.

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $15.30.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $15.02.

No. 402.—Mrs. J. A. Skaggs—One house and lot 2, Block U, vacant lot 2, Block 2, all in Jemison, Ala. Tax and cost $15.15.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.11.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $6.61.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U.—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.00.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 21, Range 13.

SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 13. Tax and cost $19.26.

No. 1221.—W. E. Lowe—One house and lot 6, Block 14 of Gowan Addition to Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $14.80.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $42.07.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $40.71.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $38.48.

30 acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 9, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $11.85.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $30.40.

No. 1589.—A. W. Smith—SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.86.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U.—N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $6.35.

No. 1688.—E. D. White—One dwelling house and lot in W. Clanton, Ala., bounded on the N. by Maplesville road or Main St., on E. by J. W. Edwards and on S. by Mrs. Haley Edwards and on W. by Mrs. Jane Hayes in Clanton, Ala.

One house and Lots 3 and 4, Block 23 in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $21.00.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $9.64.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost, $5.54.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $11.15.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $7.58.

BEAT 5

No. 1793.—G. W. Bogan—Vacant lot (Harding Lot) 7, Block T.

Vacant lot, (Culver Lot) 10, Block T in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $3.92.

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $15.93.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $11.77.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.24.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $22.80.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $46.34.

No. 2498.—W. B. Green—E ½ of SW ¼, 10 acres on N. side of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $21.88.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $33.74.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $18.75.

No. 2517.—H. S. Hicks—S ½, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $43.35.

No. 2519.—Sheley Hicks—SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 10, Tp. 21, R. 12.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $24.57.

No. 2520.—Solomon Hicks—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $8.87.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $34.03.

No. 2585.—D. J. Nichols—E ½ of E ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 21, R. 12.

That part of NE ¼ of NW ¼ lying N. of branch on the edge of 40 acre Block, Sec. 34, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $23.60.

No. 2635.—Martha Watley—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $11.15.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $4.64.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $11.96.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $11.57.

No. 3068.—J. D. Caton—10 acres in SW cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.00.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $17.80.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.73.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $11.16.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $6.78.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.25.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $7.13.

No. 3979.—A. L. Glasscock—NW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 3, Tp. 23, R. 14.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 34, Tp. 24, aR. 14. Tax and cost $18.38 .

No. 3996.—M. I. Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $7.79.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.41.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $15.37.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $17.61.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $6.50.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.06.

BEAT 14

No. 4298.—Mrs. Frances Armstrong—13½ acres on N. end of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 22, R. 12. Tax and cost $6.78.

No. 4441.—Mrs. Selma Veazey—W ½ of SW ¼, less 2 acres in SW ¼ of SW ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 10 acres in SE cor., Sec. 5, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $18.13.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.27.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $6.73.

This is to notify you to appear before the Probate Court of this county at the next term thereof, commencing on Monday,the 12th day of May,1924, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why a decree for the sale of said real estate should not be made for the payment of taxes assessed upon the same, fees and costs.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
4-24-4t. Judge of Probate.

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JAIL HELD NO TERROR FOR THIS JOURNALIST

"A CONFIDENCE is a confidence and therefore, inviolable," is the theory in life of Ralph L. King, city editor of the Waukegan, (Ill.) Daily Sun. And in defense of that opinion, he gladly served a term in the Waukegan jail—just lately regaining his freedom but with his faith that he was right, unshaken.

It so happened that, some time ago, Mr. King was summoned to tell a special grand jury in his home town just where he received certain "graft" information he had used in news stories printed in the Daily Sun. He refused to divulge the source of his information—explaining that it was given him in confidence and he could not violate a confidence. His refusal drew him the jail sentence for contempt of court.

Mr. King, however, did not weaken. He took his sentence gracefully, content to uphold journalistic tradition. And after he took up his temporary abode in the Waukegan "cooler" he went about his journalistic tasks as usual. He wrote and edited copy in his cell daily, maintaining communication with his newspaper office via a copy boy. At night, if the hours grew wearisome, he amused himself with a radio set which the authorities allowed him to have in his cell. Thus, you see him "keeping in touch with the outside world" in the above photograph.

An "undaunted scribe," is right.

SARDIS NOTES

The farmers are all striving for a good crop this year. Some are still planting and some are already chopping cotton.

Our Sunday school is doing nicely but we hope it will be better in the future and have larger crowds. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend and take part in our Sunday school work.

Misses Ada and Irene Adams from Selma were visitors in this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Sunday afternoon was our regular singing evening and a large crowd was present. We enjoyed some good singing. We invite everybody to be out on the 1st and 3rd Sunday afternoons and help sing praises to God.

Miss Bulah McCary has gone for an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Walter Hayes, of near Felix, Ala.

Mr. Monroe Ramsey, Mr. Paul Collen, Miss Annie Spivey and Miss Era Klinner motored to Pleasant Grove Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hayes are the proud parents of a new, fine baby boy.

A large crowd from this place motored to Clanton Thursday night to attend the Ku Klux celebration.

Mrs. Ella Ratliff and daughter, Anthel, spent Saturday night with relatives near Maplesville.

Everybody remember that next Sunday is our regular preaching day. All are invited to come to Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11. Sunday school at Antioch Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Everybody be on time.

A DOCTOR SHOULD ADVERTISE

A small boy called on the doctor one evening. "Say, Doc, I guess I got measles," he said, "but I can keep it quiet."

The doctor looked puzzled.

"Aw, get wise, Doc," suggested the small boy. "What'll you give me to go to school and scatter it among all the kids?"—Exchange.

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WEST CHILTON

Several cases of measles here at present.

Miss Bevie Smith of Birmingham visited home folks here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCary of Randolph came out to their home here Sunday.

Mr. Robinson, candidate for commissioner, was here last week. He is one of Chilton county's best men. He is worthy of the people's confidence.

A. P. Vinson, another candidate, was here last week. His record is good—one of the best.

Mr. Kin Vinson was here last week. He is a fine, worthy young man.

There are the lady candidates—Mrs. Lois Sims, Miss Genie Collins. They are both efficient and worthy. Their loyalty is unquestioned, and are entitled to the earnest consideration of the people.

Mr. H. B. Glenn is one of the truest men we ever met.

Mr. J. M. Smith for the Board of Education, has the right ring, and has the cause of education at heart. His slogan is, "Carry on the People's Wishes." That is what we need.

No one doubts the efficiency of Messrs. Bice and Littlejohn.

We believe Mr. Wilkins is all right and trustworthy.

Agreeable to reports, Mr. Hughes is every "inch a man," gallant and true.

There are others who are doubtless just as worthy as the ones alluded to; we are not acquainted with them.

In making a selection from this worthy lot we can't go wrong.

Long live The Union-Banner.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

Mr. Tollie Anderson and family of Coalmont, returned to their home Sunday, after a few days visit to her mother, Mrs. Emma Green of this Community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Littlejohn spent the week-end in Sardis community near Maplesville, as the guest of their friends.

W. B. Green sold a carload of cattle last week to D. W. Cain of the Black Belt section.

W. R. K. Stanford and E. H. Littlejohn motored to Clanton last Thursday, on business.

W. A. Moore and family motored to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. Ira Hambrick, Miss Paralee Moore, Mr. Hearth Lawley and Miss Mildred Stanford, Mr. Talmage Green attended the singing at Pleasant Grove church Sunday P. M.

Miss Vermille Green spent the week-end with Misses Ruth and Evie Lawley.

Mr. E. W. Barnett and son and daughter of Bethlehem, dined with W. B. Green Sunday.

Rev. Blake preached to a large crowd Sunday at Friendship church.

The B. Y. P. U. was visited by quite a number of members from the B. Y. P. U. at Medline. Mrs. Prudie Perry made an interesting talk on the B. Y. P. U. work.

Mrs. L. J. Littlejohn spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holdsombeck of Mars Hill Community.

Rev. Blake, Pastor at Friendship dined with W. B. Green Sunday.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Confessional

I do not kneel at night, to say a prayer;
I think of spiders and I do not dare!

My knees are thin, and easily they could
Gather a splinter, roughened from the wood.

I'm cold, and bed is warm; I'm better there,
Than in the outer darknes of a prayer!
But when the morning wakes up, pink and cool,
And sunrise makes our peach-blooms glory-full;

And God comes smiling down the garden walk,
I run and slip my hand in His, and talk!

I tell Him I am a naughty lamb;
He laughs and says He made me as I am.

—Katherine McClusky.

Mrs. Gerald Hostess.

The members of the Card club were delightfully entertained on last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. F. Gerald.

Beautiful spring roses were used, enhancing the beauty of the rooms where three tables were arranged for the players. Delicious punch was served from a prettily appointed table, also adorned with exquisite rosebuds. Mrs. Grady Reynolds and Miss Madelyn Orr presided here.

Mrs. Victor Heard received the club prize for high score and was presented a couple of decks of cards.

An ice course was served by the hostess to the following players: Mesdames. Arthur Johnson, Grady Reynolds, Willis Lyman, V. J. Heard, Hance Alred, John Browder, Frank Callen, Hugh Simpson, Hugh Jones, Napoleon Johnson, Oscar Jones and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Mission Study Class Meets.

Mrs. Claud Reynolds was hostess on Monday afternoon to the Mission Study class of the M. E. church.

Amid baskets of snowball and vases of fragrant roses the meeting was called to order and presided over by Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson. Several interesting talks and readings were given on the subject, "Building with India."— Under Mrs. Wilkerson's direction the class has put on a contest that has created a bit of enthusiasm and interest and on next Monday the final contest chapter closes. The meeting to be held at the church. A report from the funches and drinks sold at the K. K. K. meeting last week reached about $65.00. Some more plans for the 4th of July celebration were discussed.

After the close of the business meeting a refreshing dessert course was served to the 26 members present.

Study Club Meets.

The Study Club held its regular meeting on last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Heard as hostess. The apartments were attractive throughout with beuatfuil roses. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. N. S. Johnson. After the business session was over, Mrs. Johnson, who was the delegate to the Alabama Federation which met at Montevallo, gave a very interesting report of the meeting, after which the following program was carried out: The Black Poodle, Mrs. McDavid, Marjorie Daw, Mrs. Paige. After this the hostess asisted by her young daughter, Mary, served sandwiches and tea. Mrs. J. H. Alred was the guest of the club.

Sewing Club Meets.

A lovely meeting of the sewing club was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. M. A. Gore on last Wednesday afternoon.

Spring blossoms in all their beauty brightness and fragrance filled the reception rooms and late in the afternoon a pretty salad plate with iced tea was served to Mesdames. Watts Moore, Bama Cox, R. E. Luckie, Geo. Polk, Clyde Jones, John Armstrong, Thad McSwain and Macy Jones.

The club is glad to have as a new member Mrs. Lee Smith.

Mrs. Chas. Wilkerson, teacher of the Philathia S. S. class of the Methodist church, gives a beautifully prepared lecture on the lesson every Sunday a.m. at 10 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

A special Mothers Day program will be given at the 11 o'clock hour at the Methodist church on next Sunday. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. Macy Jones is in Birmingham on business this week.

Mrs. Tom Thompson spent Sunday in Montgomery with her father.

Mr. Elbert Littlejohn has returned home after a stay of several months out West.

Mr. J. Q. Wade returned home last Tuesday from Guntersville, where he has installed an ice factory.

Rev. Reese from Marbury was in Clanton Tuesday.

Mrs. Etta McElvaine was the guest of Mrs. H. B. Oliver at Verbena last Friday.

Rev. C. C. Wilkerson is spending this week at Plantersville, where he is holding a revival meeting.

Dr. N. S. Johnson returned Monday from a vsit to his daughter, Miss Sallye, at Danville, Va.

A cordial welcome awaits you each Sunday by the Phlathia Sunday School Class of the Methodist church. Come out and join us.

Miss Kathleen Alexander from Verbena was the guest of Mrs. Etta McElvaine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson have returned to their home in Selma after a visit to parents here.

Mr .Marion Gore, Dr. J. P. Hayes and Mr. A. N. Miner motored to Montgomery last Friday.

Mrs. O. O. Roper was a recent visitor to Montgomery.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins and daughter, Miss Marzelle and John and Edwin Mullins were the week end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Claud Reynolds has had as her guest for the past few days her mother, Mrs. Johnson, from Montgomery.

Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper from Boothton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince will spend a couple of days in New Orleans this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White had as their guest for the week end Miss Cathryn White, who is a student of the Womans College

Miss Marion Seawright will leave Saturday for Grenville after a most successful year teaching first grade at the Grammar school.

Misses Mary Bess and Imogene Sims from Alex City were the guests of friends and relatives for the week end.

Mesdames J. P. VanDerveer and J. M. VanDerveer were visitors to Birmingham Tesday.

Mr. Thad McSwain made a business trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hastings of Jasper and Claud Terry, Jr., mere the week end guests of Mrs. Luckie.

Mr. H. S. Shaw was a visitor to the Magic City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Grant will leave in a few days for Denver, Col., where Mrs. Grant will spend the remainder of the summer recouperating.

Misses Mary Heard, Louise McSwain and Elizabeth Johnson will leave soon for a two-weeks visit to Mrs. O. Kyle in Decatur.

Mr. L. F. Gerald made a business trip to Huntsville Thursday.

After a stay of several weeks with her son, Mr. L. C. Ross, and family, his mother has returned home.

Miss Evelyn Nix returned home on Monday after a visit to Miss Mary Sue Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sims of Jasper were the guests last week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mims.

FARMERS, LOOK WHAT PEOPLE OF THORSBY ARE DOING!

A word from the Clanton Chamber of Commerce to the Farmers near Clanton:—

Just a word about what our hustling neighbor, Thorsby, is doing in the strawberry business. Here is the record of the strawberries shipped from Thorsby prior to May, this year, the first five cars:

No. 1, 416 crates @ $5.00..$2,062.00
No. 2, 420 crates @ $5.05..$2,120.00
No. 3, 420 crates @ $5.05..$2,108:88
No. 4, 420 crates @ $5.35..$2,226.13
No. 5, 420 crates @ $5.70..$2,394.00

Class "BB" crates in cars sold for 15% less. We are told that Thorsby would ship from one to two cars of berries each day until the end of the season, getting more than $2,000 per car for them.

Clanton ought to ship an average of six cars of berries per day during the season. Think what that would mean to the farmers—money coming in this time of the year when it is needed to complete the cotton and corn crop. You can quit buying on a credit and in the fall you will have money clear to buy the things you have been promising your family. You owe it to your self and your family, so look into this matter carefully and ACT.

Picking is the greatest problem. An adult or a good sized child can pick two or three crates per day and the picking from an acre is usually 10 or 12 crates, picking every other day. If you have the picking force you can plant more, or you can plant two acres, pick half one day and half the next day. Talk to your neighbor about this matter right away. You have to make enough to ship by car load lots. Talk to a friend in or near Thorsby about the results they are having.

Your ground should be prepared and the plants set out this fall. This would give you only a small crop for next year but the years following you would get full crops which would bring in money when money would mean the most to you.

Thorsby reports that they are getting the best results from the berries known as the Klondyke variety, and you can get plenty of them around Thorsby at small cost.

Clanton Chamber of Commerce.

WORK BEGUN ON NEW BUILDING

Work began Monday morning in the new brick building of Mr. J. C. Jones on the old kicker lot next to Bill Sartor's store. Mr. G. E. Plier is the contractor for the building and the work is being pushed right along. We understand that Mr. J. Q. Wade will put up another building adjoining Mr. Jones' in the future.

"A LITTLE CLODHOPPER"

The above is the title of the Senior play, which will be held at the high school auditorium Monday night, May 12, beginning at 8:18 o'clock.

Following is the Cost of Characters:

Septimus Green, a young book agent, full of pep, Burton Mollins.

Ocey Gump, a Fresh Country Product, by heck, Charles Moore.

George Chiggerson, an innocent little lamb from the city, Barney Barnett.

Mrs. Chiggerson-Boggs, his Toting mamma, with a scheme, Erazelle Foshee.

Miss Julitta Bean, a Splinterville boarding house keeper, Estelle Littlejohn.

Chairman Carter, who thinks she's a Vampire, Flossie Wilson.

Judy, a little clodhopper from the poor houre, Jewel Miner.

Country folks, Seniors.

Admission 25 and 35 cents.

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The Old Hen Cackled.

7003.—Dixie Division;
Sugar in the Gourd.

40038.—Casey Jones;
Fare you well Old Joe Clark.

40050.—Be Kind to a man when he is Down;
Tom Watson Special.

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Mr. E. L. Wright of Louisville, Ky., and Mr. W. H. Rhuddy of Birmingham, who are L. & N. signal inspectors, spent Thursday night in Clanton.

Chas Moore spent Friday in the Magic City.

Mr. Omar Reynolds made a business trip to Birmingham Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gardner visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Pri in Clanton.

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TORN PAGE

SUPPREME COURT RENDERS SINGING SOCIETY DECISION

The chords of disharmony which have emanated from the broken ranks of the B. F. White Sacred Harp Singing Society have had no logical foundation, according to a decision handed down by the supreme court of Alabama.

Charges of inaccuracy, to say the least, had been preferred against the president of the society, A. A. Jackson, and his daughter, formerly secretary-trensurer of the organization, by three trustees who are said to have been ousted from office because of lack of harmony and an inability to function properly in their offices.

It appears that the Sacred Harp Singing Society, in an effort to "promote and advance the cause of vocal music," decided to erect an auditorium in the city of Birmingham wherein this cause could be promoted in a desirable manner, and funds were solicited and collected and deposited in the American Trust and Savings Bank of Birmingham for this purpose. Miss Jackson, in the capacity of treasurer of the organization of singers, was duly in charge of the receipts and expenditures of said fund, as is quite customary, it is pointed out, for such a treasurer to be. It was alleged that the funds, part of which had been used to purchase a site for the auditorium, had been misused by the treasurer. This rumor, it is charged, was based on the attempts of disgruntled trustees who sought to usurp the power of the duly elected officers of the society through such insinuations.

Miss Jackson insisted that the funds were properly handled, and that the books of the organization were open for inspection.

The fact that the fund was handled properly and that no misappropriations had been made from the fund did not put a soft pedal on the cries of those who insisted that the president and the secretary-treasurer were singing out of tune, it is claimed.

And so more charges were made, brought into the courts of the state, decided on in favor of President Jackson and his daughter, and then appealed from, and finally carried to the supreme court, after injunctions had been sought and refused.

According to the opinion prepared by Justice McClellan, before his resignation, and adopted by the court, the record of the case is voluminous, covering more than 300 pages and extensive briefs.

Quoted in the opinion of Justice McClellan, is an excerpt from the case of Jackson vs. Howze which reads:

"It cannot be assumed, in the face of the details of the answer, that the misconduct charged against the respondents in the handling of the funds belonging to the order are true, or that irreparable injury will attend, or even has attended, the reception by respondents of funds drawn from the membership under the rules of the association."

Miss Jackson made an itemized statement to the courts of all collections received by her, giving dates and amounts collected, and the short and ugly word, it is learned, has been passed to those who have attempted, by alleged false and malicious accusations to injure the fair name and reputation of the former secretary-treasurer of the B. F. White Sacred Harp Singing Society.—Birmingham News, April 23, 1924.

Mrs. Tom Parrish and daughter are spending the week with the former's brothers in Birmingham.

OAK GROVE

Little Johnnie Mae Martin is able to be out again after an illness.

We had with us Sunday night the B. Y. P. U. from Jemison, which rendered a nice program. We enjoyed it very much. Come again.

There will be Children's Day at this place the first Sunday in June. This class will sing at Minooka next Sunday evening with that class, in observing Mother's Day at that place.

Rev. T. J. Deason will preach here Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody come out and hear him.

W. J. NORTHCUTT.

NAVY RECRUITING

The Navy Department has just turned over to the Treasury Department, for the use of the U. S. Coast Guard, several Navy Torpedo Destroyers, vessels of 740 to 1,000 tons —speed of 30 knots and above. These boats will be added to the enforcement fleet off shore. In order to get men of quality for these boats, the Navy Recruiting service, all over the country will take on men for the Coast Guard as well as for the regular Navy. Special inducements will be offered men who hold honorable discharges from previous Navy and Coast Guard service.

These boats, with four guns of four inch calibre will be able to compete with any and all smugglers of liquor. Those to whom adventure appeals; those who are interested in seeing what goes on when a shot is put across the bow of a dark ship at night; those who would like to be part of the boarding party and prize crew of the smuggler; those who know the feel of the deck of a fast moving destroyer at night, will be interested in finding out that they can sign on for a short enlistment in the Coast Guard.

Legislation to increase the Coast Guard personnel is being completed. It will be so worded that Coast Guard service will not be allowed to cause the loss of any of the benefits now enjoyed by Naval Reserve members of all classes, including 16 and 20 year men.

Any persons interested may apply at once to the Navy Recruiting Station at Birmingham, Ala., where their request for information will be filed till the arrival of specific information, and authority to accept enlistments for this service. It is believed that, after enlistments are opened, sufficient men will be recruited almost at once, to make it worth while having your name on the waiting list if you are at all interested.

C. R. CRANDALL,
Lieut., U. S. Navy Recruiting Officer.

Mr. J. W. Langston of Pletcher was among the visitors to Clanton Monday morning.

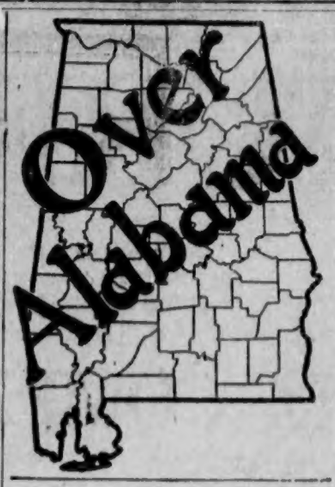
REPORT OF COUNTY BOARD OF REVIEW OPEN FOR INSPECTION

**The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.**

Notice is hereby given by S. M. Pate, Tax Assessor of Chilton County, Alabama, that the Board of Review of said County has returned its report, and the same is open for inspection, and that said Board of Review will sit at the court house at Clanton in the County of Chilton, State of Alabama, beginning on the first Monday in June, 1924, to correct any errors in assessments or valuations. (Sec. 158, 1923 Revenue Acts.)

This, 15th day of April, 1924.

S. M. PATE,
Tax Assessor, Chilton Co.,
4-17-3t Alabama.



ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

That the officers of the Alabama forest reservation are determined to carry into effect all laws pertaining to conservation of the forests is evidenced by the arrest and speedy trial of a man owning property in the reservation who decided to burn off his hundred acres of land regardless of state law and of forestry laws. Ranger Silas Black detected the fire from his tall watch tower, conferred in vain with the land owner, secured evidence, arrest and trial at once. On pleading guilty Mr. Ashbranner was fined $25.

E. J. Landers, H. A. Carpenter and L. T. Proctor, captain, first and second lieutenant, respectfully, have been selected by the Jacksonville Community Club for recommendation to the governor as officers of the unit of the Alabama National Guard it is proposed to organize in Jacksonville. As soon as the commissions are issued by Governor Brandon, members for a machine gun company will be recruited and mustered into the service of the state.

Because the Southern Railway Company failed to show that Hobart Brockwell had a reasonable opportunity to purchase a ticket at the station where he boarded their train, the Alabama Supreme Court affirmed the judgment of $250 as damages awarded Brockwell in the Walker Circuit Court in his suit against the carrier, for alleged ejectment from the train for refusing to pay an excess of 15 cents in the passage charge.

After passing favorably on the construction of a new sewer between Seventh and Eighth Avenues, the councilmen of the city of Albany recently took definite action in awarding the contract for the completion of the paving on Third Avenue, West, to the Independent Paving Company, of Birmingham, for approximately $36,000. The company is already paving a number of streets in Albany.

The Dale County Farm Bureau reports show that 744.3 tons of fertilizer have been bought by members of the organization this season and have been delivered. This fertilizer was bought cooperatively and has given general satisfaction. Over 100 farmers bought cooperatively in Dale. This amount represents a purchase value of $21,339.33.

The last Pike County hog sales of the season were held last week. A light carload of hogs were sold at Brundidge and brought seven cents per pound. J. T. Ramage bought the lot. Two carloads were sold in Troy to Faulkner and Barnes of Dothan who shipped them to their plant there. The price paid was seven cents a pound.

The Tri-City Epworth League Union composed of all the leagues in Gadsden, Attalla and Alabama City, was formed in Gadsden with the following officers: President, Miss Nina Burkhalter, of Attalla; secretary-treasurer Mrs. C. E. Strapp, of Gadsden. Presidents of the leagues were named vice-presidents of the union.

Several stores at Hackleburg were broken into and cold drinks, packages of cigarettes, some candy and a small amount of money stolen. The places broken into were the bank, the post office, People's Supply, Dobsons' Cafe, Kelley's Place, Mixon and Company and the Hackleburg Drug company.

Secretary W. H. Butler of the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce has received notice of a hearing in Birmingham May 27 by the public service commission, of a citation to all railroads in Alabama to show cause why freight rates on stoves should not be reduced. He will attend and represent the chamber.

W. Eaton Haynes and H. Russel Haynes have been indicted by a Lowndes County grand jury on charges of first degree murder in connection with the slaying of Samuel Rives, at Petronia, Ala., Oct. 6, 1923.

Engineers of the Hercules Powder Company are making surveys on the property recently acquired near Bessemer by the company, preparatory to breaking ground for the construction of the plant.

Mrs. Scotty E. Wester is postmistress at Center, succeeding E. R. White, who retires after serving two terms.

Paul Munro, principal of the Selma High School, has been elected by the city school board to serve also as principal of the new junior high school.

"Judge" E. H. Foshee of Jemison Route 2, was in Clanton Monday attending to business.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Birmingham Athletic Association will meet May 20 to ratify the action of members of the Birmingham Athletic Club for final approval to the plans for erection of a 10-story home for the club at Third Avenue and Twenty-third Street, to cost approximately $1,300,000.

The Muscle Shoals Gas company plans to install larger units at its plant and extend its lines into new sections of the city. A new main will be run to north Florence and lines from it will be extended into the new sections throughout the territory, reaching many new homes.

Free clinics at the Druid City hospital, Tuscaloosa, are being considered by a special committee appointed for the purpose by the board of trustees. Miss Bessie Bilbrey has been added to the hospital staff as dietician. She was formerly connected with the Bryce hospital.

Mrs. Edna Naro was found guilty for the second time of the murder of Ralph Roberts of Pratt City, and her sentence fixed at 20 years in the state penitentiary. Her husband, Alf Naro is now under a 25-year sentence for alleged participation in the same murder.

Effective May 12, 1924, the car load rate on canned goods from Mobile to Birmingham, via the Warrior River Barge Line, has been reduced from 35 1-2 cents to 31 cents per 100 pounds and less car load rates has been reduced to 39 1-2 cents per 100 pounds.

The members of the Alabama State Bar Association who gathered in Sheffield for their annual meeting voted unanimously to consolidate their organization with the State Bar Association, which will unite all lawyers of the state in one body.

For the fourth consecutive year, a student of the Alabama Military Institute at Anniston, has been awarded a medal offered through the Alabama United Daughters of the Confederacy for Southern historical or other research work.

Thomas R. Owens, former high school principal of Gadsden, World war veteran, and for the past five years United States consul at Bagdad, ancient capital of Messapotamia, has been detailed as the United States consul general at Havana, Cuba.

Nearly 400 white men and women —398 to be exact—decided not to wait until the month of June, and obtained marriage licenses in Birmingham last month. That is considerably more than for the total for March, when only 318 were married.

Alabama Northern Railway Company, through R. L. Schuessler, receiver, asks in a petition filed with the Alabama Public Service Commission authority to revise all of its local class and commodity rates. The hearing will take place at Ashland.

The $75,000 paved road from the Village Creek bridge to Third street west, in Birmingham will be constructed entirely on the south side of the Frisco road tracks, according to a resolution adopted by the board of revenue.

The Girl Scout movement has been started in Jacksonville and a complete organization worked out. Much interest is being shown and all the civic organizations are co-operating to make the move a success. Twenty-nine girls have enrolled.

Enrollment lists at the State Normal School of Florence were checked for the long session from September to May, and announcement is made that the total reached was 881. This is the largest enrollment in the history of the institution.

Mandamus suit against the city of Hartford to compel it to supply the gin of Mrs. F. F. Lammon with electric power from the municipal plant was dismissed by decision of the Alabama supreme court affirming the judgment of the Geneva circuit court.

A preliminary ordinance for approximately $40,000 worth of new street pavings, in addition to the program calling for an estimated $112,000 worth of paving in Tuscaloosa this Summer was passed by the Tuscaloosa city commissioners.

Miss Virginia B. Handley took the oath of office as director of the state child welfare department, succeeding Mrs. L. B. Bush, who recently resigned.

J. M. McKee, age 70 years, was instantly killed at the Leighton crossing on the northern Alabama railroad near Tuscumbia when the two-horse wagon which he was driving was struck by a passenger train.

Jasper business men have organized a Chamber of Commerce.

Howard college will be strongly urged as a location for the proposed new Baptist seminary which will come before the Southern Baptist convention at Atlanta, May 14-18.

Student elections at Birmingham Southern college will be held Wednesday, May 14, according to announcement by Ben Englebert, president of the student body.

Tuscaloosa county has every promise of a good fruit year, according to reports of growers of orchards over the county.

SINGING AT WALNUT SUNDAY

The singers of the county are asked not to forget the all day singing at Walnut Creek next Sunday. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend.

MORTAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that mortgage made by J. E. Melton and wife, Eula Melton, to J. A. Fuller, Trustee, dated July 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 408, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage was duly transferred to the undersigned Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones, and said default continuing, we, the said Mabel C. Nicolson and Mary M. Jones as transferees of said mortgage, will, under and by virtue of the power of said mortgage in said mortgage contained, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, in front of the court house door in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on

Monday, May 26th, 1924,

the following described property, viz:

That certain lot or parcel of land at Maplesville, Alabama, situated in the north-west quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 21, Township 21, Range 12, containing one-half acre, more or less, and particularly described as follows: Run 465 feet and 5 inches, more or less, in a southerly direction from the crossing of the Southern and Mobile & Ohio Railroads, along the center of the right of way of the Southern Railway Company, thence in a westerly direction, way, which is the point of beginning of said lot; thence run in a westerly direction from said point of beginning, at right angles to said western boundary of said right of way, between two sweet gum trees near said right of way, 210 feet to a stake; thence at right angles in a northerly direction 135 feet, more or less, to a stake; thence in an easterly direction, at right angles, 174 feet, more or less, along the south side of a hickory tree near the line of the Martin Gin lot, to the western boundary of the said Martin gin lot; thence in a southeasterly direction, along west boundary line of said Martin gin lot, 47 feet, more or less, to a point which is the corner of said Martin gin lot, and is the western boundary of the before mentioned right of way of the Southern Railway; thence in a southerly direction along the said western boundary of said right of way 95 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The said sale will be held for the purposes provided for in said mortgage,

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OFFICERS RUN DOWN PROHIBITION LAW VIOLATORS

After quite an extended chase from Coosa River near old Salem to their homes in Popular Springs community Ben Jones and Claudie Jones were caught with five gallons and a pint of wild cat whiskey last Wednesday night by Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputies Foshee and Easterling. The officers got on track of the men near the river and followed them, arriving at their homes only a few minutes after the men got there. A search of Ben Jones' place revealed one pint of whiskey in his dining room and three gallons in his harness house. Two gallons were found in Claudie Jones' dewelling house.

Both men were arrested and brought to Clanton. Ben made bond that night but Claudie was forced to stay in jail till the next morning when he was released on bail.

Brother T. J. Hubbard of Jemison was in Clanton Monday attending to some business matters. He left with the Banner a communication to the voters of the county to be published this week. Everybody look up Brother Hubbard's letter and read it.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

An election will be held in the several polling places in the State of Alabama, by the Democratic Party, on Tuesday, May 13, 1924, between the hours of Eight A. M. and Five P. M., for the expression of the preference of the Democrats of Alabama for the nominees of the Democratic party for such State, District and County Officials as are to be elected at the regular election in November, 1924.

This 5th day of April, 1924.

R. B. EVINS,
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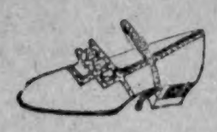

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NEWS OF STANTON

Mr. Clarence Cook has returned home from the hospital in Birmingham after a serious operation.

Miss Ola Mae Parnell has returned from Montgomery where she has been visiting her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shoults and family are the proud owners of a big new Studebaker car.

Mrs. W. C. Dyer and son, Wendell, Rev. W. T. Edwards and wife, and Mrs. Vernon Dyer and children motored to Selma Thursday.

The Misses Schurters spent the day at Brent Friday.

Miss Leslie Earle Parnell of Piedmont Institute is here visiting her grand mother, Mrs. T. D. Parnell.

Mrs. G. M. Hamrick and son, Eubia, spent the week-end in Shoults with the former's daughter, Mrs. F. A. Ellis.

Misses Vivian and Mildred Schurter went to Selma Tuesday to do some shopping.

Mrs. R. E. Fitts of Safford spent a few days here this past week with her mother.

Mr. W. C. Dyer, Jr., spent Friday night in Brent.

Miss Effie Edwards has returned to her home in Wilsonville after a long visit here with her brother. Everyone was sorry to see her leave.

A large crowd here attended the preaching and singing service up at Shoults Sunday. Everybody seemed to have had a fine time.

Messrs. Ellie Mitchell and Malcolm Chambers of Adams were in Stanton Sunday.

Sunday was out regular preaching day here. Rev. W. T. Edwards conducted a fine sermon which was enjoyed by all.

Miss Edith Hamrick has returned home after a long visit with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Sewell of Plantersville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis and family of Fremont spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Carter.

Mrs. Frank Harris attended the Eastern Star of Plantersville Thursday.

Misses Irene and Odelle Sims of Plantersville, Misses Frances and Virginia Woolley, Messrs. Orbra Hamrick, Earl West and Joy Davis spent a few enjoyable hours Sunday afternoon at the home of Misses Mattie and Lillie Carter.

Rev. W. T. Edwards and wife dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gandy Sunday.

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WHAT NEXT ?

So many different kinds of "national weeks" being created around this country almost daily, it would take a Philadelphia lawyer to figure out what they're all about and a Podunk statistician to keep tab on them. Now look what they're trying to foist on us.

"Dress-Up Dog" Week. Woof! Woof! What could be sweeter? Imagine yourself spending part of your waking hours washing, powdering, manicuring, combing and, in general, playing valet to some curbstone setter. Being kind to animals is fine, but when it comes to "dressing 'em up"—no, we draw the line right there.

Down in Los Angeles where the idea originated, they're taking it quite seriously. In the above picture, you see one of the "enthusiasts" getting her little pup all "dolled up" for the occasion.

Wonder how the pup feels about all such unexpected attention?

SOUTH CALERA

Everybody is feeling fine over the nice spring weather, and we hope it will continue.

Mr. Roy Rogers from Adamsville was visiting his father in South Calera last week.

Mr. Elmer Campbell from Montgomery was home for the week end.

Mrs. G. S. Lee went to Birmingham Tuesday shopping.

A crowd of young people from this place motored to Mitchell Dam Sunday.

Mr. Homer Martin spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Jane Martin.

Mr. W. N. Jones is the owner of a new Ford car.

Mr. Charlie Cobb from Birmingham was the guest of the Misses Crim for the week end.

Mr. M. T. Busby spent Sunday in Calera as the guest of her sister.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate Sunday.

Miss Lois Busby came home Saturday afternoon from Calera where she attends school, to visit her mother.

Mr. J. N. Brickers is also the owner of a new Ford. They are getting quite numerous around South Calera.

Mr. Holen Crim was the week end visitor of his sister, Mrs. Badie Watts of Birmingham, returning home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jessie Cox spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. W. M. Chism.

Mr. W. N. Jones and family motored to Cooper Sunday, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boswell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lee made a trip to Mintevallo Sunday.

Miss Mexa Tate spent Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Boyer of Calera.

Mr. Will Jones returned to Pelham Monday night after spending a few days with home folks.

A number of young people attended the singing at Mr. Hughes' at Minooka Saturday night.

CLASSIFIED ADS

JUST RECEIVED—Twenty Tons of Nitrate of Soda, for sale.
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FOR SALE—50 pure bred White Leghorns, one and two year hens, Ferrys Show strain; 75c each.—L. D. Popwell, Clanton, Ala.

FOR SALE—Great sacrifice, 5-passenger Oldsmobile; 5-passenger Buick; cut-down Ford $50.00; good ton truck $200.00; any kind of terms, or trade for wild cut-over, piney woods lands.—Jno. T. Ellis & Sons.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Six room bungalow in front of County High School building in Clanton. For particulars, apply to Mrs. Ed Goodgame, Maplesville, Ala. 5-8-3t-c

FOR SALE—One Overland touring Car, has been run two thousand miles, with extra equipment; cost the man who owned it $651,85; we will sell for $500.—Lawrence Motor Co., Clanton, Ala.

FOR RENT—One 4-room house with one-half of good size garden and pasture for one cow. If interested see, phone or write H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, Rt. 6. 4-17-3t-p

WANTED TO BUY—4 to 6 cars of pasture cattle at once. Will pay from 2½ to 3 cents per lb. gross, delivered at Maplesville. — W. B. Green, Lawley, Ala. 1t-c

LOST OR STRAYED—One pointer puppy with brown ears, white streak down face, brown spot on right side and at root of tail. Answers to name of "Dan," limps slightly. Left home in Clanton last Sunday morning. Liberal reward for information or return.—M. F. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

RECITAL ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Jatie Lawrence Middleton will present her pupils in a varied musical recital, May 16th at 8 o'clock, High School auditorium. The public is cordially invited.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 5018—Of First Meeting, in the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Alabama.—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of D. H. Wolfe, bankrupt, postoffice Clanton, County of Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under the Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to Establish a uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States" approved July 1st, 1898, meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned Referee in the United States Court House, Montgomery, Ala., on the 16th day of May, next, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to make proof of debts and for the election of a Trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Act of Congress aforesaid.

Montgomery, Ala., May 6, 1924.

M. S. CARMICHAEL, Referee.

Child's Eyelashes Bitten Off!

Glenn Herrick, noted scientist, says "Down south I saw roaches so bad, they actually ate the eyelashes off a sleeping child!" Just another example of these deadly pests. Roaches must be wiped out for health's sake! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

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TO POUND OUR PREACHER

There will be a singing and a pounding at the home of Rev. G. B. Golden on Saturday night, May 11th. Everybody is invited to come. Also remember the all day singing at Walnut Creek church next Sunday. Come and bring a well filled basket.

J. J. JOHNSON.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probate Court, May 1st, 1924.

In the matter of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased.

This day came W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for his settlement of his said administratorship.

It is ordered that the 26th day of May 1924 be apointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

5-8-3t

MESSER'S CHAPEL

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a small space in your paper to say a few words in regard to our church and Sunday school. Our Sunday school is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. George Messer. We are planning to have a Children's Day in June.

There will be a pie and fruit supper at Mrs. Lizzie Messer's Saturday night, for the benefit of our church. Everybody come and bring somebody with you.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

MISS COLLINS IN LEAD FOR COUNTY TREASURER

J. M. Smith Leads Republican Ticket In Last Tuesday's Primary Election.

In Tuesday's primary election the only real contest was between Mr. K. M. Vinson and Miss Genie Collins for county treasurer. With all of the boxes heard from Wednesday morning, Miss Collins seemed to be in the lead by about 40 votes. However, second choice votes had not been counted, which will change the total some. But it is generally conceded that the official count will still give Miss Collins 30 or 40 votes the lead over Mr. Vinson.

Unofficial returns gave J. L. Burnett a large majority over his opposing candidates, C. T. Walker and J. F. Anderson, for commissioner from the Third district.

A. P. Vinson was well in the lead over all the other five candidates for commissioner from the Fourth district. W. H. Robinson appeared to run next to Vinson for this office.

The candidate polling the largest vote on the entire Republican ticket seemed to be J. M. Smith for the county board of education. Wm. R. Baker ran next to Smith for this office.

It seems that the Republicans in the county polled less than one thousand votes, which is less than one-half of the strength of the party. It appears that the Democrats ran exceedingly light all over the county, polling around three hundred votes.

The official canvass of the returns will be held at noon next Friday at the court house. The official results of this return will be tabulated and published in The Union-Banner next week.

MUSICAL PROGRAM AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT

Mildred White Wallace, noted composer of songs, also a brilliant musician, will assist Mrs. Middleton Friday evening, May 16th, at 8:15 o'clock in a varied musical program at the High school auditorium.

Mrs. Wallace has kindly consented to feature some of her numbers—"Dixie Mammy Blues," "I Would Hold You In My Arms," and "Goodnight, Sweet Dreams Enfold You."

TRUCK OWNERS TO TEST VALIDITY OF TAX LAW

Pusuant to a call by J. N. Scott, a number of truck owners of the county met in Clanton last Saturday morning. The services of a lawyer were secured for the purpose of testing the validity of the law passed by the commissioners court placing a special tax on motor trucks hauling lumber, timber and ore over the roads of the county.

CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church, announced at church last Sunday that on account of the fact that he would be attending the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta there would be no preaching at his church next Sunday and Sunday night. Sunday school will be held as usual. Rev. Ezell urged that his people attend the commencement sermon at the high school on next Sunday and also suggested that they worship with Dr. Wilkerson at the Methodist church Sunday night.

REAL BASE BALL GAME IN CLANTON MAY 22

Clanton Base Ball Season Opens With One of Best Amateur Teams in Alabama, Thursday, the 22.

The base ball fans of Chilton county will have the opoprtunity of seeing as fast and first-class base ball game as they can see anywhere n Class B professional base ball next Thursday, the 22nd of May.

Clanton will play the West Point Route Base Ball team of Montgomery, Ala., on the above date. The visiting club will have with them a pitcher who was tried out by the Philadelphia American League base ball club, who will probably do the twirling for them, also a short-stop who tried out with the same club. They have a well balanced ball club and are good hitters.

Clanton has played this club one time and was defeated during the last part of the game. We thought we had a pretty good team against them then, but if possible, we will have a better team to face them on the 22nd inst.

We want to give them a clean fair game, hence we have requested the visitors to bring with them the regular umpire of base ball games at Crampton Bowl. He is a fair umpire and we hope to have no "kicking" from either the players or the fans. In order that everybody can see the game as comfortably as possible we ask that everybody either go into the grand-stand or stay against the fence. This will give both sides an opportunity to play the game as it should be played. And every one buying tickets will purchase them with the understanding that they will either have to go into the grand-stand or stay against the fence and not two deep against the fence.

The admission will be 30 and 15 cents. If we can pay expenses we will have more good games during the summer. Talk the game—let's break the attendance record.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF CHILTON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

The commencement sermon of the Chilton County High school will be held at the high school auditorium next Sunday, May 18th, at 11 o'clock, same to be delivered by Dr. J. E. Danly, presiding elder of this district of the Methodist conference.

On Monday night, May 19th, will be held the annual undergraduate play, entitled, "My Irish Rose."

The graduating exercises will be held Tuesday evening, May 20th, beginning at 8:15 p.m. The commencement address will be delivered by Prof. Hugh Bradley of the University of Alabama. Following is a list of the seniors to receive diplomas at the graduating exercises Tuesday night:

Barney W. Burnett, Udah B. Curlee, Ida Mae Doster, Erazelle Foshee, Horace G. Franklin, Joseph H. Hester, Mary Pearl Johnson, Estelle Littlejohn, Martha Jewel Minor, Otto Miller, Charles R. Moore, Myra Lee Moore, Sara Frances Mullins, Burton S. Mullins, Earl Parrish, Essie Parrish, Jessie Lee Price, Raymond C. Roberts, James E. Ruffin, Lola Sanford, Leila Belle Smith, Prudie Smith, Flossie Wilson.

Miss Inez Harris is visiting friends and relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mr. W. L. Powell left Wednesday mornng for Cullman, where he goes on a business mission.

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CORRESPONDENTS TO BANNER PLEASE READ THIS

We consider the correspondents who send in to us news items from their communities every week one of the greatest assets to our paper. We sincerely appreciate the efforts that are put forth by those of the different communities who take the interest in their own community's advancement and the success of The Union-Banner to write up the news of their locality and send it in for publication. So our purpose in writing this personal notice to our correspondents is simply to make this phase of our paper better if possible. Below we are making a few suggestions to our correspondents which we sincerely hope everyone who expects to send in anything in the future for publication will read carefully and abide by as closely as possible.

As a heading to your letter you should write the name of your community, such as "Mt. Nebo" or "Mineral Springs." Directly under your heading you should write your own name, which will always be omitted from the printed article. Your name, however, is very important, and we urge you to always sign your name. Don't think that if your name appears on your manuscript it will be printed in the paper, because it will not, unless you especially request it.

Begin your article right off with a prominent news item. Do not start off with "Health of this place is good," etc. If anyone is sick state so, but leave off the rest. Write actual news and not just "kid talk" which the public cares nothing about. Such things as "John Parker was the guest of Miss Pearl Bean Sunday afternoon" are not news and should not be written. If a prominent member of your community visits some other community, write a paragraph about it, but do not waste your time and our space by saying that "Mattie Wilson took dinner with Jessie Miner Sunday." Write something that people all over the county will enjoy reading. Always write up the activities of your church and Sunday school and other public institutions.

Write your news as plainly as possible and on only one side of your paper. Especially write the names of people and places as legibly as you possibly can. When you have finished one item do not begin another on the same line but draw a dash under it and skip a line to begin your next item. This avoids confusion and should be heeded by all means. As an example of a well composed correspondence we refer you to the letter received from South Calera every week. It would not be a bad idea for our correspondents to follow the general arrangement of the letter from this place.

If you care to enter any political discussion of any nature, your name must be signed at the close of the communication and be allowed to appear in the paper. No political discussion will be carried unless the real name of the writer appears at the bottom. Do not use a ficticious name such as "Subscriber" but sign your real name and also give your post-office address.

Do not wait too late about mailing in your letter. It should be mailed in time to reach us Tuesday morning. If received later than this it may be that it will have to be omitted.

If our correspondents will carefully observe the above simple rules you will confer a great favor on us and at the same time be an asset to your community and friends. From time to time, we are going to give advice to our correspondents, and we hope each one will read them carefully and follow them as closely as possible. We are desirous of getting the news from all the communities of the county and we want it to show up as well as possible.

LET'S STAND BEHIND THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

The primary election is history. This was one of the most peaceable campaigns the Republicans of the county have ever had, notwithstanding there were a number of candidates out. So far as we know, all the defeated candidates are reasonably well pleased with the result of the election. Of course, they had rather been in the lead themselves, but as we warned them before the primary, somebody had to drink the bitter cup.

We have a list of good nominees on our ticket, and there is no reason why they should not poll a good vote in the general election. So, it now becomes the duty of the Republicans of the county to boost our entire ticket just as much so as possible from now until November and elect it complete at that time. The only way for us to do it is to stick together. We can't afford to sacrifice party principles just because we lost out on some of our choices. A real true man is one who can take defeat honorably and stand up for the party honestly and squarely.

Let's all get behind the ticket and see to it that it is put over the top in the general election. Hurrah for the Republican nominees!

Mr. C. H. Wompold, representing Wompold-Loeb Shoe Co., was in our city Tuesday calling on his many friends.

BAPTISTS DEFEAT METHODISTS 39 TO 4 THURSDAY AFTERNOON

A barrel of fun was enjoyed by the base ball fans of Clanton last Thursday afternoon when the mens Bible classes of the Baptist and Methodist churches of Clanton locked horns in a heated game. The men playing had lots of fun right then but when they started to get out of bed Friday morning it was not so nice with some of them because they were so sore and stiff they could hardly navigate. All day Friday you could see men wabbling around like they were way up in the seventies.

For the Methodists Percy M. Pitts began catching and was relieved by G. D. Retherford. Claud Reynolds began as pitcher and was relieved by L. D. Petrey. Petrey was relieved by T. H. Neighbors and Neighbors was relieved by H. M. Simpson. (You will notice that the Methodists had a supply of reserve pitchers). H. M. Simpson played first base, T. H. Neighbors second base, Mr. Farmer third base, L. D. Petrey shrot stop, J. N. Calloway center field, Evans Parrish right field.

For the Baptists Jesse C. Jones began as pitcher and was relieved by Dewey Rockett. Van Smith began catching and was relieved by Dewey Eubanks. Fred Calloway played a while on first base and was relieved by H. S. Shaw. M. B. Arant played second base, V. J. Heard short stop, Dewey Eubanks third base, Dewey Rockett left field, Crutcher Ross center field, and A. L. Taylor right field, relieved by Grover Harris.

The attendance at this game was good and there was lots of fun. The Methodists lost the game 39 to 4, together with the bonus, but they ran the Baptists down. The Methodists console themselves under the defeat now by claiming that they are good Sunday school students and not ball players. The Baptists say that if they can get any relief out of this claim they are welcome to it.

The gate receipts amounted to $61.00 which was divided 50-50 between the two classes. This was one of the most enjoyed ball games of the season.

NO SPEAKING AT COURT HOUSE LAST SATURDAY

As a result of some confusion regarding the announcement, the speaking which was to be held at the court house last Saturday in the interest of the Republican primary was not held. Somehow the report got out that the speaking was called off, which was a mistake. This was probably largely due to the fact that the announcement was omitted from The Union-Banner last week. It was carried week before last, but on account of the rush in handling the candidates' letters, it was overlooked last week. We feel that this explanation is due the people of the county.

BUILDING NEW OFFICE

Dr. Arthur Johnson is beginning to build him a new office building between his residence and the filling station on Second Avenue. The new building will be of brick and will have a frontage of 26 feet by 60 feet in depth. Dr. Johnson says that he has become dissatisfied with his office on Sixth street because the traffic here makes too much fuss for him.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to my friends and neighbors for the kindness they have shown me in preparing and planting my crop, and for many words and deeds of sympathy they have expressed since my recent break-down in health. I wish also to thank them for the pounding and singing they gave us Saturday night. They left us with a filled pantry and glad hearts. Pounding of that nature never hurts a fellow—they make him feel better.

Thank you a thousand times. Yours in the service of the King,

G. B. GOLDEN, Pastor.

Mr. E. L. Jones of Corinth was in Clanton Wednesday.

LIBERTY HILL

Our singing society meets in regular session next Sunday, and we want everybody to come and bring your 1924 song books. We extend a special invitation to singers from other socities. Prof. I. D. Huett of Bethsalem is expected to be with us. We hope to have some good singing

MOTHERS DAY HONORED BY BOTH CLANTON CHURCHES

Last Sunday being Mothers Day all over this country, the Baptist and Methodist churches of Clanton put on special programs carrying out the idea of doing honor to the mothers. Both Sunday schools had special programs along this line and the sermons preached by the pastors carried out the idea.

It is recognized that the homes of our country exert the greatest influence over the nation of any other one thing, and the mothers are the makers of the homes, therefore the mothers of this country deserve all the respect and honor which can possibly be given them.

CAMPAIGN NEARING FOR EGG MARKETING

June 1 to July 15 Will Be Membership Period for Farm Bureau Egg Association.

Auburn, Ala., May 12.—From June 1 to July 15 poultry producers throughout the United States will have their eyes on Alabama. They will do so because of the campaign which will be conducted at that time for membership in the Farm Bureau egg marketing association.

The proposition as stated by Edward A. O'Neal, president of the proposed association, is to sign at least 100,000 hens for co-operative egg marketing. The campaign will be conducted in all counties having a county farm bureau. The general plan is for the country farm bureaus to have charge in their respective counties with the assistance of the county farm and home demonstration agents.

Particular attention will be given to community units, because a local receiving agent must be on the job in each community, and a community must have at least 500 hens under contract to have a local agent.

Due to local conditions, leaders in Baldwin county desired to put on their membership campaign in advance of the State campaign. In two days 6,000 hens were signed and the leaders are anxious to make it 20,000 before it closes. Although the state quota is fixed at 100,000 hens, Farm Bureau officials and Extension Service workers will be disappointed unless two or three times this number are secured.

Immediately after the membership campaign the association will get ready to receive and market eggs, beginning early next fall. State headquarters will be in connection with the Farm Bureau in Montgomery.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT VEFBENA HIGH SCHOOL

On next Friday night, May 16th, the Senior class of the Verbena High school will present "Putting It Over," a three-act comedy-drama. The commencement sermon will be preached at the Verbena Methodist church on next Sunday by Rev. H. C. Cowan of Citronelle, Ala. Class day exercises will be held on Monday, May 19th, and at 8:15 in the evening the commencement address will be delivered by Dr. J. S. Thomas of the University of Alabama, followed by the delivery of diplomas.

This is the first graduating exercises that has been held at the Verbena school, this being the first year the 11th grade has been carried. Those to receive diplomas are: Jannie Allen, Mary Helen Stonecipher, William H. DeRamus, Paul B. Dansby, Crayton L. Norris and Dolphus W. Harris. The faculty this year consists of W. E. G. Sutton, principal; M. W. Mims and Kathleen Alexander.

Arrangements are being made for the building of a fine new home for the school, which will be ready for occupancy next fall. The people of Verbena are showing a fine spirit in the interest of their school, and are determined to have one of the best in the county.

CEDAR GROVE

There will be preaching at Cedar Grove Saturday as usual, but no service Sunday on account of the singing convention; singings in the old book.

G. B. GOLDEN, Pastor.

AUTAUGA LINK OF NEW HIGHWAY TO GO THRU THE TOWN OF PRATTVILLE

Prattville to Pay Cost of Diverting Road Through That City; New Bids To Be Called For in Chilton.

After all, the Autauga county link in the new Montgomery-Birmingham highway, will pass through Prattville. No change is to be made in the route adopted by the State Highway commission, namely, from the Reese's Ferry bridge via Verbena to Clanton, but the road will be diverted so as to traverse Prattville. Extra cost of this diversion amounting to $31,366.81 will be paid by Prattville citizens.

When the Verbena route for the highway through Autauga was adopted by the highway commission in preference to that via White City, which would have taken the road through Prattville, citizens of Prattville expressed great disappointment, although plans included the establishment of a spur road some two miles in length to connect the highway with the town.

Monday afternoon, a delegation of citizens of Prattville appeared before the highway commission and on behalf of themselves and other Prattville residents, presented an offer to pay the extra cost if the commission would authorize diversion of the route of the highway so that it would go through the town. The proposal of the delegation which included Probate Judge Posey, Dr. Smith and Mr. Moncrief, was approved and accepted by the commission, and the diversion authorized.

Advertise for Bids

The state highway department will advertise for bids on the extra construction work required by diversion of the road, and under the agreement made Monday, citizens of Prattville are to deposit the $31,366.81 to cover the extra expense involved, in the state treasury before a contract is awarded for the job.

Bid Is Withdrawn

Stating there was a misunderstanding on their part regarding the contract for surfacing the Chilton county link in the Montgomery-Birmingham highway, representatives of Speed and Parker, of Louisville, Ky., low bidders on the job, and to whom the contract was awarded, asked permission of the State Highway Commission Monday afternoon to withdraw their bid. The permission was granted, and it is understood that new bids will be advertised for at once.

The claim made by the representatives of Speed and Parker, was that they did not understand that the state was to furnish the cement with which the surfacing of the Chilton project was to be done. Their request for withdrawal of the bid, was based upon the statement that there was a misunderstanding on their part regarding this detail as to the buying of the cement for the job by the State Highway Commission. The contract involved, it is understood, made it optional whether the state should purchase the cement or not.

Uncle Riley Robinson of Providence was in Clanton Wednesday morning to learn how the election went. Uncle Riley said that he lost two of his candidates in the primary but he had no kick coming.

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TWO MELON INSECTS ARE DUE TO APPEAR

Striped and 12-Spotted Beetles Will Injure Cucumber and Cantaloupe Plants Unless Poisoned.

Auburn, Ala., May 12.—It is time for the striped and the twelve-spotted cucumber beetles, which attack young melon plants, to make their appearance in Alabama. Weather conditions have been somewhat in their favor this year and unless control measures are properly applied they are certain to do considerable damage. They attack especially cucumber and cantaloupe plants.

According to entomologists of the Alabama Experiment Station, these beetles attack young plants from the time they emerge from the ground, feeding especially on the under side of little leaves and doing severe damage in a few days.

Several control measures are effective, but under Alabama conditions these entomologists say that one of the most practical consists of dusting with a mixture composed of one part calcium arsenate, and twenty parts land plaster (gypsum) by weight. This poison may be applied through a bag of ordinary cheese cloth or with a hand dust gun.

Spraying with a solution consisting of either one ounce of calcium arsenate or one ounce of arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water is recommended. A small spray pump is necessary for applying this solution. Dusting is cheaper.

The first application of either poison should be made when the plants come through the ground, and repeated immediately after each rain or when the plants outgrow the dust.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. NANCY WYATT

On last Thursday, May 8th, at 12:30 p.m., Mrs. Nancy Wyatt was called away by death from her loved ones.

Mrs. Wyatt was born April 10, 1860, and was sixty-four years old. She was the mother of nine children, five dead and four living. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Elijah Wyatt and three daughters, Mrs. Jim Thomas, Mrs. Lizzie Driver, and Mrs. Ellen Mims, all of Clanton, and one son, Mr. Will Wyatt of Cooper.

Mrs. Wyatt was a devoted Christian lady, having in 1879 joined the Providence Baptist Church and since that time lived such a life as to enable those who have known her to rest assured that her Maker has called her to a better home.

She was a devoted wife and a kind and loving mother. She has been in failing health for a number of years but at the time of her death was only sick for two and one-half hours.

May her life and work here be a guide and inspiration to those who are left behind to live such a life that they may yet be joined with her throughout eternity, is our prayer.

Respectfully,
A FRIEND.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our neighbors for their aid and assistance given us during the short illness and death of our wife and mother, to thank Mr. Mell Martin for his assistance, and also the many friends who assembled with us at her grave, also for the many floral offerings.

Respectfully,
Elijah Wyatt and Children.

ATTENDING SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Tuesday afternoon Rev. S. J. Ezell, Mr. W. I. Mullins and Mr. Grover Harris of the Clanton Baptist church, and Rev. Buford Lawrence, Mr. J. Z. Mims and Mr. Grady Harris of Samaria church, left for Atlanta, Ga., where they are attending the Southern Baptist Convention. These gentlemen will be away for five or six days.

STOP!

GO!

It is dangerous to Go, when the signal says Stop! To heed warnings is to save life.

The Stop! signals for health are such warnings as backache, shooting pains, recurring headaches, chilliness, dizziness, drowsiness, irritability, moroseness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints, gout.

These signals warn you that there is a "traffic jam" in the kidneys, and the "Go" signal can't be utilized until the clogging poisons (uric acid, mostly) are flushed out.

Drinking a glass of hot water each morning is effective and before each meal take an An-uric tablet (anti-uric-acid).

Step into any drug store and obtain An-uric tablets, discovered by Dr. Pierce, Pres. and made at the famous Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y. Or, send Dr. Pierce 10c for a trial package.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Vandalism of a vicious kind came near causing a serious accident on the Micaville road, about eight miles below Heflin, when a Ford car, occupied by Mrs. Joe Morrison and Miss Annie Mae Robinson, was wrecked. After one of the wheels of the car collapsed and the machine overturned it was discovered that several spokes in one of the wheels had been cut nearly in two with a saw.

Gadsden authorities are considering a new plan to circumvent rum runners who travel in mortgaged automobiles, hoping to protect themselves against confiscation of their cars. In such cases, the city will take the car and assume the mortgage. Council has already authorized the assumption of a $160 mortgage on a touring car caught bringing 20 odd gallons of whisky into that city a few weeks ago.

L. A. Boyd and Roy L. Nolan, members of the state board of administration, were cited to appear in the chancery division of the Montgomery circuit court and defend their acts under the law giving the state authority to carry its own insurance, to create an insurance fund for the purpose and to discontinue policies of insurance heretofore placed with insurance companies.

Figures showing that the mad dog problem in Alabama is one of increasing seriousness were furnished from the state health department. According to the figures, 519 treatments for rabies were furnished from the state laboratory in 1922; 586 in 1923 and for 1923, to May 5, 305 treatments.

The United Overall Company of Gadsden has closed a United States government contract for 39,000 pairs of overalls and also one for 4,000 pairs with the San Domingo government. Twenty-one thousand pairs will be shipped to the Indian wards of the United States and 18,000 pairs will go to the United States marines.

Ware Brothers in Tuscumbia will build on one of their lots near the Tuscumbia Cotton Oil company a sweet potato curing house to cost $2,500. This house is to be built in accordance with the government specifications and will store from 10,000 to 15,000 bushels. It will be ready for the 1924 crop.

In spite of the fact that the fourth market day of the new Tuscaloosa curb market saw 27 cars and wagons offering produce for sale to an amount which many predicted was too much to be sold in the market hours, 11 o'clock saw practically everything offered sold.

The Etowah County Farm Bureau has recently handled 800 tons of fertilizer for its members on co-operative shipments at a cost of $19,800, according to an official statement. It is claimed that the members saved $2,780 by the transaction, in addition to getting the exact fertilizer they need.

A large part of the business section of Jackson was swept by a fire which broke out and burned fiercely for three hours. Practically an entire block on Commerce street was razed by the flames which for a time threatened to wipe out all the business houses in the central part of town.

The federal district court sitting in Montgomery adjudged as insane Capt. Thomas H. Fallow of Opelika, former officer of the 167th regiment, Rainbow division, which is attributed to shell-shock suffered in battles in the World war.

The General McKenzie, a new dredge built for service on Mobile bar and along the gulf coast, is being tested in New York harbor, according to Major Earl North, chief of engineers at Mobile.

C. C. Hood, who for more than 17 years was credit manager of the Birmingham branch of the International Harvester company, has assumed his duties as manager of the Merchant Credit association of Anniston.

J. A McKinney, Florence merchant, was robbed of more than $100 when he was held up by two unmasked men, who rifled his cash drawer while covering him with two pistols.

Anna H. Kinney was appointed by the President to be postmistress at Elberta, Baldwin county.

Mr. B. E. Jones of Montgomery was in Clanton the first of this week.

STATE ADVENTISTS GIVE BIG SUM TO FOREIGN MISSIONS

The Seventh-day Adventists of Alabama gave $65,154.71 for the advancement of foreign missions during the past four years, and $89,908.16 to advance their church in this state, according to the report just made by Rev. C. B. Stephenson, president of the Alabama conference. Last year they gave $19,420.90 to foreign mission enterprises, which was an increase of $3,998.44 over the amount given the previous year.

President Stephenson says there are 28 churches in the conference, 30 Sabbath schools, five young people's socities, and 13 church schools. He also says that his conference appropriated $18,275.00 to give the gospel among the colored people of the state.

The Adventists, according to President Stephenson, are planning to hold evangelistic meetings in Montgomery, Birmingham, Mobile, Clanton and other cities in the states this spring and summer. The ministers who will take part in these evangelistic meetings include Revs. O. F. Frank, W. P. Mc Lennan, F. W. Schmehl, J. G. Mitchell, K. R. Haughey, T. S. Tate and T. H. Allison.

MRS. ADELINE SILAS DEAD

At the home of Wade Friday near Kincheon last Saturday night occurred the death of Mrs. Adeline (Grandma) Silas. Mrs. Silas was ninety-three years old and was the wife of John Silas who has been dead for a number of years.

The remains were buried at Bethsalem Monday at 11 o'clock, Rev. Joe Moore officiating.

The deceased leaves three living children. They are: Mrs. Fannie Pierce of Bethsalem, John Silas of Coosa county and Gaines Silas of Bibb county.

WINNING NUMBERS AT BEAN'S

The following numbers were drawn by Bean Brothers as those winning the five dollars cash to be given away by them. If the first number is not called for in ten days from May 3, then that number will be eliminated and the second one becomes the lucky number. The second will hold for ten days and then the third becomes effective. If neither of the three numbers are called for at the end of the thirty days, the five dollars will be retained by Bean Brothers. If you have either of the following numbers, see Bean Brothers about it:

First No. 77, out May 13th.
Second No. 536, out May 23rd.
Third No. 185, out June 3.

UNION GROVE

Picking strawberries is all the go.

Our Sunday school and prayer meetng are still just fine. We had a large crowd out Sunday.

Mr. O. B. Robinson started his singing school on Monday night, May 5th, teaching for twelve or fifteen nights. We are very glad to have such a man in our community, for we feel that Mr. Robinson is doing his best to help build up our community.

Misses Mollie and Lessie Vinzant spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vinzant.

Miss Iris Robinson and Mr. Ernest Cofer spent Sunday with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Misses Lessie Vinzant and Annice Davis spent Sunday with Miss Delene Collum.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes and children, Lota Mae and Thomas of Thorsby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dorminey.

Mr. Vernon Cost from Montgomery spent the week-end with homefolks.

Miss Pearl Chandler spent a while with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer Sunday evening.

Mr. Osmond Dorminey spent Saturday night with Mr. Askew Davis.

The play given at this place Saturday night was just fine. There was speaking after the play.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent a while with Miss Edna Robinson Sunday evening.

Messrs. Arthur and Bernie Chandler of Birmingham spent the week-end with home folks.

Last Saturday night and Sunday were regular preaching days. Rev. W. P. Lowery of Thorsby preached.

The United Singing Society met at this place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

R. M. Hubbard of Jemison was in Clanton Monday attending Commissioners Court.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-7, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

SARDIS NOTES

Rev. C. A. Taylor of Verbena filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

We were very glad to have with us Prof. I. D. Huett, who conducted an interesting song service for us Saturday night and also Sunday morning. We were very fortunate in securing such a talented teacher to teach our singing school which will begin Aug. 4th. Prof. Huett has already won for himself many friends here. He will be here again the 3rd Sunday afternoon in June and will bring a class with him. We are looking forward for a grand time as he has promised to render some duets for us. Everybody invited, especially all lovers of music.

Our Singing Society meets every 1st and 3rd Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report our Sunday school moving on nicely with large attendance.

Most of the farmers here are behind with their work, while some are already chopping cotton.

Miss Anthel Ratliff had as her guests Sunday afternoon Messrs. Charlie Deramus, Charlie Carter, David Weaver, Luther Traywick, Herbert Traywick, Charlie Burnett and the Misses Anna Hayes, Eula Edwards and Lennie Headley.

Mrs. Susie Roper has gone for an extended visit to her son near Selma.

Several young people from this place motored to the singing at Alpine Sunday p.m.

Rev. C. A. Taylor and Prof. I. D. Huett spent Saturday night with Mr. H. L. Ratliff.

Mr. Vernon Taylor of Verbena was visiting here Saturday night.

Mr. John Foshee of near Stanton made a trip here Sunday.

Mr. Aaron Roper, Mrs. H. L. Ratliff and Miss Anthel Ratliff motored to Clanton Monday.

Miss Willie Hosea of Burnsville is visiting relatives here this week.

ARRESTED SUNDAY NIGHT

Sunday night near the home of Peter Prim three miles south-west of town the county officers arrested Ed Goodgame who was intoxicated and had a small quanity of whiskey in his posession. Goodgame was in his automobile which was parked on the side of the road but the car was not taken inasmuch as same was not moving at the time the whiskey was found. Goodgame was arrested under the charge of violating the prohibition laws and remained in jail until Monday morning.

Baby Attacked!

Mrs. Crawford writes, "I was attracted by the screams of my baby. I rushed to the cradle and there was a rat crawling on the child! My husband put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around and we haven't seen a rat since. I certainly am grateful." Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

Th' real gardener is th' feller who can keep up his enthusiasm fr his garden along in th' hot days o' Summer — — — —

PROGRAM PROVIDENCE, BEAT 13

The following is program and arrangements for our Annual Memorial Service at this place, Providence Church, Beat 13, Sunday, May 18th:

Devotional exercises, conducted by C. S. McCain, J. F. Lowery and others, 10 o'clock a.m.

A song, No. 157, Hallejah, led by W. R. Houlditch.

Welcome address, by W. H. Shaw, Birmingham.

Song, No. 208, title, French Board, led by J. H. Martin.

Preaching at 11 a.m., by Rev. Thomas, pastor.

A song by Mr. Berl Martin, If You Love Your Mother, Meet Her in the Sky.

After preaching, the audience will proceed to march to cemetery and sing No. 130, Passing Away; also No. 341, Lone Pilgrim.

Prayer by Rev. R. M. Honeycutt; after which a song, No. 335, When I Am Gone.

Dismissed for dinner by Rev. G. W. Bailey.

The afternoon will be taken up in song service in the new books and we especially invite the coming of all singers and lovers of music, and let's make this a day of joy and a success, if it is our Master's will so to be.

Also we are expecting the Clanton Quartet class, of whom we certainly greet them a happy welcome. We hope to make this a day to be long remembered and enjoyed by all who attend. So come one and all and let's make this a real memorial day. Everybody is invited to come and bring a well filled basket.

Also we wish to say that we especially invite everybody interested to meet us Thursday, May 15th, for the purpose of cleaning off cemetery at this place, Providence, Beat 13.

C. S. McCAIN,
J. H. MARTIN,
W. F. THOMPSON,
Committee.

PLUMBER THOUGHT HE NEEDED NEW PIPES

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Change of Ownership

The Drug Store heretofore operated by E. T. Weldon has been taken over by Dr. J. P. Hayes and J. W. (Dick) Hayes, and the latter will operate the store in the future under the name of Hayes Drug Company.

Dr. P. J. Hayes is moving his office in the rear of the Drug Store, where he will be found in the future.

In connection with a first-class Soda Fount, the Hayes Drug Company will carry a line of Patent Medicines and Drug Sundries. The public has a cordial invitation to visit the Drug Store and get acquainted with the new management.

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THORSBY SECTION

(R. E. NORTON, Manager.)

At a meeting of Thorsby Institute Executive Committee, last Tuesday morning after it had become known that Mr. Waldemer Lefstead, on account of other plans had declined re-election as a member of Thorsby Institute Faculty for the ensuing school year. Mr. Rasco Maddox was unanimously elected to fill the only vacancy on the faculty. Mr. Maddox is a Chilton county boy, a graduate of Thorsby Institute. In the fall of that year he secured the position of principal of the school at Pates Chapel, near his home, where he made good. In the fall of 1920 he entered Piedmont College at Demorest, Ga., where he will graduate in June this year. After taking a summer course at the University of Alabama he will be ready to take up his work in Thorsby. It has long been the policy of Thorsby Institute to employ as members of the teaching force those who have become imbued with the high ideals of this school, by years of close contact with it, after they have attended higher institutions of learning and have fully qualified themselves to meet the requirements of educators in Thorsby Institute. In this way the school can manifest faith in its own work as well as recognition of ability in members of its student body.

A Card of Thanks

We want to express our deep appreciation of all the loving kindness and thoughtful care shown to us during our recent bereavement and during the trying days of illness of Mrs. Johnson. We are especially grateful for the many letters of comforting cheer that have come to us, which we find it impossible to answer individually. We were greatly strengthened in our mind and body by so many tokens of regard for our loved one and for ourselves. We cannot mention them all separately, but shall long cherish the gifts of beautiful flowers and kind deeds by the ladies of the Lutheran Ladies Aid Society, and The Ladies Guild of Thorsby. Also the helpful attentions of the business men of the town. Everybody seemed to want to do what they could to manifest their respect and sympathy, for which we heartily thank you one and all.

ANDREW M. JOHNSON,
MRS. OLIVE TAGG.

We are pleased to note the beginning of actual work in the vicinity of Thorsby, on the Birmingham-Montgomery hghway. Together with the fact that Thorsby is to be headquarters for the forces employed in construction. Chief Engineer Henning, with his family are boarding temporarily with Mrs. W. L. Leary. These titles and all others mentioned in this memorandum apply only to the Chilton county section from Lomax to Shelby county line. Mr. Reno Villadsen, assistant chief engineer, with his family are here and will occupy the lower part of his mother's home as their residence. Mr. Arthur Villadsen, surveyor, with Arnold Littleton, Julius Smith and Bob Carter as assistants, all Thorsby boys, have begun work and D. Y. Johnston of Clanton, in charge of a grading gang have begun to move the dirt in Thorsby. When this work gets under full headway it will make busy times for this section of Chilton county.

The Senior class of Thorsby Institute are practicing their play for class night which comes May 29th. The play, "Daddy," was originally written by a Charleston, S. Caro. woman for a private production. Later it was copyrighted and is one of the most popular of Walter H. Baker Company's plays. We can promise all who attended the performance of "Mr. Bob" last Saturday that they will be equally entertained by "Daddy."

The Christian Endeavor Society held its regular meeting last Sunday evening. The leader for the evening was Miss James, who had arranged a very interesting program. A number of beautiful poems were recited in remembrance of Mother.

Miss Alma Lefstead is spending several days in Birmingham, a visit to her brother, Lawrence Lefstead, and family.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Thursday afternoon May 15th.

Mr. Phillip Horn and family motored from Troy last Sunday, and visited friends in Clanton and Thorsby.

Mrs. Magne Anderson made a visit to Birmingham last Monday, returning Wednesday.

Mr. Earl Leary spent Sunday with his parents in Thorsby.

Rev. E. W. Butler made a trip to Birmingham at the end of last week.

Strawberries continue to move lively at Thorsby, but prices have hit a toboggan slide.

Programme Christian Endeavor Rally

Thorsby, Ala., Saturday, May 17, 1924, at the Congregational church.

MORNING SESSION

Miss Lillian McKee, Presiding

9:30 a.m.—Worship in Song—Mr. Wm. K. Shanz, leader.
Invocation—Dr. Each.
9:35 a.m.—"Friends of Christ" (Devotional)—Mr. Wm. K. Shanz.
9:45 a.m.—Welcome—Miss Lillian McKee.
9:50 a.m.—Introduction of Visitors—Miss Mary C. Tyson.
10:00 a.m.—The Alabama C. E. Union—Mr. F. F. Ballard.
10:05.—State Conventions—Mr. A. C. Decker.
10:10.—Conferences—A Big Part of State Conventions—Mr. W. D. Shepherd.
10:15.—Adjourn to School Building (Bates Hall.)
10:20.—Conferences:
Room 1—The Pledge—Mr. F. F. Ballard.
Room 2.—C. E. Charts—How and Why—Mr. A. C. Decker.
Room 3.—The Music Committee—Mr. W. K. Shanz.
Room 4.—The Prayer-Meeting Committee.
Room 5.—The Executive Committee.
12:00 M.—Adjourn until 2 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

2:00 p.m.—Junor Program—Clanton Junor C. E. Society.
2:45 p.m.—The Junior State Convention—Miss Molly Shepherd, Mr. Frank Shepherd.
3:00 p.m.—Social Features of Mobile Convention and banquet—Mrs. Marie Anderson.
3:10 p.m.—The Sunrise Prayer-Meeting—Mr. W. D. Shepherd.
3:15 p.m.—Alabama's Progressive Program and Goals.
M. S. Program.
Socety Contest.
4:00 p.m.—Ask Phoebe—Answered by State Officers.
4:30 p.m.—Music.
4:35 p.m.—Auburn—Mr. Andrew Cassady.
4:40 p.m.—Annston—Mr. A. C. Decker.
4:45 p.m.—The Theme of the Mobile Convention: "A Surrendered Life"—Mr. W. K. Shanz.
5:15 p.m.—Convention Song—"I Surrender All."
5:20 p.m.—Benedction.

Note.—Several of the speakers are high officals of the State and National Christian Endeavor organizations.

NOTICE

Everybody invited to come to Mims pond Thursday afternoon, May 15th, and get a free swim; the water is nice and cool. No swimming on Sunday this season.

E. H. MIMS.

He Was a Normal Human Being—Centuries Ago

NOT a particularly pleasing looking object but a mighty interesting subject, just the same. The little figure, which the gentleman in this picture is holding on his knee, is that of a normal size man—a Jivaro Indian of Ecuador—mummified centuries ago. Although now only twenty-seven inches in height, it is hard to believe that this same figure, in real life, was once five feet, one and one-half inches tall.

But that's a fact. The Jivaro Indians of Ecuador, says the report that came with this picture, have a peculiar way of mummifying human bodies by removing all the bones. And they manage to keep those bodies in a mighty good state of preservation, as you can see from this photograph.

This particular mummy is now in the Museum of the American Indian which was recently opened to the public.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Possession of what is commonly known as "beer" or "mash" is a violation of the Alabama prohibition statutes. The beer of mash does not have to be "run" through a still and converted into whiskey to make the possessor liable to arrest, trial and conviction for manufacturing prohibited liquor. This was held by a majority of the Alabama court of appeals in decision rendered in the case of Troup Glaze vs. the state, appealed from Chambers county.

At a meeting held at the Demopolis city hall organization of the Demopolis Country Club was perfected. Henry McDaniel was elected president; Dr. T. C. Savage, vice-president; Henry J Whitfield, secretary treasurer; James C. Webb, T. S. Eddins, W. W. Riddick, S. R. Bethea, F. C. Smith, I. Bley, W. S. Robert, Harry Simon, L. L. Steinhart, directors. The club has purchased a 203-acre tract of land about two miles from Demopolis. The organization is capitalized at $20,000.

An automobile owner who lends his car to a person who has a reputation of being a bootlegger, will lose his vehicle whether it be a flivver or costly limousine, if the state catches said suspected bootlegger with his wet goods in the car. This was the ruling the supreme court of Alabama in affirming the decision of the Jefferson circuit court in the case of R. L. Bearden, claimant, versus state, appealed from the Bessemer division of this court.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Railway Fuel Band recently organized at Parrish with B. E. Swindle as director is making fast progress and they are now ready to give public concerts. Mr. Swindle says that it is amazing how fast they have been able to train this band of 22 pieces, and that he is satisfied with progress made. Mr. Swindle is a man of wide experience, having spent several years in a United States military band.

Plans for the annual flower show are being started by the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church of Anniston, and advance indications point to the most extensive events of the kind yet held by the local church women. Definite details for the coming affair have not been arranged and the exact date has not yet been decided upon, it is said.

The James R. Crowe post of the American Legion, Sheffield have through the cooperation of the commanding officer of the nitrate plant obtained permission to use a large recreational hall at Nitrate Plant No. 1 for athletic events. The members are actively engaged in all spare moments in fitting the building for their needs. A first-class boxing show is scheduled for the near future.

The two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Newton is said to have died as the result of snuffing kerosene oil in to her nose. She knocked a small bottle of oil from a table and it spilled over her face. A considerable amount of it got into her nose, and she died shortly afterward. The family lives on Sand Mountain.

Every boy in Tuscaloosa, regardless of age, is being asked by the Boy Scouts to build at least on bird house to be entered in the contest to be staged during the week of May 15 Three prizes have been offered in the contest.

Establishment by the state, of a cement plant, to furnish cement for its road building work was advocated by J. D. Truss of Birmingham, before the state highway commission.

The Florence State Normal school this year will hold a semi-centennial celebration in connection with its commencement program, President Willingham has announced.

Pratically $150,000 worth of Jefferson County property has been ordered advertised for sale by Probate Judge J. P. Stiles to satisfy delinquent taxes

LATIN AMERICANS WILL INSPECT HIGH WAY CONSTRUCTION

An instensive field study of American highways and highway transport will be made during the coming summer by representatives of 20 Latin-American countries. The party will be the guests of the Highway Education Board, of which John J. Tigert, United States Commissioner of Education, is chairman. It is proposed to conduct the visitors on a tour of about three weeks through several of the State wheih have been most active in highway construction.

NEW TICK ERADICATION MAN FOR CHILTON COUNTY

In the place of Dr. Don B. Strickler, Dr. W. W. Camern has been placed in the charge of the tick eradication work in Chilton County. Dr. Strickler was called away from here to do some veterinary work some place in California. Dr. Camern is already on the job here and is going ahead with the eradication work.

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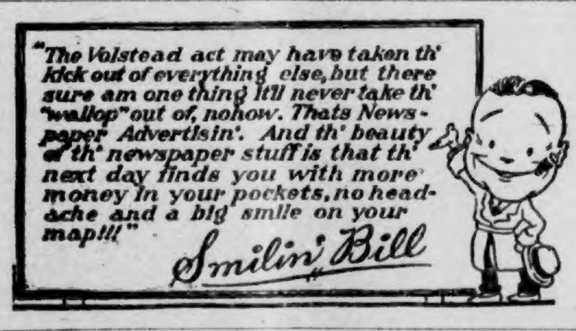

FAITHFUL SERVICE REWARDED

LOOK here—who says Uncle Sam hasn't got a big heart? Here's a touching example of his kindness in rewarding long and faithful service.

The old army mule—you see pictured above between the two mule-skinners—worked hard for years obediently doing any heavy duty assigned to it. Finally, old age broke in and the old mule gradually lost its strength. Its eyesight started to fail and it was placed on the "retired" list.

But did Uncle Sam forget it there? Not so you can notice it. Every comfort possible for it has been provided, even to the extent of providing the old "hard-tail" with pair of spectacles—as shown in the photo—so that it could see its feed bag and get about the corral and stables without possible injury to itself.

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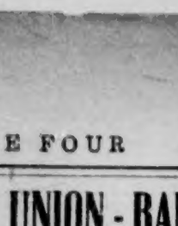

Foreign papers refer to it as the "experts' report," but our own people know it as the "Dawes report." Rather reminiscent of 1918 after our soldiers had stopped the Germans on the Marne and cut their line of communications in the drive through the Argonne—the allies won the war, America really had very little to do with it.

Since the Democratic congressmen at Washington have run out of scandal to sling at the Republicans they have gone to slinging books and chairs at members of their own party. The aforesaid men have simply got to have some excitement going on, so when they can't find something to fight the Republicans with they fight themselves. They can always pick a scrap among their own adherents.

The primary election is over and the Republican candidates have been nominated. The ticket is composed of all good reliable Republicans, and all who have the interest of the party at heart will line up behind it with the determination to put her over in November. If you did not get your choice you got the choice of the majority and all good Republicans will be satisfied with this verdict. Now for a victory in November.

When the revolution broke out in Russia there were accumulated at Vancouver over 40,000 tons of car wheels, trucks, and other railroad hardware for shipment to Russia. The material cost $14,000,000 and was of a special size to fit the Russian railways. It is now about to be sold as junk. The incident illustrates the extreme to which the soviet regime has brought the transportation system and industrial condition of the country.

In dedicating the National Academy of Sciences building in Washington, President Coolidge spoke of science as the search for truth, and added, "If there be one thing in which America is pre-eminent, it is a disposition to follow the truth." It may be declared with equal force that the predominant characteristic of Mr. Coolidge's life is a conscientious search for the truth. His intellectual integrity in that regard is what has won the confidence of many millions of voters, who will see that he is continued in the White House for four years more.

They say that necessity is the mother of invention. This being the case, someone needs to get busy and devise some means whereby more of the people attending all day singings can have seating accommodations or else keep so many people from attending them. The mode of travel has been so facilitated by the advent of the automobile till a great percentage of the people attending these gatherings never get a chance to enter the meeting houses. We guess that the churches giving these public gatherings will have to install radio broadcasting outfits so that some of the folks can stay at home and still hear the music.

BAROMETER COOLIDGE

The net earnings of the United States Steel Corporation during the first quarter of the current year were nearly $32,000,000. Commenting on future business, Judge Elbert H. Gary, chairman, expressed the opinion that "business would improve immediately after the election, and probably a month or so before." It is generally a month or so before the election that the people finally decide to vote for a Republican President. There have been exceptions to the rule followed by demoralization and hard times, but 1924 will not be one of those exceptions. It's Coolidge. The steel barometer says so.

COLD SCENTS

The Senate snooping committees still drag along, but the Senatorial noses of the Democrats are working on cold scents and their owners without common sense. The chief anxiety of the real workers in the Senate is to get a quorum when an amendment to legislation is offered, and then the snoopers come straggling in to vote without having heard any of the discussions, and having to ask the leaders how they shall vote. They vote and disappear, reminding one of Dicken's line, "she appeared, disappeared, reappeared, and vanished." This is hard on effective legislation.

From the Cradle to the Grave—Mother Watches!

LIVELY FIST FIGHT LOST BY BLANTON

Washington, May 8.— A fist fight between two members of Congress, in which books and chairs were hurled around promiscously and spectators scattered for cover, was staged Thursday in a meeting of the House committee that deals with District of Columbia affairs.

The principals were Representative Thomas L. Blanton, Democrat of Texas and Representative William C. Hammer, Democrat of North Carolina.

Hammer wrapped a chair around the Texan's head and shoulder before they were separated. Neither was severely injured.

The battle was lively while it lasted, the two men swinging madly and struggling to get at each other while spectators and other congressmen endeavored to keep them apart.

The trouble started when Blanton objected to the meeting being held on the ground he had not been previously notified. Hammer said Blanton had "wilfully misunderstood" an announcement about the meeting.

"You've a garrlous old grandmother," retorted Blanton.

"That's not true," cried Hammer, "and you haven't the courtesy of a dog to say it."

"You're a damed liar," yelled Blanton.

Hammer swung and missed. Blanton swung and missed. All even.

As Blanton swung again, and missed, the North Carolinian picked up a folding chair and, reached over the head of William F. Ham, president of the Washington Railway and Electric Company, he crowded the Texan. By this time the spectators who were not hunting cover were hanging on the coattails of the contestants and they finally succeeded in pulling them apart.

The committee then adjourned until Thursday night, when Blanton said he would be present and cross examine every witness. This assertion lead to more trouble.

"That's my privilege," said Blanton, "and I'll fight for my rights."

"When you talk fight, it's merely bluff," shouted Hammer. "You are a dog and I'll beat you again."

"That's a lie," yelled the Texan, leaning across the table and gesticulating.

Hammer picked up a bound copy of some files on the table and swung hard. He missed.

"What are you tryin to do, brain me?" screamed Blanton. "Only a coward uses books and chairs. Fight fight with your fist like a man."

Representative Zihlman, Republican of Maryland, interposed and hastily adjourned the session.

JOY-RIDING THE WORLD

American exports of passenger automobiles went from Dan to Bersheeba in 1923—literally, for 780 went to Palestine and Syria. The range was from 25,817 worth over $20,000,000 sent to Australia, to 133 worth $62,000 which went to Moroco, Canada took 11,012, worth over $10,000,000 an dthe United Kingdom 7,582 worth nearly $5,000,000.

To the Latin Americans we exported 29,516 cars valued at $18,627,000. The three largest buyers were Mexico, Argentina and Cuba. Argentina, it appears, is buying the higher class cars, judging from the value of those sent there—6,645 worth $5,305,000.

The automobile industry of the United States is giving the world a joy ride, while this country still operates fully 85 per cent of the machines of the world. That gives a very good cross section of American prosperity. Total exports of passenger cars for 1923 were 127,035 worth $90,692,000.

COALITION STILL CONTROLS

The immense public force back of the Mellon tax plan seems impotent to accomplish anything with the Democrat-radical coalition in Congress. The President is behind the Mellon plan, Treasury experts are behind it, the managers of great industries which give employment to labor are behind it, and the great mass of the people are behind it, as evidenced by the Literary Digest poll and the flood of letters and telegrams that have poured in on Congress. Yet Congress has thrown the plan into the discard and substituted another that possesses little inducement for capital to come out of its hiding in tax-free municipal bonds and engage in productive enterprise.

The people need not delude themselves that they are the citizens of a popular government while men such as now control Congress are in the saddle. Those gentlemen are possessed of a pre-conceived notion as to how Federal affairs ought to be managed, which no amount of pressure from the public can change. They are the same individuals who would deny the railroads of the country a fair return on the actual values of their properties and force them into government ownership. They are the same who barked at the heels of Republican Cabinet members, hoping thereby to drive them from office, although not a scrap of evdence reflecting on their official integrity is at hand. They have risen to prominence largely in false issues and political and economic heresies that they are now proceeding to apply to the tax bill. The enemies of the Mellon plan will be brought to an accounting at the elections in the fall.

PUBLIC FORESTRY

"Frequent inquires are received by the State Commission of Forestry regarding the lines of work which it is proposed to develop in connection with public forestry in the State," says a statement issued by the Commission. "While the practice of Forestry on non-agricultural l ands is quite generally recognized over the entire country as something highly desirable, to many people the exact reason for its necessity appear somewhat vague and indefinite. The Commission of Forestry proposes first to clear up this situation by a wide-spread program of information on the subject of forestry by means of posterns, public addresses, news items, literature for schools, illustrated lectures, moving pictures of forestry subjects, cooperation with educational organizations, and by every other practicable means. The Commission not only stands ready to cooperate to the fullest extent with the local communities, school authorities and business and civic organizatoins along these lines, but also has already begun on its own initintive the program of extending forestry information on a large scale. There will be comparatively few field men employed by the Commission in the early stages of forestry development in the State. As rapidly as the local communities qualify for State and Federal assistance in forest fire prevention and other fundamental work, however, the Commission will provide a complete local Ranger or Patrolman to lead and coordinate the community efforts."

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

Production of cotton under boll weevil conditions is nothing more or less than a race between the setting of bolls on the plant and the multiplication of the weevils, scientists declare, and everything possible should be done to aid the cotton plants in winning this race.

One of the first steps in furnishing this aid is through preparation of the soil. A good seed bed is necessary to obtain the best results and it should be prepared early so as to have a firm, smooth and well settled bed at planting. Experts say that the importance of a well prepared seed bed can hardly be overestimated. Also, unfavorable weather conditions shortly before planting often prevents plowing at that time and early preparation does away with this risk.

Planting should be delayed until all danger of frost is past and the earth is warm enough to cause quick sprouting and a good stand. Early planting is recommended but it should be borne in mind that it is possible to plant too early so that the plants become stunted during the early days of their growth.

Plant if possible only selected seed of an early maturing variety, and of a staple not less than 7/8 inch. Information as to a suitable variety for your particular locality can be obtained from the county agent or the state college of agriculture. It is definitely proven that increased yields worth from $10 to $40 an acre may be obtained by planting selected seed. One bushel or more should be planted to the acre.

Cotton rows should be from three to four feet apart, according to the fertility of the soil, and spacing in the row should be from eight to twelve inches with from one to three stalks to the hill. Tests under various conditions have proved that thick spaced cotton matures earlier and yields more pounds to the acre than thin spaced.

The intelligent use of commercial fertilizers is an important step in the profitable production of cotton. Properly used it will both hasten maturity and materially increase the yield. Contents and their percentages depend on local conditions. The county agent or the agricultural college can supply information on this point. Only the well drained, fertile lands, and when available, early soils should be used. It will pay to produce cotton only on land that will produce, under average conditions, at least one third of a bale to the acre.

Further information on the subject of boll weevil control may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Control Association, Room 220 Whitney Building, New Orleans, La.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Sixteen truck drivers, in the employ of the Alabama concrete products company at Selma were fined $1 each in recorder's court on the charge of running their trucks through the streets with cut-outs open.

Dr. J. D. Heacock, of Birmingham, was elected president of the Alabama Medical Association at the closing session of the annual convention of that association held in Montgomery.

The cost of living has decreased 12.5 per cent in Birmingham statistics furnished by the Department of Labor showed and with the advent of spring, a further reduction is expected.

Will Batson, of Falco, was acquitted by a jury in the Covington county court of a second degree murder charge in connection with the killing several years ago of Berry Pace of Falco.

The commencement program for Judson College at Marion will be opened by the annual senior concert at 8 p. m., May 23, Saturday, May 24, at 8 o'clock the Dramatic Club will give a play.

A movement to increase efficiency in art of selling is being started by Birmingham councils of the United Commercial Travelers and expectations are that the "schools of instructions" will be well attended.

A still of 1,000-gallon capacity was captured at Jonesville, 11 miles from Troy.

The state secondary agricultural school of Sylacauga, has 51 members of the senior class this year, the largest graduating class the school has ever produced.

A marriage of unusual interest at Roanoke was that of Mr. Thomas F. Hudson, a Confederate veteran 83 years of age and Mrs. Sarah Jane Carter, aged 75.

The protest of the Alabama Fisher men and Hunters association relative to the pollution of the Warrior river, or Lake Bankhead, by oil burning barges of the Warrior Barge line has been upheld in every particular and the practice will cease, it is announced.

Montgomery officers are confident that an alleged narcotic drug smuggling ring was broken by the arrest of eight persons and the seizure of about $3,500 worth of cocaine and morphine.

THE STATE OF THE NAVY

The report of Commander-in-Chief Coontz of the Atlantic fleet on the state of the Navy, and the comments of other naval experts, has aroused an interest in our defense by sea that has not been awakened for years. The people sustained a decided shock when their so-called 1916 naval program, which would have made the United States the undisputed master of the seas, was scrapped by the Washington Armaments Conference. Yielding our favorable position to an equali., with Great Britain and to a 5-3 ration with Japan was a sacrifice which was met in the interest of world peace and to provide a demonstration of how far this country was willing to go toward the avoidance of war. But the public got the impression that the proportion of naval strength that the United States voluntarily assumed was a strict minimum, as well as maximum, and would be maintained.

Now when we are told by one expert that the 5-5-3 ratio fixed by the Armaments Conference has become in fact a 1-5-3, it is but natural that some searching questions are asked. It appears that there is prctical unanimity among naval officers on the decadence of our sea strength, although opinions differ slightly as to the point to which it has fallen with relation to Great Britain and Japan. The exact facts are likely to be known very soon, however, as information in the possession of the Navy Department is furnished in response to Congressional inquiries.

Press Clippings

Milwaukee Sentinel—The Senate, it will be remembered, was highly indignant when the President took it to task for its performances, but it may be noticed that considerable work has been accomplished by that august body since it was called down.

Marion Star—Senator Hiram Johnson says that Mr. Coolidge is a hand-picked candidate. We do not exactly get the point of the Senator's remark, unless it be in explanation of the fact that that variety collects more delegates than the self-picked.

Troy Times—Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, anarchists, are fighting the communists in Europe. That shows progress, for they were fighting everything else in America. They are said to be homesick. The sentiment is not reciprocated.

Washington Post—"If there is one thing that is pre-eminent in America," says President Coolidge, "it is a disposition to follow the truth.' That's the reason the public no longer follows the Senate investigations.

Omaha Bee—Mr. McAdoo's managers ought to get together. One in Washington claims 500 delegates, and the one in New York says it is 156. As only 410 have been chosen, it is plain which is wrong.

Toledo Blade—Up to date all Senator Magnus Johnson has done to help the farmers was to win second place in a milking contest in which there were only two entries.

Chicago Tribune—Mr. McAdoo, who capitalized his family, political, and personal affiliations to get oily money, is supposed to be a good candidate for President.

Marion Star—The case of Governor Pinchot goes to show how even the public may be fooled for a time by a man who takes himself too seriously.

Philadelphia North American—Money influence, says Mr. McAdoo, is a menace to Unted States citizens. It certainly hurt William G.'s chances.

Minneapolis Journal—Billy McAdoo still shows signs of wanting to test the crushing power of the Coolidge bandwagon with his foot.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—Grover Bergdoll hasn't come back yet. He must be waiting to see whether we get into a scrap with Japan.

Boston Transcript—Liberty bonds are above par. Another indication of the enduring strength of American institutions.

New York Herald-Tribune—Congress has proved once for all that Investigation is the thief of Time.

Portland Oregonian—Governor Al Smith ran well in Wisconsin. He would. So does a spigot.

Hartford Times—How Mr. Vanderlip would enjoy a session of the sewing circle!

Child's Eyelashes Bitten Off!

Glenn Herrick, noted scientist, says "Down south I saw roaches so bad, they actually ate the eyelashes off a sleeping child!" Just another example of these deadly pests. Roaches must be wiped out for health's sake! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES IN CHILTON COUNTY, ALA.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Under and by virtue of several decrees rendered by the probate court of Chilton County, Alabama on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes due for the year 1923, I will on **Monday, the 16th day of June, 1924,** sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county in Clanton, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, for the state and county taxes, fees, costs and charges, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $11.97.

BEAT 2

No. 227.—Arthur Glass—W ½ of SW¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, Range 13

W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 24, Range 13.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 11, Tp. 23, Range 13. Tax and cost $32.74.

No. 325.—Stephen Moore Estate—SW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 1, Tp. 23, R. 13.

S ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13.

NE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $27.02.

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $16.98.
and cost $15.30.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $17.47.

No. 402.—Mrs. J. A. Skaggs—One house and lot 2, Block U, vacant lot 2, Block 2, all in Jemison, Ala. Tax and cost $16.87.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.77.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.71.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U.—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.40.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $43.22.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $45.15.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $42.70.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $32.32.

No. 1589.—A. W. Smith—SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $22.56.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U.—N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $8.25.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $11.37.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost $7.08.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $13.10.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost $9.00.

BEAT 5

No. 1793.—G. W. Bogan—Vacant lot (Harding Lot) 7, Block T.

Vacant lot, (Culver Lot) 10, Block T in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $5.60.

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $17.45.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $14.30.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $15.90.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $25.25.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $48.74.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.44.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $20.72.

No. 2517.—H. S. Hicks—S ½, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $45.20.

No. 2519.—Sheley Hicks—SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 10, Tp. 21, R. 12.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $27.32.

No. 2520.—Solomon Hicks—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $10.46.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.64.

No. 2585.—D. J. Nichols—E ½ of E ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 21, R. 12.

That part of NE ¼ of NW ¼ lying N. of branch on the edge of 40 acre Block, Sec. 34, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $26.75.

No. 2635.—Martha Watley—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $12.75.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $6.55.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $13.45.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $14.00.

No. 3068.—J. D. Caton—10 acres in SW cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.95.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.40.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $23.40.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.74.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.67.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.94.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.07.

No. 3996.—M. I. Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.36.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.42.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $18.01.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.12.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $8.44.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $10.45.

BEAT 14

No. 4298.—Mrs. Frances Armstrong—13½ acres on N. end of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 22, R. 12. Tax and cost $8.73.

No. 4441.—Mrs. Selma Veazey—W ½ of SW ¼, less 2 acres in SW ¼ of SW ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 10 acres in SE cor., Sec. 5, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $21.00.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.85.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.90.

This, 14th day of May, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT,
Tax Collector, Chilton County, Ala.

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MAIN STREET, CLANTON, ALA., BEING OILED TO RID DUST

The above is a scene of Second Avenue (Main Street), Clanton, just after this street had been oiled with a carload of street oiling compound furnished the Town of Clanton by the Standard Oil Company, through their local representative, Mr. Frank Culpepper. This was the first car of this oil ever sold in Chilton county.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Seventy-one students will receive the bachelors degrees, and five the masters degree at the sixty-fourth annual commencement at Birmingham Southern, May 24, an increase of approximately 100 per cent over the number awarded last year.

More than 4,000 citizens of the western section of Jefferson county have signed a petition urging the voters of all other sections to join with them on May 13 in electing a board of revenue that will "move definitely towards establishing a county-wide system of permanent highways."

Dr. George Lang, of the University of Alabama, and Dr. Spright Dowell, president of the Alabama Polytechnic institute, will appear on the program of the commencement of the Brewton High school, according to announcement by Superintendent Claude Hardy.

Effective May 15, Tuscaloosa will have a commodity rate on carload shipments of fruits and vegetables from northeastern points which will result in a material saving to dealers and wholesalers of that city.

The Alabama Power company filed a petition with the Alabama Public Service commission for rehearing of its application to construct a 110,000 voltage electric power line between Huntsville and Hapgood.

Plans for better cooperation on drainage projects throughout the state, whether for agricultural or health purposes, are being worked out by J. M. Moore, commissioner of agriculture.

Conforming with the federal quarantine in California, C. A. Cary, state veterinarian for Alabama, has announced a quarantine in Alabama against all shipments from the Golden state of matter that might carry germs of the foot and mouth disease that exists among the cattle of the Western state.

Since Jefferson county is not at present equipped with a department of relief for the aid of deserving poor people, the members of the board of directors of the Birmingham family welfare service organization are laying plans to extend the work of the organization beyond the city limits and take in the whole county.

AROUND CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Pettus of Tallassee were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess of South Calera Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbelle came home Frinday from Siluria.

Mr. Ural Busby from Boaz is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby this week.

A splendid program was given by the Shiloh Sunday school Sunday morning in honor of Mother's Day. Mrs. Sarah Crim sang a beautiful solo. Miss Lutie Jones and Miss Gladys Campbelle sang a duet,—"If I could only hear my Mother pray again." Miss Gladys Campbelle and Miss Hazel Cox sang a duet entitled, "My Mother's Bible." Pieces and readings were also given by the children.

Mrs. Bama Glass is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tob Martin this week.

Mr. W. J. Clark, formerly of South Calera, but now living in Birmingham was back again visiting his old home place last week.

Mr. Alza Martin went to Colemont Monday, bringing back with him, his niece, little Miss Ethel McDaniel.

Little Paul Neil is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. G. S. Lee for a few days.

Mr. S. K. Walker from Birmingham spent Sunday in South Calera.

Miss U. V. Busby was the guest of Miss Lutie Jones Sunday.

Mr. W. N. Jones from Pelham spent the week-end at home, returning to Pelham Monday morning.

Mrs. Burgess of Tallassee was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess last week.

Mrs. Jessie Cox spent last Wednesday with Mrs. J. F. Shaw of Calera.

The Oak Grove singing class sang at Minooka Sunday afternoon. There was a large crowd and quite a "singing spirit." Several special songs were given, being duets and quartetts by members of the Oak Grove class, which were enjoyed by all.

Mr. Homer Martin spent the week-end at home visiting his mother.

Mr. Elmer Campbell was home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. McKinley Anderson from Birmingham was the guest of his parents for the week-end.

Miss Mexa Tate was the guest of Mrs. J. W. Boyer one day last week.

Mr. Alza Martin, Miss Lutie Jones, Mr. Leon Busby and Miss Hazel Cox attended Commencement at Jemison High school Monday night.

Mr. Holen Crim is the owner of a new coupe car.

A number of people from South Calera attended the singing at Minooka Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen were visiting in South Calera Sunday afternoon.

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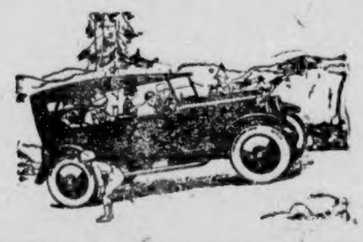

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Hundreds of shells on the shore together;
Hundreds of birds that go singing by;
Hundreds of bees in the sunny weather.

Hundreds of dewdrops to greet the dawn;
Hundreds of lambs in the purple clover;
Hundreds of butterflies on the lawn;
But only one Mother the wide world over.

—George Cooper.

Civic Club Meets.

Mrs. Atkinson was the gracious hostess for the Civic club on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Second avenue. The lovely rooms where the guests were received were decorated with choice cut flowers and potted plants.

Mrs. McDavid, the president of the club, presided. She was also director of the Helen Keller programme and gave one of the most brilliant talks of the club year. She delivered for the inspiration of the members a sketch of the life of this wonderful Alabama woman, written by Helen Keller herself. Accompanying the sketch also was a book with bits of the various hedge and flowers that played so important a part in her education of trade, etc. Mrs. Alred also prepared a wonderful talk on "The Psychology of Helen Keller's Development."

The new president, Mrs. J. P. Hayes is a woman of sweet personal charm and great leadership. She was unanimously chosen for the new club year and will be eagerly welcomed by the members.

Delightful refreshments were served. Guests other than club members were Mrs. Wilkerson, Mrs. Lawrence and Miss Bertie Teel.

Mission Study Club Meets.

On Monday afternoon at the church one of the largest gatherings and most enthusiastic meetings of the Mission Study class was held. At a recent contest put on by Mrs. Wilkerson, it closed with a tie—each side holding 29 points. A lovely program on India's needs was to be given. The concluding chapter was held with an address from Rev. Wilkerson on Wednesday at the church and a delightful picnic lunch served at the close of the lesson. A dish shower for the new church dining room is to be given soon.

A Bible class will begin in the near future with Mesdames Jim Jones and Barney Roberts as captains.

Mrs. Joe Calloway, acting as hostess on Monday afternoon, served a refreshing ice course to the 49 present members.

Miss Roberta Curry, the popular young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Curry, arrived home Thursday from a course of study of piano and voice in New York under famous artists. Enroute home she was the guest for a few days of Dr. and Mrs. Joe W. Johnson in Chattanooga, Tenn., where she was the recipient of a number of social courtesies. She will be home for a few weeks.

Card Club Meets.

Mrs. Napoleon Johnson was a gracious hostess on last Wednesday when her card club met at her home. Vases of exquisite rose buds filled the living room with fragrance. For high score, Mrs. Willis Lyman was awarded a couple of decks of cards, and a refreshing salad plate with iced tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Thadeus McSwain.

Mrs. Moore Hostess.

The Sewing club was delightfully entertained on last Wednesday at the beautiful home of Mrs. Watts Moore. A profusion of white American beauty roses and other choice garden flowers were attractively arranged in the living room. After some time spent doing finger work and social conversation the hostess served a plate consisting of chicken salad sandwiches and tea. Mrs. Dick Hayes, Mrs. Grady Broadhead and Mrs. Hugh Jones were guests of the club for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and little daughter, Mary Francis, have returned home after spending the week-end with her parents at Vincent, Ala.

Mrs. W. C. Robinson spent Tuesday shopping in the Magic City.

Mr. J. S. Lively, claim agent for the L. & N. was attending to business in Clanton Tuesday.

Mr. B. E. Jones from Montgomery was a visitor to former Clanton friends Tuesday.

Mr. Jim Middleton was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Middleton last Sunday.

Mr. Grady Harris and Mr. Zeb Mims left Tuesday for Atlanta to attend the Southern Baptist convention.

Mrs. C. V. Heath was a visitor to her sister, Mrs. Adams in Thorsby Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis from Verbena were attendants at the Senior play at the High shcool Monday evening.

Dr. S. J. Ezell, Mr. W. I. Mullins and Mr. Grover Harris left Tuesday for Atlanta to attend the Southern Baptist convention, which is being held there this week.

Mrs. Jadie Wagoner of Montgomery is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Singleton have returned to their home in Montgomery after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Sartor.

Miss Willodean Reynolds was home from Montevallo a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pitts and children have returned from a motor trip to visit his mother at Jacksonville, Ala.

Mrs. E. E. Upchurch has had as her recent guest Mrs. Jim Upchurch from Carrollton, Ala.

Mr. Wallace Jones spent the week-end with his mother in Clanton.

Mrs. Etta McElvaine spent a few days in Jemison last week attending the commencement exercises, being the guest of Mrs. S. Reynolds.

Mrs. John O. Newell and attractive daughters are the guests of her parents, Judge and Mrs. L. H. Reynolds.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald and Mrs. A. Johnson were shoppers in the Magic City Saturday.

Mr. Bob Williams spent the week-end in Clanton with relatives.

Miss Kathleen Mullins spent the week-end in Birmingham as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Mullins.

Miss Louise McCullum of Greensboro is spending this week in Clanton as the guest of Mrs. Etta McElvaine.

Mrs. Geo. Polk was called to Bessemer Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Williams.

Mr. M. A. Gore spent Saturday in Montgomery on business.

Mrs. Tom Thompson and son, Tom, Jr., are visiting relatives here this week.

Messrs. Irby Deramus and Floyd Irvin from Verbena spent Sunday with friends in Jemison.

Mr. M. B. Arant spent Monday with his brother in Prattville.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell have as their guests Dr. and Mrs. Will Hicks from Chester, S. C.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White have returned from a delightful motor trip to Southeast Alabama.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade spent Friday in Montgomery shopping.

Miss Marie Thomas and Miss Graham left Monday for a visit to Anniston.

Miss Anne Johnson left for her home in Hartselle last week.

Mrs. Wilbur Hayes left Wednesday for a two weeks visit to relatives in Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Arant and Mrs. Clyde Jones motored to Montgomery Wednesday.

CHANGED SINGING DAYS

We have changed our singing days from the 2nd Sunday evening to the 3rd Sunday evening, in the new books and the Christian Harmony, to the 4th Sunday. Rev. Bailey will preach at this place the 3rd Sunday night at 7 p.m.

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YELLOWSTONE TRAIL ADVOCATES SING PRAISE OF ROAD

Beautful Western Highway Invites Tourists.

Advocates of the proposed Atlantic Yellowstone Pacific Highway are met by potent arguments of those who believe that the present Yellowstone Trail is the road of roads for northwest tourists travil. The following from the Livingston (Mont.) Enterprise, takes exception to arguments uttered by proponents of the Atlantic Yellowstone Pacific Highway and puts forth the case of the Yellowstone Trail:

"First, although the distance between the Yellowstone Trail and the Lincoln Highway may be 400 miles at the Misosuri River, it narrows considerably after crosing that stream; in fact, when Yellowstone Park is neared it serves a territory considerably more compact than that.

"Second, the Yellowstone Pacific Highway can not traverse any territory whose physical characteristics are more pleasing or more inviting.

"Third, it cannot posisbly be more comfortable, so far as climatic conditions are concerned, and as for the dust, the only dust found on the Yellowstone Trail is blown by the wind from the territory that would be traversed by the Atlantic Yellowstone Pacific Highway.

"Fourth, it cannot permit earlier travel in the spring for the reason that traffic has been reported on the Yellowstone Trail during the entire winter months, an item evidently with which the new road promoters are unfamiliar.

Fifth, no section in any part of the country can show any greater variety of agriculture and industries than it to be found along the well marked extensively traveled and most popular of all highways, the Yellowstone Trail."

When the United States government apopints a National Highway Commission and begins to build and maintain national highways, doubtless both of these important roads will be selected as main arteries or travel..

Jesse James was shot while hanging a picture. We know of some who ought to be shot for filming some pictures.

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TRAPS and drain-pipes *will* clog. Ordinary soap is practically useless to clean them. The best way is to sift a little Red Seal Lye into the sink. Its powerful cleansing qualities quickly loosen the grease and dirt and the rinse water washes away the sediment, leaving the drain-pipe clean and sanitary. A can of Red Seal Lye saves many plumbing bills.

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THREE GENERATIONS OF FIGHTING FACES

REMEMBER way back when the newspapers used to print terrific fighting poses of the late Theodore Roosevelt, Sr,—when he was about to swing his famous "big stick" on some individual or public problem that drew his anger?

Well, that fighting instinct of giving no ground to the enemy" seems to have come down through the different generations of the Roosevelts. Witness the above photograph. At the extreme left you see "Teddy" Roosevelt, the 3rd, youngest member of the famous family. In the center, his father, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., present assistant secretary of the navy and an army officer who conducted himself with great honor in the late world war. And, at the right, is a splendid character picture of the late former president and colonel, Theodore Roosevelt.

Study the picture. Note what a wonderful similiarity there is in the three generations of Roosevelts. Not only in looks, but in the facial expressions. The fighting instinct of all three just seems to "stand out"—especially when one studies the expression around their eyes asd lower jaws. Very remarkable, indeed.

The youngster, "Teddy" the 3rd, already is being prepared for his possible battles of the future. His father—being a great boxing enthusiast—has enrolled him as a member of the Physical Culture School at the exclusive Racquets Club in Washington. And one of the things little "Teddy" is mastering there, is "how to put up his mitts, fight like a man and take or give punishment as the occasion demands!"

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Southern Bell Telephone company is busy installing telephones in Sheffield, Tuscumbia and Florence. Manager Pearson said the demand has been unusually heavy, taxing the construction force.

Fire in Maysville, a suburb of Mobile, destroyed the plant of the Zilliack Schaffer Milling company, dealers in flours, grain and fertilizers, several branch buildings and nearby dwellings causing a loss of $500,000.

Not more than 10 days make in pig iron, including basic iron, is to be seen on furnace yards in Alabama, it is said, there having been a steady reduction of foundry iron in the past few months.

Mrs. Arthur Snider was fined $100 and sentenced to serve six months at hard labor, following her conviction in the Etowah county court on the charge of violating the prohibition law.

The Methodist people of Cordova and community are planning the erection of a new church building, according to plans given out there.

David R. Murphy, for many years superintendent of city schools at Anniston, has been elected president of the State Normal School at Daphne by the state board of education. He will take over his new duties July 1.

Mr. Yarbrough of Roanoke, Ala., has been chosen to deliver the senior address at the Howard college commencement exercises on Tuesday, May 27.

A. C. Cade has been re-elected president of the Tuscaloosa traffic bureau for the fourth term.

Lillie Pond near Flint will be drained soon it is expected following a survey to be made by N. H. Rector, engineer for the Tennessee Valley Several surveys for drainage projects have been made in Morgan county and others are to be made soon. The work of fighting the mosquito breeding places in the county is well under way.

Gadsden will have a new white way if provision is made to include the section around Twelfth street and First avenue. The plan of the Alabama Power company to light the downtown section was approved by the council. It includes the establishment of 80 lights on Broad Fourth and Fifth streets.

The congregation of the Second Baptist church of Montgomery voted to accept the offer of the state to purchase the church property at 613 Adams street. It is understood that the property in question will be used as a site for the proposed Memorial building to Alabama soldiers in the World war.

W. M. Simmons, 75, Trussville farmer, was found dead in the middle of a road two miles from his home by members of his family, after his horse and buggy had returned home without him. Death, according to Coroner J. D. Russum, was due to heart trouble.

William F. Christison, an employe of the Gadsden steel mill, has received patents for a wire nail making machine which is said to have a capacity of turning out 500 nails a minute. It has 153 fewer parts than the standard machine now in general use, it is said.

According to the report of T. S. Adams, Gadsden dog catcher, the sum of $220 was collected in dog tax during April. He killed 36 dogs and impounded 58. Since February 1 he has collected $938.50 from that source and has impounded 96 dogs, killing 52.

Uncle Dan Williams, 109 years old of Boldo, a farming community six miles east of Jasper, is probably the oldest man in Alabama. He is of Irish descent and says he hopes to celebrate his 110th birthday next twelfth day of October.

Two suits for injuries alleged to have been received while a convict in the employ of the Pratt Consolidated Coal company were filed in the Jefferson circuit court by Verdell Cleveland through his attorney, Fred Fite. Damages asked total $100,000.

Professional safe blowers are believed to have broken into the Breeden store in east Gadsden. They blew off a large Yale lock on the front door with nitroglycerine, but found the safe wide open. They carried away some shirts and a revolver.

"Some University of Alabama Poems,' a little volume of verse by students of the university has made its appearance. The book is edited by Prof. Carl L. Carmer, associate professor of English.

The new plant of the Bessemer Galvanizing Works, located at Twentieth street, north, and Eighteenth avenue in Bessemer, is practically complete and will be ready for operation within two weeks, it was announced.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Vermont School House in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said Vermont District and adjoining territory herein included for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said District No. 8. The boundary of said proposed school district No. 8 is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 29, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East two miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 28, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South one mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 27, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South four miles to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 15, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence west three and one-half miles to the Southwest corner of Sec. 18, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence North three miles to the Northwest corner of Sec. 6, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 31, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence North two miles to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on thhe taxable property of said proposed Tax District "C" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Providence School House in Tax District No. 58; and at the following other places in said proposed District "C": Minooka School House, Concord School House, and Free Springs School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said Tax District "C." The boundary of said Tax District "C" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Sec. 17, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence South three and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence West five and one-half miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence West one-half mile to the Northwest corner of Sec. 4, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Northwest corner of the S ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West to the County Line of Bibb and Chilton counties; thence North six miles to the Northwest corner of Chilton county; thence East along the boundary line between Chilton and Shelby counties to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said proposed Tax District "B" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Maple Springs School House in Tax District No. 1; at Shiloh School House in Tax District No. 12; at Enterprise School House in Tax District No. 13; at the regular voting place in Verbena, Alabama, in Tax District No. 15; and at the following other places in said proposed Tax District "B": Mt. Pleasant School House, Baker School House, Bethsalem School House, Mt. Pisgah School House, Eastview School House, Concord School House, Providence School House, Cooper School House, Corinth School House, and Morganville School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said tax district "B." The boundary of said Tax District "B" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence East four miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 21, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South two miles to the Southwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-eighth mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South one-half mile to the Southwest corner of the E ½ of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-eighth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 11, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East two miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence North two miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North three-fourths mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 28, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the Southwest fourth of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-half mile to the Northwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East about six miles to where the Section line between Sections 27 and 22, Tp. 22, Range 16 touches the Western boundary line of Coosa county; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western boundary line of Coosa county to the Township line between Townships 20 and 21; thence West along said Township line to the Range line between Ranges 16 and 17; thence South three miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 13, Tp. 20, Range 16; thence West along the County line between Chilton and Autauga counties for a distance of sixteen and three-fourths miles to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 17, Tp. 20, Range 14; thence North three and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the Northwest fourth of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence North one-half mile to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probate Court, May 1st, 1924.

In the matter of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased.

This day came W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for his settlement of his said administratorship.

It is ordered that the 26th day of May 1924 be apointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
5-8-3t Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Pardon Board and the Governor of the State of Alabama for the pardon or parole of Ocie Mims, who was heretofore convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 4th day of April, 1922, for the offense of manufacturing liquor, to the penitentiary for one year and one day to one year and six months.

5-15-2t-c OCIE MIMS.

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The interesting figures quoted below are taken from the latest available statistics of the National Safety Council, and substantiate in a most convincing way the statement made in the headline of this advertisement. Read them carefully and then consider the fact that 57,646,281 passengers were carried by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad during the past four years and not one was killed in a train accident, according to figures published by the Interstate Commerce Commission. In the year 1923, there were 13,278,268 passengers who used trains of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad and only a negligible few sustained even slight injuries.

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad, protected by safety devices of the latest improved types, manned by carefully-trained and competent employees, and administered by officers who have earned their positions through years of experience, ranks as one of the safest railroads in America.

Automatic block signals have been installed on a great portion of the L. & N. Railroad; over a million dollars is being spent this year in extending the block system, and nearly one half million dollars has been appropriated for immediate installation of automatic control devices, which mechanically regulate speed of trains according to signal indications.

Latest available figures show that an average of 206 American citizens are killed by accidents every day in the year. Of this number, automobiles take much the heaviest toll—averaging 38 deaths per day. Accidental falls rank second, with 35; drowning, third with 19; burning, fourth with 16—and so on down the line until the remarkably small average of fatalities on American railroads of a little over 1 per day is reached. The latter figure represents passengers and employees who were killed in collisions or derailments.

Due to modern safety methods and constant vigilance on the part of the carriers, you are safer on an American railroad than anywhere else in the world.

OVERLAND BLUE BIRD LOWEST PRICED CAR WITH BALLOON TIRES

Willis Overland's Latest and Most Striking Creation, Done in Peacock Blue, Capitalizes on Motor World's Latest Development

With public interest in balloon tires at its height Willis-Overland announces its newest model, the Overland Blue Bird, the lowest-priced motor car with genuine balloon tires furnished as standard equipment.

Those who have seen the car at its preliminary showings at the factory agree that the Blue Bird is the most striking design that has ever been produced by this organization.

The combination of a long, roomy boody done in rich Peacock Blue, set off by black fenders and running gear, smartened by nickled radiator, windshield stanchions and outside door handles; with upholstery of a bluish shade to match the body, and a top of similar hue, creates an appearance of spirit and sprankle that is entirely in keeping with its happy choice of trade name.

This new creation is another instance of Willis-Overland's endeavor to work steadfast toward the end that beauty, utility and economy can be assembled in a single unit.

It is one more illustration of fine, well-bred coloring, which combines attractiveness with utility. The hue used on the new Blue Bird will stand up under the most exacting weather conditions and cannot influence by the summer sun or by winter's dampness and frosts.

A new standard in riding qualities has also been reached by the coupling of the patented triplex spring suspension with balloon tires. The wheelbase of the new car is 106 inches, giving it a spring base of 136 inches. The weight of each Overland spring is about twenty pounds. The material is chrrome vanadium steel, carefully heat treated, having an elastic limit of 190,000 pounds. The springs are so designed and assembled in the chassis that all road shocks are absorbed with a minimum distortion of chassis.

Addition of genuine fisk 31 x 5.25 balloon tires, which futher cushion the road, positively guarantees utmost physicial relaxation to the occupants of the car even over the roughest highways.

The power plant is the same that has made the entire nation gasp by its stamina and power in difficult road and mountain tests in all corners of the country. Its repeated ascents of Motorcycle Hill in Arizona, its scaling of the meteor—glazed sides of Stone Mountain near Atlanta, Ga., are but two high points of a series of spectacular feats that have thrilled motoring circles during the past ten months.

The cylinder finish of this rugged motor is remarkably thorough, the concluding operation being a lapping process that removes all roughness following the reaming operations. The engine base has a double bottoom which increases its strength and rigidity and provides for the correct oil supply to all connecting rods under all road and grade conditions. Valves are made of specially selected material.

Clutch is of the single—plate disc, type, smooth in operation, and completely encased, providing protection from dirt and grit.

Front axle is tested to an elastic limit of 75,000 to 90,000 pounds, with large king bolt bearings and wheel spindles. Cross rod link is of unuasally heavy steel. Rear axle construction is substantial and well assembled, with strong axle housing, 1⅛-inch axle shafts of Molybdenum steel, Timken bearings on differential case and New Departure bearings in the center.

These important mechanical specifications, with its other up-to-date features, provide the new Blue Bird with the qualifications that make it a thing of animation, speed and comfort, which should readily win its way into the hearts of thousands of owners throughout the country.

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CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The Chestnut Creek Singing Society met in regular session Sunday afternoon, May 4th. The house was called to order by Bro. S. M. Yates as our chairman. Bro. L. T. Grant was absent.

After singing the opening song, prayer was led by Pastor, Rev. J. D. Hughes. The following directors directed three songs each: Messrs. Jesse Jones, R. T. Grant, Malburn Taylor, Prof. Weldon, L. N. Henderson, S. M. Yates. Chairman sung three songs.

The organists for the afternoon were: Misses Claudia Hughes and Lela Taylor.

We had two short, but very interesting talks by Rev. J. D. Hughes and L. N. Henderson. As the people know some of our singers were absent, however we had real good singing and the house full and overflowing. We thank the visitors for helping us out in our singing. We gladly welcome you back any time.

The closing song was sung by Bro. S. M. Yates. Dismissed by Rev. J. D. Hughes.

Our next singing society will meet next third Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come.

Mr. G. B. Williams of Pletcher was among the visitors to Clanton Monday of this week. He was here on business.

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COMMITTEE.

I have known O. L. Devaughn all his life. I find him to be an alright man. I patronized his school last summer and was well pleased with the results. I know he will take care of our children and teach them the right thing.

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MARBURY SCHOOL HAS SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Marbury, Ala. May. 13.—(Special)—The Marbury high school, Prof. P. C. Brook, principal, began the commencement exercises Thursday night with a musical recital given under the auspices of the music department, Miss Zula Parnell, in charge. The audience was large and in greately enjoyed the different numbers. At the close diplomas were delivered to the seventh grade pupils having passed the county examination.

On Friday night one of the largest audiences ever seen in Marbury attended the play "The Colonel's Maid" given by the senior class. There were three acts in the play. The characters were:

Col. Rudd, a widower of N. Carolina—George Graves.

Col. Bird, a widower of South Carolina—Fred Price.

Bob Rudd—Arthur Cooley.

Mrs. Carroll—Willie Bell Graves.

Julia Carroll—Katie M. Cobern.

Ned Grayden— Mildred Richardson.

Lawyer Bascom—Bessie Lewis.

Marjorie Byrd—Alyne Reese.

Ching, the Chinese Cook—Farnk Price.

The play was well rendered, all of the participants acting their parts well. Ching, the Chinaman, by his wit brought roars of laughter from the audience.

The play "The Colonel's Maid" was in charge of Miss Jimmylu Mason, of the English and expression department, and the success of the play was largely due to her faithful and efficient service in directing the same.

The commencement sermon was preached Sunday, May 11, by Rev. Hudson, pastor of the Methodist church of Prattville.

Monday was class day. There was a big barbecue dinner and a baseball game in the afternoon between Marbury and Prattville.

Monday night was the closing night. Prof. Hodges delivered the baccalaureate address and diplomas were delivered to twenty-one members of the Senior class.

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OFFICERS MAKE RAID IN STUMPS HILLS

Last Saturday afternoon Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee overtook a Star car in Stumps Hills which they had evidence of carrying illicit whiskey. When the officers got close in behind the car the men in it began to fling overboard fruit jars, bottles and jugs, most of them breaking when they hit the ground. Foshee got out and collected enough of the spirits for evidence and Littlejohn continued the chase after the car. The fleeing law violators refused to stop at the halt of the sheriff so the gas tank on the rear of the Star car was punctured by a bullet from the officer's revolver. But even with a hole in the gas tank the men succeeded in getting to Jemison before the sheriff overtook them. Those arrested were Leon Sunberg, W. J. Gore, Rassie Burnett and Cobb Burnett. The officers estimate that the car was carrying about three or four gallons of liquor before it was unloaded. The car was taken into custody by the sheriff and the men were placed under arrest but made bond before they got to jail. The car will be confiscated under the prohibition laws.

WALNUT CREEK SINGING

The annual singing of Walnut Creek met last Sunday at 10 o'clock. Mr. R. E. Powell was elected chairman for the day. S. L. Baker, Charlie Duke and A. O. Boswell were elected for program committee.

Three songs were directed by the chairman after which Prof. O. L. Devaughn sung three songs. At eleven o'clock the pastor, Rev. G. B. Golden delivered an excellent sermon on the subject of "The Effect of Mother's Prayer," using as a text I Samuel, 1:27. At 12 o'clock, the meeting was adjourned for dinner.

The congregation reassembled at 1:30 by the chairman singing one song. After which the followngi directors sung three songs each: O. R. Robinson, G. C. Weldon, J. W. Cagles, W. M. Devaughn, W. M. Boswell; recess for 15 minutes; Dewey Huett, L. H. Henderson, C. H. Robinson, J. A. W. Mims, R. T. Grant, and Miss Zula Willis. Organists for the day were: Mrs. Everee Tippett, Mrs. Alice Baker, Mr. T. L. Mims, A. O. Boswell and others.

Several interesting talks were made and all the singers and lovers of music were invited to be present on the second Sunday in May, 1925.

J. J. JOHNSON, Secy.

SINGING AT PLEASANT HILL

There will be an all day singing at Pleasant Hill the second Sunday in June. All singers and lovers of music are especially invited to come and bring well filled baskets and song books.

We are going to meet the first Saturday in June to clean off the cemetery.

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"OH, GIRLS—HOW'S THIS FOR A LIP STICK?"

NOW, girls don't be shocked—but here's our description of the gigantic lip stick you see in the hands of the young lady at right in the above photograph. It's a—" a lot of drug store beauty in one big lump." How about it?

All kidding aside, it's SOME lip stick. They tell us it's the largest in the world and was one of the interesting exhibits in the recent New York City Perfume Show. The young lady holding the stick is Miss Betty Nevins. The camera man caught her in the act of applying it to the beautiful features of Miss Dorothy Hughes, a noted eastern beauty.

CONCORD—BILLINGSLEY NEWS

The farmers of this place are about through planting but are having some cool weather at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Popwell of Thorsby spent Saturday night with Mrs. Emma Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams dined with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Devaughn Sunday.

The Sunday School at this place is progressing very nicely. Remember next Sunday is our regular preaching day and we are expecting a good crowd out.

Horace Williams, Clarence Williams, and Casie Williams were visitors to New Cedron Sunday, and reported a nice time.

We are glad to learn that they have started a singing up at New Cedron, and their singing evenings are the second and fourth Sunday evenings.

Every body is invited to come and bring some one with you.

A truck load of singers from Sardis came over but were too late. So we invite you back.

VARIED MUSICAL RECITAL FRIDAY NIGHT AT 8:15

On next Friday night at the High school auditorium Mrs. Jatie L. Middleton presents her pupils in a varied musical program. Several very nice numbers are on the program, and the public is promised an enjoyable entertainment. Mildred White Wallace will assist on the program. The public is cordially invited.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

COW DIPPER

Editor Union-Banner:

Please let me have a little space in your paper to say a few words in regard to the way people are handling their cattle. The people in stock-law are driving their cattle back on the free range for those people to be worried with and I feel just like that they are doing them a great injustice. As you all know, that nine-tenths of the people in stock-law just have about enough wire half hung up around their pasture to make an old cow as mischievous as she can be. And then to drive such cows back on those people I don't think it's treating them right. And then the half has not yet been told. We have to go back then and tell those people that they have to dip not only ticky cattle but cattle that has only been exposed to ticks which is law as I understand it. And then if we drive ou rcattle back there on their range and stay all summer here they come wondering back in the fall into stock-law and would you call them exposed cattle? I would. So you see you are driving your own self right up to dipping here again, according to the way I understand the law on cattle dipping. So you see that it is not the best for both sides.

Now, don't some of you get worried at me for spending my opinion on this for I am only trying to do the thing that I think is best. We will say even if there was not any cattle dipping on hand, I feel just like that it is not right for us to drive our cattle back on these people. I have been away fro mthe free range twelve years and I have put one little lousy calf back there on them and I didn't feel like then that it was the right thing and I haven't put any back on them since. So here is hoping that the people will co-operate with me and dip every cow, get rid of the ticks and have the quarantine lifted and be in a free country, so far as handling our cattle is concerned, for I know we are not in a lot of other ways, so help me God.

J. M. WILLIS,
(Better Known As Tug).

CLASSIFIED ADS

JUST RECEIVED—Twenty Tons of Nitrate of Soda, for sale.
J. N. DENNIS.

FOR SALE—50 pure bred White Leghorns, one and two year hens, Ferrys Show strain; 75c each.—L. D. Popwell, Clanton, Ala.

FOR SALE—Great sacrifice, 5-passenger Oldsmobile; 5-passenger Buick; cut-down Ford $50.00; good ton truck $200.00; any kind of terms, or trade for wild cut-over, piney woods lands.—Jno. T. Ellis & Sons.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Six room bungalow in front of County High School building in Clanton. For particulars, apply to Mrs. Ed Goodgame, Maplesville, Ala. 5-8-3t-c

FOR SALE—One Overland touring Car, has been run two thousand miles, with extra equipment; cost the man who owned it $651.85; we will sell for $500.—Lawrence Motor Co., Clanton, Ala.

FOR RENT—One 4-room house with one-half of good size garden and pasture for one cow. If interested see, phone or write H. B. Glenn, 2 miles south of Clanton, Rt. 6. 4-17-3t-p

WANTED TO BUY—4 to 6 cars of pasture cattle at once. Will pay from 2½ to 3 cents per lb. gross, delivered at Maplesville.—W. B. Green, Lawley, Ala. 1t-c

LOST OR STRAYED—One pointer puppy with brown ears, white streak down face, brown spot on right side and at root of tail. Answers to name of "Dan," limps slightly. Left home in Clanton last Sunday morning. Liberal reward for information or return.—M. F. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t-p

Weak Nervous

"I was weak and nervous and run-down," writes Mrs. Edith Sellers, of 466 N. 21st St., East St. Louis, Ill. "I couldn't sleep nights, I was so restless. I felt tired and not in condition to do my work. I would have such pains in my stomach that I was afraid I would get down in bed. . . My mother came to see me and suggested that I use

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The above table gives total of all first and second choice votes; first choice votes being in left of each column, and second choice votes appearing on the right.

DELEGATED CONVENTION HELD AT COURT HOUSE HERE ON LAST FRIDAY

Republican Delegates From All Over County Meet In Enthusiastic Gathering.

The Republican Delegated Convention met at the court house in Clanton last Friday. The meeting was attended by two delegates from every voting precinct in the County with the exception of two or three, together with several other Republicans of the county. A very fine spirit was manifest all during the meeting, and a deep interest was taken in the welfare of the Republican party of this county.

The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by Mr. W. G. Culp, chairman of the Republican Executive Committee. Mr. Culp presided over the meeting until a chairman of the convention was elected, Hon. J. O. Middleton being chosen for this place. Mr. Middleton then came forward and took charge of the meeting, after which T. E. Wyatt was elected secretary.

After the roll consisting of thirty delegates was arranged and called, the meeting proceeded with the business. The principal purpose of the convention was to elect delegates from this county to the district and state conventions in Birmingham on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The district convention being on Monday and the state convention on Tuesday, it was decided to arrange for the same set of dele-

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FOUR NEGRO GIRLS BURN TO ASHES SATURDAY NIGHT

A very gruesone incident occured last Saturday night about 9 or 10 o'clock when the home of Radford Varner, colored, was burned to-gether with four of his children. The Varner home was located on the Mitchel Dam road two miles from Verbena.

Varner and his wife and baby had gone to Verbena Saturday afternoon to do their week's trading. Upon getting in sight of their house on their return Saturday night, they saw that it was falling in and was almost consumed by fire. They left four girls, ages 4, 6, 8 and 16 at home, who it is supposed had already gone to bed and were asleep when the fire broke out. It is reported that screams were heard by neighbors as the house was burning but no assistance could be offered the unfortunate ones. After the fire died down the charred remains of the young negroes were raked from the ashes but were burned beyond any recognition. The smallest one of the children was still lying on the springs of one of the beds after the house burned. It is reported that pieces of the charred bodies were picked up all around over the spot where the house burned. The baby which Varner and his wife had with them is the only child they have left at home with them, the other twelve being older ones who have gone out to themselves.

A DOUBLE WEDDING

Last Thursday morning, May 15, occurred one of the most striking and interesting events ever witnessed. Misses Mattie and Mollie Dennis, the charming young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dennis, were quietly united in marriage to Messrs. Bill Pittman and Walter Hedgepeth, both of Montgomery.

The beautiful brides were often spoken of as the two most congenial sisters known, and were closely associated for the past four years in the completion of school and college work, as well as teaching.

Their winning personality has won for them many friends who are eagerly awaiting to extend their congratulations, and wish them a happy and contented future.

The White City community, as well as others, realize already the loss of two of its most popular young ladies. Though we do not regret the loss, but only extend to them and the young men a cordial invitation to visit the old home community and friends.

Messrs. Pittman and Hedgepeth are both prominent young men of Montgomery, who are well known over the State. They also have many friends in White City, who wish for them a long, happy married life.

After a short stay in Atlanta and others points in Georgia, they will be at home in Montgomery, where duty calls.

MR. LITTLEJOHN GIVES THANKS

Editor Union-Banner:

I desire to thank my friends for the support given me in the primary, and to say to them that, although defeated, I am entirely satisfied with the results.

I think the Republicans have nominated a splendid ticket and it will give me pleasure to vote for and support each and every one of the nominees.

Now for a united effort and a triumphant election in November.

Yours very truly,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

RECENT COOL WEATHER ADDS TO BOLL WEEVIL INTEREST IN ALABAMA

Young Cotton Crop is Late and Farmers Request Information as to Best Boll Weevil Control Methods.

Auburn, Ala., May 19.—Recent cool weather, making the present cotton several days later than usual, which means that the fruiting period will be later, has aroused interest in boll weevil control measures; and requests are being received by the county agents and at Auburn for the best information as to what to do.

Repeating previous answers to similar questions farmers are being urged to apply only methods known to be effective. Sweetened poisons are on the market, but the use of sweetened poison is advised for the pre-square application only. It should be mixed at home just before it is applied. The formula recommended for home-mixing is 1 pound calcium arsenate, 1 gallon molasses, and 1 gallon water.

Dry calcium arsenate is equally as effective for the pre-square application; and for all later applications it is strongly recommended as the only poison to use for boll weevils. This conclusion is based on many years of extensive research and investigation.

Regarding machines for catching and destroying boll weevils a new bulletin published by the Aabama Service says: "No machine for catching weevils has been found equal to poisoning in economy and efficiency."

Since the invasion of the boll weevil literally thousands of machines have been invented, but for one reason or another they have proven to be impractical.

Another very important boll weevil control measure is to collect the early appearing weevils by hand and destroy them. Likewise, infested squares should be collected and burned. This work can be done by hand at a small cost, and one weevil destroyed early is equivalent to hundreds and perhaps thousands later in the season. It is estimated that the probable maximum progeny of two boll weevils for one season is about 12,000,000.

DR. DANNELY PREACHES COMMENCEMENT SERMON

Dr. Dannely, presiding elder of the Prattville District of the Methodist Conference, preached the commencement sermon at the high school auditorium last Sunday at 11 o'clock. Dr. Dannely has preached in Clanton several times before, but he has never delivered a more inspiring sermon than the one in mention. The sermon was a very appropriate one for the occasion, it being in honor of the graduating class of the high school.

Besides the sermon, several delightful musical numbers were rendered by local talent. The program was carried out strictly according to schedule and was enjoyed by a full auditorium of people.

AN ALL-DAY SINGING

There will be an all-day singing at New Prospect Baptist church in Autauga county, six miles west of Marbury, the 4th Sunday in May. Everybody invited to come and bring basket full of dinner and heart full of music, and your new 1924 song books.

J. E. GEORGE.

BOY BITTEN BY MAD DOG

Marvin, the 5-year-old son of Mr. W. M. Pairrett of Friendship community, was bitten by a mad dog last Sunday. The head of the dog was sent off and declared possessed with rabies and Dr. J. P. Hayes is giving treatment to the boy. The boy will have to take treatment once a day for twenty-one days.

Although poor, Mr. Pairrett is a good, law-abiding citizen and in this time of need is deserving of the help of the people around Clanton. The expenses of this treatment will amount to about $25 and Mr. Pairrett says that he has no money with which to pay it. A petition will be circulated in the near future, and everyone who can is asked to help Mr. Pairrett.

THE BIG SINGING FIRST SUNDAY IN JUNE

There wil be a special session of the Chilton County Singing Convention held at the High school building in Clanton on Sunday, June 1st. We have been fortunate in securing some of the best singers in the South for this occasion. Among them are such noted musicians as Prof. A. J. Showalter of Chattanooga, Tenn., H. C. Collins of Georgia, John Dye and others from Birmingham; Shaw and others from Shelby county, and last, but not least, the famous Vaughas Quartet from Lawrenceburg, Tenn., composed of Pace, Walbert, Shaw and Barnett. This is a saxaphone quartet, and this feature alone will be worth going many miles to hear. Let me urge every one to bring your book or books and help us to make this the greatest service of its kind ever held in this section of the State.

W. G. CULP, President.

NEW CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION FORMED IN CHILTON COUNTY

Reorganization to Unite Farmers of County Decided Upon; Strawberry Marketing a Feature.

A few weeks ago, a group of farmers who have been active in the United Farmers organization in this county met in Clanton for the purpose of surveying the co-operative situation in the county. At this meeting a plan of re-organization was decided upon and a committee was appointed to draw up plans and proceed with the necessary arrangements. This committee consisted of J. M. Smith, J. S. Weldon and O. H. Mastin.

By the middle of last week this committee had completed their work and called a meeting of the charter members in Clanton for Saturday, May 17, for the purpose of adopting a Constitution and By-Laws and to elect the officers of the Association.

Previous to the time of the meeting, the application for charter, signed by all of the forty-five charter members, had been filed with the Judge of Probate and proper acknowledgement received, giving the association the right to transact business under the laws of the state of Alabama.

The meeting Saturday was called to order at 2 p.m., and J. S. Weldon was elected chairman of the meeting and C. N. Eiland, secretary. The purpose of the meeting was then

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The above table gives total of all first and second choice votes; first choice votes being in left of each column, and second choice votes appearing on the right.

DELEGATED CONVENTION HELD AT COURT HOUSE HERE ON LAST FRIDAY

Republican Delegates From All Over County Meet In Enthusiastic Gathering.

The Republican Delegated Convention met at the court house in Clanton last Friday. The meeting was attended by two delegates from every voting precinct in the County with the exception of two or three, together with several other Republicans of the county. A very fine spirit was manifest all during the meeting, and a deep interest was taken in the welfare of the Republican party of this county.

The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by Mr. W. G. Culp, chairman of the Republican Executive Committee. Mr. Culp presided over the meeting until a chairman of the convention was elected, Hon. J. O. Middleton being chosen for this place. Mr. Middleton then came forward and took charge of the meeting, after which T. E. Wyatt was elected secretary.

After the roll consisting of thirty delegates was arranged and called, the meeting proceeded with the business. The principal purpose of the convention was to elect delegates from this county to the district and state conventions in Birmingham on Monday and Tuesday of this week. The district convention being on Monday and the state convention on Tuesday, it was decided to arrange for the same set of dele-

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FOUR NEGRO GIRLS BURN TO ASHES SATURDAY NIGHT

A very gruesone incident occured last Saturday night about 9 or 10 o'clock when the home of Radford Varner, colored, was burned to-gether with four of his children. The Varner home was located on the Mitchel Dam road two miles from Verbena.

Varner and his wife and baby had gone to Verbena Saturday afternoon to do their week's trading. Upon getting in sight of their house on their return Saturday night, they saw that it was falling in and was almost consumed by fire. They left four girls, ages 4, 6, 8 and 16 at home, who it is supposed had already gone to bed and were asleep when the fire broke out. It is reported that screams were heard by neighbors as the house was burning but no assistance could be offered the unfortunate ones. After the fire died down the charred remains of the young negroes were raked from the ashes but were burned beyond any recognition. The smallest one of the children was still lying on the springs of one of the beds after the house burned. It is reported that pieces of the charred bodies were picked up all around over the spot where the house burned. The baby which Varner and his wife had with them is the only child they have left at home with them, the other twelve being older ones who have gone out to themselves.

A DOUBLE WEDDING

Last Thursday morning, May 15, occurred one of the most striking and interesting events ever witnessed. Misses Mattie and Mollie Dennis, the charming young daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dennis, were quietly united in marriage to Messrs. Bill Pittman and Walter Hedgepeth, both of Montgomery.

The beautiful brides were often spoken of as the two most congenial sisters known, and were closely associated for the past four years in the completion of school and college work, as well as teaching.

Their winning personality has won for them many friends who are eagerly awaiting to extend their congratulations, and wish them a happy and contented future.

The White City community, as well as others, realize already the loss of two of its most popular young ladies. Though we do not regret the loss, but only extend to them and the young men a cordial invitation to visit the old home community and friends.

Messrs. Pittman and Hedgepeth are both prominent young men of Montgomery, who are well known over the State. They also have many friends in White City, who wish for them a long, happy married life.

After a short stay in Atlanta and others points in Georgia, they will be at home in Montgomery, where duty calls.

MR. LITTLEJOHN GIVES THANKS

Editor Union-Banner:

I desire to thank my friends for the support given me in the primary, and to say to them that, although defeated, I am entirely satisfied with the results.

I think the Republicans have nominated a splendid ticket and it will give me pleasure to vote for and support each and every one of the nominees.

Now for a united effort and a triumphant election in November.

Yours very truly,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN.

RECENT COOL WEATHER ADDS TO BOLL WEEVIL INTEREST IN ALABAMA

Young Cotton Crop is Late and Farmers Request Information as to Best Boll Weevil Control Methods.

Auburn, Ala., May 19.—Recent cool weather, making the present cotton several days later than usual, which means that the fruiting period will be later, has aroused interest in boll weevil control measures; and requests are being received by the county agents and at Auburn for the best information as to what to do.

Repeating previous answers to similar questions farmers are being urged to apply only methods known to be effective. Sweetened poisons are on the market, but the use of sweetened poison is advised for the pre-square application only. It should be mixed at home just before it is applied. The formula recommended for home-mixing is 1 pound calcium arsenate, 1 gallon molasses, and 1 gallon water.

Dry calcium arsenate is equally as effective for the pre-square application; and for all later applications it is strongly recommended as the only poison to use for boll weevils. This conclusion is based on many years of extensive research and investigation.

Regarding machines for catching and destroying boll weevils a new bulletin published by the Aabama Service says: "No machine for catching weevils has been found equal to poisoning in economy and efficiency."

Since the invasion of the boll weevil literally thousands of machines have been invented, but for one reason or another they have proven to be impractical.

Another very important boll weevil control measure is to collect the early appearing weevils by hand and destroy them. Likewise, infested squares should be collected and burned. This work can be done by hand at a small cost, and one weevil destroyed early is equivalent to hundreds and perhaps thousands later in the season. It is estimated that the probable maximum progeny of two boll weevils for one season is about 12,000,000.

DR. DANNELY PREACHES COMMENCEMENT SERMON

Dr. Dannely, presiding elder of the Prattville District of the Methodist Conference, preached the commencement sermon at the high school auditorium last Sunday at 11 o'clock. Dr. Dannely has preached in Clanton several times before, but he has never delivered a more inspiring sermon than the one in mention. The sermon was a very appropriate one for the occasion, it being in honor of the graduating class of the high school.

Besides the sermon, several delightful musical numbers were rendered by local talent. The program was carried out strictly according to schedule and was enjoyed by a full auditorium of people.

AN ALL-DAY SINGING

There will be an all-day singing at New Prospect Baptist church in Autauga county, six miles west of Marbury, the 4th Sunday in May. Everybody invited to come and bring basket full of dinner and heart full of music, and your new 1924 song books.

J. E. GEORGE.

BOY BITTEN BY MAD DOG

Marvin, the 5-year-old son of Mr. W. M. Pairrett of Friendship community, was bitten by a mad dog last Sunday. The head of the dog was sent off and declared possessed with rabies and Dr. J. P. Hayes is giving treatment to the boy. The boy will have to take treatment once a day for twenty-one days.

Although poor, Mr. Pairrett is a good, law-abiding citizen and in this time of need is deserving of the help of the people around Clanton. The expenses of this treatment will amount to about $25 and Mr. Pairrett says that he has no money with which to pay it. A petition will be circulated in the near future, and everyone who can is asked to help Mr. Pairrett.

THE BIG SINGING FIRST SUNDAY IN JUNE

There wil be a special session of the Chilton County Singing Convention held at the High school building in Clanton on Sunday, June 1st. We have been fortunate in securing some of the best singers in the South for this occasion. Among them are such noted musicians as Prof. A. J. Showalter of Chattanooga, Tenn., H. C. Collins of Georgia, John Dye and others from Birmingham; Shaw and others from Shelby county, and last, but not least, the famous Vaughas Quartet from Lawrenceburg, Tenn., composed of Pace, Walbert, Shaw and Barnett. This is a saxaphone quartet, and this feature alone will be worth going many miles to hear. Let me urge every one to bring your book or books and help us to make this the greatest service of its kind ever held in this section of the State.

W. G. CULP, President.

NEW CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION FORMED IN CHILTON COUNTY

Reorganization to Unite Farmers of County Decided Upon; Strawberry Marketing a Feature.

A few weeks ago, a group of farmers who have been active in the United Farmers organization in this county met in Clanton for the purpose of surveying the co-operative situation in the county. At this meeting a plan of re-organization was decided upon and a committee was appointed to draw up plans and proceed with the necessary arrangements. This committee consisted of J. M. Smith, J. S. Weldon and O. H. Mastin.

By the middle of last week this committee had completed their work and called a meeting of the charter members in Clanton for Saturday, May 17, for the purpose of adopting a Constitution and By-Laws and to elect the officers of the Association.

Previous to the time of the meeting, the application for charter, signed by all of the forty-five charter members, had been filed with the Judge of Probate and proper acknowledgement received, giving the association the right to transact business under the laws of the state of Alabama.

The meeting Saturday was called to order at 2 p.m., and J. S. Weldon was elected chairman of the meeting and C. N. Elland, secretary. The purpose of the meeting was then

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POOR ORIGINAL

Cities Join In Health Crusade Through Clean-up Activities

"Brighten the corner where you are!"

This is the message being broadcast by cities and towns in the United States and Canada, in an effort to have dirt attacked as a community problem to promote health.

Sanitarians declare a city is only as clean as its homes, and that mothers should remember that the immaculateness of their nurseries may be made dangerous for their babies by vagrant dirt from unclean places. It is pointed out that diseases bred in dirt are no respectors of persons.

Revival of the venerable, but slightly obsolete, custom of spring house-cleaning, and the extension of the ancient rite outside the walls of the house to back alleys and vacant lots, until there is a vast succession of Spotless Towns, is no mean undertaking.

Municipalities, women's clubs, civic and industrial organizations everywhere are preparing for clean-up activities. The Mayor of St. Louis once summarized the lasting benefits of such efforts by saying: "Paint a neglected back yard or vacant lot with the green of grass or shubbery or a thrift garden or publicly commit to any other useful purpose and it will not revert to its former disorderliness. Otherwise it inevitably and speedily will do so."

In urging every municipality to proclaim its annual Clean-up week, the Welfare Division of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is instructing its twenty-thousand agents and its visiting nurses in 3955 cities and towns to lend a hand. It is educating its policyholders which comprise one-seventh of the combined populations of the United States and Canada just how they can help to make their home towns a safer place to live in and a healthier place for their children.

If the suggestions are followed, the rats will find that many happy homesites under the rubbish heaps will be unavailable. The malarial mosquitoes will wander far from their erstwhile habitations to find an undrained puddle in which to breed. The house-flies will find many manure heaps missing when they come to lay their eggs and there will be far less danger of disastrous conflagrations starting in the waste and refuse heaped in the forgotten corners.

Here are the eight outstanding things suggested by the Metropolitan as a foundation for a clean-up crusade:

1. Have all rubbish removed from your cellar, back-yard and areaway, and placed in barrels or boxes for removal. Arrange to have it taken away.
2. Clean hallways of all obstructions. Ventilate damp cellars and closets.
3. Beat all carpets and hangings. Scrub floors and wash all woodwork.
4. Clean all windows and keep them open to fresh air and sunlight.
5. Ask your landlord to repair leaky roofs and plumbing, broken walls and ceilings.
6. Report stagnant pools, refuse and other nearby nuisances to the Health Department.
7. Do what you can to see that vacant lots are cleaned of all refuse, tin cans, boxes and other litter.
8. Compliance with these suggestions and with efforts of the Health Department will make your city a healthy and pleasant place for your children to grow up in.

RECITAL AT BATES HALL.

The pupils of Miss Alithea Parker will present a musical recital at Bates Hall May 24th, 1924. A lengthy and interesting program has been arranged for this occasion.

President Coolidge seeks attorneys not connected with oil corporations to prosecute government officials. Young law graduates may be the only ones who can qualify.

TIRE SALE

United States Fabric Tires, 30 x 3,	$8.50
United States Fabric Tires, 30 x 3 1-2,	$9.50
United States Heavy Gray Tubes, 30 x 3,	$1.75
United States Heavy Gray Tubes, 30 x 3 1-2,	$2.00
United States Ryal Cords, 30 x 3 1-2,	$12.50
United States Royal Red Tubes, 30 x 3 1-2,	$2.50
Goodrich Fabric Tires, 30 x 3,	$8.50
Goodrich Fabric Tires, 30 x 3 1-2,	$9.50
Goodrich Gray Tubes, 30 x 3,	$1.75
Goodrich Gray Tubes, 30 x 3 1-2,	$2.00

"LONG AS THEY LAST—MAN-O'-WAR TIRES"

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J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

THE COTTON MILL QUESTION

Elsewhere in this paper we are carrying a letter from Dr. V. J. Gragg relative to the need of a cotton mill or some other industry in or near Clanton. In this article Dr. Gragg points out very clearly the many advantages that would be derived from a factory furnishing a pay roll in our midst.

As we stated a few weeks ago, the opportunity of Clanton's life is now here, and if we grasp this opportunity we have got to act and act right now. It has already been a month since the men first came here looking over the possibilities, and nothing else of any certainty has been done. There are men who have money and they will come here to plant it, but they have got to have some assurance that the people here want them. And they are not going to come here and ask every one his opinion, but we have got to hunt them up and tell them that Clanton is the place for their mill and that the people here are willing to help in getting it. In other words, we have got to put forth some effort ourselves. Nothing worth very much has ever come to a person who has merely folded his arms and sat in wait for something to come to him. If you were out of a job, you would not close yourself up in your house and wait for somebody to come and hunt you up, but you would go to some that had work to do and make an offer to work for him for so much. And too, you would make your offer as reasonable as possible to be sure that the employer would accept it.

Clanton is not exactly out of a job but unless we get something here to put some money into circulation, our business is going to become mighty congested before long. We have got too many business houses here for us to depend solely on our farmers to support. Read Dr. Gragg's article and begin to study about the situation yourself. We need to unite ourselves together and go after this cotton mill if we ever expect to amount to anything as a town.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

Characteristic of the true Dothan style, in all factions pulling together for whatever is for Dothan's uplift, the pastors of the various churches of Dothan have organized a ministers' conference which is to meet once a month in business session, and also once a month for a luncheon at which the ministers' wives are to be present.

Sentences of life imprisonment on James Husch for first degree murder has been affirmed by the supreme court of Alabama in the case of James Husch, alias, etc., which the state appealed from the DeKalb circuit court. Busch was convicted in this court August 28, 1923, of the murder of Warner Black.

D. L. Ertle, navy recruiting officer at Tuscaloosa for some time, has received orders which will transfer him back to active duty on battle the battleship Utah about June 15 at Boston. It is expected that another navy recruiting officer will be sent to Tuscaloosa at once to take charge of the station there.

The fifth annual session of the training school for the Methodist Sunday school and church workers of Central and South Alabama and West Florida will open in the Woman's College of Alabama on Friday night, May 30. The sessions will continue through June 5.

At a regular meeting of the Marion city council a committee composed of Councilmen Lawrence P. Howze, Allan R. Oxford and Dr. James E. Young, was appointed to investigate the feasibility of the proposition to issue bonds of the city of Marion for the purpose of providing better fire equipment.

Completion of Phillips and Woodlawn High schools and erection of a new school school at West End will be the first undertakings of the Birmingham Board of Education in the school program, which is to be carried out with the $3,500,000 bond money that was voted May 13th.

At its regular weekly luncheon the Kiwanis club at Gadsden passed a resolution asking the Governor to call a special session of the legislature for the purpose of providing funds by taxation, for all free schools, from the State University to the smallest crossroads school.

Archibald R. Green, prominent young man of Selma, has filed suit in the circuit court of Dallas county for $50,000 damages against the Albert Hotel company, growing out of the shooting of young Green by a negro bell boy named Thompson, about May 15, 1923.

PARRISH-VINES WEDDING

On Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, at the Baptist Parsonage in Clanton occurred the marriage of Mr. William Stanley Parrish to Miss Eula Mae Vines, Rev. Ezell performing the ceremony. Both these young people are well known in Chilton County, and their host of friends wish them a long and happy married life. Willie is the son of Mr. Tom Parrish of Samaria; his bride is the beautiful young daughter of Mr. J. L. Vines of Thorsby. She is the sister of David Vines.

HAWAIIAN TROUPE TO PLAY AT HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

The Hawaiian Troupe of Sylacauga will play at the high school auditorium Thursday, May 22nd, at 8 p.m. They have real good music and promise some real entertainment. They played here some months ago.

TRACK MEET AT THORSBY

The annual track meet at Thorsby Institute resulted in a victory for the Sophomores (Class of 1926). The classes contested for the cup presented by Thorsby Hardware Co. In order to win a cup the class had to win two times in succession.

WOCO-PEP—Red hot and rearing to go; Easy to start but hard to stop. ELLIS & SONS.

MESSER CHAPEL

There will be an ice cream and cake supper at Mr. H. L. Nation's next Saturday night, three miles south of Verbena, two miles west of Mt. Creek. It is for the benefit of Messer Chapel. Everybody is invited to come and bring some one with you.

Our Sunday school is doing fine and we have a large crowd every Sunday afternoon. We have school at 2 p.m. every Sunday.

A truck load of young folks from this place visited the singing at Coopers Sunday afternoon.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

CLASSIFIED ADS

MULE FOR SALE—Good farm mule, sell reasonable. Terms, cash.—H. O. Bean, Clanton, Ala., Rt. 4. 1t-p

HOUSE FOR RENT—Six room bungalow in front of County High School building in Clanton. For particulars, apply to Mrs. Ed Goodgame, Maplesville, Ala. 5-8-3t-c

FOR SALE—One Overland touring Car, has been run two thousand miles, with extra equipment; cost the man who owned it $651.85; we will sell for $500.—Lawrence Motor Co., Clanton, Ala.

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TRAVELERS' REST, (Norrell's) on the Cooper Highway.
STROWD'S STORE, Coopers.
COOPER PRODUCE CO., Coopers.
HOWARD'S GARAGE, Verbena
GRAY BROS., Verbena, Route 1,
WRIGHT'S STORE, Haynes.
PATRICK'S STORE, Billingsley.
OWENS STORE, Pool Cross Roads.
VINZANT'S STORE, Union Grove.
FRANKLIN GARAGE, Thorsby.
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LEE'S STORE, South Calera.
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GAY'S STORE, Wilton.
EDDING'S STORE, Marvel.
POLK BROS. GARAGE, Columbiana.
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Big Value, yd. 49c
With 58-in. best linen finish, bleached, woven from fine yarns, new floral design.

Amoskeag Gingham
32-inch, per yd. 19c
Assortment of checks, plaids, stripes and plain shades of light blue, cadet, tan, maize, pink, green, light helio, dark helio, brown red and tangerine.

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Per yd. 59c
With 35-in. good quality standard Tussah Pongee silk, in big demand for dresses, draperies, etc.

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THORSBY SECTION
(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Most people in and about Thorsby will be interested to know what is doing in the matter of the new public school building for Thorsby. The writer has recently made a personal inspection of what visible progress has been made, and through interviews with Mr. C. E. Lucas, chairman of the building committee and Mr. Ernie H. Hansen, superintendent of construction has learned as much as possible of what is coming. The site for the building, which will face west, lies just north of the vineyard which occupies a part of the five-acre tract owned by the Town of Thorsby. A shelter has been buit for cement, tools, etc. Several carloads of material for the concrete work are already on the ground. Some grading and excavation has been done. Blue prints of working plans for the building, which have been approved are in hand. A working force has been provided for and will be available as fast as needed. Specifications for dimension stuff, and other lumber have been prepared and bids secured through correspondence and it is quite probable that orders for it have already been placed. Orders for hardware, shingles and the brick tile for exterior finish either have been or will be placed immediately for delivery at a specified time in advance of their requirement for use. It is planned to use local labor as far as practicable, but it will be subject to close supervision at frequent intervals by one or more inspectors from the building department of the State Department of Education, who furnish the plans and require that they be strictly adhered to. The building will have a frontage of 148 feet in which much glass will be used. The depth will be about 40 feet, divided into four class rooms and a lobby. Back of the central portico there will be an auditorium or assembly hall about 40x80 feet. The whole structure will be one story high, except for a comparatively small part of it which will be provided with a good room, partly below the surface of the ground which will be used for a manual training department. There will be modern sanitary equipment, and the most approved method of heating and ventilation. The total cost of the building with equipment and accessories is estimated at about $12,000 and it is hoped to have it available for use next fall.

For many years past benevolent people all over the country have frequently been called upon to contribute funds for relief of Armenians and Near East sufferers, but seldom have come in personal contact with any one, personally familiar with the conditions and necessities among these afflicted people.

On Sunday, May 25th, at 11 am., the Congregational church in Thorsby, Institute Baccalaureate services will be held. The 12 seniors who graduate this year, holding seats of honor. The program will be as follows:

Doxology. Class Hymn—Sung by the Class. Invocation by the Pastor. Responsive Reading. Music—Choir. Prayer—Rev. John L. Whorton, Pastor Thorsby Baptist church. Solo—Miss Agnes Gerald. Hymn. Address—Miss Emily C. Wheeler. Benediction—Rev. E. W. Butler.

Miss Wheeler comes from Brooklyn, N. Y. She is Secretary of The Armenian and India Relief Association for Orphans Industrial Homes. She has been for 16 years a missionary in Turkey, where her parents served for forty years as missionaries. Following Christian Endeavor service next Sunday night Miss Wheeler will speak of her life and work in Turkey.

There will be no preaching service at either of the other churches next Sunday morning, as the Baccalaureate address will be of interest to the whole community and will be in the nature of a union service.

Mr. Charles Fagin, of Cincinnati, a member of the firm who for several years past has bought more Thorsby strawberries than all others combined, has been in Thorsby several days and left for his home Tuesday morning.

Last Monday night, the 22nd, the last car of strawberries to be shipped from Thorsby this season, went out. The yield this season has been about half what had been expected and the season very short.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Johnson have secured rooms at the home of Mrs. H. M. Gerald. Mr. Johnson is one of the assistant engineers on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway.

Miss Agnes Gerald returned to her home in Thorsby last Wednesday, from North Carolina, where she has been teaching during the past school year.

Miss Agnes Leary of Birmingham made a week-end visit to her parents in Thorsby.

Mr. Sylvester Robinson of Birmingham was a Thorsby visitor Sunday.

The families of A. E. Reagan, J. M. Bosworth, M. J. Soberg and Charles S. Howard motored to Selma last Sunday. While there, they visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Barrett, formerly of Thorsby. While in Thorsby these good people were prominent among high grade Jersey cattle growers, and dairy products. Our Thorsby friends found them still at it, milking 25 cows, but with advancing years finding it so heavy that they are about ready to give it up.

Several neighbors and friends gave Mrs. G. F. Harper a delightful surprise party last Friday, on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

The Ladies' Guild of Thorsby will hold their monthly social at the home of Mrs. E. W. Butler, Thursday afternoon, May 22nd.

The Parent-Teachers Association have pre-empted the Fifth Thursday of the month, which comes once in three months, as their day to hold a social. The first one will be held at the Town Hall Thursday afternoon, May 29th, under the auspices of Mrs. S. C. Wood as hostess.

Music lovers are requested to remember Miss Althea Parker's recital, at Bates Hall, next Saturday night. We understand that Miss Parker has given general satisfaction to patrons and students of Thorsby Institute department of music during the past school year, and this will afford the public an opportunity to note the proficiency attained by many of her pupils.

Members of the "Cook Shows" Company, which held nightly performances for the past week in Thorsby, have left their equipment here and scattered to their homes for a vacation.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

First shipment of steel for the construction of eight barges for service on the Mobile and Warrior Rivers have arrived at the plant of the Alabama Drydock and Shipbuilding plant at Mobile, and work on the barges will start in the immediate future.

The superintendent and teachers of the Junior department of the First Baptist Sunday school at Bessemer will give a baby show at the park Saturday, May 24. Out-of-town judges will be secured and the babies will be tagged with numbers instead of names.

Ceola Hammock, negro, alleged slayer of Preston Pinson, another negro, is being held without bond at the Calhoun county jail at Anniston awaiting grand jury action following a preliminary hearing in the court of common pleas before Judge J. B. Holman, Jr.

Birmingham public school officials have begun laying their plans for immediate relief of the present school situation in Birmingham following passage of the $3,500,000 bond issue and the three-mill tax, to be used for that purpose.

Irish potato movement in Baldwin County is now reaching a stage where it is really a market factor. May 13th alone saw forty-two carloads of potatoes moving to a market from Baldwin county. This represents merely a good beginning of the season.

Contracts for construction of 19.76 miles of road from Eutaw to Gainesville, the remaining link of the Eutaw-Livingston Highway, has been let by the state highway commission at a total cost of approximately $409,000.

Last week at a regular meeting of the Boy Scouts, the organization of Troop One was perfected at Troy. There will be two troops and Troop 2 will be organized probably at the next meeting.

Postmaster A. R. Woodham at Opp has received announcement from Washington that the Opp post office will be moved into the second class July 1.

Bessemer firemen have been placed on the platoon system and there will now be two shifts, which will give each of the men in the department 12 hours on duty and 12 off.

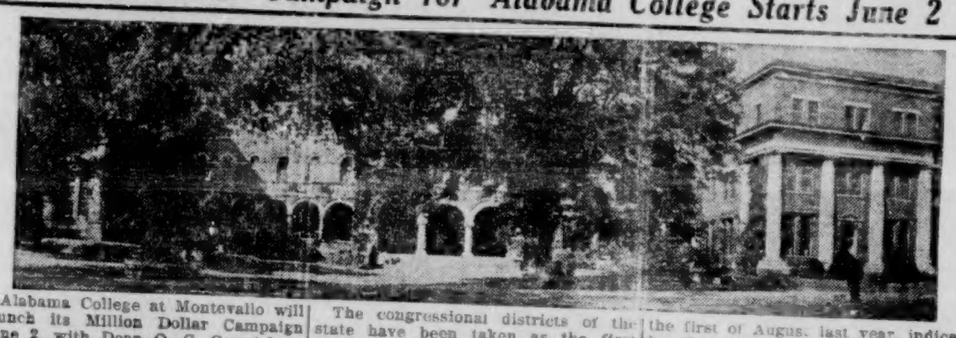
Birmingham was selected as the nert meeting place of the State Association of Elks, at the closing business session held at Montgomery.

Postmaster A. R. Woodham of Opp has announced that a new city mail route will be established to serve the two cotton mills and certain sections of the city now without delivery service.

Jim Dates, negro who shot and killed Jack Colley, negro barber, at Selma, two weeks ago, has been sentenced to 12 months hard labor.

The school tax law calling for a continuation of a three mill levy won in Butler county over two to one in the election held May 13th.

Million Dollar Campaign for Alabama College Starts June 2



Alabama College at Montevallo will launch its Million Dollar Campaign June 2, with Dean O. C. Carmichael at the helm and the state fully organized for an intensive drive which will last for two months.

The purpose of this campaign is to provide funds for expansion. This sum will enable the college to take care of the hundreds of young women who are anxious to enter but who are barred because accomodations are limited. Today there are 650 students enrolled in the school, and there is not another crack or crevice into which a girl might be stowed.

Not only are the dormitories crowded to capacity but the classrooms are overflowing. Teachers find it difficult to teach their subjects satisfactorilly with students sitting in chairs as well as in the desks provided, to say nothing of those who are standing lined about the walls because space cannot be found to place chairs for them. Yet according to the college authorities this is the condition in many of the Freshman courses where the growth of the college is naturally felt most.

Organization of the human machine which is to collect this million dollars is going forward rapidly, with all available clubs and groups in the state cooperating, and every one of the 650 girls now enrolled in the school pledged to spread the gospel in her own home town.

The congressional districts of the state have been taken as the first units of division and one member of the executive committee is to head each of the districts. These district chairmen will have student assistants who have already been appointed from among the student body to take charge of the detail work in their respective districts.

The district chairmen will appoint county chairmen, who will in turn divide their counties into sections and appoint heads of each section. These sectional organizations will have direct charge of collecting the money and will make periodical reports and remittances to the county chairman, thence to the district chairman and to the main organization.

The larger cities in the state will be organized separately, the local clubs in each city being invited to act as a basis for the organization.

The aim of the campaign is to provide funds for immediate expansion. Unless this expansion can be financed hundreds of girls must be turned away this year as they were last. It was only by putting up a temporary wooden dormitory that the school was able to make room for the students now enrolled. As it is, several hundred were turned away.

Enrollments on the first of May were equal to the number enrolled on the first of August last year, indicating that there will be more than four hundred who cannot be accomodated.

"We have demonstrated that we can put up temporary living quarters as we did last year," says Dean Carmichael. "But we cannot provide class room space and educational equipment."

"Today there are 3,000 young men of college age in state schools while there are only 1,000 young women in state schools, 650 of them being enrolled at Alabama College. These figures quoted in the face of the fact that there are almost twice as many young girls graduating from high schools of the state every year as there are boys indicates only one condition. The young women of Alabama are finding that their state cannot meet their demands and are going outside of Alabama to get their educations.

"The quota of a million dollars has been divided among the citizens of the state in a general way. It is estimated that if every white man and woman gives one dollar the sum will run far in excess of the desired million. When one stops to consider that in Alabama alone the people spend more than two million dollars a year for chewing gum, the fact that Alabama College is asking for one million to invest in the young womanhood of the state seems conservative."

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Delegated Convention Held at Court House Here on Last Friday

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gates to serve at each convention.

Following is the list of delegates chosen: W. T. Bean, J. O. Middleton, Grady Reynolds, C. C. Conway, J. N. Dennis, Tom Rockett, C. D. Hughes, L. H. Reynolds, Sam Pate, Percy M. Pitts, H. A. Harris, and J. L. Wilson. The alternates were: H. T. Childress, L. E. Diefenderfer, R. J. Downs, R. N. Wilkins, J. H. Anderson, T. J. Dorminey, A. P. Vinson, C. T. Walker, D. M. Apperson, W. H. Conway, A. B. Manning and J. M. Grant.

A motion was made and adopted by the convention that the delegates be instructed to vote in the State and District conventions as a unit and that they vote for delegates to the national convention who would support Calvin Coolidge for president. This motion was unanimously adopted by the convention and made a part of the credentials.

A resolution was passed instructing the delegates to endorse Mr. Street as national committeeman and Mr. Atkins as State Chairman. Both Mr. Middleton and Judge Reynolds spoke very commendingly of the work Mr. Street had done for the Republicans of Chilton County. His re-election as well as that of Mr. Atkins was unanimously endorsed by the convention.

The delegates were also instructed to use their influence in the State convention toward putting out a full State Republican ticket to be voted on in the coming election in November.

It was decided by the convention that the county delegates from each Beat arrange for candidates for Justice of the Peace for their respective Beats to appear on the Republican ticket in November.

At odd times during the meeting the chairman called on various ones present to make a speech before the meeting. Especially the "lame ducks" as the chairman called the defeated candidates, were given a chance to express themselves. Mr. C. D. Hughes, Mr. K. M. Vinson and Mr. J. Wiley Littlejohn all responded by making very encouraging talks, each expressing himself as perfectly satisfied with the results of the election and determined to do all they could for the election of the entire Republican ticket in November. Mr. J. L. Burnett, the nominee for county commissioner from the third district also made a nice talk. Prof. H. A. Harris spoke very interestingly before the convention, as well as R. N. Wilkins and D. H. Gentry. Judge Reynolds made a very fine speech in which he expressed his heart-felt thanks to the Republicans and Democrats of the county who had so willingly lent him their aid in fighting the contest filed against him by C. D. Messer. Judge Reynolds said that the people of Chilton County were the best and most patriotic people he had ever seen anywhere.

The meeting adjourned about 12:30 o'clock, thus ending one of the most spirited and harmonious meetings the Republicans of this county have ever had.

A. P. VINSON WRITES THANKS

Clanton, Ala., May 20th, 1924.

To the people of Chilton county and especially the Republican voters, I take this means to try to express my appreciation for the splendid support that I received in the primary election on last Tuesday. I cannot command words to express my appreciation for the support but permit me to say that I feel greatly honored in the first place because my opponents were and are of the best type of men and men whom the county is and should be proud of. I also regard it an honor to be one of the standard bearers of the Republican party in Chilton county, or any other county, State or Nation as to that. I regard the office of commissioner as being one of great importance and responsibility and since I have the nomination from the hands of the party to fill this office I feel it an honor and I assure you that if I should be elected, which I believe that I will, I will do everything in my power to serve the people to the very best of my ability, and will strive to find out the will of the majority of the people and to do that as near as possible.

I here and now thank you all for the nomination and insist that we all get in line and push forward to complete victory in the general election. Let us strive for the greatest victory that we have ever had in this county. I pledge you my honor that I will do everything that I can, honorably, to be elected and to elect the entire ticket in the general election.

Permit me to especially thank my home beat for the vote they gave me. I did not get every one nor did I expect every one, but I got nearly all of them, which I am proud of. Now you, that did not vote for me in the primary, I appreciate you just the same and feel that you did your duty as you saw it and admire you for the same, but I insist that you help me in the general election and assure you that I will appreciate anything that you can do for me.

Yours for the success of the Republican Party.

A. P. VINSON.

FORD SALES PASS THREE-QUARTER MILLION MARK

Car and truck deliveries alone show increase of 102,158 over last year. May has opened with a bigger demand for Ford products than any month so far this year, the Ford Motor Company announced here today.

Ford retail sales in the United States during the first ten days of May averaged 8,385 daily, exceeding the last ten-day period of the record-breaking sales in the month of April and indicating the continued upward trend of the market.

Figures just compiled show a total of 757,023 Ford units retaield to customers from January 1st to and including May 10th, of which Ford car and truck deliveries alone show a gain of 102,158 over the same period a year ago.

With the increases already attained this month and with the present outlook for business the company anticipates a new high sales figure in May.

Boston Transcript—"Missouri for Coolidge." She's been shown.

New Co-Operative Association Formed In Chilton County

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stated, after which a complete list of the charter members was read.

The proposed Constitution and By-Laws was then presented for action to the members and was adopted after thorough discussion and the addition of one or two amendments.

The election of officers took place immediately after the adoption of the Constitution and By-Laws and the following were elected:

J. S. Weldon, president; J. M. Smith, vice-president; E. Robinson, secretary.

A Board of Directors was elected as follows:

J. M. Smith, W. B. Cooper, J. S. Weldon, J. A. Mims, R. M. Foshee, G. W. Robinson, S. E. Morris, R. I. Weaver, J. W. Lowery.

The Board of Directors elected the following members to serve on the Executive Committee:

J. S. Weldon, chairman; W. B. Cooper, R. M. Foshee.

The Manager was then elected, O. H. Mastin being selected to occupy this office.

The object of "The Farmers Co-Operative Association," as the new organization is to be called, is stated as follows in the Constitution: "The object and purpose of this association is to promote the economic, educational and social welfare of the farmers. The association will act as the agent for all members in the purchasing of seed, fertilizer, farm equipment and other supplies; also in the marketing of the products of its members. The association will encourage the growing of strawberries and other fruit and truck crops and market same for its members."

As seen from the above, this association will be conducted along somewhat the same lines as the United Farmers, with more attention being given, however, to the purchasing of supplies, etc., for its members and also the production and marketing of strawberries.

This latter feature, that of strawberry growing and marketing, should be of special interest to everyone in or near Clanton. Several strawberry growers near Clanton are among its charter members and it is expected that all strawberry producers whose logical shipping point is Clanton will soon become members. Before Clanton can hope to ship berries in car lots the acreage in this crop around Clanton will have to be increased considerably. The association will put on a campaign for strawberry growing in this territory, will buy the plants for its members and give them such other assistance as it is able. Already some of its members who have no strawberries at the present time have agreed to plant some and other farmers who are planning to put in some ground to this crop have stated their intention of joining. With an association here on the job systematically promoting the strawberry industry and ready to market the berries when they are produced, this industry should show rapid progress here. When it is remembered that the growers shipping berries from Thorsby this reason will receive more than forty thousand ($40,000.00) dollars for their crop, the possibilities along this line here at Clanton are clearly evident.

As has been stated elsewhere in this article, the association will not be a strawberry marketing association alone by any means, but this is one valuable feature of the association. It must not be thought by anyone that the association will be antagonistic to the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association, as it will merely aim to serve the farmers around Clanton in the same way that the Thorsby association is serving the farmers around Thorsby. Indeed several of the members of the Thorsby association are charter members of the new association and this will help to insure a friendly co-operation between the two associations.

Details as to the method of joining the Farmers Co-operative Association, the plans of operation and other information can be secured by asking any officer or member of the association. The association has no secrets and will simply conduct its affairs according to recognized business principles.

The most urgent immediate task of the association is to increase its membership. The opportunity is open to all farmers who wish to join, with the purpose of doing business through the association, to join. Since its organization on May 17th, twenty-two new members have been secured, making a total membership at this time, (May 20), of 67 of the leading farmers of the county. This is a home organization, founded by Chilton county farmers on a plan that fits our condition, with expenses held down accordingly. It is an organization of farmers, by farmers and for farmers. It lies with the farmers of Chilton county to render the decision as to what it will accomplish.

Smilin' Charlie Says—

"Laziness is sometimes as much th' parent o'Invention as necessity is—"

CANDY KITCHEN FOR CLANTON

Mr. W. W. Fox is putting up a candy kitchen in the old Jesse Jones barber shop place in the corner of the Chilton County News office. Mr. Fox is an old veteran candy puller, that being the trade he followed after leaving the farm. He says that he can make candy that will eat right where you hold it. The place will be in operation in a short while.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

Contrary to the general belief that boll weevils must be eradicated or reduced in numbers by expensive poisoning in order to produce a cotton crop, it has been proved by successful farmers that increased yields and profits may be had under boll weevil conditions in spite of the weevil and without the use of poisons where the infestation is not too heavy. Most of the steps required are included in what may be called "better farming." As they have to do mainly with the growth and culture of the plant, they are generally known as "cultural" methods of boll weevil control."

However, the foregoing statement should not be understood to mean that poison is not required to produce a maximum yield and profit. Cultural methods should go hand in hand with the use of poison and by the use of both in the proper way a profitable crop is assured. Use of cultural methods alone is practicable only when conditions are such that poison can not be used and when the infestation is slight.

Where no poison will be used it is especially important to use for cotton only the most fertile, well-drained soils where the yielding ability is good and, if possible, located away from woods which might shelter weevils in the winter. To reduce the weevil attack cotton should not follow cotton. A change of crops reduces insect attack and increases yields.

Beating the boll weevil depends not on an extra early date of planting but on the crop making a very rapid growth after it is planted. Early preparation of the ground, so there will be a firm, smooth and well settled seed bed at planting time, is very important. Planting should be delayed until all danger from frosts and cold is past and the soil is warm enough to insure quick sprouting, rapid growth and a good stand.

Shallow cultivation should be given every week or ten days, and continued as late as necessary to keep the crop free from weeds and grass. Cultivation promotes the growth and fruiting of the plant but does not kill boll weevils directly. It is a known and proven fact that with heavy or light infestation of the weevils, with the application or without the application of poison, better farming pays under any and all conditions.

Further information may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture, or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 250 Whitney Building, New Orleans, La.

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As the primary has passed into history and nominations are made, I was defeated in my race for commissioner from the fourth district, but I accept same cheerfully with thanks and appreciation to those who supported me and hold no ill will towards those who were against me. Will say that I am behind every one nominated and intend to do all I can toward their election in November. As for myself, I will and am looking forward to a better day.

Yours for the success of the entire Republican ticket in November; so, when you need me, let me know.

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Under and by virtue of several decrees rendered by the probate court of Chilton County, Alabama on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes due for the year 1923, I will on **Monday, the 16th day of June, 1924,** sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county in Clanton, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, for the state and county taxes, fees, costs and charges, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $11.97.

BEAT 2

No. 227.—Arthur Glass—W ½ of SW¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, Range 13

W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 24, Range 13.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 11, Tp. 23, Range 13. Tax and cost $32.74.

No. 325.—Stephen Moore Estate—SW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 1, Tp. 23, R. 13.

S ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13.

NE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $27.02.

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $16.98.

and cost $15.30.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $17.47.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.77.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.71.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U.—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.40.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 21, Range 13.

SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 13. Tax and cost $21.52.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $43.22.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $45.15.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $42.70.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $32.32.

No. 1589.—A. W. Smith—SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $22.56.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U.—N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $8.25.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Bluck 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $11.37.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost $7.08.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $13.10.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost $9.00.

BEAT 5

No. 1793.—G. W. Bogan—Vacant lot (Harding Lot) 7, Block T.

Vacant lot, (Culver Lot) 10, Block T in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $5.60.

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $17.45.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $14.30.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $15.90.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $25.25.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $48.74.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.44.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $20.72.

No. 2517.—H. S. Hicks—S ½, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $45.20.

No. 2519.—Sheley Hicks—SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 10, Tp. 21, R. 12.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $27.32.

No. 2520.—Solomon Hicks—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $10.46.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.64.

No. 2585.—D. J. Nichols—E ½ of E ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 21, R. 12.

That part of NE ¼ of NW ¼ lying N. of branch on the edge of 40 acre Block, Sec. 34, Tp. 21, R. 12. Tax and cost $26.75.

No. 2635.—Martha Watley—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $12.75.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $6.55.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $13.45.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $14.00.

No. 3068.—J. D. Caton—10 acres in SW cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 8, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.95.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.40.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $23.40.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.74.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.67.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.94.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.07.

No. 3996.—M. L Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.36.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.42.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $18.01.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.12.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $8.44.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $10.45.

BEAT 14

No. 4298.—Mrs. Frances Armstrong—13½ acres on N. end of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 22, R. 12. Tax and cost $8.73.

No. 4441.—Mrs. Selma Veazey—W ½ of SW ¼, less 2 acres in SW ¼ of SW ¼ and SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 10 acres in SE cor., Sec. 5, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $21.00.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.85.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.90.

This, 14th day of May, 1924.

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GENIE COLLINS THANKS VOTERS

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Citizens of Chilton County:

I wish to thank you through this medium, since I have not the opportunity to see you and thank you personally.

I feel grateful to every one who cast a vote for me and have no grudge to those who did not, because as you know, I had worthy opponents who deserved the votes they got.

If there is anything I can do for you in the future, don't hesitate to call upon me, everyone of you, and I assure you it will be nothing but a pleasure for me to respond.

Now thanking you again, I am,
Very truly,
GENIE COLLINS.

Mr. Ammie Boswell was in Clanton last Thursday to have an operation performed for tonsilitis.

Pimples

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STAND BY NOMINEES SAYS J. N. SCOTT

Editor Union-Banner:

Here I come again for another small space in your good old paper. As the primary is over, whether we all got our choice of not, let us join hands and work for the election of our entire ticket. I did not get my choice in full but I am well satisfied and sure do want to join in with Mr. Burnett in thanking the voters all over the county for the way they voted for commissioner in the third district. I want to say that the time is here when we must have more servants in our county and less bosses. I for one am always willing to help put a man out when I find out that he is not of the right principle.

I am not like Mr. J. H. Benson. I do not want my neighbor taxed to build me a road and let me go free. Yes, he accused me of being a kicker and the only one about the truck tax. I want to say that there are over 200 other truck owners kicking and that is not all, or Mr. C. T. Walker would have retained his job. Mr. Benson, there are a lot of kickers about this unjust law all over the county and some of the very best business men we have and they do not own any trucks and are not interested in trucks. I am glad to know that the people of this county intend for justice to prevail toward all men and believe in a square deal.

So, stand up for your rights, boys, and help us test the validity of this law. With best wishes for the success of the editor and his many readers, I remain the same old doctor,

J. N. SCOTT.

FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

Rev. W. W. Robinson will preach at Friendship church next Saturday night, May 24th at 7:30 o'clock. No service wil be held at the church on Sunday on account of the big singing a Providence that day, but there will be preaching Sunday night as usual. The public has a cardial invitation to attend these services.

WOOD-SAWING SUPPLANTS HAND-SHAKING

You simply can't please the Democratic leaders during a Republican administration. President Harding went the limit of physical endurance in shaking hands with people—because he liked to meet people. The Democrats criticised him on the ground that he was trying to play politics. His death was largely due to over-taxing of his strength, and then the Democratic press severely condemned the custom of presidential handshaking as a needless strain upon a president's strength. But when President Coolidge, during a holiday week in Washington, cut out part of the handshaking because the throngs of tourists would have taken his time nearly all day long, the leading spokesman of the Democrats in the Senate spent a half hour denouncing the president and pleading for the right of the people to shake the hand of their Chief Executive. That is a fair sample of the inconsistency and hysteria in Democratic leadership, but, fortunately, the rank and file of the Democratic party does not follow that sort of leadership. The vast majority of Democrats, as well as members of any other party, approve of the deteermination of the president to attend to his official duties and to give to handshaking whatever time and energy he can spare.

LIBERTY HILL SINGING SOCIETY

The singing society met Sunday afternoon, but on account of most all of our class being at the all-day singing at Pleasant Grove, we were not able to render a very long program.

Directors for the afternoon were: Messrs. Glover Smith, Leonard Culp, Gresham Smith and Misses Frances Lowery and Neacie Smith.

One duet sung by Messrs. Frank Mastin and Glover Smith. Also some good quartets were sung by the Liberty Hill quartet band.

The Organists for the afternoon were Misses Lillie Smith, Bonnie Littlejohn and Gussie Littlejohn.

We were glad to have so many visitors with us and hope they will come back again when we have all of our class, and we shall try to make it more interesting. We invite all singers and lovers of music to come and be with us on every first and third Sunday afternoon. We have preaching on every second Sunday at 11 o'clock in the morning.

NEW SALEM NEWS

As it has been some time since I have seen anything from this place, I thought I would write a few lines.

The ladies social club held their regular meeting last Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames Cora Smith, Eva Vines, Jennie Pate, Sarah Jane Mims, Florence Bean, Mrs. Bussie, Ida Gore, Lilla Hayes, Janie Deason, and Dochie Bean, Misses Pauline Maddox, Loutishie Bean, Ailean Gore, and Pauline Pool.

Mrs. H. O. Bean and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Maddox and little daughter, Mytice, have been visiting their relatives in Mobile this week.

Misses Pauline Maddox and Loutishie Bean were the guests of Misses Pearl and Verbie Thacker Sunday afternoon.

People from around here have been attending the show at Thorsby this week.

SARDIS DOTS

People here are getting along very nicely with their farming. Some are through chopping cotton and some are not.

We had a nice singing at Sardis Sunday afternoon. The first and third Sunday afternoons are our regular singing times. Everyone is invited to come and help us.

Mrs. Lela Spigner and Misses Bessie Green and Lettie Spigner motored to Pletcher Sunday afternoon to see their relatives and friends.

Messrs. George Headley and Lewis Gillespie and Mrs. Susie Headley and Selestia Gillespie motored to Pleasant Grove to the singing Sunday.

Bethsalem class will meet Sardis class the third Sunday in June and have a big singing in the afternoon. We invite everybody to come and help sing. We will be glad to have a large attendance.

We understand that the old time singing convention will meet here at their next session some time in September. We are very glad to welcome them here is it is not often that we hear singing in the old books.

Mr. John D. Martin and Miss Nellie Martin and several others from Mulberry were visiting here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Charley Burnett of Billingsley was in this community Sunday.

Mr. L. C. Roper and family of near Selma were visiting here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry and children of Pilgrim Rest were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hayes Sunday.

Mr. Jessie Hayes and children and sister of Maplesville were here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. David Weaver of Selma Route 1 and Miss Lennie Headley of this place motored to Lock 12 Sunday.

Messrs. Aaron Roper and Charley Deramus made a trip to near Stanton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Lenwood Klinner of Birmingham spent the week end with parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Klinner attended the high school exercises at Plantersville last week.

Mr. Herbert Traywick of Clanton Route 3 was here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Union Headley, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Headley of near Selma spent the week end with parents here.

Mr. Leonard Klinner and Miss Anna Hayes attended the high school entertainment at Plantersville Saturday night.

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VISIT IN BIRMINGHAM

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Grooms of Mulberry went up in their car last Saturday morning to Birmingham, where they spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Speer. Mr. and Mrs. Grooms made the trip in their Ford, returning home Sunday night. They report that they had a most enjoyable trip during their stay in the Magic City.

NOTICE

Bro. E. H. Littlejohn will preach at Pilgrim's Rest next Sunday a.m., May 25th. Also there will be speaking on Saturday night at 8 o'clock, May 24th, in the interest of the farmers and their friends. All cordially invited to attend both meetings.

W. R. K. STANFORD.

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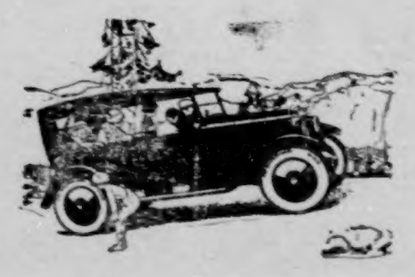

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POOR ORIGINAL

GO AFTER LAW VIOLATORS OVER IN BIBB COUNTY

On Monday of last week J. L. Gore and W. H. Gillespie, federal prohibition officers, together with Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee, went over into Bibb county in the neighborhood of Oakley Station and succeeded in locating and destroying two illicit distilling outfits. No arrests were made but 14 gallons of liquor were poured out by the officers. They went to one man's place and he and his wife were coming from the field with their mule. When they saw the officers the man handed his wife the reins and he took toward the swamp. The officers followed him and stumbled up on his barrel of whiskey and followed him a little further and run up on his still. The still was destroyed but the man got away, however it is said that a case will be instituted against him in Federal court.

BARBER SHOPS CONSOLIDATE

Mr. Jesse C. Jones has joined his barber shop with that of Mr. E. T. Weldon, formerly operated by Newt Gray, and they have both moved into the old Wolfe Shoe Shop stand on Main street. A very neat little shop has been arranged there consisting of four chairs. The barbers there are Newt Gray, Joe Mims, Jesse Jones and Ervin Williams.

(NOTE: Dr. Pierce is president of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., to which for 50 years past chronic sufferers have been coming for specialized treatment from all over the U. S. A., Canada and foreign lands.)

Will Undo Much Evil
By Dr. V. M. Pierce

Knowing the vast amount of harm wrought by diseases of the kidneys, and having had opportunity to observe the analyses and the successful methods of treatment in thousands of cases of kidney trouble at the Invalids' Hotel, I have recently given to the public the latest and perhaps most important of the Dr. Pierce home remedies, "An-uric" (anti-uric-acid) Tablets, which I now recommend to those who suffer with kidney backache, irregularity of urination and the pains and disturbances that come from excess of uric acid in the blood.

"An-uric" can be had now at all the drug stores. The mere drinking of a cup of hot water each morning and a little "An-uric" before every meal should bring remarkably quick improvement. You may have kidney trouble and not know it. The danger signals to be watched for and quickly heeded are backache, depression, aches, pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability, headaches, chilliness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints, gout.

WEST CHILTON

Everybody here seems well satisfied with the recent primary election.

Miss Bevie Smith has returned to her position in Birmingham.

James Hodgens at this writing is quite sick.

Hughey Waldrop's child was seriously ill Sunday.

John S. Waldrop made a business trip to Maplesville Thursday.

C. C. Atchison is erecting a new saw mill just east of Randolph.

J. T. Waldrop is on the sick list.

Greene Cofer and family of Siluria visited here last week.

The writer had the pleasure of attending the singing convention at Pleasant Grove M. P. Church Saturday and Sunday. It was fine. People were there by the acre.

The liberality and kindness of the people of Pleasant Grove was unbounded. The social features of the occasion were inestimable. We had the pleasure of meeting many friends of former days—Rev. W. A. Wood, H. B. Glenn and family, A. A. Jackson and daughter of Birmingham, M. W. Brown and family, J. E. Cobb and family, and others too numerous to mention. Such fine dinners free for all proved the people's kindness. The singing was enthuiastic. One noted feature was Graham's great composition, "Don't grieve your mother," beautifully rendered by A. A. Jackson and daughter and Miss Era Sanders. Another was the skillful directing of one piece in memory of Prof. White, by the accomplished convention secretary. Another was when the chairman called Miss Edna Mae Jackson of Birmingham to the floor, and who beautifully sang the wonderful composition "Filmore." The great audience seemed spell-bound. The convention was closed by a most fervent and beautiful prayer by Rev. Lawley. It was a great session.

Long wave The "Banner."

REFUGE NEWS

Meeting at this place Saturday and Sunday conducted by Rev. M. J. Parrish was exceedingly good.

I wish to say that Rev. M. J. Parrish preaches here the third Sunday and Saturday before, and also the first Sunday. We as a church, cordially invite all to attend these services.

Sunday school is good; good attendance. We thank all for their coming; but say, the work is not complete—let us all study more, that we might know how to live better, and most of all, that we might gain more to this good work.

Singing at this place Sunday evening was fine. Directors: J. E. Miner, R. E. Powell, L. B. Adams, J. A. W. Mims, O. R. Robinson, Miss Luvenia Mims, Miss Zula Willis. Also two good quartets by J. A. W. Mims, R. E. Powell, Enoch Mims, Miss Benia Mims. All directors two songs each. Organists, Mrs. Annie Robinson, Alice Baker and Miss Zula Willis. I am glad to say that we had good behavor with just a little exception, but I am glad to say they stayed away from the house. There has been great things said as to what kind of a place Refuge was, but we stand for the Church which was founded on a rock. We welcome all, but we do not welcome misbehavior.

Thanking all of our good visitors we had Sunday. So, come again, that we may enjoy another service in singing praises to God. All singers are cordially invited.

J. E. MINER, Sec.

SINGING AT PLEASANT GROVE

The Sacred Harp and Christian Harmony singing convention held its regular semi-annual session at Pleasant Grove church, Saturday and Sunday, May 16th and 17th.

Promptly at ten o'clock (Saturday) the convention was called to order by the vice-president, who assumed the duties as chairman until that gentleman, President Z. J. Jones arrived.

The opening song, "Idumea," was rendered by Vice-President T. J. Jackson, after which followed prayer by A. T. Davis.

A committee of four arranged for the directors and time given each director—being fifteen minutes each.

Officers for the ensuing year were renominated and re-elected as follows: Z. J. Jones, president; T. J. Jackson, vice-president, and Era Sanders, secretary.

Delegates were appointed to attend the different State conventions, convening in Birmingham in July and September.

Sunday was particularly good. Many singers and directors were present, not to mention the vast audience of listeners.

Several special compositions were rendered during the day by the vice-president, the secretary, Miss Edna Jackson, of Birmingham and W. J. Lawley.

The eleven o'clock Memorial Service was also very impressive.

Songs in memory of Messrs. White and Walker, authors of the Harp and Harmony, were rendered by Mr. W. J. Lawley and the secretary.

Songs also in memory of two of our deceased members, Mrs. A. E. (Annie) Teel and Mr. J. H. Golden, were rendered by A. A. and T. J. Jackson.

The programme of directors were composed of the vice-president, the secretary, A. T. Davis, J. N. Scott, A. J. Langston, W. J. Morris, W. J. Lawley, M. W. Brown, T. J. Baker, J. E. Cobb, the State president, A. A. Jackson and his daughter, Miss Edna of Birmingham, Mrs. Sarah Bates, Hays Brothers, and Frank Culpepper.

Closing song, "Resurrected," was rendered by the vice-president. Benediction by W. J. Lawley.

We were glad to have the State president and Miss Jackson with us, also all other visitors and hope it will be our good pleasure to hear your voices in song in our next convention.

The Pleasant Grove people were so good and hospitable during our sojourn with them and the good eats prepared by the kind hands of the ladies of that community were fruits of a generous free-giving heart, we are confident. We appreciate it and thank you so much for having contributed your large share in making this convention the success it was. Next convention goes to Sardis.

THE SECRETARY.

W. H. ROBINSON THANKS VOTERS

Editor Union-Banner:

Well, the primary is over and I have met my defeat. I wish to say to my friends who suportped me that I do heartily appreciate your votes. I thank you very much for the help you gave me.

I was not the choice of the majority of the people, but that does not make me any less Republican. I intend still to remain loyal to the principles of the Republican party.

The Democrats years ago tricked us out of our probate judge, and it made me sore with them. I do not believe in trickery in politics any more than I do in anything else.

I feel that I made a clean fight in my canvassing for the nomination as commissioner. In what little I did, I feel that I treated everybody clean and did all that I did on a fair basis. I did not try to down anyone. Of course, I asked the people that if they felt it their duty to vote for me I would appreciate it. So, again thanking you all for the help given me, I remain, as ever,

A Republican,
W. H. ROBINSON.

OFFICERS GET DOLL MIMS

Deputies Culp and Easterling caught Monroe (Doll) Mims at his home near Swift Creek one day last week for violating the prohibition laws. Mims was drunk and was in the bed when the officers put the handcuffs on him. A search of the house revealed a quart and a part of a pint of whiskey in the kitchen. Mims was brought to Clanton and placed in jail but was later released on bond.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. B. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-70, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

AROUND CALERA

The Radcliffe Chautauqua has been giving some splendid programs in Calera for the past few nights. Dr. Guy Bingham of New York lectured on "Broken Barriers" Saturday night, telling how the progress of primitive man has developed up until our present day. The last lecture was given by Mr. Charles Hoar on a "Better Tomorrow."

There was a Community Sing at the tent in Calera Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. H. Honeycutt from Lakeland, Florida, and two children were visiting friends in Calera and South Calera last week.

Mrs. Fox Busby of Pelham was the week-end guest of relatives in South Calera.

Mrs. Nanie Barefield and little grand-daughter, Francis, are visiting reatives in Childersburg.

Mr. Roy Rogers of Adamsville was visiting his father last week.

Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma, after spending the week in Birmingham, returned by South Calera to spend a few days with Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mrs. Henry Robinson and two children of Pelham were visitors for the week-end in South Calera.

Mrs. W. H. Pilgreen and Mrs. J. W. Boyer were the guests of Mrs. G. S. Tate one day last week.

Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin attended the singing at Columbiana Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbelle returned to Siluria Sunday night after spending the week-end here.

Announcement was made of a Community Sing for everybody at the Baptist church in Calera next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones and children attended the Memorial services at Providence Sunday.

The Junior high school pupils of Calera presented a play, "Bashful Mr. Bob" last Thursday night.

Miss U. V. Busby, Miss Dora Campbelle, Mr. Erman Seales, Miss Gladys Campbelle and Mr. Bob Tate attended the singing in Columbiana Sunday.

Mrs. Eugene Foote of Birmingham was the guest of Miss Lutie Jones for a few days last week.

Mr. Homer Martin returned to his work Sunday night after spending the week-end with his mother.

Mr. Clyde Rogers has returned home from Mississippi.

Mrs. Willie Mae Martin was the guest of Miss Hazel Cox Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Holen Crim and Mr. Rufus Rogers motored to Columbiana Sunday.

Mr. Alza Martin attended the ball game between Jefferson county high school and Shelby county high in Columbiana Saturday.

Miss Baker from Huntsville spent Sunday in Calera.

Mrs. D. M. Martin and little daughter, Juanita, of Birmingham are spending a few days this week with Mrs. Jessie Cox.

Mr. Leon Busby entertained Sunday with a birthday dinner, honoring the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma, Mr. Ural Busby of Boaz, and Miss Hazel Cox.

Sunday is the regular preaching day at Shiloh church.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Busby were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayhew Sunday.

A number of girls from Alabama College were visiting in Calera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones of Birmimngham, enroute from Montgomery, stopped over for a short while with Mrs. Jessie Cox last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess motored to Columbiana Sunday afternoon.

Baby Attacked!

Mrs. Crawford writes, "I was attracted by the screams of my baby. I rushed to the cradle and there was a rat crawling on the child! My husband put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around and we haven't seen a rat since. I certainly am grateful." Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

MT. PLEASANT, BEAT 12

Sunday was our regular preaching day. Rev. Martin delivered a very interesting sermon which a very large crowd attended.

Mrs. Luther Guims spent Sunday night with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Headley.

Mr. P. Robinson carried a truck load of folks to singing from this place Sunday evening.

There will be a singing at this place Sunday. Everybody come.

HALL TYUS ARRESTED FOR VIOLATING PROHIBITION LAW

On last Friday morning Sheriff Littlejohn with Deputy Foshee and Culp went down to the home of Hall Tyus at Mt. Pisgah in search of whiskey. A through search of the house revealed nothing, so the officers got out in the field near the house and made a search which resulted in the finding of one glass gallon jug, two 3-gallon jugs and one 5-gallon keg, all burried around in different places in Tyus' cotton patch. It is supposed that Tyus had the spirits buried under his cotton to keep it warm these cold nights; but we are not going to vouch for that. But the whiskey was there all right. Tyus was arrested under the charge of violating the prohibition law and was released on bond.

OAK HILL

The United Singing Society will meet in regular session at this place Sunday, 2 p.m. All singers and lovers of music have a special invitation to attend. Visitors always welcome. We will have the Thorsby and other quartets with us. Come and hear them and take part with us in the other singing, and let's all have a good time together, singing praises to our great and loving heavenly father from whence cometh all good things. We want you; we need you; come and be with us.

E. L. GLASSCOCK, Pres.

FRANK COWART DEAD

On last Friday afternoon occurred the death of David Franklin Cowart, age 62. The remains were carried to Deatsville the following day by Martin, undertaker, where interment was made. The funeral was preached by Rev. Carpenter.

Mr. Cowart was unmarried and leaves three brothers, Sam, Hop and Charley Cowart, and also two sisters. The brothers all live in Clanton. Mr. Cowart conducted a mercantile business in Clanton up until a few years ago, when his health got so bad that he was compelled to abandon his business. He has been in declining health ever since.

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Los Angeles Times—After the Senate's turndown of the Mellon tax relief plan most people wil be sorry only a third of the membership comes up for election this fall.

The Republicans of Chilton county do not care much for that second choice vote business. The highest number of second choice votes cast in the primary last Tuesday for any one candidate was 16, these being for Miss Collins.

Regardless of what others, in and out of Congress, may think, President Coolidge stands squarely on the budget law, and the basic economic principle which inspired it. Except in emergencies, the nation's expenditures should be measured by the revenue obtainable by reasonable taxation. In his action on bills presented to him by Congress, Mr. Coolidge indicates that there will be no departure from that doctrine in the White House.

The leaders of the Democratic press have been strong in their praise of President Coolidge's veto of the pension bill—a bill that would have dealt very generously with widows of Civil War Veterans to whom they were married more than a quarter of a century after the war was over. Those same Democratic newspapers were equally as strong in their approval of the fight President Coolidge has made for tax reduction. Yet, so narrow is their partisanship, they will forget to praise him when the campaign comes on. But the voters will do the praising as they mark their ballots.

Secretary of War Weeks has recommended that the people of Porto Rico be granted an autonomous government in 1923. A delegation of Porto Ricans was recently in Washington to urge changes in the organic law of the island, and Secretary Weeks, as chief of our insular possessions, was asked for an official opinion. His recommendation that the islanders be allowed in the near future to elect their governor and other officials ought to serve as an object lesson to the Filipinos. The Porto Ricans have demonstrated their ability for self-government, while the natives of the Philippines have shown their utter incapacity for similar responsibilities.

The most striking contrast between the Democratic and Republican parties of Chilton county was manifest in the recent primary election. The Republicans presented a list of candidates to the people and let them select their choice. Half a dozen Democrats in Clanton said: "We know more about what the people of the county need than they do themselves. We will not put out a ticket in the primary but will wait and select us a set of men who suit ourselves to run in the general election."

The above is a fair example of the two parties in Chilton county. The Republicans are given a chance to select exactly whom they want for their candidates, and if they try out a man and do not like him, when the next election comes they vote him out and put a man there that they do like, but the mass of the Democratic voters of the county are not allowed to open their mouth in the selection of their candidates. If a Democrat nominated in this manner were elected to a county office, who would he be responsible to? Certainly not to the people of the county, but to the half a dozen bosses who put him out. One can readily see where the interest of the masses of the people would go if our government were placed in the hands of such men. A man who knows more about the people's business than the people do themselves is too wise to be a public official or a public dictator. He ought to get him a job with some big air castle construction company where he could dictate all he pleased without affecting anyone except himself.

NOTICE

The amount assessed by the Commissioners for right-of-way for the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, is ready to be paid. Any one can write me and I will send them receipt for them to sign and return to me and I will send them the money. However, I would prefer for them to come after it in person, if convenient to do so.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

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ONE OF ITS DANGERS

SCISSORETTES

Marshalltown Times-Republican—Some folks complain that Coolidge's speeches lack "the inner flame of passionate belief." Good enough. We are just now looking for the unimpassioned action of cold horse sense. We've tried out the passionate and it's raised the very devil with us.

Omaha Bee—Every time the Democrats have been entrusted with power they have tried free trade, and every time it has brought disaster. Are the peope ready to go back to the breadlines of 1914, of 1893, or any of those good old days?

Marion Star—Many plans have been offered to accomplish the salvation of Europe, but all of them are common in one respect, each and every one of them looks to the United States to furnish the money to defray the expenses of the operation.

Washington Herald—The victory of President Coolidge in the California primary was a climax to the most remarkable vote of confidence the American people ever gave a president who neither beat the drum nor blew the bugle.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—About the only thing the Democrats will have to crow about this fall is what they, with the help of the radicals, were able to keep the Republicans from doing for the folks who pay the bills.

Syracuse Post-Standard—The Democrats of California formally voted E. L. Doheny out of the party, but they have given W. G. McAdoo the delegates. It is more blessed in California to receive than to give.

Dubuque Times-Journal—The more or less insignificant opposition to Mr. Coolidge in his party has about arrived at the conclusion that Calvin is both the immovabe object and the irresistible force.

Providence Journal—The public has more intelligence than the partisan coalition which deliberately set out to wreck the Mellon plan and discredit the Coolidge Administration gives it credit for.

Houston Post (Dem.)—The Mellon tax plan was based on sound economic principle. The substitute plans are the makeshifts of political opportunists.

New York Herald-Tribune—Coolidge may not be able to perform a miracle every day. But in California he made Hi low.

Athanta Constitution (Dem.)—And, too, the Senate doesn't think it's a bit wrong to tax the patience of the people.

Warning From Health Department!

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TIME NOT RIPE

Were Mr. Coolidge a politician who subordinated his sound judgment to political strategy, he would probably issue a call for an international armaments conference this summer. Such a move would immediately win the approval of thousands of voters, including Democrats, and quite likely would bring many votes to Mr. Coolidge next fall that he will not otherwise obtain. But the President believes the time is not ripe for another conference of the sort, and has not hesitated to say that he will wait until the Dawes fiscal plan has had a chance to compose affairs in Europe. When the reparations problem is on the way to final settlement, President Coolidge has told the people that he will favor another meeting of representatives from all the powers to consider what further limitations may be placed on land and naval armaments, and to arrange for a codification of the international law. The voters know that Mr. Coolidge means what he says, and his promise of action carries as much weight with them as the actual accomplishments of other less concientious officials.

SOMETHING NEW IN POLITICS TO BE TRIED IN CHILTON CO.

With the primary election held last Tuesday Chilton County politics enters a new and unexplored era. The Republican voters of the county have decided to try something that has never before been attempted in the history of Chilton County, and that is a lady for a public official. Upon Miss Genie Collins has been bestowed an honor which no other member of the fairer sex has ever enjoyed in our county. She will be, most assuredly, the next treasurer of Chilton County, and this will be the first office a lady has ever held in our county.

To some extent, this is an experiment, as no one knows exactly what kind of an official Miss Collins will make. However, on the other hand, judging from the work she has done in the past, we do know that she is thoroughly competent to handle the affirs of this office. She can do anything that needs to be done in the tax assessor's office, and there is much more work to this office than that of treasurer. To be sure, caring for the duties of the office of treasurer will be easy sailing for Miss Collins.

However, there is a marked difference between being an official and being the employee of an official. There is a responsibility resting upon one in a public office. If the work is done properly, the official gets the credit, and if an error is made, the offcial gets the discredit. Although this is true, we feel sure that Miss Collins is thoroughly fitted to withstand the responsibilities that will evolve upon her when she enters the office of county treasurer.

And besides the responsibilities of the office, there is another important phase to the record which Miss Collins makes as a public official. The way that she handles the affairs of the office will have a lot to do with the future as regards ladies for public officials in this county. If Miss Collins cares for the effice in a manner pleasing to the public, then the people will not hesitate to elect another lady to probably a higher office next time. So this young lady owes it to her fellow lady citizens to give the very best service possible. In this respect, the election of Miss Collins is an experiment, and she has within her power the form in which public sentiment will be moulded in the matter of women holding office. We entertain not the least doubt that Miss Collins is going to conduct the affairs of the office to which she has been nominated and most likely will be elected to the entire satisfaction of her constituents and to the glorious credit of the splendid womanhood of our county. So, let the Republicans of Chilton County stand behind her as well as all the other nominees on our ticket in the general election in November. We cannot afford to puff up and flounch the principles of our party or side-track in the least. All of our nominees are too good folks and will make too good officials for us to withhold from them a single ounce of the support which we can give them.

With what envy must our friend Mr. Bok be observing the publicity according to the Dawes peace plan.

DR. V. J. GRAGG WRITES TO FARMERS AND BUSINESS MEN

Mayor of Clanton Lays Down Facts to People of County and Gives Remedy for our Conditions.

The need of some large industrial establishment at Clanton becomes more apparent every day. Our cotton crop in Chilton County has in the past run all the way from 5,000 to above 20,000 bales annually. Now, just suppose that we had a large cotton mill or two in this county and could sell our cotton at home instead of having to ship it elsewhere. This saving of freight and middle men's profits would allow us to realize $10 saving per bale at present prices, at least, it is being done at other places. Say we only made 10,000 bales; that would be $100,000 to our farmers in one year or $1,000,000 in ten years, saved on cotton prices alone (enough to build a good sized cotton mill.)

Then, when our farmers had vegetables and fruts or farm products of any kind, more than was needed at home, how nice it would be to be able to convert that into hard cash by selling to the laborers at these cotton mills, who will be eager customers. This would be much better than allowing this extra produce to rot and ruin in waste because of no ready market as is the case today.

What would a payroll of between $25,000 and $50,000 mean to us? The people who work at these mills are usually the kind of folks that realize that money was made to spend and is worthless except as a medium of exchange; and thus they let it go and it is soon found circulating in the community and almost every member of the community realizes some benefit from it.

The maintenance of such a laboring population would mean wonders to the business men and producers on the farm. Suppose they and their dependents amounted to a population of 5,000 and that their expenditures was $1.00 each per day for 300 days in the year. That would mean $1,500,000 annually spent here in our community that is not here now. If what some statistican has said is true that each dollar that goes into circulation pays seven one-dollar debts, see what a wonderful debt paying we would have.

I know the remark has been made that too much has been said and too little done, but I cannot refrain from again appealing to our people to let's wake up to the situation and act before it is too late. Do we need industries located in or near Clanton? Will our present agricultural interests keep business on a sound basis the year around? Can we go on as we have been going without putting forth any effort? Will we glide along leisurely down stream with the current and all continue to be well with us? Or will it be necessary with us, as it is with others, to organize ourselves and put forth a united effort to forge ahead and keep pace with other towns of equal magnitude in the effort to secure industries, make up payrolls, encourage business, and bring our town and county to the notice of thriving, active business men who will then be ready to fall in and help the fellow who helps himself.

If we do not do these things, we must go backward. Our lumber business is exhausted; our dams on the Coosa river have been built and the flow of money from these sources has stopped. The time is at hand when we must have other sources of income or our businesses will suffer and our town will begin to change from to live, active leader to a slow, non-progressive type that one might actually describe as a dead town.

Now, if we will get together and try, we have a chance to made the start. We have a chance, by doing our part, to get a cotton mill; and when once the start is made, other and larger mills will come; at least that is the history of this industry. Look at the many mills in Georgia and the Carolinas, or come closer home and see Huntsville, Sylacauga, Alexander City and others

V. J. GRAGG.

A RESOLUTION

Whereas, there has been within the recent few days, conduct on the part of certain people living within the town of Jemison, which casts a reflection upon the good name of the town and people living within its vicinity, who believe in law and order and the maintaining of high ideals of citizenship, and

Whereas, those guilty of this conduct boldly persist in their manner of living and seem unaware of the seriousness of the situation and the ultimate results, in disaster to the morals of our town and community if not deterred, and

Whereas, the Masonic Order stands for upholding the morals of our town and community and believes in and fosters the high ideals of citizenship and the establishing of example, moral living, and detest immoral conduct in every way, and

Whereas, there has gone out to the world at largs an idea that the people of Jemison are not active in their efforts to bring to justice parties guilty of violating the law,

Therefore, be it Resolved by Jemison Lodge Number 411, A. F. & A. M., that we condemn the conduct of all parties who violate the moral and statutory laws and offer to the authorities our means and time to stamp out the condition mentioned; that we call upon all good citizens to join us in our efforts to make our town and community free from the vice and immoral condition in which we have been cast, and ask that all citizens of Chilton county give us their aid and support in bringing those guilty to justice through the lawful channels of our government.

Done by order of Jemison Lodge Number 411, A. F. & A. M.

Mr. H. V. Poole of Tuscaloosa is spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Vermont School House in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said Vermont District and adjoining territory herein included for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said District No. 8. The boundary of said proposed school district No. 8 is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 29, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East two miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 28, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South one mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 27, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South four miles to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 15, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence west three and one-half miles to the Southwest corner of Sec. 18, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence North three miles to the Northwest corner of Sec. 6, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 31, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence North two miles to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on thhe taxable property of said proposed Tax District "C" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Providence School House in Tax District No. 58; and at the following other places in said proposed District "C": Minooka School House, Concord School House, and Free Springs School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said Tax District "C." The boundary of said Tax District "C" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Sec. 17, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence South three and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence West five and one-half miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence West one-half mile to the Northwest corner of Sec. 4, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Northwest corner of the S ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West to the County Line of Bibb and Chilton counties; thence North six miles to the Northwest corner of Chilton county; thence East along the boundary line between Chilton and Shelby counties to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said proposed Tax District "B" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Maple Springs School House in Tax District No. 1; at Shiloh School House in Tax District No. 12; at Enterprise School House in Tax District No. 13; at the regular voting place in Verbena, Alabama, in Tax District No. 15; and at the following other places in said proposed Tax District "B": Mt. Pleasant School House, Baker School House, Bethsalem School House, Mt. Pisgah School House, Eastview School House, Concord School House, Providence School House, Cooper School House, Corinth School House, and Morganville School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said tax district "B." The boundary of said Tax District "B" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence East four miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 21, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-eighth mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South one-half mile to the Southwest corner of the E ½ of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-eighth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 11, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East two miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence North two miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North three-fourths mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 28, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the Southwest fourth of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-half mile to the Northwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East about six miles to where the Section line between Sections 27 and 22, Tp. 22, Range 16 touches the Western boundary line of Coosa county; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western boundary line of Coosa county to the Township line between Townships 20 and 21; thence West along said Township line to the Range line between Ranges 16 and 17; thence South three miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 13, Tp. 20, Range 16; thence West along the County line between Chilton and Autauga counties for a distance of sixteen and three-fourths miles to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 17, Tp. 20, Range 14; thence North three and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the Northwest fourth of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence North one-half mile to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probate Court, May 1st, 1924. In the matter of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased.

This day came W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for his settlement of his said administratorship.

It is ordered that the 26th day of May 1924 be apointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
5-8-3t Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Pardon Board and the Governor of the State of Alabama for the pardon or parole of Ocie Mims, who was heretofore convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 4th day of April, 1922, for the offense of manufacturing liquor, to the penitentiary for one year and one day to one year and six months.

5-15-2t-c OCIE MIMS.

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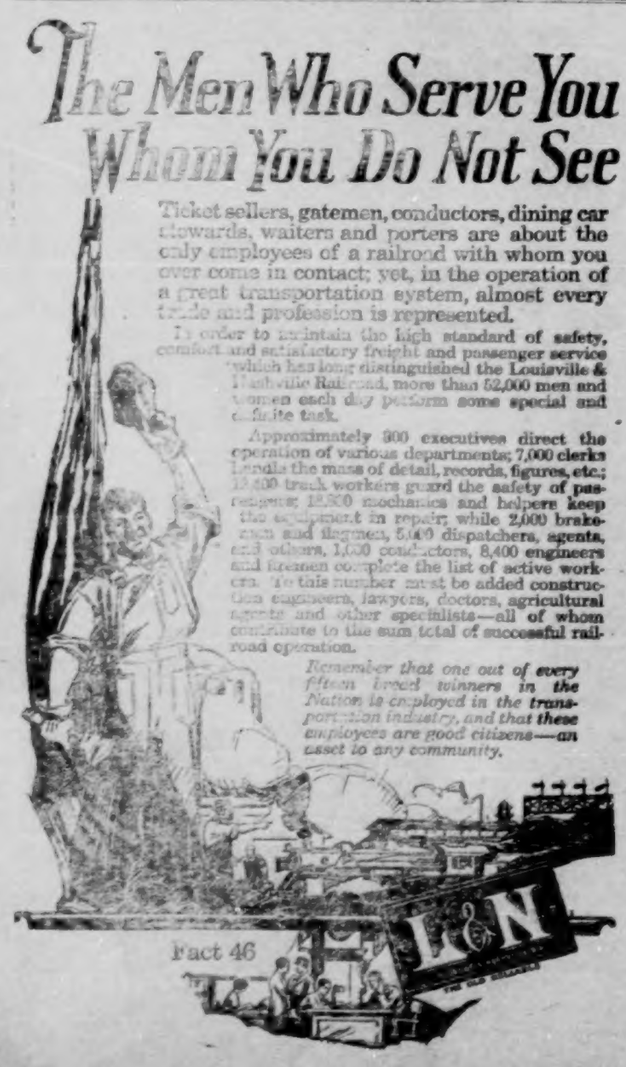

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CORRESPONDENTS TO BANNER PLEASE READ THIS

We consider the correspondents who send in to us news items from their communities every week one of the greatest assets to our paper. We sincerely appreciate the efforts that are put forth by those of the different communities who take the interest in their own community's advancement and the success of The Union-Banner to write up the news of their locality and send it in for publication. So our purpose in writing this personal notice to our correspondents is simply to make this phase of our paper better if possible. Below we are making a few suggestions to our correspondents which we sincerely hope everyone who expects to send in anything in the future for publication will read carefully and abide by as closely as possible.

As a heading to your letter you should write the name of your community, such as "Mt. Nebo" or "Mineral Springs." Directly under your heading you should write your own name, which will always be omitted from the printed article. Your name, however, is very important, and we urge you to always sign your name. Don't think that if your name appears on your manuscript it will be printed in the paper, because it will not, unless you especially request it.

Begin your article right off with a prominent news item. Do not start off with "Health of this place is good," etc. If anyone is sick state so, but leave off the rest. Write actual news and not just "kid talk" which the public cares nothing about. Such things as "John Parker was the guest of Miss Pearl Bean Sunday afternoon" are not news and should not be written. If a prominent member of your community visits some other community, write a paragraph about it, but do not waste your time and our space by saying that "Mattie Wilson took dinner with Jessie Miner Sunday." Write something that people all over the county will enjoy reading. Always write up the activities of your church and Sunday school and other public institutions.

Write your news as plainly as possible and on only one side of your paper. Especially write the names of people and places as legibly as you possibly can. When you have finished one item do not begin another on the same line but draw a dash under it and skip a line to begin your next item. This avoids confusion and should be heeded by all means. As an example of a well composed correspondence we refer you to the letter received from South Calera every week. It would not be a bad idea for our correspondents to follow the general arrangement of the letter from this place.

If you care to enter any political discussion of any nature, your name must be signed at the close of the communication and be allowed to appear in the paper. No political discussion will be carried unless the real name of the writer appears at the bottom. Do not use a ficticious name such as "Subscriber" but sign your real name and also give your post-office address.

Do not wait too late about mailing in your letter. It should be mailed in time to reach us Tuesday morning. If received later than this it may be that it will have to be omitted.

If our correspondents will carefully observe the above simple rules you will confer a great favor on us and at the same time be an asset to your community and friends. From time to time, we are going to give advice to our correspondents, and we hope each one will read them carefully and follow them as closely as possible. We are desirous of getting the news from all the communities of the county and we want it to show up as well as possible.

Lay Eggs in Batches!

One of the worst of all household pests—the roach—lays her eggs in batches of 16. They breed with startling rapidity, contaminate food, spread disease. They are a constant menace to your health! Wipe out all roaches TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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New Hayes Building
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This is Different

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The action of Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is more natural and thorough. The effects will be a revelation—you will feel so good. Make the test. You will appreciate this difference.

NR Jrs. *Used For Over Thirty Years*

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NR JUNIORS—Little NRs

The same NR—in one-third doses, candy-coated. For children and adults.

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Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The Chestnut Creek Singing Society met Sunday afternoon in regular session with a large attendance, as usual. It was said by some of our best singers that the singing wasn't altogether as good as usual, although I think we had some real good singing. Sometimes I think that we don't put just what we ought to into song service. God gave us our talents and our voices to sing praises to Him and according to my belief, God won't be satisfied with anything less than our very best efforts. I think we ought to put aside all selfishness and selfish notions and open our very hearts and souls to Him who made us what we are and not merely try to sing to beat the other fellow.

As I have already stated, we should put forth our very best efforts at singing, but we should do it in the right spirit and give God all the praise, honor and glory.

The following is the program for the afternoon: Directors: L. T. Grant, J. R. Robinson, R. T. Grant.

Duet by Ralph Grant and Miss Genie Grant, A. L. Robinson, G. C. Weldon, W. M. Devaughn. Quartet by Cooper Quartet; Lee J. Grant, L. E. Little, Ralph Grant and O. L. Devaughn.

Organists: Lee J. Grant, Lee Robinson, Ralph Grant and Mrs. Letha Sorrell.

Owing to the fact that the County convention will convene at Clanton next first Sunday and that Prof. A. J. Showalter and other great singers are expected to be there, there will not be any singing at this place on that date, but remember the Society will meet again on next third Sunday afternoon. Everybody has a cordial invitation to meet with us at any time you can make it convenient to do so.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Sec.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our grand-mother.
Mr. Wade Friday and Family.

CREAM SUPPER AT COLLINS CHAPEL

Uncle Jim Mims asks us to announce that there will be an ice cream supper at Collins Chapel church next Saturday night, May 24. Everybody is invited to come.

JUDGE MAKES ERRONEOUS PREDICTION REGARDING LAWYER

"About one clean shirt is all I thought he would ever wear. He had fallen away to a mere shadow; was as yellow as saffron and often doubled up with pain. Doctors continually gave him morphine and were about to operate for gall stones. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy quickly restored him to perfect health again." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 8 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
M. D. & D. D. S.
Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
Office in New Hayes Bldg.

Sweet Dreams Spray "A Godsend"

That's What a Big Banker Said About This Wonderful Insect Killer.

We all know that banker's aren't given to idle talk, and that their praises are few but forceful.

Pointing to a can of Sweet Dreams Spray in a drug store at Montgomery, Ala., the president of one of the leading banks of that city said: "That insect annihilator is a Godsend."

He knew, for Bankers never get so rich that their homes can be made inaccessible to insects. His wife had just tried Sweet Dreams Spray for killing flies and ants on the previous day—and it killed them all—while she looked.

And he said that Sweet Dreams Spray was a "Godsend."

You can get a can just like the banker had. While you look, it will kill your flies, ants, mites, bed-bugs, fleas or moths.

Your dealer awaits your order. Half-pint red-top cans, 40c; larger packages much cheaper in proportion. Money refunded if not absolutely satisfactory.

Sold by every dealer, everywhere.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation	Wind Colic
Flatulency	To Sweeten Stomach
Diarrhea	Regulate Bowels

Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

J. MELL MARTIN

Undertaker Clanton, Ala.

FUNERAL SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING METALIC CASKETS

I BUY RIGHT AND SELL RIGHT. NO ORDER TOO LARGE TO BE HANDLED NOR TOO SMALL TO BE APPRECIATED. SPECIAL PRICES ON HEARSE SERVICE.

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MONEY-SAVING

SALE

To be held at Thorsby, Beginning Friday, May 23rd and Ending Saturday, June 7th --- 15 Days Only --- at Thorsby's Only Exclusive Dry Goods Store

YOU HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE IN YEARS BEFORE TO BUY GOOD, NEW, SEASONABLE MERCHANDISE AT SUCH PRICES THAT ARE TO BE OFFERED AT THE THORSBY LEADER FOR 15 DAYS ONLY. THIS SALE IS LAUNCHED MERELY TO SHOW THE PEOPLE OF THIS VICINITY WHAT WE HAVE TO OFFER. WE CAN ALWAYS SAVE YOU MONEY ON DRY GOODS, SHOES, MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING AND READY-TO-WEAR.

Read Below the Prices Which We Are Offering

Special for one hour---9 to 10 o'clock---J. & P. Coats Thread, 3 spools for **10c**
(Limit 6 spools to a Customer.)

One lot of fine Curtain Goods, sells everywhere at 15c; our sale price per yard **10c**

One lot of fine 15c Ginghams, while it lasts, special per yard, ... **9c**

One lot fine 32-inch Ginghams, new spring patterns, sells everywhere at 25c, ... **19c**

One lot of fine Voiles, all new goods, worth 20c per yard, sale price **9c**

One lot of fine Cretones, 1 yard wide, beautiful patterns and prices cheaper than ever before; special, ... **19c**

All-silk Taffetas, Crepe de Chines, 40 inches wide; special **$1.49**

Xtra Special, one lot Chambray, solid colors and stripes, special, ... **9c**

We have a beautiful line of Dress Goods, but space will not allow us to mention all.

NOTIONS

10c Pearl Buttons, all sizes, per card **5c**

15c Double mesh Hair Nets, 2 for **15c**

5c straight Dress Pins, per paper **4c**

5c wire Hair Pins, special, ... **4c**

10c Dress Fasteners in black and white, all sizes, per card, ... **3c**

Ladies 15c Hose, brown and black, ... **10c**

HOSIERY

Ladies 65c Silk Hose, slightly damaged, as long as they last, ... **25c**

One lot of ladies Silk Hose, all colors, worth $1, while they last, ... **46c**

$1.25 ladies Silk Hose, all colors, ... **89c**

One lot childrens Sox, all sizes, ... **13c**

65c childrens 3-4 length Sox, ... **44c**

FREE! FREE! FREE!

Every person entering our Store Opening Day of this Sale will receive a Number which will entitle them to a Drawing to be held next day at 3:00 o'clock on a 24-piece Set of Fine solid nickle Silverware. You don't need to purchase a thing to receive a Number. Bring the family.

HOSIERY

Mens 15c Sox, ... **8c**

Mens 25c Sox, ... **13c**

Mens 35c Sox, ... **24c**

Men's 75c Silk Sox **44c**

One lot of fine Hand Towels, ... **8c**

One lot of 15c Towels, ... **11c**

One lot of 25c Towels, ... **14c**

One lof of 35c Towels, ... **22c**

Look for One-hour Special, 8 to 9; 95c triple stitched best grade Work Shirts in all sizes, made with full face, no-rip sleeves, while they last, ... **59c**

Mens best grade Overalls, while they last, all sizes, special, ... **$1.39**

We have a beautiful line of Childrens Gingham dresses for **98c**

One big lot of ladies Gingham Dresses with long and short sleeves, special, ... **$1.48**

Your choice of one lot of ladies new Spring Hats, for **$1.00**
Do not wait. These Hats cannot stay here long at these prices.

One lot of childrens Parasols, special, ... **48c**
One lot of ladies fine House Dresses, ... **89c**

One lot of ladies Waists, slightly soiled, **35c**

One lot of ladies fine $1.25 Waists and nice blouses, ... **89c**

Don't forget to see our new Voile and Silk Dresses for Ladies. They are the newest and the patterns are the prettiest you have ever seen. Be sure and get first pick.

One lot of mens Felt $2 Hats, all sizes, black and brown, special, ... **$1.39**

One lot of $1.75 mens Khaki Pants, ... **$1.39**

One lot of mens fine $1.75 pants, we have them in all sizes, ... **$1.24**

We have the most exclusive line of men's and boys' trousers in Thorsby prices range from $1.24 to **$4.50**

One lot of mens genuine palm beach Suits---not the imitates but genuine Palm Beach, in all kinds of patterns, special this sale .. **$8.95**

One lot of mens fine Serge 3-piece Suits, all wool, all sizes, special, ... **$12.48**

One lot of mens and young mens all wool Suits, special, ... **$13.98**

One lot of mens fine $25 to $35 Suits, beautiful new patterns and weaves and tailored in beautiful new materials, special, **$19.95**

One lot of mens fine dress shirts, with and without collars, special, ... **79c**

One lot of mens $1.50 shirts, special, ... **98c**

One lot of mens $1.75 and $2.00 shirts, all sies, s pei,cal.....ees..th bgk mf mb mbg sizes, special, ... **$1.39**

One lot of boys shirts, special, ... **44c**

One lot of ladies Oxfords that sold up to $4, broken sizes to clean up, while they last, in strap, black and brown and laces, also patent leather, while they last, ... **$1.98**

One lot of ladies 1-strap Oxfords to close out, broken sizes, ... **$1.39**

One lot of ladies all leather black and brown Oxfords, special, ... **$2.29**

One lot of Satin and 1-strap Oxfords, worth $5 to $6, our special sale price, ... **$2.98**

One lot of mens all leather work or plow shoes, special, ... **$1.94**

One lot of mens $3.50 dress shoes, ... **$2.98**

One lot of mens $3.50 dress Oxfords, all sizes, special, ... **$2.89**

One lot of mens $5 Oxfords, ... **$3.69**

FREE! FREE! FREE!
24-PIECE SET OF SILVERWARE

Be sure to be on hand Opening Day and receive a Number. No purchase will be necessary. Bring the Family.

DON'T FORGET THIS MONEY SAVING SALE WILL ONLY LAST A FEW DAYS—SO HURRY AND GET YOUR SHARE OF THE BARGAINS.

FREE! FREE! FREE!
OPENING DAY—FRIDAY

To every person purchasing $10 worth or more we will give free one set (6 pieces) of fine Blue Bird Plates or 6 Cups and 6 Saucers.

THE THORSBY LEADER

Thorsby, Alabama

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Vermont School House in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said Vermont District and adjoining territory herein included for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said District No. 8. The boundary of said proposed school district No. 8 is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 29, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East two miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 28, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South one mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 27, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South four miles to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 15, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence west three and one-half miles to the Southwest corner of Sec. 18, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence North three miles to the Northwest corner of Sec. 6, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 31, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence North two miles to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on thhe taxable property of said proposed Tax District "C" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Providence School House in Tax District No. 58; and at the following other places in said proposed District "C": Minooka School House, Concord School House, and Free Springs School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said Tax District "C." The boundary of said Tax District "C" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Sec. 17, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence South three and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence West five and one-half miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence West one-half mile to the Northwest corner of Sec. 4, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Northwest corner of the S ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West to the County Line of Bibb and Chilton counties; thence North six miles to the Northwest corner of Chilton county; thence East along the boundary line between Chilton and Shelby counties to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said proposed Tax District "B" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Maple Springs School House in Tax District No. 1; at Shiloh School House in Tax District No. 12; at Enterprise School House in Tax District No. 13; at the regular voting place in Verbena, Alabama, in Tax District No. 15; and at the following other places in said proposed Tax District "B": Mt. Pleasant School House, Baker School House, Bethsalem School House, Mt. Pisgah School House, Eastview School House, Concord School House, Providence School House, Cooper School House, Corinth School House, and Morganville School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said tax district "B." The boundary of said Tax District "B" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence East four miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 21, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-eighth mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South one-half mile to the Southwest corner of the E ½ of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-eighth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 11, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East two miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence North two miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North three-fourths mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 28, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the Southwest fourth of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-half mile to the Northwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East about six miles to where the Section line between Sections 27 and 22, Tp. 22, Range 16 touches the Western boundary line of Coosa county; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western boundary line of Coosa county to the Township line between Townships 20 and 21; thence West along said Township line to the Range line between Ranges 16 and 17; thence South three miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 13, Tp. 20, Range 16; thence West along the County line between Chilton and Autauga counties for a distance of sixteen and three-fourths miles to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 17, Tp. 20, Range 14; thence North three and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the Northwest fourth of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence North one-half mile to the point of beginning.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probate Court, May 1st, 1924.
In the matter of the estate of Addie Horsley, deceased.

This day came W. G. Atkinson, administrator of the estate of said deceased, and files his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for his settlement of his said administratorship.

It is ordered that the 26th day of May 1924 be apointed a day on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested can appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

Witness my hand, this 7th day of May, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
5-8-3t Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Pardon Board and the Governor of the State of Alabama for the pardon or parole of Ocie Mims, who was heretofore convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 4th day of April, 1922, for the offense of manufacturing liquor, to the penitentiary for one year and one day to one year and six months.

5-15-2t-c OCIE MIMS.

NOTICE

Have your shoes repaired by a first-class Shoe Maker. We guarantee satisfaction. We give a free shine with every job. Try us—one trial will convince you. Your money's worth or your money back.

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CLANTON, - ALABAMA

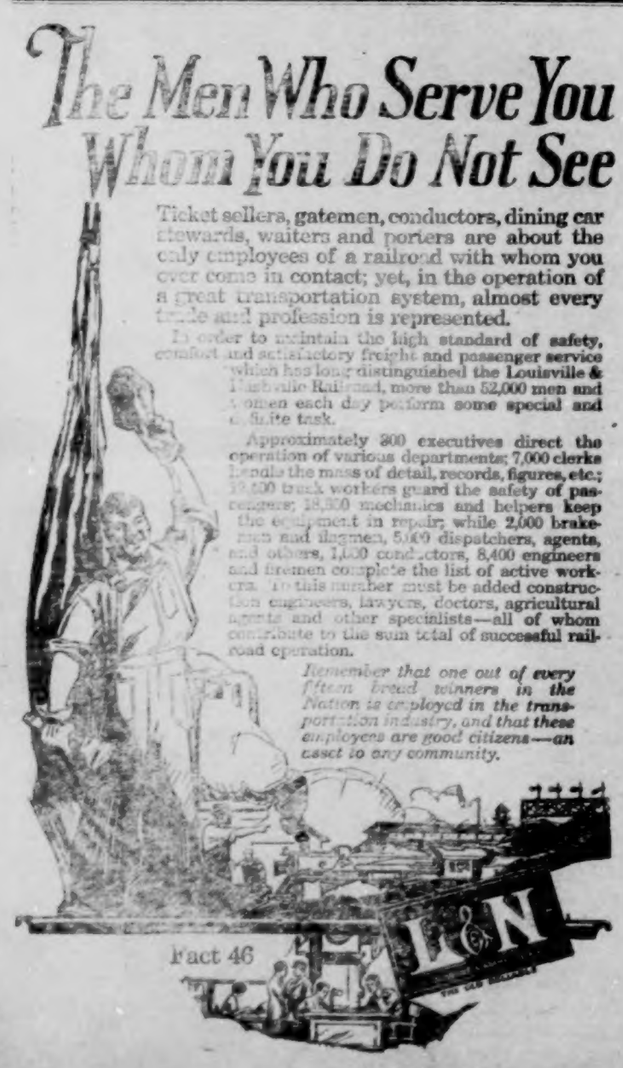
The Men Who Serve You Whom You Do Not See

Ticket sellers, gatemen, conductors, dining car stewards, waiters and porters are about the only employees of a railroad with whom you ever come in contact; yet, in the operation of a great transportation system, almost every trade and profession is represented.

In order to maintain the high standard of safety, comfort and satisfactory freight and passenger service which has long distinguished the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, more than 52,000 men and women each day perform some special and definite task.

Approximately 300 executives direct the operation of various departments; 7,000 clerks handle the mass of detail, records, figures, etc.; 19,500 track workers guard the safety of passengers; 18,300 mechanics and helpers keep the equipment in repair; while 2,000 brakemen and flagmen, 5,069 dispatchers, agents, and others, 1,600 conductors, 8,400 engineers and firemen complete the list of active workers. To this number must be added construction engineers, lawyers, doctors, agricultural agents and other specialists—all of whom contribute to the sum total of successful railroad operation.

Remember that one out of every fifteen bread winners in the Nation is employed in the transportation industry, and that these employees are good citizens—an asset to any community.



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If our correspondents will carefully observe the above simple rules you will confer a great favor on us and at the same time be an asset to your community and friends. From time to time, we are going to give advice to our correspondents, and we hope each one will read them carefully and follow them as closely as possible. We are desirous of getting the news from all the communities of the county and we want it to show up as well as possible.

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CHESTNUT CREEK SINGING SOCIETY

The Chestnut Creek Singing Society met Sunday afternoon in regular session with a large attendance, as usual. It was said by some of our best singers that the singing wasn't altogether as good as usual, although I think we had some real good singing. Sometimes I think that we don't put just what we ought to into song service. God gave us our talents and our voices to sing praises to Him and according to my belief, God won't be satisfied with anything less than our very best efforts. I think we ought to put aside all selfishness and selfish notions and open our very hearts and souls to Him who made us what we are and not merely try to sing to beat the other fellow.

As I have already stated, we should put forth our very best efforts at singing, but we should do it in the right spirit and give God all the praise, honor and glory.

The following is the program for the afternoon: Directors: L. T. Grant, J. R. Robinson, R. T. Grant.

Duet by Ralph Grant and Miss Genie Grant, A. L. Robinson, G. C. Weldon, W. M. Devaughn. Quartet by Cooper Quartet; Lee J. Grant, L. E. Little, Ralph Grant and O. L. Devaughn.

Organists: Lee J. Grant, Lee Robinson, Ralph Grant and Mrs. Letha Sorrell.

Owing to the fact that the County convention will convene at Clanton next first Sunday and that Prof. A. J. Showalter and other great singers are expected to be there, there will not be any singing at this place on that date, but remember the Society will meet again on next third Sunday afternoon. Everybody has a cordial invitation to meet with us at any time you can make it convenient to do so.

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Sec.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our grand-mother.
Mr. Wade Friday and Family.

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One lot of mens fine dress shirts, with and without collars, special, ... **79c**

One lot of mens $1.50 shirts, special, ... **98c**

One lot of mens $1.75 and $2.00 shirts, all sies, s pei,cal.....ees..th bgk mf mb mbg sizes, special, ... **$1.39**

One lot of boys shirts, special, ... **44c**

One lot of ladies Oxfords that sold up to $4, broken sizes to clean up, while they last, in strap, black and brown and laces, also patent leather, while they last, ... **$1.98**

One lot of ladies 1-strap Oxfords to close out, broken sizes, ... **$1.39**

One lot of ladies all leather black and brown Oxfords, special, ... **$2.29**

One lot of Satin and 1-strap Oxfords, worth $5 to $6, our special sale price, ... **$2.98**

One lot of mens all leather work or plow shoes, special, ... **$1.94**

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THE BOOMERANG

There was an old woman, you know who,
She knew so much scandal she didn't know what to do.
She told it to the women, and she told it to the men,
Then she added just a little more, and told it all again.
She took a little bit o' truth and mixed it up with lies
'Til folks were a-skeered o' her' which ain't no surprise.
But 'stead o' harmin' other folks, she harmed herself instead,
'Cause her lies, like a boomerang, came hit her on the head.
—By Molly Meddler.

Dr. J. M. Dennely from Prattville was a visitor to Clanton Sunday, coming up to preach the commencement sermon.

The Philathia S. S. class will postpone the regular meeting Friday until the fifth Friday. Announcements will be in next weeks paper.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie and Bob spent a couple of days with her mother in Montgomery last week.

Mrs Bama Cox had as her guest this week her niece, Miss Willie Moore from Pletchers.

Mrs. Etta McElvaine has returned home after spending the week end with Mrs. Caffey in Verbena.

Mr. Wallace Jones was a visitor to his mother, Mrs. Willie Jones this week.

Mr. Leon Mullins from Mitchell Dam was a week end visitor to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page are spending this week with relatives in McMinville, Tenn.

Mrs. Willie Jones returned home Sunday after spending several days in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. O. O. Roper motored over to Boothton Sunday for a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper.

Capt. White of the Alabama Power Company was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Parrish spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parrish in Birmingham.

WOCO-PEP—In town, in the Country, in the Woods—the air is full of it.—Don't you smell it?
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Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foshee returned home Monday from a visit to the Capital City.

Mr. Bud Jones was a visitor to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. E. T. Weldon made a business trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

Mr. H. S. Shaw made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. George Polk has returned from Bessemer, where she was called on account of the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Williams.

WOCO-PEP—Are you Wocomobiling? If not, better get at it. Ask the fellow who is.
ELLIS & SONS.

Prof. Hugh Bradley from the University of Alabama was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday and delivered the address to the senior class on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Saxon from Columbiana was a visitor to friends here last Friday.

Mrs. Bill Lanier from Tallassee is the guest of her sister Hrs. Eric Hart.

Mrs. Wildred White Wallace from Columbiana was the guest of Mrs. Jatie Middleton last Friday.

Miss Inis Carter left Wednesday for her home in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie C. Edwards left this week for their former home in Springfield, Mass. Master Jim Roberts accompanied them.

Miss Lessie Reynolds, who has been teaching this winter at Lincoln, Ala., returns home this week.

Miss Wyness Tate, one of the high school teachers here left Wednesday for her home in Anniston.

Miss Willodean Reynolds, who has been at Montevallo this past school year returns home this week.

The many friends of Mr. Ralph Jones will be glad to learn that he is able to be home again after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at Norwood Infirmary.

Prof. Stephens has as his guest his daughter, Miss Bacalria who has been in school at Brewton this year.

Messrs. W. I. Mullins, Grover Harris, Grady Harris, Zeb Mims and Dr. Ezell have returned from Atlanta where they attended the Southern Baptist Convention

Misses Madelyn and Louise Orr and mother, motored over to Selma for the week end. Miss Madelyn stayed over for a few days.

Card Club Meets.

A delightful affair of last Wednesday was the club meeting held with Mrs. Frank Callen. Tables were arranged for bridge in the living room made bright by vases of roses and baskets of vari-colored sweet peas. After a series of rubbers, the prize, which was a couple of decks of cards, was awarded to Mrs. Hance Alred. During the social hour, a lovely salad plate was served. Besides the club members Mrs. Eric Hart enjoyed the game.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

W. H. Hunter, a farmer of Taft Tenn., is in a critical condition at the City hospital in Huntsville suffering from a wound received when a raiding party of Madison county, Alabama and Lincoln county, Tennessee, deputies raided a liquor distillery near Taft. Four men are said to have been at work at the still when the raiders came up and at the command halt, all took flight. Deputy Sheriff Will Moor is said by fellow officers to have opened fire and Hunter fell, the others escaped.

General Edward B. Winans, who will be in command of Camp McClellan during the summer, has arrived in Anniston with several members of his executive staff coming from headquarters of the fourth corps area in Atlanta. Plans for opening Camp McClellen are now being made. The first contingent of troops will arrive May 22 and will consist of 2,000 regular army soldiers who will put the camp in shape for the citizens military training camp and other camps which will be held in June, July and August.

The Governor's Club in Baldwin County, which owns a beautiful club home besides a number of cottages and a considerable acreage on Magnolia beach, has been incorporated with the following officers in control: President, Walter S. Richardson: vice president, Geo. C. Randolph; secretary Duncan May, of Montgomery. Mr May will also act as treasurer and local manager. This has become very popular as a rest place and for fishing and bathing.

Leon Bennett, a 16-year-old boy, was seriously and painfully injured at Jasper recently in a peculiar manner. He was driving a double team, a mule and a horse, and had a four-prong fork in the wagon to be used in forking up fertilizer. He poked the mule with the fork handle and the mule, resenting the poke, kicked the fork back onto the boy. The prongs pierced his body one entering a lung and the other the stomach.

One block of paving between Fifth avenue and Fourth avenue has been opened to traffic and several other blocks will be opened within the next few days. The city council has also passed the preliminary ordinances providing for an additional amount of one and a half miles of street paving in the business and residence parts of Florala.

Three men convicted in Federal court at Montgomery on charges of narcotic addiction and sentenced to serve 90 days in the Montgomery county jail have left to begin sentences in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, of a year and a day. The men are: Lon Jones, W. T. Hansen and Ed Collins.

Owing to the unseasonable weather conditions which have prevailed for the past few weeks in Morgan county it is said a large part of the early planted cotton must be replanted. The cold has been too much for the tender plant, and it has not developed sufficient strength to press upward through the hard packed earth.

Girl Scout work was reorganized in Bessemer at a meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce last week. The meeting was called by Mrs. George Bumgardner, who has been active in Girl Scout work, and who is acting chairman of the girls' vacation program for the Federation of Auxiliaries.

P. H. Tyler, one of the leading jewelers of Ensley, was elected president of the Alabama Retail Jewelers Association at the closing session of the annual convention held at Montgomery.

The authority of the Alabama public service commission to prescribe water rates for the city of Attalla has been upheld by the supreme court in its decision of the case of the Alabama Water company vs. City of Attalla.

Scottish Rite Masons celebrated with a reunion in Florence on Wednesday, May 21, when 63 candidates from Florence and vicinity received their degrees from the first up to and including the fourteenth.

A series of meetings is being held throughout Dale county this week to promote better poultry and cooperative marketing of poultry products.

Mrs. Mary Suttles, the oldest resident of Perry county and prominent in the Felix community, died at Selma in her ninety-eighth year.

STATE G. O. P. MEETING FAVORS COOLIDGE

Final Session of State Republican Convention in Birmingham Held Tuesday.

Alabama Republicans, at their State convention in the Hillman Hotel Tuesday afternoon, gave a rousing indorsement to the present national administartion and instructed all State delegates to the national G. O. P. convention, to be held in Cleveland in June, to support President Coolidge for the nomination.

The session was the smoothest in years, despite the fact that many of the delegates were members of the Pope M. Long wing of the party, which has been at variance with the faction headed by O. D. Street, national committeeman from Alabama.

Nearly 500 delegates and visitors attended the convention. Numbers of old-time republican leaders had front seats. J. M. Atkins, state chairman, presided, and C. B. Kennamer served as secretary.

Large Attendance

Atkins expressed gratification over the large attendance and praised the record of the G. O. P. under the adminstration of the late President Harding and President Coolidge. He also took a fling at republican members of the Senate who in late months have sided with the democrats in opposition to the adminstration.

"Any man the democrats name this year will be defeated by Coolidge," Atkins shouted, amid uproarous applause.

"The republicans of Alabama," Atkins went on, "are not office-seekers. They are enthusiastic members of a great party." In conclusion he paid a tribute to the late President Woodrow Wilson and expressed the hope that the democrats this year will nominate Senator Oscar Underwood "because he is from our home state."

Committeeman O. D. Street offered a resolution deploring the absence from the convention of Maj. T. D. Baker of Mobile. It was seconded by the Mobile delegation, headed by W. T. Lewis, and was adopted by a rousing vote.

Delegates Elected.

Speakers told how Major Baker had attended every G. O. P. session in the state for 50 years prior to his resignation from the state committee a few months ago. He has been a leader in party affairs in the state almost his entire life.

The convention elected four delegates-at-large to the national convention, as follows: W. T. Johnson, Geneva; J. G. Bass, Jefferson; W. E. Sneed, Marshal, and Judge L. H. Reynolds, Chilton.

James P. Sloan was temporary chairman. He remarked that it was good to see the factionalism in the party in this state set aside and expressed the wish that this condition might continue. He also lauded the record of the administration.

James G. Bass of Birmingham was secretary; Mrs. Lillie Maugans, assistant secretary, and W. B. Copeland of Lauderdale and T. J. Brown of Marshall, sergeants-at-arms.

Chilton County Delegates.

Those attending the State and District conventions from Chilton County were: J. T. Rockett, C. D. Hughes, Reynolds, H. A. Harris, S. M. Pate, L. H. Reynolds, Percy M. Pitts, Grady Reynolds, J. L. Gore, W. H. Gillespie and L. E. Diefenderfer.

Full State Ticket Arranged.

At the State convention candidates for every state office to be filled in the next general election were nominated: Conservation Commisioner, James B. Sloan of Oneonta; Supreme Court Justices, P. E. Alexander of Prattville and Jere Murphy of Huntsville; Judge Court of Appeals, J. I. Abercrombie of Birmingham; Representative from the Fourth District against Lamar Jeffers, J. O. Middleton of Clanton. A nomination was made for State Senator against Tom Heflin, but we were unable to get the name of the man for this place.

NICE MUSICAL PROGRAM AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Jatie L. Middleton of Clanton presented her puils in a varied musical program at the high school auditorium of Friday night, May 16th, the recital continuing for about one and one-half hours. All the seats and standing room of the auditorium was occupied to its fullest capacity and many people were turned away unable to find standing room. On the program were various numbers including vocal and instrumental talent, and varying from young musicians of extreme tender age to several elderly married people. The program was the conclusion of a year's work and showed decided accomplishments on the part of the pupils as well as inspiration and training on the part of Mrs. Middleton. The numbers were not prolix but sufficiently long to demonstrate to the attentive audience the talents of each pupil.

The decoration and scenery and the stage settings too, exhibited in its beauty and suitableness for the several numbers, considerable work and ingenuity.

The feature of the recital was the appearance of Mildred White Wallace of Columbiana, a composer and singer of quite extensive fame, in two vocal numbers of her own composition, "I will hold you in my Arms," and also "Good night, Sweet Dreams Enfold You." Mrs. Wallace has composed several famous pieces, probably the most noted is "Little Cherry Blossoms." Another feature of the program was a violin ensemble by Mesdames Saxon and Taylor of Columbiana and Middleton of Clanton and Messrs. Averyt, Horsley, Hendrick and Miss Leslie Polk, accompanied by Mildred White Wallace, all of Columbiana.

Mrs. Middleton is quite an accomplished teacher and instructress in piano and violin and has taught music throughout central Alabama. Mrs. Middleton is thoroughly versed with the art of teaching, having had several years experience as well as excellent training herself, and through her recital exhibited her ability to bring out the best of musical talent in her pupils.

The community is well pleased with the progress made in the music line of the last year and we trust that Mrs. Middleton will see fit to remain with us through the coming seasons.

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COOLIDGE PAYS TRIBUTE TO CONFEDERATE DEAD AT MEMORIAL EXERCISES

President Lauds High Purpose of the Confederacy—Honors Memory of General Carr.

Washington, May 25.—Unstinted tribute to the Confederate dead was paid today by Calvin Coolidge, the first New Englander to become president since the Civil War.

Speaking at the Confederate Memorial Day exercise at Arlington, Mr. Coolidge looked across the green slopes where the Confederate and Union dead sleep almost side by side and declared:

"A mightier force than ever followed Grant and Lee has leveled both their hosts, raised up a united nation and made us all partakers of a new glory."

The chief executive previously had turned to the few remaining veterans in gray, seated before him and to their sons and daughters and, with a reminder that "time has softened, discretion has changed" the bitterness of conflict between north and south, said:

A Mutual Aspect

"Your country respects you for cherishing the memory of those who wore the gray. You respect others who cherish the memory of those who who wore the blue. In that mutual aspect may there be a firmer friendship and a stronger and more glorious union."

Addressing those met to honor the Confederate dead as "my fellow country-men" the President spoke as follows:

If I am correctly informed by history it is fitting that the Sabbath should be your Memoral Day. This follows from the belief that except for the force of Oliver Cromwell, no army was ever more thoroughly religious than that which was commanded by General Lee. Moreover, these ceremonies necessary are expressive of a hope and a belief that rise above the things of this life. It was Lincoln who points out that both sides prayed to the same God. When that is the case, it is only a matter of time when each will seek a common end. We can now see clearly what that end is. It is the maintenance of our American institutions and of our American ideals, beneath a common flag, under the blessings of Almighty God.

A Common Experience

"It was for this purpose that this nation was brought forth. Our whole course of history has been proceeding in that direction. Out of a common experience, made more enduring by a common sacrifice, we have reached a common conclusion. On this day we pause in memory of those who made their sacrifice in one way. In a few days we shall pause again in memory of those who made their sacrifice in another way. They were all Americans, all contending for what they believed were their rights. On many a battlefield they sleep side by side. Here, in a place which is set aside for the resting place of those who have performed military duty, both make final bivouac. But their country lives.

"The bitterness of conflict is passed. Time has softened, discretion has

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STORES WILL CONTINUE CLOSING THURSDAY P. M.'S

There has been some confusion among the stores and business houses of Clanton as to whether they would continue closing up every Thursday afternoon, but it has been finally decided according to the original agreement that everybody close up Thursday afternoons until September. It is hoped that the people who do trading here will remember this and not come to Clanton Thursday afternoons to do your trading. Either come before noon Thursday or wait until Friday. Give the merchants a chance to rest and go fishing a little.

STORES AGREEING TO CLOSE EVERY THURSDAY P. M.

We, the undersigned merchants of the town of Clanton, Alabama, hereby agree to close our places of business and to discontinue said business by not selling goods with the doors closed, except in emergencies, on each and every Thursday afternoon, beginning at 12 o'clock noon and extending through to the Friday morning following, beginning on the 9th day of May, 1924, until the first day of September, 1924, and that this petition with the signatures thereto be published in both of the county papers published in our town.

(Signed)—Elmores, Tom Kemp, J. R. Broadhead & Sons, Weldon's Music House, M. Lande, Farmers Hardware Co., Parrish's, Mullins & Moore, McDonald Merc. Co., Miner Gro. Co., Headley & Wagoner, W. A. Kemp, N. A. Gray, J. Mell Martin, Moates Brothers, J. W. Littlejohn, Wingard Bros., Frank Lowe, L. D. Petrey, W. L. Powell, G. W. Marcus, C. R. Mullins, Chilton Co. News, Just-Right Barber Shop, Hugh Jones, Clanton Motor Car Co., Retherford Furniture Co., G. C. Armstrong, Lawrence Motor Co., Union-Banner, Baker & Taylor, Jno T. Ellis, Chilton Hdwe. Co., M. A. Gore, Clanton Mill & Gin Co., W. Z. Hodges, Bean Bros., Jones Hdwe. Co., Main St. Garage, Ala. Harness & Shoe Shop, Downs Gro. Co., J. Lee Smith, F. M. Connell & Son, Chicago Sales Co., Polk Bros., Clanton Merc. Co., Carter Bros., Fred Calloway, Robinson Garage.

VAUGHAN QUARTET TO GIVE MUSIC CONCERT IN CLANTON

The famous Vaughan Quartet of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., will give a Vocal and Saxaphone Quartet at the high school auditorium in Clanton on next Monday night, June 2nd. The quartet consists of H. E. Barnett, first tenor; T. R. Shaw, second tenor; W. B. Walbert, baritone; and A. M. Pace, bass. An admission of 25c and 35c will be charged, a portion of which will go the ladies' organization in Clanton.

ERROR IN TABULATION OF ELECTION RETURNS

In the report of the official count of the votes cast in the primary on May 13th, an error was made in the number of votes received by Mr. A. P. Vinson at the court house box, which is Beat 4, Box 1. The tabulation showed that Mr. Vinson received only 1 first choice vote at this box. It should have shown 33 first choice votes and 1 second choice vote. The total vote received by Mr. Vinson as tabulated in the returns was correct.

MR. WRIGLEY'S COUNTRYMEN

[From London Opinion.]

"I believe I've got America. I hear a persistent chewing sound."

TWO PETITIONS FILED BY THORSBY LIGHT COMPANY

Light and Power Service at Thorsby Discussed.

Two petitions, both having to do with the sale and transfer of electric light and power utilities properties at Thorsby, were filed with the Alabama Public Service Commission, Monday, and have been set down for hearing in Montgomery on Monday, July 14.

The first of these petitions is that of the Thorsby Light & Development company, and Ault Electric Ligth and Power company, for approval of sale and transfer of the properties of the Ault Electric and Power company to the Thorsby Light and Development company.

The second petition is by the Thorsby Light and Development Company, and W. H. Goodgame, asking approval of sale and transfer of the properties of the Thorsby Light and Development Company, to W. R. Goodgame

BIG SINGING AT HIGH SCHOOL NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday promises to be the biggest day in the history of Chilton county for the sacred music lovers. Among those to be at the high school to sing will be Prof. A. J. Showalter, Prof. A. H. Collins, and the Vaughan Quartet. The quartet will sing and render sxaphone quartets. Together with these noted singers, all the local talent of our county is expected. The class will be arranged systematically from the beginning so that all the singers may be together and at their proper places according to the parts they will carry. Everybody come and bring your song books and your dinner, prepared to spend the best day in singing of your life.

MIDDLETON FOR CONGRESS

The Republicans of the Fourth District acted wisely when they nominated Hon. J. O. Middleton for Congress, and it is sincerely to be hoped that he can see his way to accept the nomination. There is not a man in the district better qualified for representative in Congress than Mr. Middleton. He is a brilliant lawyer, a thorough student of public questions, and withal a clean, upright, patriotic citizen. Besides, Middleton is one of the best stump speakers in the State, and should he accept, a campaign worth while would follow.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS TO BE PUBLISHED NEXT WEEK

The Probate Judge has turned over to The Union-Banner a report of the Commisioners Court of Chilton County of the road work which has been done under the new law. This report, which will be published next week, contains an itemized statement of all moneys collected and spent in each Beat, together with the names of the Beat supervisors. This report will also show the letters recently mailed out by the probate judge to the supervisors regarding the road work of the county.

Also we hope to have a letter in next week's paper from Mr. W. M. Wyatt of Fort Payne, former editor of The Banner, regarding the manner in which DeKalb County works their roads. That county has been doing a lot of good work on their roads, and very likely our county would do well to copy after their example. So loow out for the above named articles in next week's Union-Banner.

Broadus Connatser of the University, arrived in Clanton Tuesday.

REPUBLICAN TO OPPOSE QUINN IN ELECTION

Sloan of Oneonta Files Candidacy With Blan.

Contest for the office of State commissioner of game and fisheries in Alabama was not ended with the recent democratic primary, in which I. T. Quinn, the present incumbent, received the nomination by a big majority.

Monday, a formal communication was received at the office of Secretary of State S. H. Blan, from J. B. Sloan, of Oneonta, in which Mr. Sloan announced his candidacy for the office of commissioner of game and fisheries, as the nominee of the republican party in Alabama. He said that he will manage his own campaign.

ANOTHER GOOD GAME ON SCHEDULE FOR THURSDAY

Clanton base ball fans are promised another A-1 base ball game at the high school park this afternoon (Thursday). The Yellow Cab Taxi team of Birmingham, managed by a former regular in the big leagues, will play the home boys at this time. The Yellow Cab team has the reputation of being one of the very best in the State, it possesing some players holding high league honors.

Clanton is going to have a hard fight to take the cup in this combat, but we have got the stuff to do it with. If you enjoyed the game last Thursday afternoon, do not fail to see this one. And if you did not see the other one, you can't afford to miss this one. Everything above the expenses made at the gate in this game will be divided by two and given to the two churches of Clanton, so you may know that your money will be well spent. Don't miss this game.

SPECIAL MOTOR TRUCK TAX IS HELD CONSTITUTIONAL

The Circuit Court of Chilton County, in session at the court house in Clanton Tuesday of this week, held that the part of the Road Law of Chilton County placing a special road tax of $11.50 on motor trucks hauling lumber, timber or minerals over the roads of the county is valid and in accord with the State laws.

The above decision was brought out in the case of the State against W. A. Barnett, the charge being failure to pay the special tax on a truck imposed by the Commissioners Court. In this case, the defendant attempted to prove the law unconstitutional, but the court held against him.

CAUGHT FISH WEIGHING 335 POUNDS

This sounds like a sure-enough "fish story," but we reckon it is a fact. The report goes that some people living near Coopers caught a sturgeon just below Mitchell Dam one day last week that weighed 335 pounds and was nine feet long. The fish was brought to Coopers, and several people went from different parts of the county to see it. Several went down from Clanton to see the monster. This is by far the largest fish that has been reported caught in this part of the Coosa River since we can remember.

MR. ARKIE MAHAN SICK

Mr. Arkie Mahan, who has been working in South Alabama, was brought home a few days ago very ill. He is afflicted with some kind of stomach trouble and is receiving treatment from Dr. Gragg. It is hoped that he will soon recover.

CLANTON WINS OVER THE MONTGOMERY TEAM 8 TO 6

The first real base ball game of the season was played at Polk's Park in Clanton, last Thursday afternoon. The West Point Route team from Montgomery played the home boys the hotest game that has ever been played in Clanton, but the locals came out victors. Clanton is doing some splendid ball playing this year. They have not lost a single game and they have gone up against some of the strongest in the State. In other words, Clanton has got a stingeree ball team this season.

ALABAMA POWER DOCTORS GIVEN BIG RECEPTION

The annual State Medical Association of the Alabama Power Company's doctors was held at Lock 12 Monday and Tuesday of this week, there being present about one hundred doctors from different parts of the State. Doctors N. S. Johnson, T. J. Marcus, R. B. McNeil and R. J. Eiland of this county were present. Co. R. A. Mitchell, vice-president of the Alabama Power Company, delivered the address of welcome on the part of the company. He made a brief statement of the progress made by the company in the last year, among which was a donation by the company of $6,000.00 per year to Auburn college for experimental work. He further stated that the dam and the company were going to build at Cherokee Bluffs would be 150 feet high, the back water from which would make the largest pond in the United States. He further stated that it was not improbable that in the future, we might expect to see the rural sections of the country served with electricity.

Col. Mitchell introduced Judge L. H. Reynolds to deliver the address of welcome on the part of Chilton County. He said he had found Judge Reynolds to be one of the best probate judges of Alabama, that he stood for good roads, and the company had always found him fair and honest in his court. Judge Reynolds in his speech impressed the wonderful opportunities lying dormant in Chilton County in the way of excellent location for cotton mills and other industries, and in reference to the Coosa River and its outlying territories, the wonderful place for summer resorts, beautiful scenery along the banks of the river, even rivaling North Carolina.

The Judge also emphasized the necessity of more independence of the South, especially politically, and as an apt illustration he cited the case of Senator Underwood, whom it is universally agreed is one of the greatest men of the Democratic party, and the South not having a president for almost a century and polling one-third of the votes of the country, yet Mr. Underwood had carried only one Southern State. He stated the reason being the Solid South,—that it had very little faith itself in its own power.

Judge Reynolds then welcomed the doctors to the door of Chilton County and wished them all the pleasurable and interesting stay while with our people.

The convention went to Mitchell Dam for the night, going down by boat, and back to Lock 12 for Wednesday. They adjourned Wednesday afternoon.

JAPANESE EXCLUSION BILL HAS BEEN SIGNED BY PRES. COOLIDGE

Chief Concern Of Administration Is Over Effect On Relations With Japan

Washington, May 26.—With the Japanese exclusion provision now spread on the statutes, the resignation of Ambassador Hanihara is expected as an early sequel. While Congress previously favored exclusion by legislation instead of by the voluntary method employed through the gentlemen's agreement, it was the letter which Ambassador Hanihara wrote to Secretary of State Hughes while the bill was pending, warning that its enactment would bring "grave consequences" to the friendship between the two governments, that angered Congress and killed any chance of a more moderate provision.

President Coolidge signed the bill Monday and issued a formal statement condemning the Japanese exclusion feature, but explaining that he was compelled to sign the measure because the existing law expires June 30.

There is every probability that Congress would have passed the bill over a presidential veto, and this fact, considered pith all other circumstances, led the President to sign the measure.

The chief concern of the administration is over the effect upon friendly relations with Japan. Japanese leaders have acted with restraint and there is no likelihood of any unpleasantness over this incident at present. The main regret of the President and Secretary Hughes is that the incident has made a deep impression upon the Japanese public and will cause certain amount of festering which may break out on the surface at some later date when another controversy arises.

The Washington arms conference, in the opinion of many responsible officials, averted a war which was estimated to be not over five years away. Now Hughes feels that much of that work has been undone by the present immigration bill.

"There is scarcely any ground for disagreement as to the result we want, but this method of securing it is unnecessary and deplorable at this time,' the' President said in his statement. "If the exclusion provision stood alone I should disapprove it without hesitation, if sought in this way at this time."

Senator Hiram Johnson of California, issued a statement declaring: "The result is a matter of congratulation and rejoicing that California has finally prevailed in the long struggle for protection and preservation of its own.

"With the last chapter closed now, I apprehend neither difficulty nor danger. We have done what was clearly our right, without intent or offense, and giving no cause for offense, and where no offense was given, offense cannot justly be taken."

Mr. J. O. Mize of Maplesville was in Clanton Monday attending to some business matters.

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CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Look Forward Not Backward

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MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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FEDERAL AID AS IT IS

Contrast With National Highways As They Will Be.

Roads on which the National Government furnishes funds to assist the States are in two classes—primary and secondary. Primary highways are interstate, while secondary highways are intercounty roads correlating with primary thoroughfares. The total mileage in any State on which Federal aid may be given can not exceed 7 per cent of the total mileage of all public roads in that State. The primary system must not exceed three-sevenths of the total eligible for Federal aid, and on this three-sevenths not more than 60 per cent of the Federal funds available for any State may be spent, except by agreement between the State Road Commission and the Secretary of Agriculture.

Federal road funds are apportioned among the States agreeing to match the amounts, as follows: One third in the ratio which the area of each State bears to the area of all the States; one-third in the ratio which the population of each State bears to the population of all the States; one-third in the ratio which the mileage of rural delivery routes and star routes in each State bears to the mileage of rural delivery and star routes in all the States.

The Federal road system is intended to give the maximum of service to the greatest possible number. There are 1,111 cities in the United States of 5,000 or more inhabitants, and 1,048 of these are located on Federal routes. Of the total population of the United States, 90 per cent live either on or within ten miles of highways included in the Federal system.

Proponents of national highways, built and forever maintained by the National Government, point out that all such calculations and apportionments will be unnecessary under their plan, and that the ends of efficiency, economy, and speed in building roads can be better served by one central authority in absolute control than by forty-eight road commissions working in conjunction with a central authority, between which an agreement must be had before work is done.

Real national highway believers are not "against" Federal aid to roads, since they recognize that any agency which builds roads, which creates sentiment for good roads, which causes use and spread of hard-surface highways, is an argument for national highways. National highway program indorsers believe that their plan, of a central authority, a central force paying the bills, and a central organization maintaining the highways, will produce more highways, produce them quicker, and produce them with greater economy and therefore greater value to the body politic than any other plan.

Woco-Pep—More Miles, More Power, Less Carbon—will take you there and bring you back. Woco Motor Oils and Sunlight Kerosene.
ELLIS & SONS.

FELSTON MULLINS BACK HOME

Mr. Felston Mullins, who for the past three years has been taking a course in agriculture at Auburn, is at home for a few days. Felston will go back to Auburn in about two weeks and take up his course again, which he will finish some time the early part of next year. Felston has made a splendid record of his course at the technical college, standing among the best in that particular line of work. Even before he went to college Felston had a strong inclination toward technical agriculture, and his mastery of the course as taught at Auburn has been quite successful. The foundation for Felston's college career was formed at the Chilton County High School, from which institution he graduated with honors, in 1916. He taught school, saw-milled and traded cattle before going to Auburn. The people of Chilton county should be and are proud of the record this young Chiltonian is making in his educational achievements, which promise for him a broad field of usefulness in the future.

OAK HILL

There will be Children's Day at this place on the second Sunday, June 8th. Everybody come, but don't forget to bring your dinner with you. The momrning will be devoted to the program for the Children's Day and the afternoon will be spent in singing. We are hoping to have the Vaughan Quartet stay over the week and be with us on that day.

E. L. GLASSCOCK.

MR. HUGHES THANKS PEOPLE

Editor Union-Banner:

Through your paper I wish to express my thanks and high appreciation to you for your kindness and cocurtesy, and to my friends for their support throughout the primary election.

Of course, I do not hold all as enemies who did not vote for me. I hold no ill will toward any one for the way they cast their ballot. It is a privilege we all enjoy that we can have a voice.

We have nominated a splendid ticket so far as I know; one that it will give me pleasure to vote in November. I did not meet either Messrs. Smith or Burnett before the primary, but they must be equal to the other nominees from the way the ticket read.

I can say for Mr. Vinson I have known him since I was very small, and he has always stood for the uplift of church, school and government. I doubt that there is another man in the county that would make a better commissioner for the Fourth district.

As for Miss Collins, I am sure she is a perfect lady, fully competent to attend to all the duties of the office of treasurer. She is always kind and ready to assist any one. So let's forget the saying, "I want vote for a woman," and vote the entire ticket.

I think the Democratic party knows we have as good nominees as can be had and expect to help elect them. It seems that it was their intentions to help nominate our candidates for they were asked to vote the county ticket, while they had no candidates for the county offices.

With success and best wishes to The Union-Banner and the nominees, I remain, as ever,

C. D. HUGHES.

STILL THE HOME RUN KING

THE way he's "sockin' the ol' pill around the lot" these days, it doesn't look like anything's happened to the batting eye of Babe Ruth. In fact, sporting editors around the country are hauling out the old number cuts again so that—every time the Babe slams one over the fan barriers—they can let their readers have the story in one number—viz, Home Run, No.—. Yes, indeed, it looks like the big pill mauler will keep his crown as he has already knocked 11 home runs this season.

MEMORIES OF MRS. HENRY HULL

It was during the stillness of the late evening hour of May 8, 1924, that a death angel visited the home of Mr. Henry Hull and took away the sweet spirit of his wife, Mrs. Henry Hull.

She died at the age of 72 after being afflicted with a bruised limb perhaps 60 years. The bruise was caused from skating on ice when she was a small child.

Mrs. Hull was a member of the Baptist church, being a good Christian woman. She gave t oher community a long life of loving and faithful service, ever ready and willing to do that which was right in any undertaking in life.

She was a good neighbor, a devoted wife, and a gentle and thoughtful mother and grandmother. Her devotion to her family was shown by rearing some of her motherless grandchildren from the time they were very small until her death.

Mrs. Hull was laid to rest in Alpine cemetery. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. John Deramus in Alpine church. The large congregation and the display of beautiful flowers at the funeral told more than words can express, the number of her friends.

Although we feel very deeply our loss in giving her up, we have the consolation of knowing that God doeth everything for the best, therefore we must bow in submission to His will.

She leaves to mourn, her husband, two sons, Mr. Bazel Hull and Mr. George Hull; two daughters, Mrs. Lee Ousley and Mrs. Swanagon, a host of grand children, great-grand children and friends.

We extend to the bereaved husband, children, other relatives and friends our deepest sympathy and commend all the loving care to Him who promised, "I will not leave you comfortless."

MRS. HETTIE REED,
MISS MAMIE WALKER,
Committee.

Lindsey and Jemosie Thomas of Phoenix City were at Providence Sunday attending the annual singing.

Baby Attacked!

Mrs. Crawford writes, "I was attracted by the screams of my baby. I rushed to the cradle and there was a rat crawling on the child! My husband put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around and we haven't seen a rat since. I certainly am grateful." Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

WELL-MERITED SUCCESS

A distinguished citizen, honored politically and professionally, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears above, made a success few have equalled. His pure herbal remedies which have stood the test for fifty years are still among the "best sellers." Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood medicine and stomach alterative. It clears the skin, beautifies it, increases the blood supply and the circulation, and pimples and eruptions vanish quickly. Beauty is but skin deep and good blood is beneath both. For your blood to be good, your stomach must be in condition, your liver active. This Discovery of Doctor Pierce's puts you in fine condition, with all the organs active. Ask your nearest druggist for Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, in tablet or liquid form, or send 10 cents for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

TWO MEN CAUGHT WITH WHISKEY

The night was dark and the raindrops were saturating everything that was uncovered, but there was an old-time dance in the neighborhood and a little rain and chill could not be allowed to interfere. And why should it interfere, even if the mode of travel was in an open-top buggy and on mule-back, when a little of "that other" was taken along to boost up the boys? But although unknown to the fellows, there was trouble on the way. Somewhere on the road-side Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee lay in wait, they being suspicious that something was liable to happen. It did happen when these fellows approached where the officers were.

The above is a likeness of what befell Bud Gaylor and Chess White down near the Esco place, six miles east of Verbena last Saturday night. Littlejohn and Foshee caught these two men with about a pint of whiskey apiece. The two were brought to Clanton and placed in jail, where they still remain to answer the charge of violating the prohibition law. As yet the men have not procured bail.

J. M. SMITH THANKS VOTERS

Thorsby, Ala., May 26, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I take this means of trying to express to my friends my highest appreciation for the splendid support received in the recent primary and trust that no act of mine shall cause anyone to regret having supported me and I shall ask your co-operation to the extent that I shall really be of service to you.

My highest ambition in life is to serve others in any manner that will be helpful in promoting the general welfare of the country and I am especially interested in the boys and girls, who in a few years will have grown to be men and women whom we shall try to better prepare for service to themselves and to the country at large.

Should I be elected in November I shall devote all the time possible to the work of trying to get our people more interested in matters pertaining to our school system and to do our best to give every ambitious boy and girl a chance to get, at least, a high school education which will require more time and study by the farmers and laboring people of our country.

I feel that I can be of service to the people and desire that everyone shall feel free to discuss school matters with me at all times, for I shall indeed be your servant, to do everything possible for the advancement of education in the county.

During this period of service I shall strive to put aside all prejudices and personal differences, also try to forget the past, that we may put forth every effort for the welfare of our country.

I shall try to meet the speaking dates before the election and discuss the issues of the campaign with the people.

Thanking everyone, both ladies and gentlemen, for your support, I am,

Yours for service,
J. M. SMITH.

MOTHER !

(By Bertha Crowson)

Dear boys and girls of today,
Did you ever stop to think
That mistreating your mother
Will cause your spirit to sink?

Isn't she a good old mother,
Working and toiling for you;
Making life bright and happy
As the sparkling morning dew.

When your friends forsake you
And you're in the world alone,
Don't you know that dear mother
Will welcome you back home.

Boys and girls are going to shame
Faster each day that rolls around,
They will not listen to mother,
But will frolic off to town.

If girls can just get to town,
And get a ride with a man,
They think they're in society,
And will go again if they can.

Perhaps mother will trust you,
And think you will do alright,
But if she only knew it all,
When you are out of sight.

I would like to see all boys and girls
Walk in the straightest way,
Then we could all be happy,
And greet each other day by day.

So let's all do the best we can,
And listen to mother dear,
Live a pure and happy life,
Every day in every year.

Tom Jones and family of Loachopoka were among the attendants at the annual singing at Providence last Sunday.

J. P. DYKES THANKS VOTERS

Calera, Ala., May 26, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to thank my friends for their kind support given me in the primary and to say to them that, although defeated, I am entirely satisfied with the results.

The majority of the voters of the county says Mr. Smith.

I am going to vote the entire ticket in November. I have never voted anything but a Republican ticket, and I certainly am not the least bit hurt with those that voted against me.

Yours very truly,
J. P. DYKES.

Wallace C. Edier of Thorsby was attending Chancery Court here Monday of this week.

Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-70, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. M. MORTON, Manager)

What is known as teachers cottage, a part of Thorsby Institute property, located near the water tower, has been rented to Mr. A. D. Henning, chief engineer on the north half of Chilton County section of the highway. Mr. Henning expects to move in Saturday, May 31st, with his family, consisting of his wife and two young children.

Mr. Reno Villadsen, who will be Mr. Henning's chief assistant, is expected to complete the work on which he is now engaged and join his family in Thorsby at the end of this week, and take up the duties of his new position next Monday.

In conversation with Mr. Henning, we learn that work on this section of the highway is well started. No less than seven contractors of grading are on their jobs with their respective forces of workers. Four contractors for pipe and culvert work are on the job and one bridge contractor has his work well under way. The bridge about two miles south of Shelby line is practically completed. The viaduct over the railroad at Wessington will soon be finished, and work will start very soon on the bridge over Yellow Leaf Creek near Lomax.

It may be noted in passing that the establishment of headquarters for this work at Thorsby will add several desirable citizens with their families to this community for some time to come.

We visited the sightly site for our new public school building last Monday and found Mr. Ernie H. Hansen busily engaged with his force of concrete workmen putting in the foundations which will soon assume definite shape above the surface. It will not be long before the frame work will be visible from a long distance down the highway and the rail road. The work is not being done by guess but according to specifications plainly given on carefully prepared blue prints that any intelligent biulder can follow.

Mr. Crawford Reed is engaged in digging a well for a water supply for the school.

Mr. Frank Nelson, one of our esteemed Thorsby citizens, who represents the Cole & McDonald Exploration Co., of Minneapolis, has one of their well drilling outfits working at Thorsby Warehouse & Gin Co.'s plant sinking a six-inch well. It might be profitable to others who contemplate making bored wells to see Mr. Nelson while his outfit is in Thorsby.

Mr. Chas. A. Peterson, well known all over this section as an expert in painting and paper-hanging, has secured work in Birmingham and left Monday morning to begin work. It is not known that he has any intention of staying there permanently.

Mr. G. W. Horsley and wife of Birmingham, daughter of Mrs. Aaron Littleton, and Bersal Farrington and wife of Bessemer, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Littleton in Thorsby.

Miss Inga Erdahl of Birmingham was a visitor in Thorsby Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. S. Howard was a visitor in Thorsby Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. S. Howard was happily surprised last Friday afternoon by a number of her friends who assembled to greet her on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Rev. Joseph E. Each has announced that next Sunday night, June 1st, following Christian Endeavor meeting, he will deliver an address on "The Broadening Way," illustrated with stereopticon pictures which the supply house assure him they will not fail to deliver on time.

Miss Lorena Graham has finished her term as teacher at Enterprise, and is now home with her parents.

Misses Jennye and Edith Robinson are home from Montevallo, where they attended college for the past school year.

Don't forget the social of the Thorsby Parent-Teachers Association at the Town Hall next Thursday afternoon, under auspices of Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Rev and Mrs. Foshee were guests of their daughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard last Sunday.

A ROMANCE IN REAL LIFE

In the fall of 1918, soon after the armistice was signed, the writer was at the railway station in Thorsby as the evening train from Montgomery came in. After its departure he noticed a young man carrying a suitcase and wearing the uniform of a U. S. soldier. Seeing that the young man was a stranger and apparently did not know just where to go, I addressed him, and found tha this name was Yancey Kelley and his home was near Andalusia, Ala. He was a farmer's boy just discharged from the army, being 21 years old and having but little education but determined to get more. Having heard of Thorsby Institute, he decided to come and look it over, and if it proved to be an institution that could give him what he wanted for what he had to give, which was mighty little in money but willing to work, he would like to stay.

There was an ire of earnestness and hope about the young fellow that was attractive and he was directed to the proper authorities in the school to deal with such cases. He was soon installed as a student and given employment to help pay his expenses. He proved in every way worthy of the confidence and was himself so kindly and helpful wherever posible that in time he developed not only as a student but as a young man capable of doing a great variety of work and doing it well. He became a sort of handy man about the place and superintendent of the boys' work. He graduated in the class of 1923, and his graduating essay on "Vocational Training" was worthy to be read at the commencement exercises. He had made good use of every opportunity offered him for development, and at graduation was a fine specimen of upstanding, clean, Christian young manhood.

During the summer of 1923 he secured through Miss May Stoddard, who as associate principal of Thorsby Institute, had come to know his sterling character, a position which took him to Vermont as superintendent of a boys' camp.

In the fall of 1923 young Kelley secured a position with a contractor and builder at Portland, Conn., who happened to be the father of Miss Emily B. Ellsworth, associate principal of Thorsby Institute at the time Kelley graduated. Miss Ellsworth declined re-election, took a school near home and last Saturday was married to Yancey Kelley.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK THORSBY INSTITUTE

Saturday night, May 24th, Miss Parker's Music Recital at Bates Hall was a revelation of creaful training in piano playing. Most of the players were beginners and professional work was not expected, but for proficiency in what they tried to do and ability to memorize as manifest by their playing without notes, except duets, for which a good reason was given. It was a very creditable exhibition for both pupils and teacher. One incident for which Miss Parker expresses sincere regret was the failure to get the name of Miss Astrid Ekblad; who played "Queen of Night" effectively, on the program which was distributed. There was no intention to slight this faithful and conscientious student.

Sunday was a great day in many ways. A perfect day out of doors. The Baccalaureate services were dignified and impressive; the Seniors in what they had to do were very attractive and interesting, and the baccalaureate address by Miss Emily Wheeler, was an inspiration to a noble life.

In the evening Miss Wheeler addressed a large audience at the Congregational church, giving many thrilling incidents of her life as a missionary in Turkey and her work for American and India Orphans Industrial Homes.

Mrs. J. H. Goddard entertained the eight girls of the Senior class at a dinner last Tuesday at her home.

Thursday night, the 29th, is Senior Class night, when at Bates Hall at 7:30 they will present a play entitled, "Daddy," which will be worth seeing. An admission fee of 25c will be charged for everybody.

Friday—Tennis games in the morning between the alumni and the school. At 11 a.m. there will be a meeting of the graduates of Thorsby Institute. All graduates are invited to Room "A" in Bates Hall, with a view to reviving the alumni association, founded several years ago.

At 12:30 promptly there will be a community dinner, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of Thorsby. Every one should bring a well filled basket. Ice cream will be sold by the ladies during the afternoon for the benefit of the Desk Fund of Thorsby Institute.

At 1:30 p.m. there will be a ball game between alumni and students of Thorsby Institute.

At 4 o'clock p.m. the alumni, Seniors and faculty, are invited by Miss Jenkins as principal, to an informal reception at the dining hall.

At 7:30 p.m. the graduating exercises will be held at Bates Hall. Rev. Marston Freeman, pastor of Pilgrim Congregational Church, Chattanooga, Tenn., will give the address of the evening.

Following the usual custom of Thorsby Institute, the trustees will not close the library to the public during the summer months. When school is not in session, Miss Shannon will be in charge of the library and will open it on Friday's from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Fronie Huckabee, the wife of Uncle Bill Huckabee, is reported to be very ill at their home in Clanton. The old has been very sick for the past several days.

"LEATHER-NECKS" LATEST WAR IMPLEMENT

EQUALLY useful for fighting on land or water—is a description that has always been applied to Uncle Sam's "leather-necks," the U. S. Marines. Now, it can be applied to their latest war implement, too. It's an amphibian tank, capable of carrying three small field pieces and a company of 75 men, and built so it can be propelled through the water as well as driven over land.

In the accompanying picture, you see the Marines testing the newcomer at Culebra, Panama—showing the odd-looking contraption emerging from the waters. The runway down which the small field piece is about to be rolled—is also used as a trap-door when the unique war tank is afloat.

Quite interesting, isn't it?

FROM MRS. LOIS SIMS

Editor Union-Banner:

I want to thank the people through your paper for their support in the primary, and while I was defeated for county treasurer, I am no less a Republican. I knew when I entered the race that all could not be nominated.

I hope the ticket will be elected, and I am sure it will, and if there is anything I can do to help elect every one of them, I am ready. Miss Collins, who was nominated, is a worthy lady and will make a good treasurer.

Yours truly,
MRS. LOIS SIMS.

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For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

We note that the New York World condemns radicalism but gives top heads in the news columns to radical activities. And it makes out only a poor imitation of a yellow sheet.

The whole country is dissatisfied with the kind of tax bill that was passed by both the House and the Senate. Let it be remembered, then, that on March 24, 1924, the Democratic New York Times declared editorially that "There is in plain truth no Republican majority in either House." The Dem-rad coalition must take the responsibility.

The bonus bill, which as vetoed by President Coolidge and passed over his veto by Congress, is nothing more nor less than a feeble little political scheme by which some senators and representatives hope to get a few ex-soldier votes. But it will be few ex-soldiers who will vote for a congressman on the strength of that kind of complicated compensation bill. The ex-soldiers and everybody else in the country want their taxes reduced worse than they want a soldiers' bonus, and especially the kind of a bonus which was passed.

The Japanese exclusion bill has been signed by the President. This is one of the many wise steps the present administration has taken, and this action will take well among the true Americans over the country. We have got enough orientals in this country, and unless some measure is pursued, our free government will become endangered. The Roman Catholics and foreign element would like to see our form of government overthrown, and if enough of them are allowed to come into our country and propagate their Bolshevic ideas, they might be able some day to force into law at least some of their doctrines. America is for Americans, and Americans have a right to dominate this government.

The broadness and depth of Calvin Coolidge as a statesman is becoming more and more apparent every day. At the Confederate memorial service held at Arlington last Sunday, the president payed a very feeling tribute to the manhood and contentions of the South during the days of the Confederacy. Although the South is "solidly Democratic" the present chief executive is broad enough to grant all people a perfect right to their political convictions regardless of what they stand for now or have contended for in the past. Regarding the sectional struggle the president said: "They were all Americans, all contending for what they believed were their rights. On many a battlefield they sleep side by side. . . . . In that mutual respect may there be a firmer friendship and a stronger and more glorious union."

The leading Democratic papers have praised everything Coolidge has done, and yet they can't see him as a desirable candidate for the presidency. They lauded his action in the police strike in Boston, while he was Governor of Massachusetts. They praised his first message to Congress and advocated the enactment of his program of legislation. They praised his veto of the pension bill and of the bonus bill. They do not point to a single act of his that is alleged to be against the public interest—yet they think he won't do for four years more in the White House. But there are millions in the rank and file of the Democratic party who will think next November that a man whose every act is praised by their leaders is a pretty safe man to support.

WHY IS IT ?

STRAWS "MADE IN AMERICA"

Washington, May 25.—Straws show which way the wind blows. They also show the condition of the soda and soft drink business. If times are prosperous the fountains mingle with the flivver and the flow of soda is unconfined. If times are Democratic the parched throat growls huskily at the idle hand and the idle straw is a straw voting for a change of administration. The ostracism of John Barleycorn, while it has reduced the number of straws used to inhale the seductive mint julep, has not hurt the straw business, for the straw today is used to suck up the milk of the kindergarten tots, the fruit-flavored palate-ticklers of the lovelorn, and the grape juice of the sophisticated.

The manufacture of these drinking straws is interesting business from the commercial standpoint. With respect to the process itself very little is known, since it is a patent process about which the manufacturers keep pretty quiet. Their factories are as spick and span as the houses of Spotless Town. They may be seen from the outside. But having put the imagination at ease, there they leave it. Their motto is taken from Verdun—they shall not pass. The inside is not for outsiders.

The drinking straw business began probably a quarter century ago. In 1901 the domestic output was 165,000,000 straws annually. They are now making 4,000,000,000 straws a year, and the business is growing like corn in Kansas. Its habitat was once confined largely to the drugstore, but in recent years there has been a huge demand on the part of the homes for these straws, and as a result they are being put up in packages for the home trade. The kids at school use them for drinking their luncheon milk, and even the cafeterias are beginning to serve certain beverages per straw. It has been said that 4,000,000,000 of these straws, laid end to end would girdle the equator 16 times. Put a glass of soda at one end of that length of straw and a man with the power of suction possessed by young Sammy Weller, at the other and with the liquid traveling at the rate of 10 feet a second it would take seven years for Sammy to get his first taste of that soda.

More than 2,000,000 pounds of a specially prepared paper are consumed annually in the manufacture of these straws, and another 1,500,000 pounds for making the cartons in which they are packed. From the time the paper is fed into the cutting machine until the straw is placed before the consumer, not a hand touches it, which means sanitation to the nth power. Making, packing, counting—all are done by machinery. Four men in one day can cut sufficient paper the required width to make 12,000,000 straws.

These straws come under the "manufactures of paper not specifically enumerated" in the tariff, the rate on imports being 35 per cent. The Japanese and other foreign straws not being handled in such sanitary fashion are kept out more for this reason than because of the tariff. We don't know where that Jap straw was before we put it in the mouth. Consequently we like to see the "Made in America" on the straw package.

The drinking straw industry is a fine example of a clean American business which provides moderate wealth to the manufacturers, health to the users, and happiness to the stomach which is not shocked by freezing mixtures or paralyzed by gulping. Perhaps if the camel had been a drinking animal that last straw, being otherwise put to use, would not have broken his back.

COOLIDGE THE TAXPAYERS' BEST BET

The present Congress may come to an end with a prospective deficit menacing the Treasury because of appropriations passed in excess of the budget limitations and because of rash tax cuts below the level of safety. But the deficit will not be created with executive sanction. In vetoing the pension bill and the bonus memasure, President Coolidge has stood steadfastly by his annual message to Congress, his letter transmitting the budget to that body, and all his other public utterances. Speaking of the people, he says in his bonus veto, "Our business is not to impose upon them, but to protect them." With the reckless Democrat-radical coalition in control of Congress utterly unmindful of the balance between national revenue and expenditures that should be maintained, it is apparent that the taxpayers' chief protection is found in President Coolidge. He is systematically returning to Congress the bills aimed at the budget system, and that body will have to support them with two-thirds of its membership before they can become laws. The public is missing no detail of the proceedings.

THEIR OWN GOVERNOR IN 1932

The Senate has passed a bill making the governor of Porto Rico elective in 1932, or before that date if illiteracy in the island is reduced to thirty per cent. The Porto Ricans have been steadily fitting themselves for self-government, and have exhibited none of the truculence of the political class among the Filipinos. By their attitude toward Gen. Wood, the latter have alienated public sympathy in the United States and made more remote the day when they will be granted the privilege of electing their own governor and other officials. The Filipinos would profit by study of the Porto Ricans.

BANNER OFFICE RECEIVES NICE BUNCH OF FLOWERS

The Banner force was made cheerful last Monday morning when we received from Mrs. Floyd Aldridge of Route 6 a nice vase of sweet peas. The bunch was of varied colors and were as fragrant and fresh as the morning dew. A gift of this kind is one certainly to be appreciated.

Prof. W. T. Edwards of Stanton was in Clanton Monday.

NOTICE

The amount assessed by the Commissioners for right-of-way for the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, is ready to be paid. Any one can write me and I will send them receipt for them to sign and return to me and I will send them the money. However, I would prefer for them to come after it in person, if convenient to do so.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

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THOS. E. PAVEY WRITES TO FRIENDS IN CLANTON

Fort Ogden, Fla., May 25, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

When I left Clanton I promised to write to you and so I will now try to fulfill that promise.

We left Clanton on Thursday afternoon at 5:30 and spent the night with friends in Montgomery. The next day we drove to Ashford and spent one day and two nights visiting more friends. We left Ashford at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning and spent that night in Lake City, Fla. That was quite a long drive but the weather was fine and the roads good, so we enjoyed it very much. The next day we drove to Daytona and visited places of interest at Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Daytona is a beautiful city and so is St. Augustine. The tourists were leaving, going back to their homes in the North. A great many had come down in automobiles and were returning the same way.

On Tuesday, after visiting beautiful Daytona Beach and other places in Daytona and vicinity, we came to Orlando, one of the most beautiful places in Florida. We spent the night there at the Florida Sanitarium. This sanitarium is a beautiful place and has beautiful surroundings. There are lakes and orange groves and beautiful trees with the Spanish moss hanging from the branches and waving in the breeze. I don't know of a more beautiful place for one to go to rest and recuperate. This is the best equioped institution of its kind in the State.

The next day we drove through beautiful Polk county, with its numerous lakes and orange groves and wonderful roads. I think this one of the most progressive counties that we passed through. That night we stopped with my sister, Mrs. W. A. Jones at Arcadia, Fla., the county seat of Desota county, and only ten miles from my home.

When we arrived home the next day we found our goods awaiting us, so early the next week we got settled in our own little home. It seems good to be back home again. We enjoyed our stay in Clanton and we were sorry to leave our many friends there. We hope some day to meet you all again.

With kindest regards, I am,
Yours very truly,
THOS. E. PAVEY.

UNCLE DOCK WELLS WRITES FROM CRAGFORD

Cragford, Ala., May 26, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I promised so many people when I left home that I would write to them, I can't think of any better plan than to write them through The Union-Banner, as nearly everybody takes your paper. I left home the second Sunday in May. I preached at Minooka at 11 o'clock, which was Mothers' Day, and a large congregation attended. In the afternoon we had some good singing by the people from Oak Grove, also we had a good service Sunday night.

Monday I came to Sylacauga and spent the week there and came to Cragford last Sunday night, the 18th, to my son-in-law, D. A. Lodge, and I have had a nice time on my trip since I left home. I will go back to Sylacauga next Sunday, the first day of June. It is announced there will be an all-day singing there on that day. I promised to preach at Shiloh, South Calera, Ala., second Sunday, Sunday night, and Saturday and Saturday night, and if the Lord is willing I will fill my appointment at Jackson Chapel at 11 o'clock on the 3rd Sunday in June; at the County Home at 3 p.m., Sunday.

In conclusion, I will say I am well and having a nice time.

Yours very truly,
UNCLE DOCK WELLS.

REMODELING DRUG STORE

Mr. Dick Hayes is having some remodeling done on the front of his drug store building. The old front has been torn out and a new and more classy one is being put in. This will look like a real drug store when Dr. Hayes and Dick get it in shape.

"Do it right or not at all," is the advice of government experts to cotton farmers planning to use boll weevil control measures. In order to "do it right" it is necessary to make a study of the habits of the boll weevil and how it accomplishes the destruction of cotton.

Boll weevils go into winter quarters in timber, weeds, buildings and any other shelter they can find near the fields and emerge in the Spring to attack the cotton. The best protection is timber. They remain quiet and take no food during the winter.

Cold weather killed many weevils the past winter and the number to emerge this spring were reduced, experts say, but not enough to warrant laxity in control measures. Farmers who are not considering the use of control measures because of the small number to emerge are taking a gambler's chance, they declare, for unless the weather continues to be unfavorable to the pest they will multiply very rapidly and soon will have destroyed another crop.

The weevils become active when warm weather arrives. The first weevils come from winter quarters about the end of February but the great majority come out in April and May.

As soon as squares appear on the cotton the female weevil inspects each square and generally does not place an egg in a square that already has received one. At the end of the snout of the weevil there are very small jaws. With these she bores a hole into the square and enlarges it at the bottom. The snout is withdrawn, the weevil turns around and extends the egg duct from the rear of the body into the cavity where the egg is placed.

Females keep on laying from one to three eggs a day for about a month and average a total of 100 before they die. The eggs hatch within an average of three days. The grub coming from the egg begins to feed at once and grows rapidly for eight days and becomes a "wiggler." This stage lasts about five days and no food is taken. The weevil itself then appears.

The total time from the placing of an egg in the square to the appearance of the weevil is about seventeen days. About a week then elapses before the weevil deposits eggs. Thus it can be seen that even a small number emerging to attack a crop very soon will multiply many times and without control measures can destroy cotton over a large area.

Further information on boll weevil control can be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, New Orleans.

Press Clippings

Boston News Bureau—A foreigner comes to this country and gets $4 or $5 a day for common labor. He worked in the country he came from at starvation wages. If he recieved 40 cents a day he was doing well. He gets fat on the American wage. He is then the first to sanction a strike and usually the head of the mob that tries to burn the plant that gave him his job.

Minneapolis Tribune—Mr. McAdoo who opposes most of the things for which the President stands, is accumulating a sizable bunch of delegates for the New York Convention, but a polictical observer fails to rise to his job, if he does not consider how few votes, comparatively speaking, were required for him to win his delegates.

Worcester Ledger—Mr. Pinchot's right to cuss the executive branch of the Government of the United States when he is not a prominent figure in it is doubless inalienable. But continuance in such indulgence is reasonably sure to make it plain to everybody what ails him.

Portland Oregonian—The primary vote is more than an ordinary endorsement of Coolidge; it is a great uprising in his favor and against the miscellaneous assortment of scandalmongering small men with large mouths that besets him.

Philadelphia Ledger — President Coolidge by his veto of the Four-Billion Dollar Bonus Bill has justified the confidence of the country and of the taxpayers to whom he has appealed for support and justification.

St. Louis Times—Unless Congress gets its ear to the ground and quits playing politics the American people at the polls next November may decide to put into effect an exclusion act of their own.

Macon Telegraph—President Coolidge gives two rules for boys—work hard and behave—that might do a lot of grown folks a sight of good if they'd try 'em.

Los Angeles Times—Johnson and Pinchot are probaly asking each other, "what is the use of direct primaries when they persistently go in the wrong direction?"

Marion Star—The trouble with the Mellon tax-reduction plan was that it was too good to meet the approval of a small caliber Congress.

New Orleans Times-Picayune—Once we kicked against taxation without representation. Now we get too much of each.

Boston Transcript — Constructive work in Congress would seem to consist largely in the construction of a deficit.

Omaha Bee—The Democratic ideal seems to be a deficit.

Warning From Health Department!

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POOR OR

ALL PLANS READY FOR EGG CAMPAIGN

Farm Bureau in Each County Will Be Responsible for Members. County Agents Will Co-operate.

Auburn, Ala., May 28.—The stage is all set for the organization of the Farm Bureau Egg Marketing Association in Alabama. The proposition has been under consideration for more than a year and was launched at a State-wide meeting of farmers and Extension Service workers in Montgomery, April 1-2. In the interim arrangements have been made for the State-wide campaign which will begin June 1 and continue for a period of six weeks.

According to information received from Farm Bureau headquarters in Montgomery the campaign in each county will be under the auspices of the county Farm Bureau with the assistance of the county farm and home demonstration agents. The board of directors of each county Farm Bureau will select communities to be organized and responsibility for getting members will be placed upon the leaders in the respective communities.

To explain the proposition thoroughly, community mass meetings will be held and one who is familiar with it, in detail, will discuss it from every angle. At the close of each community meeting those who are ready to do so will be given an opportunity to become members and arrangements will be made for continuing the membership campaign.

It has been decided that 2,000 hens will be necessary for a local receiving station and it is believed that manny communtiies in Alabam wiall experience no difficulty in securing this number.

The minimum goal for the State is 100,000 hens, but leaders are confident that three or four times this number will be secured.

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POLITICAL prestige and personal pride were cast to the winds recently by City Councillor Roland of Paris. He went back to his former trade of blacksmith in order to see that the luckless Dobbins of the French capitol once more enjoyed a full set of shoes—a blacksmith strike in Paris having made Mr. Roland's action imperative.

In the above photograph, you see a French "teamo" holding up one of his horse's hoofs, the while ex-blacksmith Roland applies the needed shoe.

"It pleased me immensely to shoe horses for a change," was Mr. Roland's only comment on his activities in trying to break the prevailing blacksmith's strike.

NOTICE—CHANGE OF DATE

There will be an all-day singing at Pleasant Hill, known as Blow Graveyard, on the 4th Sunday in June, instead of the 2nd, on account of Children's Day at Oak Hill.

MISS SOPHIE MARTIN.

PERSONALS

Rev. E. W. Butler and J. E. Each of Thorsby pere pleasant callers at The Union Banner office Tuesday. Rev. Each is the pastor of the Congregational Church at Thorsby. Of course, everybody knows who Mr. Butler is.

Mr. E. H. Foshee of Jemison Route 2 was in Clanton Tuesday attending special term of Circuit Court.

Reports say that Mrs. Mitch Bates, who has been very ill for the past few weeks is slightly improving.

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BUSINESS COURSE—I wish to announce that in connection with my Business Course, which begins on July 7, that I will have a teacher doing regular school work through the fourth grade. This course should be very helpful to any child who is conditioned in his grade for another year. Pupils who attended a short term last year or who were absent part of the time can still finish their grade by attending this school. The fee for the regular work will be $3.00. The fee for the Business Course will be $6.00. Remember that we guarantee to satisfy you or refund your money. For further information in regard to this school, call or write W. E. MARTIN, Clanton, Ala. 1t-c.

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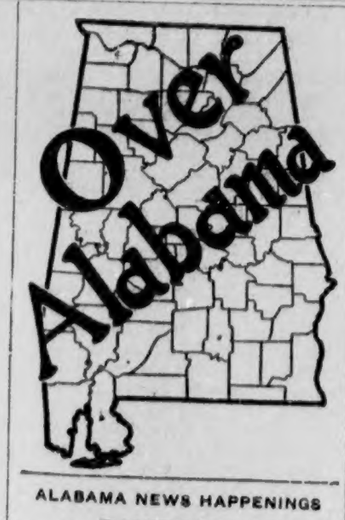

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Dr. John W. Abercrombie, state superintendent of education, has announced the re-election by the state board of education of all principals of state secondary agricultural schools. The new school created by the last legislature at Cuba, Sumter county having qualified, L. W. Cox was elected principal of the institution, to enter upon his duties July 1. The principals of the other secondary agricultural schools, who were re-elected were: W. H. Ramsey, Abbeville; J. W. Letson, Albertville; W. H. Johnson, Athens; J. B. Jennington Blountsville; W. P. Bogard, Evergreen; J. B. Wilson, Hamilton; O. L. Smith, Jackson; W. H. McDaniel, Linville; J. F. Mitchell, Sylacauga; and H. C. McDonald, Wetumpka.

A live fight is expected to occur in Cleburne county when the board of tax review holds it's annual session in June, the tax adjuster for the county having announced a raise in the tax assessment against the Alabama Mineral Land company from $86,970 to $129,783 for this year. Figures obtained at the office of the tax adjuster show that the W. R. Burt estate, which owns 97,546 acres against 31,719 acres by the Land company, is assessed at a figure of $178,485.

Following the selection of Montgomery as the site for the state home for widows and orphans of Pythians, the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, voted to levy an assessment of fifty cents per capita annually as a mtaintenance fund for the institution. The grand lodge also conferred upon the building commission full authority to proceed with the perfection of plans, the letting of contracts and the actual construction of the home.

The city council of Haleyville passed ordinances for approximately $75,000 worth of paving, sidewalks and gutter work in the town. It is contemplated that the paving will cover the main streets of the town and that they will be constructed with a concrete base and asphalt covering or face. The sidewalks and curb and gutter will be of concrete. Bids will shortly be advertised for.

Al Clemons, former University of Alabama football and baseball player, has been secured as coach for the Huntsville Independent team the coming Summer. He is now engaged in signing up players, and when the season opens along about the first of June, he believes that he will have one of the best teams that has ever represented Huntsville.

Buck Martin, alleged slayer of Raymond Watts, who was killed about two months ago by a stroke on the head with an automobile crank, was shot and seriously wounded by Motor Scouts McFarland and Virgil Sandifer when he was alleged to be attempting to carry liquor into Birmingham from the eastern part of the county.

Bleeding from a dozen wounds about his head and body, Herman Ross, 10-year-old boy, was taken to a Gadsden hospital from Lookout mountain and later his stepfather, Sam Baty, was placed in the county jail on the charge of beating him. The man is said to have told officers he whipped the boy for smoking cigarettes. The boy has been turned over to the juvenile court.

Quintard Avenue School of Anniston has announced a 100 per cent record continuously for the past 11 weeks in school thrift deposits. To attain a rating of 100 per cent, every pupil in the school must be a depositor in the savings department of some bank. Up to date students in Quintard School have deposited $1,930.15, it is stated.

Cucumbers have begun to roll from Baldwin county by the carload. According to estimates of those in touch with conditions, the production at Robertsdale alone will be between 400 and 500 carloads. Present indications are that Baldwin County will ship during the season between 750 and 800 cars.

Construction will be started the latter part of May on a new sanitorium at the fresh air camp of the Montgomery Anti-Tuberculosis League, it has been announced.

Dr. H. L. Dozier of Mobile has been appointed specialist in insects and diseases of citrus fruits for the extension service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, it has been announced.

Contract has been let for the erection of a new consolidated county school at Cedar Tree on the Watermelon road in Tuscaloosa County.

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OAK HILL

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday with almost a full house. We had with us singers from almost all parts of the county, and they did some real good singing. The Thorsby Quartet was with us and rendered some beautiful selections which brought forth notes of praise from all those who heard them. This quartet is composed of Prof. Akins Collins, Gresham Lowery, John and David Childress.

Those who directed were: O. R. Robinson, E. H. Foshee, Gresham Lowery, E. L. Glasscock, Vester Campbell, A. H. Glasscock, Akins Collins. Organists, Emma Campbell and Esther Atkinson.

After announcing the big singing at Clanton next Sunday and the Children's Day service to be at this place on the second Sunday, June 8th, that great class of singers arose and sang very beautifully that good old song entitled, "Wonderful Jesus," led by Prof. Collins, and our hearts were made to rejoice exceedingly as we listened to the sweet words of old Uncle A. J. Glasscock as he pleaded as usual with God for us that we might be a united band of singers around His great white throne, and that we might sing throughout the endless ages of Eternity in praise to Him who gave His life for us.

SINGING AT NEW PROSPECT

The singing at New Prospect last Sunday was fine. The directors for the afternoon were: W. M. Devaughn, O. L. Devaughn, L. T. Grant, Ralph Grant, George Harris, E. A. Beaird, Erbie Holland, H. G. Carter, Henry Askins. A fine quartet was rendered by W. M. Devaughn, O. L. Devaughn, L. T. Grant and Ralph Grant. Prof. Beaird also directed.

Mr. Henry Askins, state evangelist from Marbury, gave us a solo and led two songs. A bounteous dinner was spread on the grounds at noon, and the huge crowd of people was invited to take part. Behavior was good and everybody enjoyed the day fine.

J. E. GEORGE.

MACEDONIA

All who are interested in Macedonia Cemetery, are requested to meet at this place on Friday, June 6th, and bring tools for the purpose of cleaning off same.

(MISS) BERNICE NIX.

CHILDRENS DAY AT OAK GROVE NEXT SUNDAY

There will be a Childrens Day exercise at Oak Grove the first Sunday in June, 1st. The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services. Oak Grove is on the Highway 2 miles north of Jemison.

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ORIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Visitor Honored.

Paying special courtesy to Mrs. Bill Lanier, her sister, Mrs. Eric Hart was a charming hostess on last Friday morning at a bridge luncheon. The lovely home was never prettier with an attractive arrangement of sweet peas and nasturtiums. Five tables were placed throughout the apartments for the game of auction. The guest of honor was presented a couple of dainty hand-made handkerchiefs, while the top score—silk hose was won by Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins. After the game an elaborate salad and ice course was served.

Card Club Meets.

The regular meeting of the Wednesday Card club was held at the home of Mrs. Hance Alred. The home was beautiful with a quantity of Dorothy Perkins roses and Easter lilies. Tables for the game were grouped in the living room and dining room. After a spirited game, Mrs. Arthur Johnson held top score and was presented a couple of decks of Congress cards. A pretty salad plate was daintily served. Mesdames Hugh Jones and Watts Moore and Miss Bettie Mullins were guests of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lanier returned to their home in Tallassee Friday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart.

Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper are expected to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong Sunday.

Broadus Connatser, who has been at the University this year is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox for a few days.

Miss Sara Luckie and Joe Luckie leave Monday for a two-weeks visit to relatives in Deland, Fla.

Buck Roberts, who was a student of Auburn for the past year has reaurned home.

After a two-weeks visit to her parents here, Mrs. Jno. O. Newell and children have returned to their home in Birmingham.

Master Ralph and Eugene Roy of Helena were the guests of John Van-Derveen Sunday.

John Ellis from Howard college is home for the vacation months.

Mr. J. R. Mullins spent the week end with his family in Montgomery.

Miss Dorothy Ewing from Birmingham was a visitor to Clanton during this week.

Rev. Robinson and Rev. Each of Thorsby, Rev. M. L. Jones from Maplesville and Rev. O. P. Roberts from Verbena were visiting preachers to attend the District S. S. Conventoin held at the Methodist church on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. J. Mell Martin and son, James Carl left Sunday for a visit to relatives in West Point, Ga.

Mr. Guy Roberts made a business trip to Montgomery Monday.

Mr. Chas. Moore is spending this week in Montgomery as the guest of Mrs. Renfro Mullins and family.

Mrs. O. Kyle from Decatur paid a brief visit to her daughter, Mrs. Vic Heard, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watts Moore, Miss Kathleen Mullins and John Deramus enjoyed a motor trip to Montgomery Friday.

Joe Mullins, who was a student of the University the past school year, has returned home.

Hub Davis and Clyde Foshee have returned from the University, where they were in school last year.

Miss Margaret Hester, who taught music in Columbiana the past winter, is home for the summer months.

Mr. Daubly from Birmingham was a visitor to friends in our fair city last week.

Evans Edwards from Auburn returned home last week.

Miss Mary Sue Jones left Monday for a two-weeks visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Miss Sallye Johnson, who was at Danville, Va., this winter, has arrived home for summer holidays.

WOCO-PEP—In town, in the Country, in the Woods—the air is full of it.—Don't you smell it?

ELLIS & SONS.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Lancaster from Birmingham came home Saturday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Williams. Mrs. Lancaster will be here all this week.

Mr. Frank Mullins will be home this week after spending the winter at Howard College.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Johnson and children motored over to Rockford Sunday and were accompanied back home by her mother, Mrs. Bascomb.

Misses Mary Upchurch and Warrene Spigener have returned home from Maroin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page and little Miss Peggy have returned from a motor trip to McMinville, Tenn.

Miss Marjorie Murphy left Tuesday for a visit to relatives and friends in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Downs and little Miss Rosemary Pickens and Mike will leave Sunday for Denver, Col., for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pickens.

Mrs. Willie Holmes and little daughter, Helen, are expected to arrive today for a brief visit to relatives here, enroute to vsit heir sister, Mrs. Ben Hall and family in Denver.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Upchurch and Mrs. W. D. Spigener left this week for Marion to attend the commencement exercises.

After spending the winter in Andalusia teaching, Miss Bess Thomas has returned home.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins returned home Tuesday evening from a visit to Birmingham where she attended the Howard college commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Grant have returned home from Denver, Col.

Messrs. Hub Davis and Clyde Foshee left Sunday for Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. Joe Robinson of Birmingham spent Sunday in Clanton with his parents.

WOCO-PEP—Are you Wocomobiling? If not, better get at it. Ask the fellow who is.

ELLIS & SONS.

AROUND CALERA

A number of young people from South Calera attended the Community Sing in Calera Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp from Ensley were the guests of Mrs. George Lee Sunday.

Miss Jennis Killingsworth of Birmingham spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Jim Killingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby and little daughter from Pelham spent the week end as guests of relatives in South Calera.

Miss Flossie Ellison spent a few days with Miss Audie Broadhead last week, returning to Bessemer Friday night

Mr. Elmer Campbell spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts from Siluria are now residents of South Calera. We are very glad to have them in our community.

Mr. R. L. Crim spent a few days last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crim.

Mrs. W. H. Busby returned to her home in Selma Friday after a week's visit to Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mrs. W. J. Clark, formerly of South Calera but now living in Birmingham, was down last week spending a few days with friends of the community.

Mrs. George Anderson and children returned to Birmingham Sunday night after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Henry Anderson.

Little Paul Kemp, who has been visiting his grand mother for several weeks, returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin spent Sunday with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Rev. Morton delivered two sermons at Shiloh church Sunday.

Mr. Dan Crowder and two chiirden were the guests of Mrs. G. S. Lee Sunday, the little girls remaining over for a longer visit.

Mrs. Ural Busby of Boaz is visiting her grand parents, Mr and Mrs. M. T. Busby this week.

The girl scouts of Calera served ice cream, cake, strawberries, lemonade, and different kinds of candy on the school grounds Friday night. A nice sum was received from which they expect to buy uniforms.

Mr. Homer Martin was home for a few days last week.

Miss Mexn Tate visited friends in Calera last week.

Mr. Bill Armstrong, sister and daughter, Mrs Riggs and Mrs. Robertson of Birmingham spent Saturday at Mrs. Bill Green's.

Mr. Leon Busby delightfully entertained a number of friends at his home last Thursday night. Various games were enjoyed after which delicious cake and fruits were served.

Mrs. W. H. Busby was the guest of Miss Hazel Cox one night last week.

There was a singing at the home of Mr. Tom Busby Saturday night.

STUDEBAKER ENTRY CLIPS FAST PACE AT INDIANAPOLIS

Earl Cooper, Noted Driver Limbers Up His Robin Egg Blue Mount, Averaging 1,003 Miles For Five Laps.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 26.—Earl Cooper, in his new Studebaker Special, is giving the railbirds at the Speedway a thrill these days in the early speed trials for the annual international 500-miles race, May 30.

Cracking off five laps at an average speed of 100.3 miles an hour in his first try-out, Cooper demonstrated what a clear pair of heels the little Studebaker Special has, when Mayor Lew Shink headed a delegation welcoming the veteran driver.

Honored By Citizens.

This was the first time, in recent years, that Indianapolis has given a municipal reception to an arriving speedway contestant. The occasion was in honor of Studebaker.

For it is the first time that The Studebaker Corporation's house flag will flutter from the track pits, when the thirty-one speed busses scuttle across the line at 10 o'clock on the morning of the great annual gasoline derby.

"The city is yours," said Mayor Shank, when he officially welcomed Cooper. "From all indications this 1924 race will eclipse them all. Every day I am receiving word that motor caravans are setting out from every corner of the country to arrive in Indianapolis in time for the race. I hope you win. We have to keep the first prize in Indiana."

The mayor was alluding to the fact that Studebaker for seventy-two years has been located in Indiana.

Watch Studebaker's Speed

Automobile racing vets, who are practically living out at the Speedway these days, are carefully clocking the Studebaker Special, for the chatter is that the newest entry has a fine chance to annex first money.

For one thing, the car is in mighty healthy shape, flying over the bricks with the characteristic "feel" that delights Earl Cooper, seasoned veteran of fourteen years on the fastest track in the country.

Newspaper men note Cooper's thoughtful, studious, intense mood out at the track. He spends fourteen hours a day with that Studebaker Special, bringing out every possible bit of energy and power.

Cooper Seeks New Speed

There is a grim smile on his face as he whirrs past the impromptu clockers near the repair pits. Around and around he goes, testing, sporting, experimenting, hitting up to faster and faster lap performances.

Nursing the Studebaker Special is Earl Cooper's faithful mechanic, Reeves Dutton, widely known for years on the track as a shrewd trainer and driver of racing iars. Dutton spends all of his time "tuning up" the numeral "1," because Cooper was the first entry signed up for the 1924 Speedway classic.

Cooper was the winner of the Fresno race in 1919, after years' retirement into the world of business. He was seconded in the July 4th race in Kansas City last year, and second in the Beverly Hills meet in 1922. He also finished fourth in the 1915 race at the Indianapolis Speedway, besides winning the road championship in California in 1914.

ALL DAY SINGING AT MAPLE

There will be an all day singing at Maple Springs the third Sunday in June. All singers and lovers of music have a cordial invittion to come and bring your baskets filled with something to eat and your 1924 song books

Maple Springs is located about one mile south of Flakto.

THE PASTOR.

Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, billousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

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and it relieved me.

"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the docter, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

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SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES IN CHILTON COUNTY, ALA.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Under and by virtue of several decrees rendered by the probate court of Chilton County, Alabama on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes due for the year 1923, I will on **Monday, the 16th day of June, 1924,** sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county in Clanton, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, for the state and county taxes, fees, costs and charges, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $11.97.

BEAT 2

No. 227.—Arthur Glass—W ½ of SW ¼ Sec. 2, Tp. 23, Range 13

W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 36, Tp. 24, Range 13.

NW ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 11, Tp. 23, Range 13. Tax and cost $32.74.

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $16.98.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $17.47.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.77.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.71.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U.—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.40.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 21, Range 13.

SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 13. Tax and cost $21.52.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $43.22.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $45.15.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $42.70.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $32.32.

No. 1589.—A. W. Smith—SW ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $22.56.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U.—N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $8.25.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $11.37.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost $7.08.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $13.10.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost $9.00.

BEAT 5

No. 1793.—G. W. Bogan—Vacant lot, (Culver Lot) 10, Block T in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $5.60.

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $17.45.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $14.30.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $15.90.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $25.25.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $48.74.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.44.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $20.72.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.64.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $6.55.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $13.45.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $14.00.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.40.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $23.40.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.74.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.67.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.94.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.07.

No. 3996.—M. I. Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.36.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.42.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $18.01.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.12.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $8.44.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—A l of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $10.45.

BEAT 14

No. 4298.—Mrs. Frances Armstrong—13½ acres on N. end of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 22, R. 12. Tax and cost $8.73.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.85.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.90.

This, 14th day of May, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT,
Tax Collector, Chilton County, Ala.

ANOTHER BARBER SHOP

Mr. W. L. Powell is opening up a new barber shop in Clanton, which will be located next door to Powell Presing Company, on Seventh Street. This new show will have two chairs and will be in the charge of Mr. Walter Sanford. We have not learned who the other barber will be. Watch for further announcement next week.

WOCO-PEP—Don't be a hill dodger. Use Woco-Pep and go up the hill.

ELLIS & SONS.

Mrs. Claud Reynolds and mother, Mrs. S. A. Johnson, motored to Montgomery Saturday.

Miss Mary Heard, Louise McSwain and Elizabeth Johnson have returned home after a two-weeks visit to Mrs. Kyle in Decatur.

Mrs. Bateman has returned to her home in Belliville, Ill., after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bates of Lock 12.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Vermont School House in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said Vermont District and adjoining territory herein included for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said District No. 8. The boundary of said proposed school district No. 8 is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 29, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East two miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 28, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South one mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 27, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South four miles to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 15, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence west three and one-half miles to the Southwest corner of Sec. 18, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence North three miles to the Northwest corner of Sec. 6, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 31, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence North two miles to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on thhe taxable property of said proposed Tax District "C" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Providence School House in Tax District No. 58; and at the following other places in said proposed District "C": Minooka School House, Concord School House, and Free Springs School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said Tax District "C." The boundary of said Tax District "C" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Sec. 17, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence South three and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence West five and one-half miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence West one-half mile to the Northwest corner of Sec. 4, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Northwest corner of the S ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West to the County Line of Bibb and Chilton counties; thence North six miles to the Northwest corner of Chilton county; thence East along the boundary line between Chilton and Shelby counties to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said proposed Tax District "B" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Maple Springs School House in Tax District No. 1; at Shiloh School House in Tax District No. 12; at Enterprise School House in Tax District No. 13; at the regular voting place in Verbena, Alabama, in Tax District No. 15; and at the following other places in said proposed Tax District "B": Mt. Pleasant School House, Baker School House, Bethsalem School House, Mt. Pisgah School House, Eastview School House, Concord School House, Providence School House, Cooper School House, Corinth School House, and Morganville School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said tax district "B." The boundary of said Tax District "B" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence East four miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 21, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-eighth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 11, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East two miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence North two miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North three-fourths mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 28, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the Southwest fourth of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-half mile to the Northwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East about six miles to where the Section line between Sections 27 and 22, Tp. 22, Range 16 touches the Western boundary line of Coosa county; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western boundary line of Coosa county to the Township line between Townships 20 and 21; thence West along said Township line to the Range line between Ranges 16 and 17; thence South three miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 13, Tp. 20, Range 16; thence West along the County line between Chilton and Autauga counties for a distance of sixteen and three-fourths miles to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 17, Tp. 20, Range 14; thence North three and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the Northwest fourth of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence North one-half mile to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

CANE CREEK

We are going to clean off the cemetery at this place Thursday, June 5th, 1924. Everybody who is interested please come and bring tools to work with.

VERBENA SCHOOL CLOSES VERY SUCCESSFUL SESSION

Verbena High School closed its first session as an accredited institution Monday evening, May 19, when six graduates were presented their diplomas. The Methodist church was well filled with friends of the school and of the seniors, who had come to wish them continued success along life's highway, and to hear the address delivered by Dr. J. S. Thomas, Director of Extension, of the University of Alabama.

Friday evening the Senior play, "Putting It Over," was played to a full house in the school auditorium, and was a source of thorough enjoyment to all present. It was one of the cleverest in theme and in presentation that has ever been put on in Verbena. The Class of '24 will always be remembered for its dramatic talent, it having been before the people in many splendid productions.

Sunday morning Reverend Henry G. Cowan of Citronelle, Ala., preached the commencement sermon. His text was the first verse of the twelfth chapter of Romans, and his theme was "Consecration." He brought his message in forceful, eloquent words, pleading earnestly for the young people just passing out of the high school life to hold fast to right, virtuous life, always keeping in touch with the Master in service.

Monday morning the Class exercises were held in the church auditorium. A short welcome address was made by William H. Deramus, class president. The following program was rendered: Piano solo, Sarah Maude Pattillo; Salutatory, Crayton L. Norris; Quartette, "I Never Knew," Sarah Maude Pattillo, Virginia Scott, William Deramus, Adelbert Norris; Class Prophecy, Jannie Allen; Piano solo, Dolphus Harris; Class poem, Mary Stonecipher; Class history, Paul B. Dansby; Grumblings of the Class, Dolphus Harris; Vocal solo, "Can't Remember," Mary Stonecipher; Class Will, Crayton Norris; Class Song.

Exercises were opened Monday evening by a piano duet, Virginia Scott, Sarah Maude Pattillo, followed by a vocal solo, "Homing," by Mrs. P. F. Mitchell. The valedictory was well delivered by William H. DeRamus. Misses Parnell and Allen furnished a piano duet. The speaker of the evening, Dr. J. S. Thomas, in his usual brilliant manner held the entire interest of the audience in a fifty-minute address, so very pertinent to the occasion and to the mounting school interest that is being felt in Verbena. The school and community feel themselves very fortunate in having secured the services of Dr. Thomas, as well as those of Reverend Cowan.

Diplomas were delivered the following graduates by the principal of the school, Prof. W. E. G. Sutton: Jannie Estella Allen; Paul Barnett Dansby, William Henry Deramus, Dolphus Watson Harris, Crayton Lee Norris, Mary Helen Stonecipher.

Miss Zula Parnell presented her music classes in the annual recital Tuesday evening at the Community House. The program was replete with interest and showed well the individual talent and the careful training they had received.

The committee on raising funds for the erection of a modern consolidated high school building is daily in the field canvassing, and is meeting with splendid success. The building will be started at an early date, and will be of the one story type, eight class rooms, laboratory, manual training room, home economics room, and auditorium to seat over five hundred people. The entire citizenship is to be congratulated on the manner in which they are visualizing the future needs of the school as well as the whole-hearted way they are co-operating in financing the affair. By the time of opening school next fall it is hoped that the building will be ready for use, and such a one that for the needs of the district will be second to none in the State.

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BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL

New Orleans, La., May 28—Confidence in the methods of boll weevil control as recommended by the scientists and experts of the United States Department of Agriculture and the States Colleges of Agriculture is being demonstruted in virtually every section of the cotton belt where there is an organized movement to combat the pest.

While there is considerable effort on the part of some organizations and business concerns to obtain the use by the farmers of poison mixtures which have been proven by the scientists to have little or no value as a means of boll weevil control, the indications are that a great majority of the farmers who are using control methods are heeding the teaching of the scientists just as they heed the advice of the doctor when they are ill.

The argument has been presented that tests of poison have been made only under such conditions in one locality. This argument is readily refuted by reports of the experiment stations in practically every state in the cotton belt which show that calicum arsenate, used in dust form or in the home-mixed molasses mixture for the pre-square stage and the dust only after blooming begins, increase the yield per acre, increases the money value of the crop and decrases the cost of production.

The figures in the reports are based on tests conducted on plats where different kinds of poison were used, checked against each other and against unpoisoned plats under the same conditions.

It is significant that the findings of the various experiment stations so nearly coincide. It also is significant that for the first time since the boll weevil invaided the United States the scientists have agreed on a definite plan of controlling the boll weevil and have combined in making the same general recommendation for the entire cotton belt.

The methods of control which is being employed in the pre-square stage by a very large number of growers and which is recommended by the experts is the use of either calicum arsenate applied with using machinery or shaken on the plants from a bag; or a mixture of one pound of calicum arsenate, one gallon of molasses and one gallon of water applied to the tips of the plants with a home-made mop, using about one gallon to the acre.

Determination for the pre-square poisoning in made by a thorough daily inspection of the plants and when as many as twenty weevils to the acre are found, poisoning should begin. Poisoning in fruiting stage should begin when as many as 10 to 15 per cent of the squares are punctured and calicum arsenate in dust form only should be used. The reason for waiting until so many of the squares are punctured is because of the probability of weather control and no damage is effected by the pest until the infestation passes that stage because the plant would naturally shed that many squares without infestation.

Therefore, poisoning in the fruting stage before 10 to 15 per cent of the squares are punctured is a needless waste of time and money.

J. L. BURNETT THANKS VOTERS

Lawley, Ala., May 26, 1924.

To the Voters of Chilton County:

I wish to take this means of expressing my appreciation to the people who supported me in the recent primary. I have never before asked for any office and I feel highly honored with the vote that I received. If I am elected in November, which I believe I will be, I shall strive to discharge my duty to the best of my ability. I shall strive to find out the wishes of the people and then shall be governed accordingly.

I am going to do all I can honorably do to be elected in November and to elect the entire Republican ticket. I fully appreciate all of those who did not vote for me, for I feel like they voted their honest convictions. Now I want to insist that you help elect me in November and I can assure you that I will highly appreciate your support and influence. I hope that none of the defeated candidates are in any way sore, for we have had a fair and clean campaign.

Again thanking the people for their support and soliciting their future assistance, I am,

Respectfully,
J. L. BURNETT.

G. D. Retherford and family went to Fort Payne Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wyatt. They went through the country in their Chevrolet. They returned Wednesday morning.

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COOLIDGE PAYS TRIBUTE TO CONFEDERATE DEAD AT MEMORIAL EXERCISES

(Continued from page 1).

changed it. Your country respects you for cherishing the memory of those who wore the gray. You respect others who cherish the memory of those who wore the blue. In that mutual respect may there be a firmer friendship and a stronger and more glorious union.

Eulogizes General Carr

"When I delivered the address dedicating the great monument to General Grant in the city of Washington, General Carr was present with others of his comrades and responded for the Confederacy with a most appropriate tribute. He has lately passed away, one of the last of a talented and gallant corps of officers. To the memory of him whom I had seen and heard and knew, as the representative of that now silent throng, whom I did not know, I now offer my tribute. We know that it is Providence that would have it so. We see and we obey. A mightier force than ever followed Grant or Lee has levelled both their hosts, raised up a united nation and made us all partakers of a new glory.

"It is not for us to forget the past but to remember it, that we may profit by it. We must put our emphasis on the present and put into effect the lessons the past has taught us. All about us sleep those of many different beliefs and many divergent actions, but America claims them all. Her flag floats over them. Her government protects them. They all rest in the same divine peace."

Organizations participating in the memorial exercises included the Confederate Southern Memorial association, the United Confederate Veterans, United Daughters of the Confederacy, Sons of Confederate Veterans and Southern Relief society. Representative Wilson of Mississippi also delivered an address, and after the exercises flowers were placed on the graves of the Confederate dead.

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In the above photograph, is shown an extraordinary fine collection of walruses taken after an exciting hunt in the far north.

NON-JURY TERM CIRCUIT COURT HELD IN CLANTON ON TUESDAY

The following civil cases were disposed of by Judge Smoot in the Circuit Court of Chilton County last Tuesday:

W. C. Robinson vs. J. B. Downs, continued.

Bean Bros. vs. H. B. Mahan and A. R. Giles, Note, continued.

Chatt. Queensware Co., vs. T. J. Hendeson and J. C. Woolley, Account, continued

Peoples Bank & Trust Co., vs. W. W. Earnest, Garnishment on summons, dismissed.

Jefferson Shoe Co., vs. G. W. Freeman, Account, continued.

Winter-Loeb Gro. Co., vs. Thompson & Sons, Note, continued.

C. M. Foshee vs. M. & O. R.R., Appeal, continued.

Criel Bros. vs. H. T. Bradford, Note continued.

Markstein Bros. vs. W. J. Benton et als., Account, continued.

J. Y. Gray vs. S. B. Ratliff, Note, judgment for $215.49.

J. Y. Gray vs. J. L. Easterling, Note, judgment for $585.26.

J. Y. Gray vs. M. C. Wesson, Note, judgment for $266.45.

C. D. Messer vs. L. H. Reynolds, Election contest, dismissed by plaintiff.

Solomon Bros. vs. Guy Roberts, account, judgment for $320.99.

The Criminal Docket, also disposed of Tuesday, was as follows:

Mell Kimball, Appeal, v.p.l, withdrawn and filed on motion of solicitor.

K. M. Fikes, Living in adultery, withdrawn.

Eula Edwards, alias Eula Fikes, Living in adultery, withdrawn.

Jessie Smith, v.p.l., nol prossed.

Lum Roseberry, v.p.l., guilty, fined $300; appeal, bond $1,000.

M. C. Henley, Peace proceedings, continued.

Mell Kimball, Defaulting bond, continued.

W. F. Culpepper, abusive language, not guilty.

Rufus Bearden, abusive language, plead guilty, fined $50.00.

Jim Hester, a. & b., transferred to jury docket.

Jim Hester, v.p.l., transfered to jury docket.

Albert Smith, a. & b., guilty, fined $25.00.

Albert Smith, Abusive language, guilty, fined $50.

Herbert Gothard. v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $50.

Len Garrett, allowing cattle to run at large, continued.

Leander Beasley, violating road law, nol prossed.

Albert Barnett, violating road law, guilty, fined $15; appeal, bond $300.

A. M. Mims, v.p.l., plead guilty, fined $50.

Filmore Childress, v.r.l., nol prossed.

Brock Wells and Jim Lowe of Selma were visitors to Clanton Sunday. They returned Sunday afternoon.

CULP-POOLE MARRIAGE

On last Sunday night occurred the marriage of Mr. Esco Culp to Miss Vera Poole, both of Fairview community. Young Culp is the son of Mrs. W. L. Carter, who now lives at Vida. The bride is the charming young daughter of Mr W. A. Poole of Cross Roads.

Shortly after their marriage the happy couple left for Birmingham, where they spent a couple of days, returning to Clanton Tuesday night. They will make their home at Fairview.

K. M. VINSON THANKS VOTERS

To the Voters of Chilton County:

I want to thank you each and every one for the consideration given me in the race for county treasurer. As you all know, I did not get the nomination, but I feel indeed proud of the vote I got in the county. I said before the primary that I was willing to be governed by the majority of the voters of the county, and I still say it. I am satisfied with the nominations that the people made, and I assure the nominees and the entire Republican party of my cooperation and support.

Let's all get behind our ticket and elect it unanimously in November. Again thanking you for your consideration and support given me, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,
K. M. VINSON.

MOUNTAIN CREEK

There will be an ice cream supper at Mt. Creek next Saturday night, May 31st. Everybody cordially invited. It's to make money for the Sunday school treasury.

MRS. L. H. GENTRY.

Mrs. W. L. Powell, Mrs. J. E. Ray and three children, Adell, J. E., Jr., and Douglas, of Dadeville, Ala., are visiting their parents and grand parents, Mr and Mrs. A. W. Powell, Sr., of Pensacola, Fla.

FROM WM. R. BAKER

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to thank the people who voted for me in the recent primary. I want to especially thank the people of our two banner Republican Beats for the nice majority they gave me. Beat 16 is at present the one in which I live, and Beat 11 is one in which I have taught for several years. I wish also to thank that part of Beat 4 in which I was raised for the majority which it tendered to me.

I want to say to the people of Chilton County that I believe we have in Mr. Smith an ideal man and that he will listen to the wishes of the people on school matters. We have a strong ticket nominated for all the various offices, so let's all line up and give the biggest majority in November we have ever given.

Yours truly,
Wm. R. BAKER.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"Ther's a lot o' folks who can't talk about anything - but th' weather-'n' most o'them 're poor at that, even--"

Misses Edith Stephenson, Mary Earle, Maxine and Esther Farley and Mr. Berber Farley motored through the country last week to Ooltewah, Tenn., near Chattanooga, to attend the graduating exercises of the Southern Junior College, also visiting Lookout Mountain and the battle fields at Fort Oglethorpe. They returned home Tuesday, reporting a pleasant trip.

Service Barber Shop

Mr. Jesse C. Jones and Mr. N. A. Gray have combined their Barber Shops and are now located on Main Street, next door to Hayes Drug Store. The new shop is strictly sanitary and up-to-date in every respect. We furnish first class bath. Chairs operated by N. A. Gray, Joe Mims, Jesse C. Jones and Ervin Williams. We solicit the patronage of our friends.

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New Law Cuts Taxes About $361,000,000

Legislation Reduces Outlay of Almost Every Federal Taxpayer; June 15 Payment Cut in Half.

Washington, June 2.—President Coolidge today signed the tax reduction bill, but declared it unsatisfactory, announced he would bend all his energies to obtain enactment of a better measure at the next session of Congress.

The bill, which decreases tax rates in most instances to the lowest levels since 1917 and which was the basis of the hottest legislative fight of the present session of Congress, was declared by the President in a 2,500-word statement issued coincident with his approval of the measure, to represent merely "tax reduction, not tax reform."

"The bill does not represent a sound, permanent tax policy and in its passage has been subject to unfortunate influence which ought not to control fiscal questions," the executive said. "Still, in spite of its obvious defects, its advantages as a temporary relief and a temporary adjustment of business conditions, in view of the uncertainty of a better law within a reasonable time, lead me to believe that the best interests of the country would be subserved if this bill became law.

To Seek New Bill.

"A correction of its defects may be left to the next session of the Congress. I trust a bill less political and more truly economic may be passed at that time. To that end I shall bend all my energies."

The legislation as approved by the President reduces the taxes of almost every federal tax payer and cuts down the federal revenue by an amount estimated at $361,000,000 for the next fiscal year. This reduction however, will not result in any deficit, according to treasury experts.

The principal effect of the new law will not be felt until next year, the 50 per cent reductions in income taxes being made applicable to incomes of this year but payable in 1925. Immediate relief, however, is granted every income tax payer, as a 25 per cent decrease is ordered in the case of income taxes for the current year and now due. Persons who are paying this year's income taxes on the installment plan may cut their second payment, due June 15, by one-half and their other two installments by one-fourth each. Those who already have paid their income taxes in full will get a refund without application.

Excise Taxes Repealed

Another effect that soon will be appreciable is thhe provision of the new law repealing within 30 days many excise taxes, such as those on telegraph and telephone messages, soft drinks, candy, carpets, rugs, trunks and theatre admission of 50 cents or less.

The revision of the income tax rates effected under the new law brings a cut in all such levies. This amounts to 50 per cent reduction on incomes of $8,000 and under. On amounts above that the normal rate is cut from 8 to 6 per cent while the surtax rates are revised on a similar basis.

The next surtax schedule starts with 1 per cent on $10,000 and graduates up to 40 per cent on $500,000 and more.

A new feature written into the legislation at the recommendation of Secretary Mellon provides for an additional reduction of 25 per cent on earned incomes up to $10,000 with all incomes of $5,000 and under classed as earned.

SLIGHT FIRE IN CLANTON LAST MONDAY P. M.

On Monday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock, the fire alarm was given, the location of the conflagration being in the home of Col. J. B. Atkinson on Second Avenue South. The flames, however, were extinguished before much damage was done. Only two beds and some other furnishings in the sleeping porch were burned and that room was slightly damaged from the flames. The fire is supposed to have originated from an electric iron which was left turned on. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Atkinson were present when the fire caught out.

Within a few minutes after the alarm was given the whole fire department of Clanton and most of the people were on the scene to fight the blazes, but it was put out before scarcely any of the fire-fighting outfit was put into use.

Revival at Friendship Church to Begin the Third Sunday in July

At the regular service at Friendship church the fourth Sunday night, a committee on arrangements for the revival was appointed. Rev. Marion W. Mims of Verbena has been secured to help Rev. Robinson in the preaching, and the service will begin the third Sunday in July. It was desired to begin the revival on the fourth Sunday, the reuglar preaching day, but the time of Rev. Mims was filled for this date at his own church at New Cedron, so the date of the Friendship meeting was set up one week in order to get the help of Rev. Mims.

It is hoped that the people of Friendship will begin now to prepare for this revival, and do their best to make it the very best possible. There are enough people living in sight of Friendship church to make a wide-awake band of Christians, and there is no reason why the people of that community do not get together and make their church something to be proud of.

Methodists Close a Series of Successful Meetings in Clanton

Rev. H. W. Rice of Opelika conducted at the Clanton Methodist Church a series of meetings all last week. The sermons of Rev. Rice were cheerfully received by his many hearers, who were very favorably impressed with his clear style and forceful delivery of his ideas. The services were brought to a close last Sunday.

CLANTON BOUND JULY 4th

Free Barbecue

Big Doings in Clanton July 4th—Free Barbecue, Speaking, Two Big Ball Games, Greazy Poll Climbing, Greazy Pig Catching, Foot Races — in fact, Everything to make you have a good time. Make Preparations to Come. You can't afford to miss it. Set your Stakes now.

NEW STATE DRAINAGE LAW HELD INVALID BY ALABAMA HIGH COURT

Unlawful for Districts to Levy Tax On Property. Must be Done Only By Municipalities.

The Supreme Court of Alabama recently decided that the drainage law passed by the State Legislature of Alabama in 1923 was not constitutional. The court held that nothing other than a municipal corporation had the power to levy a tax on property. Inasmuch as the drainage business was to be handled by a district instead of a county or other municipal corporation, it was decided that such proceedings could not be taken against property.

This decision of the Supreme court somewhat affects the drainage project of the Clanton district which has been under way for the past few years. However, the attorneys for the Clanton project have instituted another plan by which we may be able to go ahead with the enterprise. A meeting of those who signed the drainage agreement will be called in Clanton in a few days and a drainage engineer will be here to speak to us and explain the new plan. All who have land in the swamps around Clanton will be on the look out for the announcement of this meeting, and come together and hear the project discussed by this engineer.

FINE PROGRAM AT OAK GROVE

Editor Union-Banner:

I want to stase in your paper for the benefit of your many readers, that I have just returned from the Children's Day at Oak Grove and want to say that the program was well arranged and each one in the program recited their part nicely, faithfully and efficiently, and in a way I believe it to be an honor and a credit to the Oak Grove community All who were present seemed to have enjoyed the day. There was a large crowd present and in spite of the bad feelings, Deacon W. J. Northcutt performed his duties as chairman well. They had a lot of good songs arranged all along through the program in the forenoon. And as to dinner, owing to the illness of my wife I went home to see her during noon recess, but it was reported as usual, plenty to eat for the crowd and some to spare. I returned just in time to help them enjoy the refreshing shower of rain that fell so nicely.

I am not very well acquainted with the directors and organists, so I can't mention their names, except Brother Frank Lowery from Providence and Misses Lonie Martin, the guitar picker, who performed her part well.

Good behavior prevailed throughout the day and we hope that such conditions will continue throughout the world.

Among the visitors I noticed Bro. J. D. Holsomeback and wife from Mars Hill; J. E. Cobb and family of Center Hill, and O. P. Scott of Jemison, and others.

When you really want to enjoy a day, come to Oak Grove at some of the big singings.

Very respectfully,
J. N. SCOTT.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harten of Montgomery were in Clanton last Thursday and Friday. They were on their way to Birmingham where Mrs. Harton will spend several days with relatives and friends. Pat is the popular salesman for the Graham Paper Company.

WE UNLOADED three cars of gas, one car of Benzol and one car of Kerosene in May, and have four booked to come in June. Who would have thought it? Ask the thousands of Satisfied Users. ELLIS & SONS.

NEW CONTRACTOR IS AWARDED PAVING JOB ON CHILTON HIGHWAY

Louisville Firm Released from Contract. The State to Furnish The Cement.

An agreement has been reached whereby the contract for the paving of the section of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway in Chilton county will be awarded to B. E. Schevnell of Memphis, it was learned Saturday from the highway department at Montgomery.

Speed-Parker of Louisville was low bidder, but later asked to be released from the contract when a misunderstanding arose as to the state furnishing the cement to the contractor. The Memphis contractor, who was second low bidder, has agreed to take the contract at the bid of Speed-Parker, it was stated, and formal execution of the contract is expected soon. Work on the grading and the bridges on the project is already actively in progress. The state will furnish the cement for the concrete paving.

CLANTON VS. TALLASSE

This afternoon (Thursday) at the high school ball park, Clanton will play the team from Tallassee. This team beat Clanton last year and they think they can do it again. But can they, or can they not? Come to the game this afternoon and see if they can. Clanton is after Mr. Totty.

CONCORD MEETING

On Friday night, June 6, a meeting will be held at Concord School House for the purpose of explaining the objects and program of the Farmers Co-operative Association. All farmers within reach who are interested in co-operation should come.

O. H. MASTIN.

CHILDREN'S DAY AT OAK HILL

There will be Children's Day exercises here Sunday, June 8th. We have a fine program arranged, consisting of speeches, dialogues and plays, such as entertaining Sisters Beau, the Magic Ring, etc. The afternoon will be spent in singing.

We are expecting some fine singers from all parts of the county. All singers and lovers of music are not only invited but requested to come and bring your latest song books; and above all, don't fail to bring lots of something good to eat, for we need your help in this way as well as in the singing. Everybody come and let's make Oak Hill ring again with praises to our God from whom all blessings flow.

E. L. GLASSCOCK.

MAY MARRIAGES

Charlie Bowden and Miss Rosa Lee Wilson.

Harvey Baker and Miss Beatrice Kelley.

H. M. Williams and Miss Ola Cooper.

Earnest B. Womble and Miss Inez Gentry.

Willie O. Payton and Miss Velma Smith.

J. D. Martin and Miss Essie Mae Duren.

Wm. S. Parrish and Miss Eula Mae Vines.

Elijah Moates and Miss Mamie Thomas.

Esco Culp and Miss Vera Poole.

D. Z. Nix and Miss Ruby Dee Veazey.

N. C. Cooper and Miss Meadie Headley.

Evan Varden and Miss Luelzie Logan.

Wm. C. Smith and Miss Sweete Mae Jones.

Big Singing Held Here At High School Sunday

Prof. A. J. Showalter and Vaughan Quartets Were Honor Guests of Singing Convention.

The climax in the sacred music activity of Chilton county was reached last Sunday in the event of the special session of the Chilton County Singing Convention at the county high school. This was indeed the biggest, most spirited and most attended musical event in the county for many years, there being present about three thousand people, and the whole school campus being covered with automobiles and other types of vehicles.

The weather was fine in the morning, and the people began to gather in shortly after sunrise. By the time the singing began, the spaceous auditorium was completely filled as well as all the aisles and door-ways. The meeting was called to order at 10 o'clock by Chairman W. G. Culp, who, after a short prayer by Rev. W. S. Cox, made a few striking remarks in way of introduction, and started off the day of singing lyrics to Jehovah. Among the prominent singers present and taking active part in directing were H. C. Collins of Georgia, John M. Dye of Birmingham, N. A. Smith of Elmore county, W. M. Devaughn, of Verbena, and Prof. G. A. Mann, Seaman, Alabama. The famous Vaughn Quartet of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., consisting of A. M. Pace, W. B. Walbert, T. R. Shaw and H. E. Barnett, was there in all its glory. And the most noted and most widely known of all the honored guests of the convention was Prof. A. J. Showalter of Dallas, Texas.

Beyond any doubt, Mr. Showalter is the greatest writer and singer of sacred music in the South, and the convention felt very honored in having his presence with them. Besides singing a number of old and new songs during the day, Mr. Showalter talked quite a bit, telling of his varied experience in singing and teaching music in the South. In his speech, Prof. Showalter said that among all of the places he had taught and worked in, he held Alabama among the dearest. It was in this state that the noted teacher taught his first normal institute, and it is here that most of the greatest singers Mr. Showalter has taught live now or have lived.

The first song that Mr. Showalter sung was "Leaning on the everlasting arms," which he himself composed nearly a half century ago and which is known in nearly every civilized country on the globe. There are few songs in use today which are more broadly used than "Leaning on the Everylasting Arms." The way Mr. Showalter and the huge choir rendered the famous old selection made it sound like it had been written only yesterday.

All along during the day, the Vaughn Quartet, under the management of Mr. Pace, a graduate of Mr. Showalter, rendered some of its choice sacred selections which commanded the hearty applause of the huge congregation. In the afternoon, the Quartet had its saxaphones there and used them in accompanying the singing. This added greatly to the beauty of the music rendered. Most of

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FAMOUS QUARTET GIVES CONCERT AT HIGH SCHOOL

The famous Vaughan Quartet of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., gave a vocal and saxaphone concert at the high school auditorium in Clanton Monday night of this week. This was a new group of entertainers this time, only one having sung in quartets here before. Besides singing some of the most popular numbers of the day, these men delivered some saxaphone and solo numbers which were high class indeed. When it comes to harmony and perfection in singing and playing together, the Vaughan Quartet measures up to a high scale. The auditorium was full of attentive listeners to the splendid musical numbers rendered. The receipts from sale of tickets amounted to $157.90, 25% of which goes to the ladies of Clanton and the rest to the Vaughan Music Company.

Again We Are Constrained to Say "It Pays to Advertise"

Mr. John T. Ellis tells us that his sales of Woco-Pep during May increased 7,200 gallons over his sales the previous month. To what do you attribute this stupendous increase? If you allow us to answer this question we will say "advertising." Mr. Ellis and his boys are continually talking "Woco-Pep" everywhere they go, and besides talking it they put it before the public in the form of printers ink. Mr. Ellis uses newspaper space and he distributes circulars as well, telling the world of the advantages of Woco-Pep. He does not do this one day in the year and then quit, but he continues to keep it before the public, and he is perfectly satisfied with the money he spends in advertising. Why? Because it pays him to do it. Yes, indeed, advertising in the right way certainly pays every time.

Senate Passes Child Labor Act Monday By Vote of 61 to 23

Washington, June 2.—Approval was given by the Senate tonight to a constitutional amendment which would empower the federal government to limit, regulate or prohibit the labor of children under 18 years of age. It previously had been approved by the House and now goes to the states for ratification.

The vote was 61 to 23, or five more than the necessary two-thirds.

Forty republicans, nineteen democrats and two farmer-labor votes were cast for the amendment and 17 democrats and 6 republicans voted against it.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of the McDonald Mercantile Company, who have been visiting in Florida for the past month have returned home and taken charge of their business here. We are glad to have these two good people back with us.

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Let the past be forgotten. It will never return with its opportunities. They are gone forever but the GREAT FUTURE holds other and better ones for the man who is ready to grasp them.

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UNITED STATES NOT SOLVING ROAD PROBLEM, CLAIMED

National Highway Commission Is Necessary.

At a convention called by President Coolidge, in Washington, to consider the subject of Outdoor Recreation, Dr. S. M. Johnson, vice president of the National Highways Association, spoke on the subject of National Highways and National Parks. In the course of his remarks he brought out the fact that in spite of the enormous sums of money now being spent on roads, the problem is not being met in any affective way. He said, in part:

"The Federal Government is not backing the road-building program as it should. In addition to this, the present plan, under which Congress appropriates money and distributes it to the States to be expended in the consruction of the Federal aid system of roads, while a vast improvement upon the policy it superseded, is not resulting in a proper degree of concentration upon the main trunk lines which are needed to connect section with section, seacoast with mountain, coast with coast, the frozen north with the sunny skies of Florida and the southern tier of States; and the rest of the United States with such recreational areas as those of New England and New York, the southern highlands and the great National Parks. This is due in no part to Mr. MacDonald, chief of the Bureau of Public roads, or to his associates, but to the policy and in some instances the law of some of the States in which Federal funds are being applied to the building of roads of lesser consequence to the neglect of great through routes reaching from ocean to ocean.

"The remedy for this condition is to nationalize the great arterial roads, such as serve the whole Nation. The Congress should create a 'National Highway and Parkway Commission.' Selection should be made of certain arterial roads north and south and east and west for first completion. The States and counties should be reimbursed for all they have expended on these roads and the Federal Government should take them over and finish them without further delay, at its own expense, and thereafter bear all the cost of keeping them in perfect condition.

"The scope of this work should include parkways. Wherever these great main trunk lines traverse forests, a right of way at least 1,000 feet wide on either side should be secured and forever preserved as a part of the roadside landscape."

NOTICE

There will be a school meeting at Mt. Pleasant School House Saturday night, June 7, for the purpose of selecting a teacher and also to get some plans for building a new room. All patrons of the school are urged to be present at this meeting.

J. W. Lowery, R. M. Foshee, Albert Culp, Trustees.

FOR THE FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N

Clanton, Ala., June 2, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to the Farmers Co-operative Association which was organized at Clanton on May 17. There is a great opportunity for such an organization with headquarters at Clanton. This is a territory where the fertility and the adaptability of the soil are such as to make it ideal for growing fruit and truck crops. The fact that it is a section of small farms, also suggest the possible in successful co-operation. And too, the farmers in this section are intelligent and are seeking to employ the best means toward the upbuilding of agriculture.

We have every means to facilitate the work of the Association, which can be accomplished only by securing an earnest and enthusiastic membership. The deep seated, and widespread conviction that co-operation offers the best means of giving immediate relief to the farmers, will play an important role in bringing the work to a successful realization. The organization has no secrets, but its aim is none the less for this reason.

Here is an opportunity for the farmers to unite to make use of the potential possibilities that have lain latent so long. Will we be equal to the occasion? All other classes are trying to advance their well-being in society. We can do the same. The Thorsby association is a vivid example of what can be done. With unabated confidence that success will be ours. I am,

Yours for co-operation,
C. N. EILAND.

PROVIDENCE ANNUAL SINGING

The annual singing was held at Providence May 25, 1924. House was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Chairman R. Robinson, by singing song, "Revive Us Again." Prayer by Bro. M. J. Parrish.

Chairman appointed a committee to arrange for the day—E. L. Powell, T. L. Robinson and J. W. Cooper. They arranged the following directors for the day: G. C. Powell, J. R. Robinson, R. T. Grant, L. F. Cleckler 3 songs each. Recess 15 minutes.

Lecture on music 15 minutes by Bro. E. A. Norris, which was fine. Quartet by R. M. Robinson, G. C. Powell, C. H. Robinson and E. L. Powell. Recess for 1 1-2 hours for dinner.

Afternoon directors, O. R. Robinson, S. M. Yates, C. H. Robinson and E. L. Powell. Quartet by R. M. Robinson, Lee Robinson, G. C. Powell and E. L. Powell. Recess 15 minutes.

Lee Robinson, J. W. Cleckler, A. L. Robinson, J. E. Minor and T. L. Robinson, 3 songs each.

Organists for the day were: C. H. Robinson, Lee Robinson, L. F. Cleckler and Mrs. Alice Baker.

Closing song was sung by L. N. Henderson.

Everybody seemed to have a good time, and a real singing.

Dismissed in prayer by W. W. Robinson.

R. ROBINSON, Chm.
J. W. CLECKLER, Sec.

Woco-Pep—More Miles, More Power, Less Carbon—will take you there and bring you back. Woco Motor Oils and Sunlight Kerosene.
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FIVE GENERATIONS OF ROBINSONS ALL LIVING

THE above group is composed of (left to right) W. R. Robinson, (Uncle Bill), and his son, J. M. Robinson, (Doctor), both of Clanton; the latter's son, A. P. Robinson of Union Grove; his daughter, Mrs. Orell Northcutt of Gorgas, and her daughter, Melba Northcutt. All five, from Uncle Bill to Melba, are hale and hearty and enjoying life abundantly.

REV. BOB CLARK CAUGHT POURING OUT HIS BOOZE

Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee were in Verbena Saturday evening, and by chance, went around to the home of Rev. Bob Clark, colored. Just as Foshee entered the house, Clark was pouring the whiskey out of a jug, and was informing the officer that he didn't have no whiskey. But in this case, actions spoke much louder than words, since an examination of the stuff which had been poured from the jug showed that it was whiskey all right. Clark was arrested and brought to jail in Clanton, where he remains, his bond not yet having been made.

On last Friday the officers located up in the Union Grove community a 75-gallon galvanized still, which had been in operation some time within a month, as the slop still remained in the condenser. A barrel of strawberry beer was found within a short distance of the still. Both the beer and the still were destroyed by the officers. No arrests were made.

G. D. Retherford, city police of Clanton, with the assistance of Sheriff Littlejohn, arrested Bud Parrish in Clanton last Sunday, who had a bottle of whiskey in his pocket. Parrish was arrested and made his bond.

FAVOR TAX ELECTION

We call the attention of the patrons of school district number 61, known as the Minooka district, that after a thorough investigation we have been convinced beyond any doubt that the election that is now pending in our district is exactly what we want and need. According to the information we have received, we are convinced that it does not mean that our school will be consolidated with any other school. Also the tax money paid in our district will be used only for our school at Minooka, district number 61.

We earnestly urge all the voters in our district to aid us and give their support and influence in helping us get the necessary finance to build up one of the very best schools in this section of Chilton county.

We feel confident that you will never regret your support in this direction.

J. G. W. BAILEY,
E. N. ADAMS.

Got a Gallon Measure Full the First Time!

Glenn Herrick, noted scientist, states that in one experiment, he gathered a full gallon measure of roaches in a kitchen that was badly infested. They breed with startling rapidity, and are a serious menace to your health. Get Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder today. Rapid—Sure. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

BIRMINGHAM NOT IN CLASS WITH CLANTON TEAM

According to all expectations, the people of Clanton witnessed a mighty fine baseball game here last Thursday afternoon. The visitors were the Yellow Cab players of Birmingham, and Clanton found that those who said that the Yellow Cab team could play ball were not exaggerating a bit. Those boys played ball, but Clanton played too, the final score being 4 to 3 in favor of the home team.

To be sure, this was the most exciting game that has been played in Clanton for a long time. The Birmingham team is very proficient in ball playing, all players working in complete harmony at all times. This team carries with it two regular league players, and all the rest of the team knows their stuff right along. But in the face of such strong opposition, Clanton pulled the wool over their eyes. The pitching of Jones, and the batting of McAdams and Broadus Connatser for Clanton are what pulled it over. All of Clanton's players did well, but these three deserve special mention. Aaron Roper in left field did splendid playing there as well as batting and running bases.

There was a good crowd out to witness the game, and everyone, even Harry, the Yellow Cab first baseman, went away well pleased with the playing and the result of the game.

UNION GROVE

There will be an ice cream supper here the third Saturday night, June 21st, for the benefit of the church. Everybody come and bring some one with you. Don't forget the date—June 21st.

IMPROVED HIGHWAYS

The story of what improved highways mean to the rural community as told in the motion picture, "The Road to Happiness," is given a new impetus to good roads sentiment everywhere through the country.

This is shown in reports being received daily by government officials who co-operated in the making of the picture and by the Ford Motion Picture Laboratory which produced it.

"The Road to Happiness" films are distributed free from all Ford branches in the United States and since the first of them went out a few weeks ago the demand for their showing has been so great that it has been necessary to supply ever branch with extra copies.

The picture tells of the influence of improved highways upon the social, educational, religious and economic phases of life in rural communities, and the need for skilled highway engineering to bring about the improvement, the moral of all of which is that "we pay for improved roads whether we have them or not, and we pay less if we have them than if we have not."

The film was produced jointly by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, representing the motor car industry and the Highway Education Board, and was made by the Ford Motor Picture Laboratory, under the guidance of the Bureau of Public Roads, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Because of the success of the picture in this country, the titles are being translated into foreign languages and as soon as possible it will be sent to Mexico, South America and Europe.

Twelve Head of Cattle Burned to Death!

A barn containing forty head of cattle caught fire recently. Twelve cows were burned to death. Rats are indirectly blamed for the fire.—Bulletin.

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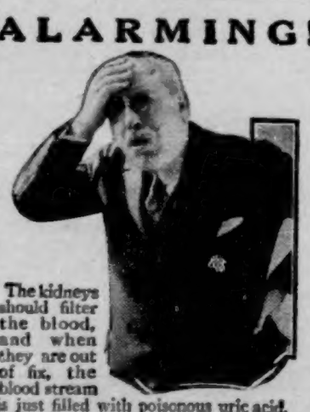

The kidneys should filter the blood, and when they are out of fix, the blood stream is just filled with poisonous uric acid.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager)

We are always proud to meet and greet our Thorsby boys or girls who have succeeded in making good in whatever calling they may be engaged. It is also a source of pride that there are so many of them for a town the size of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Petersen of Thorsby had as their guest for past week their son, Leo Petersen, from Pensacola, Fla. Mr. Petersen was born in Thorsby in 1901 and lived with his parents until 1918 when he enlisted in the air service of the U. S. navy and was stationed at Pensacola.

Mr. George Peterson of Birmingham, formerly of Thorsby, was a visitor here last Monday.

Misses Ruth Peterson, Louise Adams and Inga Erdahl were week end visitors from Birmingham

Mr. J. M. Bosworth, who is spending the summer at Valley Head, Ala., spent Sunday with his family here.

Miss Edna Turnipseed, a former student at Thorsby Institute, spent commencement week with the Misses Steiner in Thorsby.

Mr. Truman Pierce, 1923 graduate of Thorsby Institute, now of Birmingham-Southern College, came to attend T. I. commencement last Friday.

Last Saturday night, Mr and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson gave a farewell party in honor of their son, Wilbur Peterson, who has been spending a month or more with them and left Tuesday for his home in Detroit. After a season of games and dancing, which were greatly enjoyed by the young folks, a delicious ice course was served to the folowing: Misses Lorena Graham, Edith and Jennye Robinson, Pearl and Mae Oma Steiner, Nell and Sadie Shannon, Dolly Sorrell, Margaret Butler, Edna Turnipseed, Agnes and Iola Gerald, Inga Erdahl, Ruth Peterson; Messrs. Almon Graham, Palmer Lefstead, Gresham Lowery, George Johnson, Haber Hansen, Arnold Soberg, Eugene Davenport and Wilbur Peterson.

Miss Sadie Mae Shannon of West Point, Ga., is visiting with her sisters, Mrs. Nels Peterson and Miss Nell Shannon.

Last Friday morning, May 30th there was a meeting at Bates Hall of the graduates of Thorsby Institute, for the purpose of re-organizing the Alumni Asociation, which had had no meeting for several years. The object of this association is to foster the spirit of fellowship among Thorsby Institute graduates and to help in every way posible to advance the interests of the school. New officers were elected as follows: Waldemar Lefstead, president; Truman Pierce, vice-president; Roscoe Maddox, secretary and Miss Jessie Mims, treasurer.

Last Friday afternoon Miss Helen C. Jenkins gave an informal reception in honor of the graduates and alumni of Thorsby Institute. The alumni enjoyed talking over old times and welcoming the new graduates into their association.

Messrs. Earl Leary and Bob Carter are employed under chief engineer, Henning, as inspectors on the new highway.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon, June 5th at the home of Mrs. Nels Petersen.

The regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association of Thorsby will be held at the public school building at 3 o'clock p.m., Friday, June 6th.

The committee of arrangements of the Parent-Teachers Association announce that the association will sponsor a celebration in Thorsby July 4th. Details will be given later.

Mrs. Alice Thompson Guth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thomsen, with three children, are spending a month with Mrs. Guth's parents in Thorsby.

HONOR ROLLS — 6TH TERM
Thorsby Institute.

First—Average of 90 or above, no grade below 85.—Codie D. Bell, Geraldine Dobson, Claudie Eiland, Ragnar Ekbiad, Iola Gerald, F.D. Greene, Palmer Lefstead.

Second—Average of 85 or above, no grade below 75—Ben Brown, Dorothy Butler, Margaret Butler, Connie Darby, Mary Deason, Betty Lakeman, Nora Lee Lesley, Gresham Lowery, Ronald Lucas, Ruth Martin, Lillian McKee, Lois Primm, Roy Raybon, Cola Ruffin, Fellie Stephens, Ruth Turner, Marcelle Wilder, Bernice R. Williams, Olene Mims, Frances Wilson, Boona Lee Wood.

Third—Attendance, neither absent nor tardy during six weeks.—Margaret Butler, Dorothy Butler, Ben Brown, Codie Bell, Eugene Davenport, Plato Deason, Claudie Eiland, William Each, Cecil Each, Etta Foshee, Dorris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, F. D. Green, Sixten Hall, Mable Howard, Floy Jackson, Julia Jackson, Spurgeon Kelley, Lewis D. Kelly, Edmund Lakeman, Palmer Lefstead, Ronald Lucas, Mae Maddox, Lillian McKee, Olene Mims, Rob Raybon, Bernice Rogers, Dessie Robinson, Gertrude Steiner, Fellie Stephens, Frances Wilson, Bernice Wood, Boona Wood, Hosie D. Wood.

Richard Hastings Butler Prizes—One dollar to be given to every student who has been neither absent nor tardy throughout the school year:—Codie Bell, Margaret Butler, Dorothy Butler, Doris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, F. D. Green, Ronald Lucas, Palmer Lefstead, Lillian McKee, Olene Mims, Bernice Rogers, Bernice Wood, Boona Lee Wood, Frances Wilson, Spurgeon Kelly.

Perry Prizes.—Awarded to the boy or girl standing highest in French I and II; prizes $5 each:—French I, Gresham Lowery; French II, Margaret Butler.

Scholarship Prizes.—Two $12 prizes by class of 1923. One scholarship to sub-academic standing highest and one to high school below senior year:—Sub-academic, to Doris Freeman; high school, to Geraldine Dobson.

Loving Cup.—The silver cup presented by Thorsby Hardware Company to the class at Thorsby Institute scoring the most points at the Inter-Class Track Meet, held May 9, was awarded to Sophomore class. F. D. Greene, the contestant receiving the highest number of points, received the cup for the Sophomore class.

Illinois College Scholarship.—Illinois College offers to the boy and to the girl of the graduating class of T. I., who ranks first or second during the entire high school course, a scholarship which amounts in money value to $100. Applicants must have a grade of at least 90% for the last year of high school. Awarded to Codie Bell.

Piedmont College Scholarship.—Piedmont College offers a tuition scholarship to the student in the graduating class of T I., who ranks highest in scholarship or if he does not avail himself of it, to the one who ranks second. First, Codie Bell; second, Margaret Butler.

Declamatory Contest, 1923-24.—$5 each to Lorena Primm and Gordon Sorrell.

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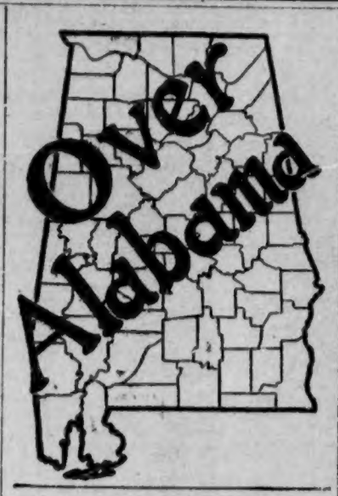

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Drunkenness can never excuse the commission of murder and even if a person is so drunk as not to be able to form a purpose of taking life though such fact might tend to reduce the offense to manslaughter, it could not reduce it lower than manslaughter in the first degree. It was so held in the opinion of the supreme court written by Jutisce Ormond Somerville in the case of Albert Cagle appealed from the Jackson circuit court. Cagle was convicted of murder and sentenced to imprisonment for 35 years. On appeal, counsel for the defendant claimed that at the time the crime was committed Cagle was so intoxicated that he did not have the intelligence to form a purpose to take human life, and that the jury should have been instructed that the offense committed could not be more than murder in the second degree. The uspreme court affirmed the trial court's judgment.

Seeking an accounting of affairs of the Gulf Coast Produce Exchange also the Horticultural Development company, each devoted to the citrus industry in Mobile county, a suit for $3,000 by a member of the two exchanges is under way in federal court Attorneys are arguing the question of a separation of the two associations before the court prior to actual trial of the case. One of the members of the exchange in the suit charges that $3,000 is due him for oranges sold from his place. He charged extravagance in the opeeration on the exchanges and declares that a contract was made to handle oranges, but that he has never received any money or an accounting from the citrus exchange.

In order to find out just where the candidates for municipal offices at Gadsden stand on various and important issues, the League of Women Voters will give them a dinner within the next few days, the date not being set. Nearly 50 candidates for mayor, president of the council and the several aldermanic positions will attend. It is expected that a number of women interested in political matters will also be invited. Candidates will be called upon to pledge their efforts to behalf of parks, playgrounds, dry enforcement, sanitation and the general moral welfare of the city.

Recognition of the ability of the woman as office holders in Walker county is perhaps greater than in any other county in the state. The women have already captured two county offices in Walker and another one will fall to a woman before the end of the year. Miss Mary Amiss, democrat, holds the office of circuit clerk of Walker and Mrs. Lillian Davison, republican, is county auditor. On May 13 Miss Lunnie Swindle won the democratic nomination for county treasurer over five male opponents.

The 167th regiment band of Gadsden will go to the New York national democratic convention if a movement now on foot succeeds. It is said terms have been asked by the Alabama boosters who will go to the convention to fight for Senator Underwood's nomination. The band numbers 48 pieces and has frequently been pronounced the best national guard organization of its kind in the country.

Two thousand men are engaged in clearing the Tennessee river area which will be covered by water when Wilson dam is completed. The government requires that all underbrush be cut away, and that all logs and other material which would float be piled up and destroyed by fire.

Marshall and DeKalb counties will each show a tax gain of from $250,000 to $500,000, according to S. A. Jordan, district agent of the state tax commission. Mr. Jordan states that taxes are fairly well equalized in both counties.

The old Forman grist mill on Canoe creek, near Gadsden, one of the largest and oldest in Alabama, was washed away during the storm of last week.

Plans are being drawn for a $200,000 grammar school building to be erected in Fairfield by Jan. 1 in the event of success in a special election for a proposed bond issue to cover the cost.

Birmingham was selected as the 1925 meeting place by the Southeastern Hardware and Implement Dealers at the recent convention in Anniston

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CONCORD—BILLINGSLEY

Sunday was our regular singing evening, but on account of rain, we didn't have much singing. We hope to have a large crowd next first Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community went to the all day singing at Clanton last Sunday, and reported a nice time, except getting a little muddy on their return.

Mr. Alphus Williams, son of Mr. Willie Williams and who is now working in Selma, was happily married last Sunday to a charming young girl of Selma. We wish them a long happy life together.

NOTICE—FARMERS

All members of the Farmers Co-operative Association, who need sweet potato plants, field pea seed or tomato seed should put in their order without further delay.

O. H. MASTIN.

Drainage Meet Called Monday Night, June 16

TO THE VOTERS OF CHILTON COUNTY:

I want to say just here that I am still a Republican, although I got beat in the primary, but it was by a good man for the place. I thank those who lost their vote on my account. I am sorry you lost your vote, but I am glad I can still be your friend; so when in need, call on me. I would have been glad to have the job as commissioner, for I don't believe there will ever be a better time for a man to build a good record than for the next four years. So, I give Mr. Vinson my best wishes, and I shall do all I can to help him.

I want to say to all the voters that I am well pleased for I feel that there is nothing against me except the people's choice was for Mr Vinson, and now I am ready to help you. So I beg to remain a helper and not a stumbling block.

C. L. WILKINS.

Traffic over the N. C. & St. L. was completely suspended between Attalla and Guntersville for several days last week on account of washouts after the storm.

Dr. George Petrie, head of the history department at Auburn, has gone to the Tri-Cities to study the shoals there. He is preparing a history of Alabama.

Twin-City Kiwanians are looking forward with interest to the fall meeting of Tennessee Valley Kiwanis clubs which will be held in Albany-Decatur.

C. M. Parrish, a large planter of Butler county, has begun buildings for a large poultry farm. He expects to raise only thoroughbreds.

Guy A. Hart, Government Engineer, Will Meet Land Owners to Explain Proposition.

Clanton, Ala., June 4, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

We noticed in the state papers last week that the drainage act, under which we were proceeding to drain the swamps in and around Clanton was declared unconstitutional.

We have written all the land owners who signed the original petition and are notifying all other interested parties that a meeting has been called at the court house Monday night, June 16th, 1924, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of getting together to handle our proposition locally.

We have also notified Mr. Guy A. Hart, who was the government engineer looking over this project about five or six years ago, and he will be with us on this occasion and will be prepared to tell us something of this work and also give us an idea of the expense to each land owner and suggest how the matter may be handled.

Mr. Hart is now engaged as engineer in the Fayette and Lamar County projects.

Yours very truly,
GRADY REYNOLDS.

Mr. Walter Sanford, for the past several years barber at The Sanitary Barber Shop, is now located at The New Barber Shop, next to Powell Presing Company, as manager of that shop. Mr. George Wyatt will hold down chair No. 2 in this shop, commencing the latter part of this week.

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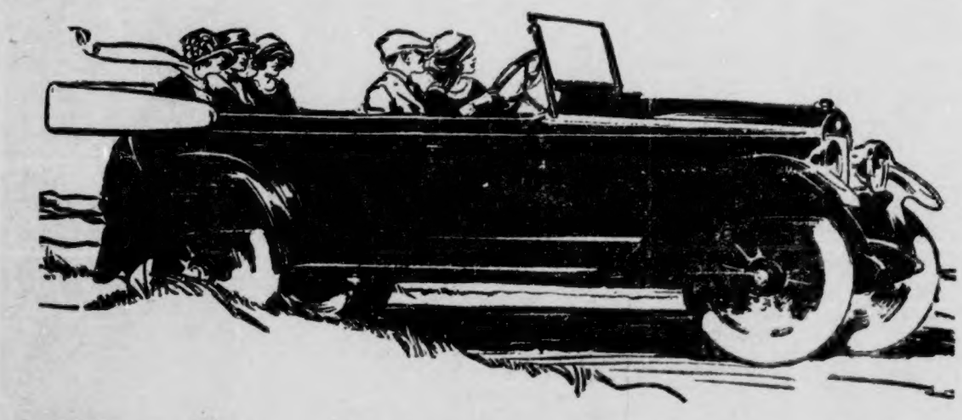

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J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Commissioners Court of Chilton county was in session Monday and Tuesday paying road claims and doing other work relative to the road work of the county.

Says the Atlanta Constitution, "The people of this country are today thinking more seriously about the real character of public officials than at any time, perhaps, since the republic was established." And one result of that thinking was the overwhelming victory of Calvin Coolidge in the popular primaries.

Coolidge may go down in history as the "vetoing President." At this writing, he already has axed two soldiers bonus bills, and the tax reduction bill, the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, and several others are yet to come. The President insists that reduction of federal expenditures is the most important thing he has to accomplish and he is determined to "fight it out on that line" whatever the cost, just so it's not in cash.

ALIEN PROPERTY LIQUIDATION

Property in the hands of the Alien Property Custodian is being liquidated as fast as opportunity offers. President Coolidge recently authorized the sale by that official of a large block of oil stock owned by aliens and the investment of the proceeds in United States Government bonds. There is no reason in the world why this government should not have the use of that money pending the time when the alien property accounts are finally settled. There will be no loss to the owners by the conversion into government securities, which very likely will advance in price before the time comes for a settlement.

CHILTON COUNTY ROAD WORK MAKING SPLENDID PROGRESS

Since Arpil 1st there has been more work done on the public roads of the county than has ever been done before in twice this length of time. Over 200 miles of rough, muddy, bumpy country roads have been transformed almost into highways, and the work is still going on. And the beauty of it all is that the expense has been kept down to within reason. Read the report of the expenditures which the commissioners are publishing this week.

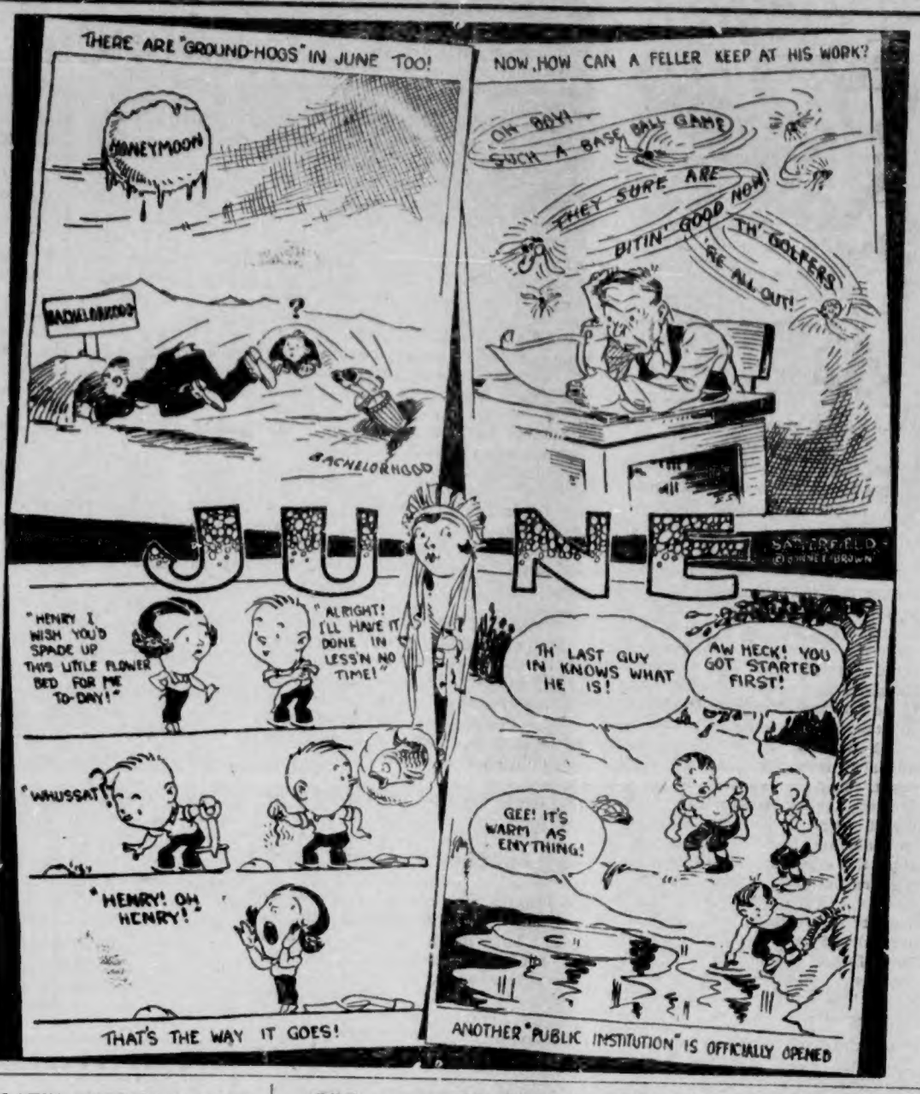
The new road law which the commissioners court enacted the first of this year is responsible for the progress we have made in road work. Even those who are opposed to some phases of the road law admit that more work has been done on the roads than they have ever known of before.

When the plan of taxation for road building was first instituted, some of our people were kindly skeptical of the proposition, inasmuch as it was tried once before and did not succeed very well. But the difference between the first attempt and now is that we didn't have anything to work with then and now we have. The revenue of the county is in better shape now than it was when the taxation plan was tried before, hence the difference in the results.

We hoped to have in this week's paper a letter from W. M. Wyatt explaining the methods used in building roads in DeKalb county, but it will be next week before we can get this letter. Look for this letter from the former editor of The Banner next week.

Mr. Horton Walker of Lawley was in Clanton Monday. Horton is the young son of our Commissioner, Mr. C. T. Walker, and has just finished high school at Centerville, Ala.

LITTLE PEN-O-GRAMS



OUR LATIN AMERICAN TRADE

Washington, May 31.—(Spec. Correspondence)—According to Department of Commerce the trade of the United States with Latin America in the calendar year 1923 amounted to $1,744,000,000, an increase of 121 per cent over that of the fiscal year 1923-24, which closed just before the World War started, and 26 per cent over the calendar year 1922.

Our imports, $1,050,000,000 were greater by 115 per cent than in 1813-14 and 29 per cent greater than in 1922. Exports increased by 130 per cent over the pre-war year 1913-14 and nearly 25 per cent over 1922, amounting to $694,000,000. "By reason of its growth in the past, its promise for the future," says the Department, "and more particularly the diversity of products entering into it this trade is a matter of increasing interest, not only to our manufactures and exporters but to our whole population." In 1923 the United States purchased from Latin America $185,000,000 worth of coffee; 44,000,000 of linseed; $42,000,000 of of nitrate; $35,000,000 of wool and $19,000,000 of cocoa.

The nitrate from Chile and several million dollars' worth of fiber, principally from Mexico, in addition to meeting other industrial requirements, afforded fertilizer and binder twine for our farmers, who in turn sold to Latin America hams and bacon valued at $6,000,000; pickled pork $1,500,000; lard $21,000,000; milk $5,500,000; butter $2,000,000; cheese $8,500,000; eggs $5,000,000; corn $3,000,000; rice $2,250,000; flour $21,000,000; and leaf tobacco $1,500,000. This represented over $77,000,000 on these 11 classes of goods alone.

In addition were such elaborated products of the farms and forests as cotton piece goods, valued at over $50,000,000; wood and its manufactures $28,000,000, and turpentine and rosin $4,000,00. We bought from Latin America $45,00,000 worth of hides and sold it $2,000,000 worth of leather, and many millions in leather products, including $14,500,000 worth of shoes. Petroleum sales to those countries totaled more than $43,000,000, and manufactures of metals totaled a great many millions, including automobiles valued at $22,000,000 and agricultural implements at $18,500,000.

All of the Latin American countries are in that state of economic development where the energies of the people are chiefly devoted to the production of raw materials rather than of manufactured goods. An interesting feature in the trade of the different regions is the specialization of each in some product and the consequent dependence of their prosperity on foreign markets. Notable examples are sugar in Cuba; nitrate in Chile; wheat, wool, meat, and hides in the River Plate countries; coffee in southern Brazil and the Caribbean region; cocoa in Ecuador; and bananas in Central America.

The needs of the Latin Americas are for the finished products of the world, and although the difficulty in obtaining shipments from abroad after 1914 stimulated home manufactures in some of the more advanced and populous countries, it is still necesary to import the bulk of manufactured goods, and probably will be for years.

Foreign and local competition is felt by American sellers of textiles in Brazil, Mexico, Peru, and Colombia; shoes in Argentina, Peru, Brazil, and Mexico, and flour, confectionery, etc., in Argentina and Chile.

DUE BILL FOR FRANCE

Since the passage of the bonus bill a measure has been introduced in the House to compel France to pay its war debt to the United States of some $4,000,000,000. The author of the bill had the right idea in mind but was somewhat too drastic in his methods. The United States will never "compel" any of the nations indebted to it to pay up, but the need for money just now is acute. The bonus will require close to $3,000,000,000 before the treasury has completed the contract with the veterans, and our taxpayers do not take kindly to seeing their money used by foreign governments for soldier relief while there is so much need of it for a similar purpose at home. The Debt Refunding Commission has Secretary of the Treasury Mellon as one of its members. He can be relied upon to keep the Commission informed of the situation, and undoubtedly every proper means will be resorted to to induce debtor governments to repay what they owe.

Women Enlist in National War Against Germ-carrying Flies; Provide Millions of "Swatters"

Every fly swatted at this season of the year probably would have been the founder of a dynasty if allowed to live out its allotted time. The genius of Flydom, the Napoleon who will lead his armies, laden with the deadly germs to destroy the purity of milk and pollute clean and wholesome food, is crawling about the upper wall of your kitchen today, a harmless, easily destroyed youth.

Swat him! With one stroke you will wipe out pages and pages of history and the millions of his offspring will be nothing but the might-have-beens of fiction.

Swat every fly whether he seems to show promise of a great career or not. Talent takes strange twists and the puny little fellow they gave up for dead as a baby may develop into a Gladstone. Cæsar was anemic in his youth—probably, and Scipio, as a child, had to hold on tight to the railings when the wind blew.

Swat the fly irrespective of sentimentality. If you swat at him and by some seemingly providential intervention of a swinging door you miss him, you may imagine that Fate has decreed he should be spared. Like a whimsical Caliban you may choose to let this particular fellow survive because you've taken a fancy to him. High purpose should know no sentimentality. Don't cultivate intimacies among even the most engaging flies. Swat one, swat all.

A million and a half fly swatters are being distributed just now throughout the country by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company as a part of the health campaign of their welfare division. Definite realization of the disease danger from flies is evidenced in this annual distribution. A thoroughgoing fly-swatting campaign at this season of the year is fostered by private and public health agencies. It has many times the value now that it would have later.

Swat the flies! Swat them now

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

When the boll weevils come from their winter quarters after a fast of several months they lose no time getting to feeding grounds. As their choice, and virtually only "dish," is cotton, they quickly fly to the nearest field and begin devouring the plants. Feeding may take place on the seed leaves or the regular leaves if any have developed.

The insects usually are found in the extreme tip of the plant. If feeding happens to take place at the point where the two seed leaves branch the plant frequently dies, but feeding elsewhere has little effect on the plant's growth. Feeding continues in these places until squares appear when they attack them. As long as there is an abundance of squares not punctured the developing bolls are practically free of injury, but when the weevils puncture a majority of the squares the insects begin attacking the bolls.

As long as the female weevils have nothing to eat but leaves they show no tendency to lay eggs, as they must obtain food from squares before the eggs develop. After the eggs begin to develop practically all the food of the females is obtained from the squares as they bore the egg cavities. The male weevil, however, remains on a square for some time, pasturing it over and over until it begins to become dry.

Weevils regularly take moisture from dew or rain drops on the leaves and other parts of the plants.

The first sign of injury of cotton squares is what is called flaring. This is the spreading outward of the three leaflike divisions of the shuck enclosing the square. The square also turns yellow at this time. Flaring usually takes place from two to three days after the egg has been placed in the square. Virtually all squares which have been fed upon or have eggs placed in them drop to the ground. Usually it is about a week from the time a square receives an egg until it falls.

Tests have shown that the weevil prefers Sea Island or Egyptian cotton to any of the upland American varities, but among the latter no choice is shown.

The boll weevil is sometimes found on plants other than cotton and has been observed in okra blooms. However, it has never been known to place eggs in other than cotton squares and efforts to force it to do so have failed.

Further information may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney building, New Orleans

WELDON'S MUSIC HOUSE WILL HANDLE GENNETT RECORDS

The Weldon's Music House has just recently added to its long list of musical supplies the famous Gennett line of phonograph records, manufactured by the Starr Piano Company of Richmond, Indiana. Mr. Weldon will continue to handle Okeh Records also. If you are in the market for any kind of phonograph records Weldon's can supply you.

TWO ARTICLES for One Price—Friday and Saturday, Baker & Taylor will give you as much Octagon Soap and Octagon Washing Powders as you buy from them. Come and get yours.

Press Clippings

Philadelphia North American—
The ship of state keeps going,
Just how, we can't descry;
But thru the haze, Friend Coolidge stays
Aloft—perhaps that's why.

New Orleans Times-Picayune—If Georgia, Tennessee, New York and California should happen to choose the same dates for a "favorite son's home-coming week," the ubiquitous McAdoo might have to display a super-ubiquitousness as marvelous as his political promises.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—About the only verdict which has come from Democratic primary races has been returned in favor of a candidate whom the leading organs of his own party long ago declared to be impossible and utterly unacceptable as presidential meterial.

Omaha Bee—Magnus Johnson asserts that government ownership is the only solution of the railroad problem. After due deliberation will you please tell us what you think of a nationalized railway system under the management of Magnus Johnson?

Marion Star—If the G.O.P. possesses half the shriedness attributed to it the platform to be constructed by the big gathering up in Cleveland will be built around the President rather than about Congress.

Indianapolis Star—If the founders could have foreseen the present bunch of radicals and Democrats in Congress they would have a ninety-eight per cent vote necessary to override a presidential veto.

Troy Times—Mr. McAdoo coolly and skilfully assumes to be the residuary legatee of the Wilson policies. He seems to wish to be considered not only as a son-in-law but an heir-at-law.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—The soviets insist that Great Britain owes Russia $20,000,000,000. Aw, well what's twenty billion to the "superior" and money-scorning Bolsheviki.

Los Angeles Times—Maybe death in presidential timber is due to the fact that modern mothers no longer raise their children in log cabins.

Boston Transcript—Mr. McAdoo's description of the ideal Democratic candidate would seem to indicate pretty clearly that Mr. McAdoo won't do.

N. Y. Herald-Tribune—It Might be well for Congress to remember that the people still have a veto.

Portland Oregonian—If there were flivvers in politics, McAdoo could go the farthest on oil.

Columbia Record—The sap in some of our presidential timber is mostly in the head.

Nursing Bottles Attract Them

Baby's nursing bottles attract rats! They will do anything to get at the bottle. If they do, they willl infect the milk with disease. For heilth's sake wipe out the rats! Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Postively DESTROYS all rats. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Breeding Time—Now!

This is breeding time for roaches! Now is the time they spread their deadly germs! Don't take a chance on having your food contaminated. NOW is the time to stop them—next week it will be much harder. Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

WASH CHEAP—Come to our Store Friday or Saturday and buy a dollar's worth of Octagon Soap and we will give you a dollar's worth of Octagon Washing Powders. Don't wait; this won't last long. BAKER & TAYLOR, Clanton, Ala.

LUMBER FOR SALE

Kiln dried Flooring and Ceiling and Drop Siding. I will be glad to hear from any one in need of this. I can make prices delivered on jobs.

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We are prepared to bob your hair. We shampoo your hair and dry it by electricity. Satisfaction guaranteed.

We are still cutting hair and shaving the men. Give us a trial.

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POOR OR

ALL DRESSED UP AND—GOING TO A CARNIVAL

POOR Jumbo sure has to stand for a lot over in India. All day they have him pushing and hauling timber around, doing sundry other tasks and then when the holidays come around—look what they do with him. They paint up his trunk and head and decorate his tusks to give him a regal appearance. In other words, dress him up to look his best for the glittering carnivals of India's reigning rajahs.

Rather artistic design the fellow in the above picture put on his elephant. Each of the figures is said to have a special religious signification. However, our big mamal friend does not seem very excited about it. The way he stands there—we wonder "What's he thinking about?"

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Vigorous warfare on Birmingham's present form of municipal government will begin within a few days, when a campaign will be launched by several prominent citizens to restore the old aldermanic form of government in use in several other large cities, according to information emanating from the court house.

The Alabama Power company is extending their line from the Gorgas steam plant to give the towns of Winfield and Guin an electric power service and it will only be a short time until Hamilton and other towns in Marion county will be included in the development program of the power company.

Work of building a long strip of macadam road on Pulaski pike in Madison county is being pushed, according to officials. It also has been announced that bids for building a permanent highway from Huntsville to the south side of Merrimac village will be opened June 2.

In the trial of Dr. P. Hamblin, chiropractor, charged with practicing medicine, or surgery without a license in the circuit court of Lee county, the proceedings came to a drastic close when the jury came to a verdict of "not guilty," contrary to the court's instructions.

Miss Peggy Miller, who lives near Beaverton, Ala., reports having lost nearly $48. She says she kept the money hid in her house, and that while away from home, some one entered and stole the money, leaving $1.80 in change. She says it was money she had saved by washing for it.

A petition was filed in the Alabama Public Service Commission by the Alabama Power company, seeking a certificate of convenience and necessity for an 80-mile transmission line from Cherokee Bluffs to Electic with a distribution system in the latter town.

Clifton Kirkpatrick of Cahaba was made vice president of the national organization of Pecan Growers at the meeting held in Albany, Ga. W. J. Wadsworth of Prattville and Mr. Kirkpatrick will be directors of national pecan growers.

A program has been announced for the meeting of the Alabama board of agriculture and industries in Huntsville, May 29 and 30. J. M. Moore, state commissioner, and all other members of the board are expected to be present.

Litigation between the Wye Shipping company, Ltd., an eastern shipping concern and Hunter Benn and Company, lumber dealers of Mobile, was ended by the Alabama supreme court's overruling the motion of the shipping company for a new hearing.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

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WHAT CHILTON COUNTY IS DOING TO BUILD UP A SYSTEM OF ROADS

Probate Judge Publishes Report of Work Done in Each Beat In the County.

The following report and letter ehas just been mailed to all Road Supervisors, and I am publishing the same so that the people can see what is being done on the roads. This is the money that road subjects have paid, which has been apportioned back to each Beat.

We are going to see that each Beat gets it pro-rata share of road money, and we hope every dollar will be spent on the roads. We will publish July the 1st all receipts, and all disbursements, so everybody can see where the money is spent.

I wish everybody would help on the roads for one year, and then see what can be done, then if the roads are not improved as they ought to be, we will be glad to change our road law.

I am writing Mr. Mack Wyatt, the former editor of The Union-Banner, to write a piece in The Union-Banner next week and tell us what DeKalb county is doing for their public roads, and how the people are helping. Look out for this article next week.

We want to have every mail route in good condition before winter. The mail carriers have to go every day. They cannot pick the weather, nor the roads. I have been over some of the routes, and I was surprised to see the condition some of them were in.

We beg the farmers to give us rights-of-way; not to run the water out of their fields in the roads; not to throw trash in the ditches; but help us make good roads. Will you?

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Chairman, Board of Commissioners.

Report of the amount of money credited to each Beat and the amount each Supervisor has spent up to May 5, 1924:

Supervisor	Apportioned	Spent	Bal. on Han
Beat 1—Reed Mullins	$200.00	$ 42.60	$157.40
Beat 2—E. H. Foshee	345.00	63.27	281.73
Beat 3—C. B. Lenoir	160.00	45.25	114.75
Beat 4-1—T. G. Wyatt	383.75	251.85	131.90
Beat 4-2—W. J. Watson	383.75	78.77	303.98
Beat 4-3—W. H. Wilson	383.75	89.95	293.80
Beat 4-4—W. G. Taylor	383.75	281.80	101.95
Beat 5—J. R. Scott	380.00	104.32	275.68
Beat 6—R. N. Wilkins	540.00	491.28	48.72
Beat 7—Mood McGee	235.00	549.12 in debt	314.12
Beat 8—Charlie Mitchell	305.00	393.68 in debt	88.68
Beat 9-1—T. P. Gore	267.50	(none)	267.50
Beat 9-2—H. T. Childress	267.50	89.52	177.98
Beat 10—R. J. Downs	530.00	128.00	402.00
Beat 11—M. F. Giles	100.00	96.74	3.26
Beat 12—O. R. Robinson	220.00	30.75	189.25
Beat 13—W. G. Conway	195.00	115.00	80.00
Beat 14—W. G. Rasberry	135.00	41.11	93.89
Beat 15—J. T. Abbott	530.00	324.54	205.46
Beat 16—J. L. Easterling	205.00	202.85	2.15

Clanton, Ala., May 23, 1924.

Dear Sir:

There was apportioned to your Beat to work the roads with the amount of $....., and the records show that you have spent $....., leaving a balance on hand, May 5, 1924, of $..... Do not incur any bills after you have expended the amount apportioned to your Beat, without permission from the Commissioners Court.

The Court also orders you to work those subject to road duty, who have not paid their road tax before you employ any road hands. Do not do any work that the road machine can do, but give your work to the places where the machine cannot work. Also see how much help you can get in your respective Beats to gravel the bad places this summer, the county giving half in money and the people half in work. Please report this to the Commissioners Court by the first Monday in July, as we hope to have all places on the mail routes fixed before the winter months set in.

You must personally o.k. all bills for road work in your beat. Make out all bills in name of the party doing the work, as we want the treasurer's report to show when published, who has received the money.

It is our intention to run the road machine over all the roads during this year. Remember that it is as much interest to you and the tax payers of this county to conserve their money and get the best results possible as it would be in your own private business, therefore employ hands and teams as cheaply as possible and see that you get value received.

Also try to get the people to stop diverting the water out of their fields into the public roads, also to keep all ditches open and clear of litter.

The Court is trying hard to make this a "good roads year" and we have heard many favorable comments so far from the work done and we trust all the people will not knock and kick at the laws, but we trust all the people will help us in our efforts to improve our roads for the general welfare of all the county.

I personally am going to try to give one day of each week on the roads, my time and expense being gratis, as the law allows no compensation for such service.

Thanking you for your continued co-operation, I am,
Very sincerely,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Ernest H. Dunlap will represent the Birmingham Cosmopolitan club at the national convention of clubs in Kansas City, beginning May 31.

A $25,000 planing mill is to be erected in Eufaula soon according to Chamber of Commerce officials.

The Marshall County Strawberry association expects to ship 15 cars during the season.

Compulsory innoculation of dogs against rabies has been proposed by Dr. S. W. Welch, state health officer.

Prisoners in the Jefferson county jail will be treated to music, lectures and sermons from all parts of the country as soon as the new radio set authorized by the board of revenue can be installed.

The Vanzandt Coal company has filed incorporation papers disclosing the fact that it had been organized to take over and operate the Vanzandt mines at Altoona.

Abatement of unnecessary noises in the city will be undertaken at the request of citizens of Bessemer.

WATCH WOCO-PEP.—It has power to start and is hard to stop. Local sales increased better than 37 per cent in May. Watch the Yellow Trucks. Don't you see them moving every day? JNO. T. ELLIS & SONS

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

If new building construction has anything to do with indicating the growth of a town or city, Bay Minette is growing. For the past several years Bay Minette has been one continual construction project. Building has just begun on Bay Minette's latest project a business block of brick and concrete fronting on Second street and adjoining the recently constructed Moore block.

Confectioners of the south, uniting with the progressive confectioners of the north and east, will shortly begin an intensive fight to abolish methods of merchandising candy in which the element of chance is made use of, it became evident at the first session of the three-day convention of the Southern Wholesale confectioners at Birmingham.

Leonard Greenwood, convicted in the Pike circuit court of assault to murder, is to receive a new trial in accordance with a decision rendered by the Alabama court of appeals, reversing judgment of the trial court and remanding the case.

Thomas B. Stroud, former alderman and traveling salesman, has been elected member of the city council of Huntsville to represent the fourth ward. He will fill the vacancy created by the recent resignation of Alderman Edward Burwell, who has moved out of the city limits.

Mrs. Frank J. Stevens, of Greensboro avenue, was declared the best amateur cake baker in Tuscaloosa as a result of a contest held by the Alabama Power company in which there were 26 entries.

E. C. Little has filed an ejectment suit in the circuit court by which he seeks to secure possession of the roadbed, tracks, trolley poles, wires, cars and car barn of electric railway from Gadsden to Lookout Mountain, commonly known as the Hart line. He claims title by reason of a tax sale June 21, 1922. The car line has been abandoned for several weeks, but the owner, Louis Hart, declares that he expects to revive it within the year.

Days of the last great coal strike in Alabama were recalled by a decision of the supreme court of the state affirming the damages received in the trial court by a miner for false arrest and imprisonment on the part of a coal company. This was the case of the Alabama Company vs. Lewis Norwood, appealed from the Tuscaloosa circuit court. Norwood asked for $100,000 in damages but was awarded only $750.

Thirty boys of Etowah county are preparing to start pig club work under the direction of C. E. Stapp, county farm demonstrator. The first week in May, Mr. Stapp will go to Tennessee to purchase Poland Chinas and Durocs for the boys. Other boys are preparing one-acre plots for cotton. They will study varieties and fertilization under expert direction. A few will have corn plots.

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Or Wear Out, see us Before Buying. We have Goodrich Silvertown Cords, U. S. Royal Cords, and best of all Hood Yellow Arrow Cords, miles almost unlimited. Prices range to $6.95, $7.95, $8.50, $9.50, $12.50 and $15.00 for the Hoods in the Ford Sizes. Hot weather is on us, so you better put on some new Tires and fill up with Woco-Pep and hit the trail.

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NOTICE

JUST RECEIVED A CAR OF NITRATE OF SODA. PRICES RIGHT.

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AUCTION SALES

Auction Sales conducted Anywhere, Anytime, Any Place in the State. I will buy anything you have to sell, and sell you anything you want to buy.

W. W. FOX, Clanton, Ala.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in Clanton. You are invited to buy your stuff to eat from him.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

CLANTON, ALA.

RIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The quality of mercy is not strained,
It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven
Upon the place beneath.
—Shakespeare.

Missionary Society Meets.

A regular business meeting of W. M. S. was held on Monday afternoon at the church. The meeting opened with a song and the President, Mrs. J. C. Jones conducted the devotional exercises.

Mrs. Barney Roberts gave an interesting article on the work of the Juniors. Other instructive papers from the bulletin were read by Mesdames Wilkerson, Claud Jones and Etta McElvaine. General routine of business was gone over and under the discussion for new business plans for the 4th of July barbecue were made and committees named.

No further business the meeting adjourned to meet again for the Bible Study next Monday evening.

Wednesday Sewing Club Entertained

Mrs. Bama Cox was a gracious hostess on last Wednesday, when she entertained her sewing club and several invited guests, at the home of Mrs. Mallie White, Baskets of sweet Peas were arranged throughout the apartments, and also used as the center piece of the dinner table for Mesdames Barney M Roberts, Clyde Jones, Marion Gore, Macie Jones, John Armstrong, R E. Luckie, Watts Moore, P. T. Hinkle, E. E. Upchurch, John Ellis, John Page, S. J. Ezell and J. Q. Wade. After dinner music on the Edison was enjoyed, and "42" was played.

Mrs. Barney Roberts will be hostess next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson Hostess.

A lovely collection of sweet peas, gladiolas and dahlias were effectively arranged in decorating the interior apartments of Mrs. Arthur Johnson's home when she entertained on Monday afternoon at Bridge. Only the members of the Card club were included.

Upon the arrival of the guests tea and sandwiches were daintily served and after the games an ice course was enjoyed. The top score was held by Mrs. Willis Lyman who was presented a couple of decks of Congress cards.

Hear Gennett Record No. 5428, by the Vaughn Quartet, at Weldon's Music House, Clanton, Ala. Price 75 cents.

Farewell Party Given.

The members of the younger set were the recipients of a lovely farewell dinner given by Miss Mildred Lewis on last Friday evening. Cards for the congenial group were placed on the table centered with pretty roses and bore the names of Misses Ruby Armstrong, Sara Luckie, Erin Danforth, Lurline and Pearl Minor and the hostess. After dinner music on the Victrola was enjoyed. Her many friends regret that her parents are leaving for Marion, Ala., for their future home.

Mrs. S. A. Johnson, who was the guest of Mrs. L. C. Reynolds for a couple of weeks, has gone to Tuscaloosa for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Hary Terpley.

MANY THINGS are told on Woco-Pep about the great injuries sustained by the use of it. Why not prove this and get the $1,000 reward offered by us and the Wofford Oil Company? ELLIS & SONS.

Card Club Entertained.

Miss Kathleen Mullins was a lovely hostess on last Wednesday, entertaining the members of her Card club at her home. The spacious living room was pretty with baskets of sweet peas in pastel shades. The club prize, Congress cards, were won by Mrs. Victor Heard. At the close of the game a refreshing ice course was served.

Notice!

A special meeting to complete plans and name all necessary committees for the 4th of July barbecue will be held at the church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody is urged to be present.

Mrs. R. C. McDavid and son, Cameron, Jr., have returned home from an extended visit to relatives in Tallahassee, Fla.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson and sons, Arthur, Jr., and Joe Hall left Wednesday for a visit of several weeks to her mother in Evansville, Ind.

SUNLIGHT Kerosene, spreading its Rays of bright light in many Chilton County homes, and cooking many of the good things you eat every day. JNO. T. ELLIS & SONS.

Dr. P. T. Hinkle made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. John Gore was a visitor to Tuscaloosa this week for a couple of days.

Miss Irene Jones spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins and Miss Marzelle and John and Edwin were the guests of relatives here for the week-end.

Miss Rawlinson left Tuesday for Tuscaloosa where she will take a special six weeks course.

Mrs. J. W. Prince and Miss Ruth Prince left Thursday for Albany, Ala., for a visit to former friends.

FREE—Friday and Saturday. We will give you as much Octagon Soap and Washing Powders as you buy. Come early if you want in this. BAKER & TAYLOR, Clanton, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and son, Tom, have returned from an extended tour of Florida.

Mr. Marcus Biles will spend Friday in Birmingham, on business.

Mr. Jim Jones, was a visitor to the Capital City Monday.

Mrs. Claud Jones left to-day for a couple weeks visit to relatives in Birmingham and Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White spent Monday in Montgomery with his sister, Mrs. Ernest Love, who is ill at Hubbard's Infirmary.

Mr. Marion Gore was a visitor to Tuscaloosa this week.

Mr. Frank Thomas from Talladega spent Sunday with relatives here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart and daughter, Hilda, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lanier at Tallassee Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Mullins left Tuesday for University where she will do special school work for a few weeks.

Mrs. Grady Taylor from Montgomery spent a couple of days in Clanton last week.

Judge J. W. E. Gulledge left for Memphis recently to attend the old soldiers reunion being held there this week.

Mr. Macy Jones left Monday for Birmingham where he will work for a while.

Mrs. Amie Goodgame and children from South Pittsburg, Tenn., are the guests of Mrs. Spigener and Mrs. C. D. Thomas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Jones were the week end guests of Mrs. Giddens in Montgomery.

Miss Mary Ellis and Erle Ellis are visiting their grand parents in Greenville this week.

The friends of Miss Mary Bess Sims and sisters will be glad to learn that they are moving back to Clanton to reside.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Neighbors and children were visitors to Goodwater Sunday.

The friends of Mr. Ralph Jones will be glad to see him on the streets again after after being on the shut-in list from an operation for appendicitis

WOCO-PEP — Power to start and Power to go on after you start. Are you Wocomobiling? If not, you better get at it. ELLIS & SONS.

The friends of Miss Nettie Culp will be delighted to know she is doing so nicely after an operation for appendicitis last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Levie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spigener Sunday. Mrs. Levie will remain here for several days.

Hear Gennett Record No. 5428, by the Vaughn Quartet, at Weldon's Music House, Clanton, Ala. Price 75 cents.

UNION GROVE

Several from this place visited the big singing at Clanton Sunday. Some also went to Oak Grove.

Our Sunday school and prayer meeting are fine now.

Miss Pearl Chandler left Saturday afternoon for Maplesville visiting her friend, Miss Ethel Mize.

Miss Anice Davis spent a while Saturday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Brasher.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent Saturday night with Miss Edna Robinson.

Misses Nettie and Beadie Chandler dined with Misses Iris and Amy Robinson Sunday.

Next Saturday night and Sunday are our regular preaching days, but on account of the Childrens Day at Oak Hill, there will be no preaching Sunday, but there will be preaching Saturday night and Sunday night. This was done so all who can, may go to the Childrens Day.

There will be an ice cream supper at the church on Saturday night before the third Sunday of this month, which will be June 14th. The public is invited.

Hear Gennett Record No. 5428, by the Vaughn Quartet, at Weldon's Music House, Clanton, Ala. Price 75 cents.

SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES IN CHILTON COUNTY, ALA.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Under and by virtue of several decrees rendered by the probate court of Chilton County, Alabama on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes due for the year 1923, I will on **Monday, the 16th day of June, 1924,** sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county in Clanton, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, for the state and county taxes, fees, costs and charges, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $11.97.

BEAT 2

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $16.98.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $17.47.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.77.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.71.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U. —NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.46.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 21, Range 13. SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 13. Tax and cost $21.52.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $43.22.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $45.15.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $42.70.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $32.32.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U. —N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $8.25.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $11.37.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost $7.08.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $13.10.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost $9.00.

BEAT 5

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $17.45.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $14.30.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ¼ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $15.90.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $25.25.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.

Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $48.74.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.44.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $20.72.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.64.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $6.55.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $13.45.

BEAT 9

No. 3016.—Andrew Anderson or O. U.—SW ¼ of SW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 13. Tax and cost $14.00.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.40.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $23.40.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.74.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.67.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.94.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.07.

No. 3996.—M. I. Igo—N ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 24, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.36.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.42.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $18.01.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.12.

BEAT 13

No. 4121—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $8.44.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $10.45.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.85.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.90.

This, 14th day of May, 1924.
J. T. ROCKETT,
Tax Collector, Chilton County, Ala.

CLASSIFIED ADS

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WANTED—A farm near Clanton, Lomax, Strassburg or Jemison, Ala. Give complete information in first letter. Address, Dr. Jas. A. Edwards, 215½ North 20th Street, Birmingham, Ala. 6-5-3t-pd.

PIGE FOR SALE—Pure bred, big bone, Poland China pigs, out of registered stock. Price $10.00 each. —John Deramus, Verbena, Ala. tf

LOST—One Waterman Fountain Pen at high school building last Sunday. Finder will please send same to J. W. Cagle, Mitchell Dam, and same will be appreciated. 1t-ch

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held at the Vermont School House in School District No. 8 of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said Vermont District and adjoining territory herein included for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said District No. 8. The boundary of said proposed school district No. 8 is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 29, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East two miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 28, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South one mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 27, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 34, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence South four miles to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 15, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence west three and one-half miles to the Southwest corner of Sec. 18, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence North three miles to the Northwest corner of Sec. 6, Tp. 20, Range 13; thence East one mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 31, Tp. 21, Range 13; thence North two miles to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "C" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on thhe taxable property of said proposed Tax District "C" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Providence School House in Tax District No. 58; and at the following other places in said proposed District "C": Minooka School House, Concord School House, and Free Springs School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said Tax District "C." The boundary of said Tax District "C" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Sec. 17, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence South three and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 24, Range 14; thence West five and one-half miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of Seq. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 24, Range 13; thence West one-half mile to the Northwest corner of Sec. 4, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one and one-half miles to the Southeast corner of the N ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Northwest corner of the S ½ of Sec. 8, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of Sec. 7, Tp. 23, Range 13; thence West to the County Line of Bibb and Chilton counties; thence North six miles to the Northwest corner of Chilton county; thence East along the boundary line between Chilton and Shelby counties to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff of Chilton County,
5-15-4t. Alabama.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To Be Held in Proposed Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held on the 17th day of June, 1924, to determine whether or not all districts involved are willing to unite into one tax district to be known as Tax District "B" of Chilton County, Alabama, and whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property shall be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said proposed Tax District "B" for the present tax year and continuing for a period of six years. The election to be held at Maple Springs School House in Tax District No. 1; at Shiloh School House in Tax District No. 12; at Enterprise School House in Tax District No. 13; at the regular voting place in Verbena, Alabama, in Tax District No. 15; and at the following other places in said proposed Tax District "B": Mt. Pleasant School House, Baker School House, Bethsalem School House, Mt. Pisgah School House, Eastview School House, Concord School House, Providence School House, Cooper School House, Corinth School House, and Morganville School House. Said levy is proposed to be made for public school purposes within said tax district "B." The boundary of said Tax District "B" is as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence East four miles to the Northeast corner of Sec. 21, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the SW ¼ of Sec. 22, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South two miles to the Southwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence East one-fourth mile to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 34, Tp. 22, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southeast corner of the W ½ of Sec. 3, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-eighth mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the E ½ of the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-eighth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East one-half mile to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of the NE ¼ of Sec. 10, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence South three-fourths mile to the Southwest corner of Sec. 11, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence East two miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 15; thence North two miles to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-fourth mile to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North three-fourths mile to the Northwest corner of the E ½ of Sec. 31, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one and one-fourth miles to the Southeast corner of the NE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 28, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-fourth mile to the Northwest corner of the Southwest fourth of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East one-half mile to the Southeast corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence North one-half mile to the Northwest corner of the NE ¼ of Sec. 27, Tp. 22, Range 15; thence East about six miles to where the Section line between Sections 27 and 22, Tp. 22, Range 16 touches the Western boundary line of Coosa county; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western boundary line of Coosa county to the Township line between Townships 20 and 21; thence West along said Township line to the Range line between Ranges 16 and 17; thence South three miles to the Southeast corner of Sec. 13, Tp. 20, Range 16; thence West along the County line between Chilton and Autauga counties for a distance of sixteen and three-fourths miles to the Southwest corner of the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 17, Tp. 20, Range 14; thence North three and one-half miles to the Northeast corner of the NW ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one-fourth mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 32, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the Northwest fourth of Sec. 7, Tp. 21, Range 14; thence North four miles to the Northeast corner of the SE ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence West one mile to the Southwest corner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 24, Tp. 22, Range 13; thence North one-half mile to the point of beginning.

Posted this the 15th day of May, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
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—Of A "Fair Return"

The Transportation Act of 1920 permits a rate of return on the value of the railroads' properties of 5¾%. However, in no year since the Act became effective, on September 1, 1920, have the railroads earned anything like the amount contemplated or permitted therein.

The following statement, compiled by the Bureau of Railway Economics, shows the amount of money the American railroads were entitled to earn under the Transportation Act; the amount and the rate they actually did earn; and the shortage of the so-called "fair return:"

Period	Permitted to Earn	Did Earn	Shortage	Rate
4 mos. 1920	$ 626,417,120	$ 520,583,678	$ 105,833,442	3.10%
Year 1921	3,105,297,053	613,945,615	422,351,466	3.33%
Year 1922	1,084,606,253	775,066,939	309,140,333	4.14%
Year 1923	2,102,571,934	977,843,590	125,028,342	5.16%
40 Months	$3,772,092,625	$2,590,789,042	$1,131,353,583	4.06%

Note that during the 40 months in which the Transportation Act has been in effect, the railroads have earned only 4% on the value of their properties; and that there was a shortage under the so-called "fair return" of $1,131,353,583.

The reader's attention is called to the fact that the Transportation Act permits, but does not guarantee, the "fair return." If the real earnings of the railroads were guaranteed by the Government, the carriers would now have a sizeable bill of over one billion dollars to present to Uncle Sam.

Left alone and given the opportunity to work out their own destinies under the Transportation Act, the railroads will solve their problems; but further tinkering with railroad legislation is bound to be destructive to the unsurpassed service they are now giving.

Give the Transportation Act a chance to make good; give the railroads a chance to continue to make good—and the Nation will prosper accordingly.

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MRS. MAYME WILLIAMS DEAD

Mrs. Mayme Williams, wife of Clyde Williams and daughter of Mr. John W. Baker, died in South Highlands Infirmery last Wednesday. Death came as a result of a severe burn which the woman sustained about a month ago. The body was shipped to Clanton and buried at Liberty Hill last Thursday, Rev A. L. Foshee conducting the funeral.

Mrs. Williams was 25 years old and was the mother of two small children. At the time of getting burned, Mrs. Williams and her husband were living in one of the mining suburbs of Birmingham.

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How Montevallo Campaign Fund From Drive Will Be Expended

Detailed plans for the distribution of the million dollars which the Alabama College is going to realize from its drive for funds, have been worked out by officials of the college. They include many features which should prove interesting to the mothers and and fathers of daughters throughout the State.

The following list of immediate needs of the college which was given out by the trustees will give an idea of the extent of the proposed expansion:

Dormitory and furnishings for four to five hundred students; auditorium and administration offices; academic building and equipment; social religious building; president's residence; gymnasium, two practice homes; dormitory and furnishings for teachers; addition to music building.

Enrollment for 1922-23 was 427 students; 1923-24, 659; approximately 300 students will have to be turned away in 1924 after every available room, including the temporary dormitory, has been filled. A dormitory for 400 students would be filled during the session 1924-25.

Need for Auditorium and Offices.

The present auditorium is inadequate even for seating the present student body. The seats are very poor, the building is old, and it was never designed for the student body or for the artists' concerts and lectures which are held each year by the institution. An auditorium is sorely needed.

For office space, the president, dean, with two secretaries, registrar, and bookkeeper of the college occupy three small rooms in the main dormitory. There is only one place for private conference to be used by the entire administration forces. For lack of space, the records are housed in a room almost a block away from the administration offices. This arrangement handicaps seriously effective work of the executive organization

Need for Academic Building.

The class rooms for the academic courses are scattered from one end of the campus to the other. It is often difficult to find rooms for all the classes that must meet at a particular hour. The teachers have no offices or places where they can meet with students in conference. While they are not holding classes themselves, other classes are being held in their class rooms and hence it is impossible for the teachers to hold necessary conferences with their students. This situation makes it imperative that something be done to provide an adequate academic building.

Need for a Social Building.

The college clubs are forced to use old cottages on the campus and off the campus for their places of meeting. Many of the clubs have no places at all in which to meet. Large organizations such as the student body, the Y. W. C. A., the Technical Staff, the Alumnae Association, and the Newspaper Staff have no adequate places for carrying on their work. The parlors in the main dormitory are entirely inadequate for the uses of the student body and faculty. There is no suitable place for holding the religious services which are held on Sunday and Wednesday nights of each week. For all these purposes a separate building is sorely needed. This building should be the center of the social and religious life of the institution and no institution can properly develop without a building such as this.

Need for a Home for the President.

The president of the institution has for three years been without a home. His home was burned in the spring of 1921. Since that time he and his family have been domiciled in the college infirmary without privacy, without the necessities of home life. A most pressing need of the institution is a home for the president and his family.

Need for a Gymnasium.

Every student who attends Alabama College must take physical education. Hundreds of them engage in games of all kinds. For the physical education work and for the various games which are a necessary part of the recreation of students, a gymnasium building is badly needed. The present building is not half large enough for a single basketball court and not one-third large enough for class instruction. For the proper physical development of the students the institutions must have a well equipped gymnasium.

Need for Home Economics Practice Houses.

There is only one practice home which can be used by the students in this department. A necessary part of their course is a term in the practice home for the purpose of making practical application of the work which they learn in textbooks, lecture-room, and laboratories. This department is seriously handicapped. At least two more practice homes will be required for the courses which are being given.

Need for a Teachers' Home.

It is obvious that if the teachers are to do their best work they must be comfortably situated. The town of Montevallo is very small and does not provide adequate boarding places for the teachers. The result is they must occupy the student dormitories or have a dormitory of their own. The latter plan is preferable both from the point of view of the students and teachers, and it is proposed that one of the first uses of the funds be the erection of a dormitory for teachers.

Need for An Addition to Music Building.

One of the most handsome buildings of the State is Calkins Hall at Alabama College. It is used exclusively for music instruction. It is scarcely more than half large enough for the present demands of the music department. Classes and practice schedules must use other rooms in the dormitory and elsewhere. The present building was constructed with a view to additions. This should be made at once in order to take care of the immediate demands of the students who desire music instruction.

BIG SINGING HELD HERE AT HIGH SCHOOL SUNDAY

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the piano playing during the day was done by Mr. Shaw, one of the Vaughn singers. In most of the quartets Mr. Shaw both played the piano and carried his part of second tenor, and his ability to handle either or both of these jobs displays wonderful talent on the part of the young man. Mr. Shaw is a musician from sole to crown.

The rain and wind storm which came up about 3 o'clock in the afternoon somewhat interfered with the program, however, enough people remained in the building to do some good singing after this. The closing was sung by Prof. Showalter and the benediction was offered by Mr. W. H. Robinson.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The closing day of the semi-centennial and commencement at the Florence normal school was marked by the decision of the alumni association to erect a memorial to the soldiers of the World war. It will be in the form of a stone and concrete stage for the open air amphitheatre and will have a memorial tablet bearing the names of those who paid the supreme sacrifice.

Date for hearing charges brought against Sheriff P. H. McQueen, of Crenshaw county, by five citizens of the county, seeking his impeachment and removal from office, has been postponed by the Alabama supreme court from July 1 to July 8. Postponement was granted on request of counsel for the sheriff.

"Moonshiners" in Mobile county are using moving stills, according to Sheriff Paul G. Cazalas, after his raiding squad, composed of Deputy Sheriffs Burch, Stringfellow and Hudoff reported that in "still locations" they found 21 barrels of mash, but that the whisky making outfits had been moved.

Alabama City will inaugurate a series of home talent concerts. The first was held at the Methodist Tabernacle. The initial program included vocal and instrumental solos, orchestral selections, duets, trios and literary readings. The concerts are to be continued throughout the summer months.

Post office clerks and rural carriers of Alabama to the number of some 200 met in Montgomery for their annual convention. A business session in the morning at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium was followed by a barbecue at Oak park in the afternoon.

The Troy Kiwanis club was entertained by the Boy Scouts at a fish fry at the river, three miles from Troy. A 100 per cent attendance of the scouts was recorded for the meeting. The boys gave their yells and some demonstrations of signalling, knot tying and first aid.

Three hours after her older brother, Malcolm was taken to the hospital probably fatally injured in an automobile accident, little Mathilde Reeves, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Reeves, was run over by an automobile in Opelika and instantly killed.

C. Homer Billingsley, former food and feed clerk of the state department of agriculture ,pleded guilty to an indictment alleging the embezzlement of agriculture, pleaded guilty to sentence of one to three years in prison by the circuit court of Montgomery county.

Thomasville people, bent on improving their streets since the past winter has shown them the necessity, have passed an ordinance to grade and gravel about six blocks on Wilson avenue and the same number on West Front street.

Albert Kilgore and Owen Lambert were placed under $100 bonds, when they were alleged by officers to have attempted to "shoot up" the Shady Glen school house near Anniston, following the closing exercises at the school.

Revenues derived from the gasoline tax in the State during April totalled $134,729.50. The amount is to be equally distributed among the 67 counties to be used in road and bridge construction.

Nurses Carry Health Education Into Thousands of Workers' Homes; Aid Babes and Young Mothers

To the young mother the tiny new baby is like a piece of bric-a-brac. She is afraid to handle it for fear she might break it. The first bath is such a fearsome ordeal that it has become customary for the nurse who administers the pre-natal care to come and give the little stranger his first good washing.

Education of this sort is part of the work of a visiting nurse. The aid given sufferers of any sort must always be a demonstration as well, so that members of the family may continue the care.

The nursing service of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company reaches 3,955 towns and cities in every state in the union and every province in Canada. In the two winter months of this year nurses made 424,986 calls at 109,395 separate homes. The nurses in more remote sections lead the life of the circuit rider travelling in their flivver over almost impassable roads and often going on horseback or on foot through wild country to reach their destination. It requires dogged determination and physical strength to be enlisted in the service and sometimes on the outskirts of large cities the nurse will spend precious hours tramping through the mud to find a shack which is on no street and has no number.

The account is endless of the sickness and suffering caused by the ignorance of people of the poorer class and especially foreigners. One woman with five children had neglected an infected finger. The nurse summoned by the agent struggled through fields of mud only to find that the woman was sure it was nothing serious. The nurse insisted that a doctor be summoned but the woman did not want to spend the money. When the doctor finally came he lanced it at once and declared that it was only just in time to prevent the loss of the hand if not the woman's life.

Most of the women are eager to learn so that they may give their children the best possible treatment. One young mother, with four small youngsters, the oldest of which was four years, was especially clean and careful, but measles invaded the home. The three oldest children had it, but the nurse said the baby needn't get it if the mother would take proper precautions. This woman's day was not so full but that she could find time to follow instructions to the letter; changing her apron every time she tended the baby, keeping him isolated in a separate room, boiling everything, omitting no smallest detail. Eternal vigilance was the price of success and the baby escaped.

Mr. Tom Powell, who for the past several months has been working with Lawrence Garage in Clanton has left here and gone to Evergreen, where he will go to work for the Evergreen Motor Co.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wyatt, with all the members of their family, desire to thank their neighbors and friends for the many kindnesses attributed to them when they were called to the funeral of their grand son who died on the night of May 29th at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hull of Coosa County.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to my friends and the general public that I am now located in the New Barber Shop just opened up next to Powell Pressing Co., and invite all to come around to see me.

I have secured the services of Mr. George Wyatt, who will be on Chair No. 2 regular, beginning Friday, June 6th, and he will also be glad to have all his friends call to see him.

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Let's Go to Clanton July 4th--Free Barbecue--Speaking

HOW THEY WORK THE ROADS UP IN DEKALB COUNTY

Former Editor of Union-Banner, Now Living in Fort Payne, Writes To People of Chilton.

I have been requested to write an article for The Union-Banner concerning the methods and results of road working in DeKalb County. To begin with, will say that I am glad to do so, because I have found in DeKalb county a spirit among the people regarding road working which I think is worth any effort necessary to plant that spirit in the minds of people anywhere.

I would especially like to see the DeKalb County plan tried in Chilton County. Knowing conditions as I do, it is easy to see by comparison that with the same amount of work done by the people of Chilton County as has been done in DeKalb, much more results could be obtained, because of the simple fact that Chilton County road problems are not as bad as those of DeKalb. This difference will be more clearly understood when you have read this entire artible.

I suppose it was the idea of those who asked me to write this article that I should discuss that phase of road work in DeKalb County which is the voluntary effort of the citizens and is in a way independent of the regular road work carried on by the county, yet in practically all instances done in co-operation therewith.

I want to impress upon those who read this the fact that the people of the various communities of DeKalb county have found that the best way for them to get rid of the bad places in their roads is to get together themselves and do the work and not wait for the county, State of Federal authorities to do all the building of roads. They have learned that the best way to get anything done is to do it themselves, and not simply wait and hope for somebody else to do it for them.

This idea is not born of a feeling that they can have no confidence in the county, State or Federal road agencies, but on the other hand, it is a patriotic willingness among the rank and file of citizens to reach out by their own individual efforts, coupled with their neighbors, to help the county road authorities and assist them in making their road programs more universal and the production of more general results.

The community spirti is a great force here in getting a response from the people in road work. It has been realized and demonstrated that people can do wonders by combining their efforts to overcome certain road difficulties. In many instances where there was a bad place in a road over which the people of a given community had to travel to reach their common trading point, those people in

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WORK MOVING ON RAPIDLY ON CHILTON'S HIGHWAY

A recent visit to the part of Chilton county north of Lomax reveals that the work on Chilton county's north section of the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway is assuming the form of a road righ along. Grading and culvert crews are located all along the right-of-way from below Thorsby to where the new road will cross the railroad near Wessington, and they are making sign too. A long stretch of the road is now graded between Strassburg and Thorsby and a crew of graders are working just north of Thorsby. Between Thorsby and Jemison the new road will run very much in the same place as the old one and not very much grading will be necessary there. Just north of Jemison the new road will leave the old one and go to the left or West of it until it gets nearly to Oak Grove. At this point it crosses the old road, crossing back again at Oak Grove and stays quite a distance to the left or west of it until it hits the railroad half a mile south of where the present road goes under the railroad. Work is now in progress on the foundation for the big concrete bridge to be built across the railroad. At the rate work is now progressing the grading and culvert work will be completed within a few weeks.

CLARKE-ADAMS WEDDING IN KANSAS JUNE 5TH

The following wedding announcement has been received by The Union-Banner: "Mrs. Fred A. Clarke announces the marriage of her daughter, Dorothy, to Mr. Sam Wesley Adams on Thursday, the fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four; Lawrence, Kansas."

Mr. Sam Wesley Adams is a former Clanton young man, being the son of Col. Wm. M. Adams who practiced law here for many years. Sam Wesley left here about ten or twelve years ago and little has been heard of his whereabouts since. However, the numbers who cherish the memory of the young man will be glad to hear from him once more and especially to learn of the event of his marriage.

HEN EGG MEASURES 8 INCHES

Mr. O. H. Mastin has a white leghorn hen in his poultry farm near Thorsby which has broken the record so far as we know in laying big eggs. He took from his hen house the other day an egg which measures exactly 8 inches around the shortest way and weighs a fraction over 6 ounces. We do not know whether or not this hen is one of the 300 egg strain, but we do know that if she lays 300 eggs like this one in a year, she will have done a hen's part..

Mr. Mastin left the egg at the Banner office for anyone to examine who might be skeptical.

A CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Lizzie D. Green, we wish to express our sincere thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Green.
Lawley, Ala.

TOM HEFLIN AND BIBB GRAVES WILL BE PRINCIPAL SPEAKERS

Big Doings in Clanton July 4th—Free Barbecue, Speaking, Two Big Ball Games, Greazy Poll Climbing, Greazy Pig Catching, Foot Races — in fact, Everything to make you have a good time. Make Preparations to Come. You can't afford to miss it. Set your Stakes now.

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BOLL WEEVIL FIGHT BEGINS IN EARNEST

Early Appearance in Larger Numbers Arouses Control Work by Farmers, Bankers and Merchants.

Auburn, Ala., June 9.—The fight with boll weevils for the 1924 season is now on. Reports reaching Auburn are that weevils are appearing in larger numbers than was expected, and greater damages is feared, due to the lateness of the present crop of cotton. These reports indicate further that an organized fight will be made on boll weevils this year. Farmers, bankers, and merchants are actively following the leadership of the county demonstration agents in a united fight to the finish.

In line with official recommendations, early-appearing weevils are being gathered by hand, and destroyed. This is considered very important because one weevil destroyed now is equivalent to hundreds, and perhaps thousands, later.

Alabama farmers are certain to use more poison this year if weather conditions warrant it. Large quantities of calcium arsenate have been bought and farmers will begin using it as soon as it appears necessary to do so.

A recent circular published by the Extension Service states that "wherever 20 or more over-wintered weevils per acre occur it is advisable to make one pre-square application of poison. Either home-made calcium arsenate-syrup mixture or dry calcium arsenate will be used. For all applications after squares are formed only dry calcium arsenate is recommended by entomologists and by county agents.

Last year, 1923, an average net profit of over $20 per acre was secured for all cotton properly dusted in experiments throughout the South.

CHILTON TEACHERS PASS

The following Chilton county teachers were given certificates to teach by the State Department of Education at Montgomery last Friday:

Second grade, (white) — Myrtle Brown, 709 Fourth avenue, Clanton; third grades, (colored)—Cora Jackson, Wadsworth; Clinton L. Rhodes, Rt. 2, Box 4, Verbena; Mabel Sistrunk, Box 103, Mountain Creek.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LECTURE AT PROVIDENCE NEXT SUNDAY

We are asked to announce that Judge L. H. Reynolds will deliver a lecture on Sunday School Work at Providence church in Beat 16 next Sunday, June 15th just following Sunday school at that place. The lecture will begin about 11 o'clock. The public has a cordial invitation to attend both Sunday school and lecture.

CLANTON DEFEATS GANTTS QUARRY TEAM ON TUESDAY

The Clanton ball team went over to Sylacauga Tuesday and played the Gantt's Quarry team, the final score being 10 to 6 in favor of Clanton. The features of the game were McAdams hitting home run with two men on bases in first inning; and Roper hit a three-bagger with two men on bases in eighth inning. The score was close until the 8th inning. Umpires: Iding and Thomas; Time of game, 1 hour, forty minutes.

ROADS AND CATTLE-DIPPING GOING GOOD IN STUMPS HILLS

Uncle Tom Dorminey, county commissioner from Stumps Hills, says that he is mighty well pleased with the road work and tick eradication work in his district. Mr. Dorminey says that the roads in his section are better than ever before and that his people are responding very encouragingly to the dipping regulations. If the people up there stick to it like they have started they will soon be rid of ticks and will have them some good roads to travel over as well.

UNCLE SAM ADAMS DIED LAST WEEK

Passes Away at Home of Daughter, Mrs. Josh Henley, Who Lives Near Clanton.

At the home of his daughter, Mrs. Josh Henley near Clanton, Mr. Samuel Brannon Adams died last Tuesday, June 3rd at 12 o'clock noon. Mr. Adams is a well known resident of Chilton county, having lived here all the 75 years of his life. The funeral was preached at Walnut Creek church Wednesday of last week by Rev. Gus Gibson, and the remains were placed in the cemetery at that place beside his wife who died about a year ago.

The living children of the deceased are: Billie, Tillman, Albert, Samuel, Neeley and Ocie Adams, Mrs. Ada Mims and Mrs. Jully Henley. All of the children were present at the funeral except three of the boys who live away and could not be notified in time to get here .

As a result of heart dropsy, Mr. Adams has been in declining health for several weeks, but he had been seriously sick for only about a week before his death, during which time Mr. Adams was unable to lie down on account of shortness of breath. He died sitting up in his chair.

Mr. Adams was a good old Christian gentleman, commanding the respect and admiration of a large concourse of friends who join with the relatives in mourning the loss of this faithful father and citizen. Mr. Adams has spent a life of hardships and toil. There are not many men living today who have done more hard and honest work than Samuel Brannon Adams.

CLANTON TO FACE ALL-STAR PLAYERS FROM MONTGOMERY

Booked for Thursday afternoon of this week is a baseball game which promises to be a thriller. The locals will face a picked team from Montgomery, known as the Montgomery All-Stars, composed of college players and the pick of high school players of Montgomery. Clanton still holds her record of beating them all, we having won over Tallassee here last Thursday afternoon 7 to 2. Tallassee was easy picking for the Clanton boys, but very likely the Montgomery team will be able to show them a little fun. Don't miss this game.

MRS. JESSE JONES IN BIRMINGHAM INFIRMARY

The wife of Mr. Jesse C. Jones was operated on at the South Highlands Infirmary in Birmingham last Sunday, the operation being a rather complicated one. Word from up there Wednesday said that the lady was not doing well at all. It is sincerely hoped that she will soon be on the incline to recovery. Mrs. Jones underwent a minor operation at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton only a few months ago.

W. M. WYATT TO VISIT SOON

Word from Mr. Mack Wyatt of Fort Payne says that he and his wife and children will be in Clanton about July 5th to spend their vacation of two or three weeks. Mack expects to do quite a bit of fishing while he is down here.

S. E. NORTON ON LONG VISIT

Mr. S. E. Norton of Thorsby, The Union-Banner's correspondent and representative at that place, was in Clanton a short while Monday morning. Mr. Norton is arranging to make an extended visit to his son in New Jersey soon.

WE UNLOADED three cars of gas, one car of Benzol and one car of Kerosene in May, and have four booked to come in June. Who would have thought it? Ask the thousands of Satisfied Users. ELLIS & SONS.

APPERSON - CALDWELL WEDDING AT PLETCHER

A wedding of much interest to their many friends over the county and state was that of Miss Elsie Caldwell of Pletcher to Mr. Benjamin C. Apperson of Birmingham, which occurred Monday afternoon, June 9th at 3:00 o'clock at the home of the bride.

The attractive living room was beautifully though simply decorated in ferns and cut flowers. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Kate Mills of Birmingham, cousin of the bride, sang "At Dawning."

Mrs. Rodger B. Kennedy of Tuscaloosa, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and only attendant. She was charming in peach color voile made basque and carried an arm cluster of Ophelia roses.

As the wedding march was being played by Miss Mills, the bride and groom entered together. The bride was a picture of girlish loveliness in a tan traveling costume of Roshanara with hat and accessories to match. She carried an arm boquet of Mock roses. The beautiful and impressive ring ceremony was performed by Rev. C. D. Messer. During the ceremony "Just A-Wearin' for You," was very softly played on the piano.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Apperson left for Birmingham, and from there they will go to Los Angeles, Cal., and later to Chicago and points east. After their return they will be at home in Birmingham, where Mr. Apperson is prominently connected in business

Mrs. Apperson is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Caldwell of Pletcher, Ala., and has many friends throughout the state, who will be interested in her wedding.

JUDGE REYNOLDS ATTENDING REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

Judge L. H. Reynolds left Clanton Saturday on No. 2 on his way to Cleveland, Ohio, where he will attend the Republican National Convention to be held in that city June 10th. The Judge was chosen as a State delegate at the State Convention held in Birmingham last month. He will return to Clanton Saturday of this week.

SINGING SCHOOL AT FRIENDSHIP BEGINS ON JULY 7th

We are requested to announce that Prof. Dewey Huett will teach a singing school at Friendship church, one and a half miles north of Clanton, beginning Monday, July 7th. All who are interested in the advancement of sacred music and who are living in this community are asked to get in touch with Mr. Huett and help to make the school a grand success.

RETURN TO FORT PAYNE

Mr. Faris Gideon and daughter, Miss Frieda Gideon, from Fort Payne, were in Clanton Friday and Saturday of last week. Mr. Gideon was working in the interest of the Master Schools of DeKalb County and his daughter was getting subscriptions for the DeKalb Republican, she being a candidate in the Republican's big subscription campaign.

G. O. P. CONVENTION MEETS IN CLEVELAND ON TUESDAY, JUNE 10

Chairman Adams Calls Meeting to Order; Burton Arraigns LaFollette and Easterners Cheer.

Convention Hall, Cleveland, Ohio, June 10. — The Republican National Convention was formally put under way in Cleveland's beautiful auditorium Tuesday with the quiet precision of a well oiled machine. No fuss, no feathers, no disorder, and what noise there was was almost lost in the magnificent great open spaces of the magnificent hall.

The picture presented when the opening gavel fell was theatrical rather than political. The hall was almost cathedral-like in its vastness and beauty. "For the last 20 years I have had the soot from the rafters of the old coliseum which would sift down my back when anybody disturbed the air by yelling real loud," said an old-timer. "Here I feel as though I were in a church. If the organ would just strike up 'Nearer My God to Thee,' I'd shut my eyes and swear it was Sunday."

Cleveland certainly showed the big hosts of Republicanism something new in the way of conventions. It was an artistic triumph, no matter how cut and dried the politics of the meeting might be.

The delegates just sat and looked at spaceousness, the soft rose and violet lights shed down from the lofty ceiling and remarked about the absence of the familiar bunting and red, white and blue decorations. There was none of the old familiar panopy and display of other conventions. A huge American flag was the only splotch of violent color in the place. On it were draped three pictures—Lincoln, Harding and Roosevelt. That was all there was in the way of decorations.

The crowd was slow in arriving and strangely enough, the spectators in the balconies that rimmed the spaceous hall were slower than the delegates. At 10:30 o'clock, half an hour before the gavel was due to fall, there were only a hand full of people in the galleries and the first delegates began to appear on the floor. By 11 o'clock, the opening hour, the floor was filled, but the spectators were still taking their sweet time in arriving. Not half the seats were filled at the opening hour.

Adams Holds Gavel.

It was two minutes past 11 o'clock when John T. Adams, grayhaired and smiling, stalked out on the platform and banged the new gavel.

Adams pointed out that Europe was torn with class cleavage and hatred, while America was united and stable, prosperous and free and at peace with all the world.

A part of Chairman Adams' speech follows:

"This is the eighteenth Republican national convention. It was only 60 years since Lincoln was president. In

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EDITOR MEETINGS WERE BIG SUCCESS

Prof. Duncan Makes Statement Regarding Conferences and Power of the Press.

Auburn, Ala., June 9.—Recent conferences of editors, farmers, Farm Bureau leaders and Extension Service workers held at nine points in Alabama are pronounced a "remarkable success in every way" by Prof. L. N. Duncan in a statement regarding them. He said that they were "for the purpose of arriving at a better understanding of mutual problems concerning the different forces," and that more than 600 people attended.

F. G. Stephens, Editor of the Southern Democrat, Oneonta, and President of the Alabama Press Association, was commended for his action in calling these conferences, and for his "fine conception of the importance of the work." Mr. Stephens was one of the original thinkers along agricultural extension lines, suggesting it to the Department of Agriculture at Washington as early as 1895.

Prof. Duncan referred to the old axiom: "Whatever you would have people become, teach it in the schools," and said that he would like to change it slightly to read: "Whatever you would have people become, print it in the paper." He added: "The press ranks as an educational institution with the public schools, high schools, and colleges"

Speaking from the standpoint of farmers he said that "farmers are determined to organize themselves into a safe, sane, and business-like constructive organization;" and that "the spirit of co-operation of Alabama editors as revealed at these meetings was such as to assure much assistance along this line." He declared further that "we are all interested in a common goal, which is a more prosperous agriculture and a more attractive rural life."

Mrs. W. T. Jones

A Letter to You

Montgomery, Ala. — "I have taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for woman's weakness, and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets as a laxative, and am delighted with these remedies. They have me perfect satisfaction and I am willing and glad to recommend them—especially the 'Favorite Prescription' for women who suffer."—Mrs. W. T. Jones, 21 Gordon Street.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a true friend to women in time of trial when the organs are not performing their functions. For headache, backache, heat flashes, catarrhal condition, bearing sensations, mental depression, dizziness, fainting spells, lassitude or exhaustion, women should never fail to take this tried and true woman's tonic.

What "Favorite Prescription" has done for others it should do for you. Get it at the drug store, in tablets or liquid, or send 10c for trial package to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and write for free confidential medical advice.

MT. PLEASANT

A school meeting was held at this place Saturday night and plans were made to build more to the school house this summer. The following teachers were elected: Ely Daniel, principal; and Misses Lily Smith and Erazelle Foshee, asistants. We anticipate a successful school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Stilma Massey and mother spent Sunday in Elmore.

Mr. Hollie Jones and Miss Erazelle Foshee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wells of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Robinson of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Massey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foshee visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Littlejohn Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Wells of Thorsby spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Foshee.

Miss Erazelle Foshee left Tuesday for Jacksonville, Ala., where she will spend the summer in school.

FINE RECORD FOR BURLINGTON

Not a single case of intoxication has appeared in the Burlington City Court for two weeks. This is said to be a record for this court in several years. Some may say that the police have been on a vacation but the indications are that the reason for the falling off in drunkenness is that it is more difficult to secure the liquor which intoxicates.

One of the reasons why intoxicants are not so plentiful is the excellent work of the federal agents. If the federal officials will continue the good work, Burlington is likely to become an uncomfortable locality for violators of the prohibition laws.

Another contributing factor in this clean-up campaign is the stand which Judge Karland B. Howe in the United States courts and Judge C.P. Cowels in the city court have taken in regard to liquor cases. Judge How has distinctly stated that those convicted in his court of selling liquor will be given jail sentences and judge Cowels has made it a practice of late to stiffen up on all penalties in all liquor cases.

Bootleggers and their kind have no respect for the law itself, but when that law begins to pinch them through strict enforcement they are not so anxious to disregard it. Let the officers and the court continue the good work.—Editorial Burlington (Vt.) Free Press.

ALL-DAY SINGING

There will be an all-day singing at Corinth church, 5 miles east of Verbena, on the Knights Ferry road, the 3rd Sunday in June. All singers and lovers of music are invited ti come and be with us. Bring your 1924 song books, also bring your dinner, as there will not be any public dinner. Let all come with hearts full of music, that we may make it a day pleasing to God, in singing praise unto Him. It being our regular preaching the 3rd Sunday in June, we are expecting to hear from Bro. Hughes at 11 o'clock.

Got a Gallon Measure Full the First Time!

Glenn Herrick, noted scientist, states that in one experiment, he gathered a full gallon measure of roaches in a kitchen that was badly infested. They breed with startling rapidity, and are a serious menace to your health. Get Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder today. Rapid—Sure. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Good roads development in Walker County is progressing satisfactorily so far as the state and federal aid highway is concerned. The highway has been completed between Jasper and the Jefferson County line, but has not yet been accepted by the state. A few little places along that link of the highway need repair. This link connects Jasper and Birmingham with an all-the-year-round good road.

A new directorate for the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce has been chosen, its members being some of the most prominent business and professional men in Huntsville. The new list is composed of C. E. Baxter, W. P. Dilworth, P. S. Dunnivant, D. A. Grayson, C. A. Grote, Morton Hutchens, Herbert Johnson, Quincy B. Love, J. E. Pierce, Ashford Todd, Thomas T. Terry and Walter K. Wellman.

Cases pending before the Alabama Public Service Commission involving a reduction in rates on sand and gravel from Montgomery, Cooks, Arrowhead, Mount Meigs, Rice and Chehaw, to Tallassee and Asberry, Ala., were settled by agreement between the shippers of the Western Railway of Alabama and the Birmingham and Southeastern Railway.

The month of May was the record one for the present year in the number of cases docketed by Anniston police officers and tried in recorder's court, according to the report of Warden J. W. Wakeley, which shows that a total of 293 cases were made, which is approximately 11 for every day a session of police court was held.

At a special meeting of the Gadsden City Council Mayor Christopher was authorized to sign a contract with the Alabama Power company for a new white way on Broad street. The company agreed to install 64 lights between Second and Seventh streets for which the city will pay $188 per month.

One of 21 postoffice money orders stolen from the postoffice at Lillie, Ky., April 29, appeared in Mobile recently and was taken in. The order was made out for $85. The discovery of the stolen order was made when a local bank presented it to the postoffice for payment. Postoffice inspectors are at work on the case.

On a visit to the Kellerman community in Tuscaloosa county, Sheriff W. C. Kyle and Deputy W. I. Huff destroyed there a 100-gallon capacity still, a barrel of beer and an oil stove found in an old mine. The mine had been abandoned some time, but there was evidence the still had been in recent operation.

Mrs. Helen Lovejoy Hopkins and Miss Annie Jo Coats, two prominent young women of Gadsden, have announced their candidacy for aldermen in the third and fourth wards, respectively. They are the first women to ever offer for an elective position in this city and their announcement has attracted much interest.

The Selma Chamber of Commerce has decided to pay the expenses of a poultry specialist, who will give his whole time to the development of poultry in Selma's trade territory, which consists of several counties, Perry, Marengo, Hale, Autauga, Dallas, Lowndes and others.

Shook and Fletcher, who are mining ore at Tait's Gap, in Etowah county, have secured control of an adjoining tract of land and are installing a $50,000 electrical equipment in a new mine which will be in operation within 90 days. The additional mine will double the company's output.

Examinations of specimens at the Tennessee Valley laboratory located at Decatur during the spring months shows a healthy increase and now 47.5 per cent of the physicians of the valley are using the laboratory, it was revealed by the report of Dr. A. J. Perollo.

D. A. Rogers, I. Kreisman and A. J. Bradshaw were appointed a committee by the Florence Chamber of Commerce to investigate the advisability of holding a good roads bond issue election in Lauderdale county. They will make their report at the next meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

Governor William W. Brandon was presented with an attractive Masonic watch charm and a beautiful basket of flowers by the state law enforcement department on his fifty-sixth birthday, June 4.

Deputy Sheriff W. T. Willoughby has been arrested on a charge of murder in connection with the shooting last week of Charlie Bradford, mortally wounded near a still during a raid.

Mayor F. L. Adams has instructed Huntsville police to be more strict in the enforcement of the law from now on and to look particularly after alleged violators of the prohibition and anti-red light district laws.

The new Hulsey hotel which has been in the course of construction for several months at Guin, has been completed and opened to the public.

Receipts of the state bureau of insurance for the first five months of 1924 have exceeded the entire receipts for 1923, by $76,041.78, it was announced by Frank N. Julian, state commissioner of insurance.

Thomas A. Atchison, of Haynesville, has been appointed state apiary inspector, according to announcement by Commissioner of Agriculture J. M. Moore.

The new Spence brick plant at Glencoe is now turning out 12,000 bricks daily.

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Flies and Bugs Killed While You Look; Rats go out of Doors to do their Dying.

If it's mosquitoes, flies, ants, bugs or rats that trouble you—just read this:

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SWEET DREAMS ANT PASTE—Simply squeeze portions of ant paste from tube where ants are troublesome. Each ant carries sufficient paste to nest to kill many other ants, and thus entire colonies are quickly wiped out—Price 35c.

SWEET DREAMS RAT PASTE—creates thirst after being eaten. Rats and mice die while out of doors seeking water, and their bodies dry up, emitting little, if any, odor—Price 35c.

SWEET DREAMS ROACH POWDER—poisonous only to roaches and water bugs, hence may be sprinkled freely and without caution on pantry shelves and other places where food-stuffs are stored—Price 35c.

SWEET DREAMS INSECT POWDER—this powder is absolutely pure and is packed in a much larger package than usually retails for 15c. Money refunded if not absolutely satisfactory. Sold by every dealer, everywhere.

ANOTHER POEM BY MISS BERTHA CROWSON

Boys, are you a pal to father,
Working with him side by side;
Listening to his good advice,
And with his love abide.

There is no other like him,
If you could just understand,
You should take his word,
And treat him like a man.

Don't shun him in a crowd,
Even if he is bent and gray,
For he has been working hard,
All along the rugged way.

Don't you think it is kindness
To make his burdens light,
Help him along the rugged road,
With a happy will and might

Mother loves you we know,
And will try to comfort you,
But understand that isn't all;
Don't your father love you too.

Some may treat father good,
Some are disobedient we know,
But remember this dear lad:
You reap whatever you sow.

And when he leaves this world,
To find a better place of rest,
Can you say these few words:
I've treated him the very best.

Please take his good advice,
And try to make a man,
Walk in the narrow way,
And do the best you can.

Woco-Pep—More Miles, More Power, Less Carbon—will take you there and bring you back. Woco Motor Oils and Sunlight Kerosene.

ELLIS & SONS.

DR. V. J. GRAGG ATTENDING AMERICAN MEDICAL ASS'N

Dr. V. J. Gragg left Sunday for Chicago, Ill., where he is in attendance at the American Medical Association most all this week. After the convention is over the doctor will go from Chicago to Rochester, N. Y., to spend a few days vacation. He will return to Clanton some time next week. Dr. Gragg is a wide-awake surgeon and physician, always keeping pace with the advancement of the times in his chosen profession. No doubt, it is a distinct honor as well as very enlightening opportunity to be in a convention with all of the master minds of the medical profession in the country, a great percentage of which will be represented at this gathering.

WOMEN'S LAW ENFORCEMENT LEAGUE ORGANIZED

Twenty-five Phoenix women organized a Women's Law Enforcement League, named a govering council of fifteen representing all sections of the Salt River Valley, and launched a determined effort to accomplish something definite in bringing about a more wholesome respect for law, particually the prohibition laws.

Charcter members, being taken into the organization, took the following pledge:

"The prohibition amendment is a part of the Constitution of the United States. Any violation of the National Prohibition Law is unpatriotic and constitutes an act disloyal to my country. Indifferent to the necessity of strict observance and enforcement is undermining to our government. I therefore pledge myself to vote irrespective of party affiliations for those candidates who will most effectively support and enforce prohibition. — A news item in Arizona Republican.

MANY THINGS are told on Woco-Pep about the great injuries sustained by the use of it. Why not prove this and get the $1,000 reward offered by us and the Wofford Oil Company? ELLIS & SONS.

CHILTON MAN PAROLED

Governor William W. Brandon Saturday paroled Ocie Mims, Chilton county, sentenced January 3, 1923 for manufacturing liquor, for 1 to 1 1-2 years. The pardon board recommended parole.

Twelve Head of Cattle Burned to Death!

A barn containing forty head of cattle caught fire recently. Twelve cows were burned to death. Rats are indirectly blamed for the fire.—Bulletin.

Clean out the rats and guard against this happening to you! Get a package of Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Positively DESTROYS rats! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says: "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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POOR OR

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager)

So much space was required last week to announce the most important events connected with commencement week at Thorsby Institute that we withheld some matters of interest to Thorsby people and many other Union-Banner readers until the rush was over.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Tisall and Miss Alithea Parker have gone to New York by steamer from Savannah. Postal cards written while enroute say the trip was delightful. Miss Parker goes to her home near Boston and the Tisalls will spend the summer at the home of Mr. Tisall's parents at a small place about a hundred miles up the Hudson river from New York. Their address will be Route 3, Box 27, Saugerties, N. Y.

Miss Jenkins went with her mother and aunt, who had been visiting her

in Thorsby, to Demorest, Ga., where she will visit with them and her father for a week or two, and then go to New York to attend a summer course at one of the Universities.

Miss Lois Leech will spend a month at Clifton Springs, N. Y., and then visit her sisters in Minneapolis and vicinity.

Mrs. Ethel Wright Loveland will go to her home at Downers Grove, Ill., where she expects to rest during the summer.

Miss Nora James went to Piedmont College at Demorest, Ga., where she graduated in 1923, to see her sister graduate and accompany her to their home at Clayton, Ga. The two hope to secure teachers' positions in the same school somewhere. Miss James will not return to Thorsby Institute.

Miss Marian Fairbanks will spend the summer with friends in western Illinois.

Mr. Waldemar Lefstead left Thorsby last Tuesday morning for Birmingham where he will be employed as bookkeeper during morning hours and attend summer school afternoons during the summer. In September he expects to go to Columbia, S. C., to attend a university and Theological Seminary a part of each day.

Members of Thorsby Institute graduating class of 1924 have announced their plans as follows: Miss Lillian McKee takes a 12 weeks summer school course at the University of Alabama; hopes to teach. Miss Etta Foshee goes to Howard College three months and will be a member of the Thorsby public school faculty. Olene Mims expects to go to Jacksonville Normal to prepare for teaching. Fellie Stephens goes to her home in Childersburg, and to college in the fall. Laura Darby will spend her summer at home having a good time and will probably go to some normal school in the fall. Margaret Butler will spend the summer with her parents attending a Chautauqua at Lakeside, Ohio, and in the fall expects to enter Piedmont Colledge at Demorest, Ga. Bernice Rogers and Claudie Smith did not report their plans. Spurgeon Kelly Expects to attend summer school and prepare for teaching. Cody Bell will work during the summer and expects to go to college in the fall or possibly will work a year and then go. Eugene Davenport will work through the summer and go to Auburn in the fall. Gresham Lowery said he was going to work.

It may be of interest to know that Miss Jessie Mims who graduated in 1923 goes to Tuscaloosa with Foshee, and will be a member of Thorsby Public school faculty when school opens in the fall.

Miss Marie Flummer goes to Birmingham Southern for summer school.

Misses Anna Werniss, Agnes Leary and Hattie Davenport were week-end visitors at their respective homes in Thorsby.

Mrs. Emma Adams and son Thomas spent last week with her mother Mrs. F. E. Gronquist. Master Thomas will be here most of the summer. He has been attending school the past year at an Academy in North Carolina.

Miss Agnes Gerald left Tuesday morning for Birmingham-Southern College where she will attend summer school for three months.

Mrs. Charles S. Howard and children, Lloyd and Ella, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald and the Misses Agnes and Mary Ella Gerald, motored to Marbury Monday morning.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. C. W. Karlson Thursday afternoon, June 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton will leave Thursday evening, June 12th to spend the summer with their son, Sereno G. Norton and family at Kenvil, N. J. During their absence, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald will be in charge of Thorsby Section of The Union-Banner. We bespeak for her active co-operation on the part on Thorsby people in furnishing business and news items that will make our part of the paper to be representative of a live community.

To Union-Banner readers who were interested in Mr. Norton's "Notes of Travel" furnished this paper during his absence two years ago, we are pleased to state that at the request of the publisher, these letters will be resumed and probably continue during Mr. Norton's absence. We bid 'YOU ALLS" Good Bye!

MRS. T. O. SWAN DEAD

A telegram was received in Thorsby last Saturday evening announcing the death of Mrs. Tilly O. Swan, at Washington, D. C. Mrs. Swan came to Thorsby with her parents when there were few people here. Her husband died in Minnesota in 1902, and Mrs. Swan brought up her family of two daughters and one son here. The two girls, Mabel and Harriet, the former now married, are in government positions at Washington, and Mrs. Swan had made her home with them for several years. The son, Harry, is engaged in farming in Minnesota.

Mrs. Swan was a fine type of Christian womanhood—kind, affable and open-handed, always helping others even at personal sacrifice. She was greatly missed when she left Thorsby, and will be kindly remembered by all who chanced to know her.

NOTICE TO FRUIT TREE PURCHASERS

All members of the Farmers Co-operative Association who expect to purchase fruit trees should keep in mind that the association is prepared to purchase all kinds of trees of the very best grade at a price that will save them money.

All farmers in the county who will purchase fruit trees should join this Association and take advantage of the saving we can secure them along this line. Remember too, that this is only one of the many ways this association can save you money and protect your best interests in securing a high grade product.

For further information, see
O. H. MASTIN, Manager,
The Farmers Co-operative Ass'n,
Clanton, Ala.

RETURNED FROM THE "LAND OF FLOWERS"

Mr. Fate Powell and sister, Mrs. J. E. Ray and children of Dadeville, Ala., returned home Saturday night after a two weeks visit to their parents, Mr and Mrs. A. W. Powell of Pensacola, Fla.

ALL "CHAINED UP" TO WIN A BET

TONY PIZZO, shown here in the sailor's uniform, has been traveling a rough and rugged road for the last two years or more. Yes, he's had many "ups" and "downs" in his life—the "ups" and "downs" being scattered over some 41 states which Tony has so far traversed on the bicycle to which you see him chained here.

It so happened Tony made a wager with a Denver, (Colo.) bicycle firm that he could cover all of our great 48 states on his two-wheeler—visiting the governor in each state as evidence that he had fulfilled the requirements of the bet.

So, accordingly, Gov. Shoup of Colorado put the handcuffs and chains on Tony, linking him to his wheel on Oct 1, 1921 and bid Tony "Bon Voyage." And Tony's been pedaling his way around the country ever since. This picture shows him as he appeared the other day on his arrival at Miami, Fla.

IN CONTEST FOR LOVING CUP

Dealers in Woco Pep Motor Fuel and Woco Motor Oils in this territory are engaged in a spirited contest for possession of a huge silver loving cup offered by the Wofford Oil Company of Birmingham for the Woco Station that makes the best showing in the "Woco Club Contest" being conducted by the company. Jno. T. Ellis, of the Woco Pep Co., of this city stated Saturday that every effort is being made to bring the big loving cup here and that every local "Woco Pepper" is on his toes.

The Woco Club Contest is a novel scheme worked out by the Wofford Oil Co. to enliven the interest of its dealers in Woco products. The Woco Club is the fun-making branch of the company's organization and membership in the club is merited by showing made in such contests as the present one. The club was organized at the company's annual birthday celebration held in Birmingham on March 15th and the first members were formally initiated at that time.

The club is fast extending its membership throughout the South. A thousand members will eventually comprise the membership roll. Membership is in three classes, designated by bronze, silver and gold lapel buttons, awarded according to records made in Woco sales. G. T. Wofford, president of the company is honorary life president of the club; Thad Holt is president; C. H. Armstrong, vice-president, and W. D. Lindsay, secretary-treasurer. W. F. Stack is a member of the Board of directors with the officers.

The local Woco Pep men expect to put a large delegation through during the present contest and each dealer is hustling to make the best possible showing. A large cash prize of $75.00 goes to the territory making the best showing as a whole.

VISIT COUNTY JAIL AND UNION-BANNER OFFICE

Mr. A. H. Glasscock of Jemison was in Clanton Tuesday afternoon, and he had with him four or five mighty fine looking girls. The group got Deputy Culp to carry them to jail, and they made a thorough investigation of that edifice. After they finished looking over the jail they came in the Banner office and watched us print some papers. We wanted to meet the young ladies and find out their names, but Mr. Glass was too shy to introduce them. Any way, we invite them to come back again, and maybe next time we can find out more about them.

NO SINGING AT CHESTNUT

Editor Union-Banner:

Please announce through your paper that on account of the all day singing at Maple Springs next Sunday, there will be no singing at Chestnut Creek on that day. But let's not forget that this society will meet again on next first Sunday afternoon.

If you don't come then you may miss something real good, for the chairman has already said that he expects to arrange a real good program for that day. So don't forget the date and everybody come. You will be welcome.

R. T. GRANT, Chm.
O. L. DeVAUGHN, Secy.

WOCO-PEP — Power to start and Power to go on after you start. Are you Wocomobiling? If not, you better get at it. ELLIS & SONS.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"A woman worries 'n' frets about gettin' her hair bobbed 'till she has it done, then she begins t' wonder if it'll ever grow out again."

Drainage Meet Called Monday Night, June 16

CLASSIFIED ADS

PIGS FOR SALE Pure bred, big bone, Poland China pigs, out of registered stock. Price $10.00 each. —John Deramus, Verbena, Ala. tf

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

WANTED—A farm near Clanton, Lomax, Strassburg or Jemison, Ala. Give complete information in first letter. Address, Dr. Jas. A. Edwards, 215½ North 20th Street, Birmingham, Ala. 6-5-3t-pd.

LOST—Pair of ladies' nose spectacles somewhere in Clanton Monday of this week, in case bearing name of Harris & Hogshead, Chattanooga, Tenn. Finder please return to Mary Farley, Clanton, Ala 1t-ch

FORMULA—for Killing Mosquitoes, flies, fleas, bedbugs, moths, cock roaches and ants in the house. Do you want to learn how to kill these insect pests? Make your own insect killer at home; as simple to make as a pot of coffee, and very cheap.

Mail us 25 cents stamps or coin, and we will mail you the formula for making a stainless insecticide that will positively kill above mentioned insects and many more. Send 25c today. It will be the best quarter you ever invested.—Florida Chemical Co., 8th St. and Taleyrand Ave., Jacksonville, Fla. 6-5-2t-ch

Mr. Clarence Evans was a visitor to his mother, Mrs. Glennie Evans, this week.

Guy A. Hart, Government Engineer, Will Meet Land Owners to Explain Proposition.

Clanton, Ala., June 4, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

We noticed in the state papers last week that the drainage act, under which we were proceeding to drain the swamps in and around Clanton was declared unconstitutional.

We have written all the land owners who signed the original petition and are notifying all other interested parties that a meeting has been called at the court house Monday night, June 16th, 1924, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of getting together to handle our proposition locally.

We have also notified Mr. Guy A. Hart, who was the government engineer looking over this project about five or six years ago, and he will be with us on this occasion and will be prepared to tell us something of this work and also give us an idea of the expense to each land owner and suggest how the matter may be handled.

Mr. Hart is now engaged as engineer in the Fayette and Lamar County projects.

Yours very truly,
GRADY REYNOLDS.

Mr. H. W. Devaughn went up to Birmingham Wednesday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Jesse C. Jones, who is in the South Highlands Infirmary, having undergone an operation last Sunday.

WHAT? WOCO-PEP! Yes sir! We are supplying thirty pumps, and more to follow. Thank you.
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For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

President Coolidge—"Surely the womanhood of our country, who have lavished upon the sons and daughters of the land such a wealth of affection, who watch over them in every crisis, from the cradle to the grave, with immeasurable devotion, will not hesitate to make sufficient sacrifice to preserve for themselves and those they love 'the last best hope of the world'—American institutions."

From The DeKalb Republican.—Hon. J. Osmond Middleton, a prominent attorney of Clanton, has been nominated as the Republican candidate for Congress in the Fourth Alabama District to oppose Lamar Jeffers, Democrat and incumbent. Mr. Middleton is a top-notch lawyer, a forceful speaker and one of the best campaigners in Alabama. It will be interesting to see him limber up his heavy artillery and begin to shell the fortress of Mr. Jeffers in the Fourth.

Don't forget the drainage meet to be held at the court house in Clanton on next Monday night, June 16th. The State law authorizing such projects to be handled by a drainage district and bonds to be issued to cover the cost has been nullified by the supreme court. But an attempt will be made for the enterprise here to be handled locally. Mr. Guy A. Hart, a dredging engineer of the U. S. government will be here to discuss the proposition to us. Come out and hear what Mr. Hart has to say to us whether you are interested in the drainage proposition or not. Don't forget it—the date is next Monday night, June 16th, the meeting to be called at 7:30 o'clock.

"There are thousands of homes in Arkansas where a greater measure of domestic happiness exists, where less of privation and are to be found, all due to prohibition laws, State and National. Business men, such as merchants, sawmill operators, construction contractors, and manufacturers, tell us that labor condition have been more satisfactory under prohibition than ever before. There is greater thrift, less suffering, and more domestic community tranquillity than during the days of the open saloon."—Governor Thomas McRae, Arkansas,

One editor thinks that shippers who pay high freight rates ought to get some satisfaction out of the fact that, through Federal state and local governments, they get about half of the profits of the roads back in the form of taxes. What a strange line of reasoning! What does it profit the shipper if he taxes the railroads $100,000,000 and then has to pay freight rates to make up the tax? It may be, as the Houston Post remarks, that an indirect tax is sometimes easier to pay, but we do not recollect anyone remarking that he found his taxes easier to pay because paid through the freight office. Undoubtedly a lot of people who pay in that manner do not know that they are paying, and feel sore at the railroad instead of at the taxing authorities, but that does not alter the fact that the tax is a burden. Many a man pays taxes when he pays rent, and overlooks the fact that he is paying the tax, but he pays it just the same. And it hurts his pocket book just as much, even if it does not hurt his feelings. President Harding uttered a very important truth when he declared that what this country wants is not a shifting but a lifting of taxes. Taxing through the mediumship of the railroads is shifting. It is a subterfuge that may deceive the taxpayer but does not lift his burden.

WHY IS IT ?

APOLOGIES ENOUGH WITHOUT THIS

A former friend of Mr. McAdoo asked one of the delegates to the Democratic convention for whom he was going to vote. "I do not know," was the answer, "but I do know I will not vote for Mr. McAdoo or any one else for whom I must apologize when I get home. I am sorry Mr. McAdoo traded his influence with his former associates for Doheny's money." The questioner declares the answer to his inquiry correctly tells the story of how many Democrats feel. They don't want a candidate for whom they must apologize during the campaign.

If that is the thought dominating the judgment of convention delegates regarding McAdoo, what must be said of Senator Glass who, it is suspected by many, will come from behind and win the race? Glass has publicly announced that he is for McAdoo. That means that he attaches no importance to the McAdoo record which will, in the minds of many, eliminate the latter from the race. But if Glass approves of McAdoo without reservation, we must conclude that the Senator would do precisely as McAdoo has done did opportunity come his way. There is no difference in moral principle between McAdoo who acted and others who endorse his actions. The objections to Mr. McAdoo apply with precisely equal force to Senator Glass. With either as their candidate the Democrats would be reduced to a campaign of apology.

BEAR THIS IN MIND

Recently the British House of Commons come within twelve votes of enacting a bill for the nationalization of lands and mines; that is, of adopting the very policy that has been the distinguishing feature of soviet rule in Russia. Not many years ago it would have been impossible to get twelve votes in the whole House for such a measure. The change that has taken place in Great Britain should have a sobering effect on us in this country. If the radical element in Congress, which has held the balance of power during the present session, were to command a working majority it is highly probable that nationalization would be one of its legislative goals. It is but a step from government ownership of railroads and coal mines, which already has been seriously advocated, to the nationalization of all lands and all mines. Before it is too late the people would better consider the recent history of Russia and the depths to which destruction of private initiative always leads.

FOREST FIRES IN ALABAMA

Hundreds of acres of gullied and useless hillside lands are among the harmful effects resulting each year from forest fires in Alabama, according to investigations by the State Commission of Forestry made during the past few months. While this has long been known as a general fact, it was not until the spring rains of this year were observed daily washing away the hillsides from which the forest growth has been burned by repeated fires that the full extent of such damage was appreciated. In some sections former residents returning after a few years absence could hardly recognize the locality due to its changed appearance. In many cases the damage consists not only in stripping the soil from the hillsides but also in depositing the sand, gravel and clay on the cultivated lands below and thus destroying crops. A large amount of silt and sand from the denuded hills is also washed into the dams and reservoirs rapidly filling them up. Many a reservoir which has been depended upon to furnish water supply or power has had its period of usefulness cut in half by being filled from this source. In developing its fire protection work the Commission of Forestry plans to give special attention to the hilly and rolling sections of the State.

BLAMES ANYHOW

The St. Louis Times makes the remarkable statement that "The Republicans in Congress must assume full responsibility for whatever legislation is enacted, regardless of the fact that the present Congress is Republican in name only." Why should the Republicans asume responsibility if they have not had a working majority in either House? They should not. To admit that they should would be equivalent to urging the election of a Democratic Congress next November in order that Mr. Coolidge's recommendations may be carried into effect. This Congress is controlled by a radical coalition in which Democrats have been most prominent, and against whose dominating votes the Republicans have been powerless to assert themselves. If President Coolidge's policies are to triumph in the next Congress a majority of its members must be Republican in fact as well as in name. Then the party will be pleased to assume responsibility for legislation.

CHILDREN'S DAY AND SINGING AT OAK HILL

Last Sunday our hearts were filled with gladness when we were ushered into the front and comfortably seated in front of the beautiful decorated stage with the word welcome in very large letters above it. And the welcome address by Superintendent A. H. Glasscock made us all feel perfectly welcome and at home. Rev. W. P. Lowery in response, took the L out of welcome and made it read we come, and assured those in charge of the exercises that all that great audience appreciated the effort that they had made to entertain them. Not only at that time but many other times they had been entertained by the good people of the Oak Hill community, and how anxious they were to hear the call to come back again on another occasion of this kind. The entire program which lasted about two hours was carried out without a hitch and was very interesting from beginning to ending and brought forth notes of praise from all present, and many expressed themselves by saying it was the best they had ever seen or heard. At the noon hour a table which looked to be about 100 feet in length was loaded almost to its capacity with so many kinds of something good to eat, prepared and placed there by the kind hands of the good ladies of that and other communities.

After giving thanks to our kind and loving heavenly Father for blessing us in so many ways, we did all eat and were filled and still plenty left. After meeting many of our friends, some of whom we had not seen for many years, and after shaking their hands and exchanging our greetings of God's blessings, we almost raced for a seat, for long before the time for the singing to begin the house was filled to its capacity and almost as many more on the outside who could not get in at all, but all this time E. L. Glasscock was on the job arranging that great class of singers so as to get all the different parts together. After singing the opening song, called Rev. T. W. Davis to the front who invoked the divine blessings of God upon us.

The singing then began in earnest with a leader from Clanton whose name the writer failed to get as first director. Then we had the pleasure of listening to other noted directors such as Prof. Akins Collins, Vernon Northcutt, Henderson Hays, Burl Martin, Moxie Boswell, James Franklin, O. B. Robinson, E. L. and A. H. Glasscock. Two quartets were rendered by the home boys, and one by a made-up quartet of visiting singers which was good and enjoyed very much.

Those who presided at the organ were Misses Esther Atkinson, Ellen Coker, Flossie Cobb, Eva Childress, Nora Maddox, Inez Hayes, and Mr. Amie Boswell.

Both the Showalter and Vaughan books were used. Everybody seemed to be at their best, and in spite of the heat and over-crowded room did some real good singing, and we feel sure that everyone who attended was perfectly satisfied and well paid for their trip up there. We are anxious to again hear the call to come back to Oak Hill on another occasion of this kind, for we have always been greeted and made welcome by the good people of that community, and especially A. H. and E. L. Glasscock who have the interest of the church and community at heart.

J. R. COST.

SINGING AT SARDIS

There will be an all day singing at Sardis church next Sunday, June 15. Everybody invited to come and bring well filled baskets and their new 1924 song books. Prof. I. D. Huett and many others are expected to sing.

The lightning and thunder storm last Friday night was so strong that it jumped the electric switch in The Banner office and burnt out a perfectly good electric motor. We are glad that it didn't burn up anything besides the motor.

Gone are the days of the horses and the steer,
Gone are the days when motors act so queer,
Yes, we have come to a better gas I know,
When Ellis & Sons fills your motor—it must go.

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This is breeding time for roaches! Now is the time they spread their deadly germs! Don't take a chance on having your food contaminated. NOW is the time to stop them—next week it will be much harder. Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

Boll weevils are not unlike inhabitants of cities. When "city folks" find the crowds in mid-summer are becoming unbearable they want to get away to quiet places where they will have more "elbow room." When the square "tenements" of the boll weevils become too crowded, they also become restless and take to the air. However, it is not necessary that they be crowded before their movement begins for their migratory instinct prompts them to seek new fields.

The weevil moves from place to place by flight. Although it does not fly far as compared with many other insects, it has been known to cover a distance of more than forty miles in a short time. It is unable to continue flight very long but by a series of short flights, especially when the wind is favorable, it may cover considerable distances.

The first movement is in the spring from winter quarters to the nearest cotton, usually a short distance. After the weevils reach the field there is very little movement except from plant to plant until well along in the summer. Over-wintered weevils and their offspring for several months only move like a slowly advancing overflow. Up until August about 90 per cent of the weevils in any field are those which develop practically where they are found.

About the middle of August an instinct on the part of the weevils to move about becomes noticeable. During this period weevils become restless and take to the air very actively, flying in all directions. This is sometimes due to heavy infestation in the field but seems primarily to be an instinct that has caused the extension of the infested area in the United States year by year until now it covers more than 600,000 square miles.

With the approach of cold weather there is another distinct movement on the part of the weevils. This is into winter quarters in and about the cotton fields, and usually is a short flight.

One of the most striking things about the boll weevil is the rapid advance it has made across the cotton belt. The insect made its way into Southern Texas about 1892 and since has swept across the cotton territory to the Atlantic seaboard and as far north as Virginia. The annual advance has been from 40 to 160 miles.

Under some conditions the boll weevil is sometimes spread by man through the shipment of cotton and cotton products or of any commodity which originates on the farm. Spread by this means, however, has been of very little importance.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of June 8, 1899.

News of Jumbo.

Bro. Vickers preached an excellent sermon to an interested congregation at Mt. Zion Sunday.

Mrs. Gilchrist and little son, Porter of Clanton are spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. B. J. Jones.

Mr. Robert Teel and Miss Dora Goodgame visited Mr. E. W. Willis' family Sunday.

Miss Carrie Mullins was up on a visit Sunday.

Mr. King went over to Mulberry last Saturday to sell the church there an organ.

Mr. Edler of Thorsby, was in Jemison last Saturday.

Messrs. Archie Harris and Connar Wilson of Enid were visitors to the river Wednesday.

Mr. A. C. Poole of Kincheon was one of our welcome visitors today. We always extend a glad hand to our friends when they come to renew their subscriptions.

Mr. H. B. Oliver of Verbena was in town today.

Miss Eula Wyatt of Coosa was among friends here Sunday with the Misses Elzie, Lilla and Balzora Patterson.

Dr. W. E. Stewart on Wednesday went to join his family at Nashville, where they are spending the summer.

Married this week, Mr. A. L. Walker and Miss M. A. Chandler.

Capt. W. A. Middleton, who has been quite sick, we are glad to learn, is improving.

WOCO-PEP says, "Don't be a hill dodger. Use Pep and go up the hills in high." ELLIS & SONS.

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Baby's nursing bottles attract rats! They will do anything to get at the bottle. If they do, they will infect the milk with disease. For heilth's sake wipe out the rats! Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Postively DESTROYS all rats. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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Instruction offered to High School pupils who have conditions pending, and to Seventh Grade pupils who were conditioned in not more than two subjects in last County Seventh Grade Examination.

If interested, please inform me at an early date.

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POOR OR

SOUTH CALERA

There will be a childrens day at Shiloh Methodist Church at South Calera next Sunday. The church welcomes visitors from every community.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin and two children visited relatives at Gantt's Quarry last week, returning home Sunday night.

Mrs. Mary Griffin is visiting Mrs. G. S. Tate this week.

Mrs. Louise Martin and little daughter, Francis were the guests of Mrs. Sam Busby one day last week.

Uncle Dock Wells delivered two sermons, one Saturday night and one Sunday morning, at Shiloh church. Everyone was glad to have him in the community.

A number of people from South Calera attended the Children's Day exercise at Oak Hill Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbell and a friend from Siluria spent the week-end with Mrs. Charles Campbell.

Mr. E. D. Crim left Monday for Cherokee Bluffs, where he is going to take a position.

Mrs. Claud Busby and little son, Henry, returned to Birmingham Sunday, after a week's visit to Mrs. Busby's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Green.

Miss Mexa Tate was a visitor to Helena last week.

Miss Jennie Blankenship from Helena visited her sister, Mrs. Hiram Busby last week.

Mr. R. L. Crum was in South Calera a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim.

UNION GROVE

There was a large crowd out at preaching Saturday night, but we did not have any preaching Sunday night on account of the rain.

Everybody from around here went to the Childrens Day at Oak Hill Sunday and seem to have enjoyed the day well. The children's program was just fine, but the singing in the afternoon was still better. We had plenty of good things to eat.

Miss Myrtle Dorminey of Birmingham spent the week end with her home folks.

Mrs. A. V. Northcutt returned to her home at Gorgas Monday morning after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Davis of near Jemison spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brasher.

Miss Pearl Chandler returned home Thursday after visiting her friend, Miss Ethel Mize of Maplesville.

Messers Calvin Lenoir and Astro Wright and Miss Edna Robinson spent a while with Miss Rebecca Dorminey Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Martin spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Chandler.

Miss Amy Robinson spent Sunday night with Misses Euna and Ennice Davis.

Miss Rebecca Dorminey spent Saturday night with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer.

Don't forget the ice cream supper at the church on next Saturday night, the 14th. Everybody come.

NEW HARMONY

Rain, rain, rain. It looks as if the poor old farmers are having a tough time. The land is washed the worst I have ever seen, but still, we have to struggle along and do the best we can while the world goes along and looks to us for a living.

Still, we do not get credit for what we do. We will take up the boll weevil. You see men who do not need to make cotton, who can live without it and they are the ones who are trying to make the most. They will buy poison and make big crops and the little farmer has to go and do the best he can. But I tell you, there will come time when there will be a hault. The man who can live without the cotton is what is keeping the little man down. I will be glad when the day comes that we will have a chance, when all men will have the same privilege.

You see that every other class of people are organized. Well, we say for what. For their protection and because "united we stand and divided we fall. "I will be glad to see the day when we farmers can get together. we will make our stuff and we will carry it to market and ask the store man what he will give us for it, and then we will turn around and ask him what he will take for his goods. Is that right? I say no, ten times no. Well, we want to know how to stop that. Well, when we get together and stand together, we can price our stuff.

We do not propose to fight the store man, but we just want a fair deal. We are not getting it and the world knows it. We want to help the business man and we want him to help us. But still, he gets pay for helping us, and what do we get? You go to a man to borrow money and he charges you 8 per cent interest. Well that is all right but does he ever think of us not making anything above a living. You see a man go into business, and it won't be long before he is on the top shelf. He is riding in a fine car. How many farmers own cars? They may have a Ford and a second-hand one at that. It is all right for a man to own a fine car, but still there is something wrong.

There is less than half the world farming and are feeding them selves and the other half too. Something is wrong. How long will this last? It will last as long as we farmers will let it. When we go to seeing after our own business in a business way it will stop. Now, we are not fighting anyone, but we ought to have a fair deal. W. B. COOPER.

WEST CHILTON

Welcome leafey June, with its roses and blue skies.

Everybody extremely busy in these parts.

The severest wind and rain of this year visited here Friday night.

Crops are looking well. Gardens luxuriant.

A case of small pox is reported in the Mars Hill community.

Hughey Waldrop's little child died a few days ago; was buried at Pleasant Grove.

Cleveland Martin and Miss Tempie Smith motored to Oak Hill Sunday.

J. C. Edwards of Mulberry was in this community last week.

The people here seem very well pleased thus far with the way the court is working the roads.

There was an ice cream supper at Horace Smitherman's Saturday night on Route 1, Randolph.

E. J. Gibson of Thorsby, Route 1, was here a few days ago on business.

Some work was done on the Macedonia cemetery Friday. It is one of the old cemeteries of Chilton county; first burial there in 1857.

Much farm land is being left uncultivated this year. People have gone away.

Mrs. Pratt Crumpton of Childersburg came down to the burial of her sister's little child at Pleasant Grove.

Mrs. Lillie Honeycutt and children of Lakeland, Fla., are visiting the family of Z. J. Jones this week.

Mr. Ben Gibson of Thorsby, Route 1, visited here Sunday.

Long live The Union-Banner,—the older people can tell us of a time when Chilton county had no newspaper.

DEATH OF MISS LIZZIE GREENE

On Sunday a.m., June 1st, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Greene near Lawley and bore away their loving daughter, Lizzie, across the crystal sea to live with God and share His heavenly home.

She left her parents, four brothers, one sister and a host of friends and relatives to mourn her death. She was 32 years of age, and has been a member of Rehoboth church for several years.

She has been a business worker in Bessemer for the last four years, and was well known and loved by everybody who knew her.

Her remains were laid to rest in Mt. Olive cemetery.

THE CONVERT

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Gasoline "blues."

ACT II.
Cusses.

ACT III.
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THANKFUL TO VOTERS

Lawley, Ala., June 9, 1924.

I wish to state to my friends who supported me in the primary of May 13th that I am just as thankful to you all as if I had received the nomination for the office of member of the county board of education, and if any of you ever need my help or advice, just let me hear from you.

Again I thank you.

Yours sincerely,
W. B. GREEN.

MACEDONIA, BEAT 14

There will be an all day singing at this place the third Sunday in June. All singers and lovers of music are invited to come and bring your new 1924 song books and a well filled basket and spend the day with us.

Mrs. Willie Jones and two children, J. C. and Ruth, motored to Montgomery and spent the week end with relatives last week.

STANTON NEWS

Our church is progressing fine and glad to say that we are making it an A-1.

Mr. Eschol Crotwell of Bessemer is now spending his summer vacation with his sister, Mrs. W. V. Dyer of this place.

Mrs. M. L. Harris spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. F. A. Ellis of Shoults recently.

Miss Elsie Schurter attended the wedding of Miss Evelyn Lacy Thursday.

A large crowd attended the show which was given Saturday night. Everyone seemed to have enjoyed it.

Miss Lillie Carter of this place went shopping to Selma Saturday.

Mr. Zac Crocker of Mount Olive is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carter.

Master Thomas Bearden is very ill. He was carried to the hospital at Selma Sunday morning on the Birmingham train. Doctors have not announced his case as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Beasley are the proud parents of a fine baby boy.

Mr. T. M. Gay and family dined at the home of Mrs. G. M. Hamrick Sunday.

Misses Bessie Collins and Lillian Latham of Lawley were the guests of Miss Frances Woolley Sunday.

Miss Irma Ree Huff is now spending a few days with Mrs. George Moore of near Stanton.

Mr. J. A. Davis of Fremont was in Stanton Saturday.

Mr. Onzie Garner of Shoults was the guest of Miss Sallie Lee Bearden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carter have recently moved to Bessemer.

Mr. Ledbetter and family of Selma have recently moved to Stanton.

Miss Ernestine Dyer has returned home from Judson College and will spend her summer vacation here.

Mr. John Foshee of near Stanton was the guest of Miss Franklin Parnell Saturday night.

SINGING CONVENTION AT CEDAR GROVE

The Harp and Harmony singing convention of Chilton county is hereby called to meet in special session at Cedar Grove church near Thorsby on the 3rd Sunday in July. All invited.

Cedar Grove is centrally located. All the members of the convention are urged to attend, and help make the singing what it should be. Bring books and dinner.

THE CHAIRMAN.

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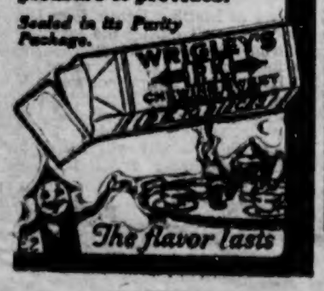

Fiddlin' John Carson

Seven times champion fiddler of Dixie, has just recorded another new one exclusively for OKeh records.

FIDDLIN' JOHN scored a wonderful hit with his two recent OKeh records, "Little Old Log Cabin in the Lane," and "Papa's Billy Goat." They're both great numbers and they're still selling like fury.

Listen to this! Fiddlin' John Carson has made a quaint, old-time favorite, "When You and I Were Young, Maggie." As a counterpiece, on the other side is "Billy in the Low Ground."

Here is a remarkable fiddling record that is due to outsell them all!

Ask to hear these 3 Carson records

40020 10 in. 75c — WHEN YOU AND I WERE YOUNG, MAGGIE — Fiddling Solo, Vocal Chorus—Fiddlin' John Carson★
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Thought For The Day

Of every step I took in pain
I had some gain.
Of every night of blind excess
I had reward of halt dead idleness,
Back to the lone road
With the old load!
But rest at night is sweet
To wounded feet;
There is miraculous reward of song.
—Anna Wickham.

Study Club.

Mrs. J. A. Hester was the charming hostess to the Study Club on Friday afternoon. The apartments were thrown together for this occasion and were made attractive throughout with sweet peas. The president, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, called the meeting to order. After the business session, the following program was called out: Lauddor Cottage, Mrs. Hester; a program on Poetry was carried out by Mesdames Chandler and McDonald; piano selection, Miss Mary Upchurch; violin solo, Mrs. Grady Broadhead. The hostess served cream and cake. The visitors to the club were Mesdames Dick Hayes, Petre and Miss Mary Upchurch.

Mrs. Roberts Hostess.

Mrs. Barney Roberts was a charming hostess on last Wednesday when she entertained her sewing club and extra friends. The spacious porch was attractive with an arrangement of ferns and flowering pot plants, with fancy sewing and social conversation, the afternoon slipped by hurriedly. Later a refreshing salad course with iced tea was served. The guests of the club were Mrs. V. J. Elmore, Mrs. R. C. McDavid, Mrs. L. C. Ross and Mrs. Sartor.

Hear Gennett Record No. 5428, by the Vaughn Quartet, at Weldon's Music House, Clanton, Ala. Price 75 cents.

Going Where? To Clanton the 4th of July to Free Barbecue at high school grounds. Ball games and other amusements. Speaking will be on the grounds.

Miss Elizabeth McSwain was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tandy McSwain at Coopers this week.

Mrs. Macy Jones was home from Birmingham for the week end.

Mrs. Ruben Reynolds and boys are spending this week with Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and family. Mr. Reynolds is in Chicago on business

Miss Cuba Keith from Birmingham was a recent visitor to Miss Dewey Branch.

Eudah Curlee left Monday for Jacksonville to attend summer school.

Miss Lessie Reynolds left Tuesday for Montevallo where she will attend six weeks summer school.

Mrs. Hugh Foshee left Monday for a visit to relatives in Shrieveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald and children left Tuesday for a visit to relatives in Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Shepard of Birmingham are visiting relatives here this week.

Claudie Pipes has returned home from Clarksville, Va., where he attended school the past season.

Master Grady Reynolds, Jr., has returned home from a visit to Mrs. Morgan in Montgomery.

Miss Jean Johnson has returned home from her year's work at Loretta Academy in Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen had as their guests for the week end Mr. and Mrs. Fate Callen from Birmingham.

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Mrs. Hugh Jones and little daughter, Mary Courtney, returned home from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Courtney, in Montgomery.

John Ellis had as his guest for the week end his school chum, M. R. Buckalew.

Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn of Montgomery has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Luckie and family for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen had as their guests for the week-end, Mr and Mrs. Fate Callen from Birmingham.

Mrs. M. L. White spent a couple of days in Montgomery last week.

Misses Mary Elizabeth and Evelyn Powe from Birmingham are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. VanDerveer.

Miss Roberta Curry will leave Friday for several weeks visit to her sister, Mrs. Clint Jones in Asheville, N. C.

MANY THINGS are told on Woco-Pep about the great injuries sustained by the use of it. Why not prove this and get the $1,000 reward offered by us and the Wofford Oil Company? ELLIS & SONS.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The city of Troy won in litigation over paving work contemplated by the municipality when the supreme court of Alabama affirmed the decision of the Pike circuit court in equity in the case of W. B. Sanders et al vs. city of Troy.

Petition of the Deuel Power company and town of Robertsdale for approval of certain grants of franchise from the town of Robertsdale to the Deuel Power company was set for hearing Tuesday, June 3, by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

The Alabama Hotel Men's association will hold its semi-annual convention at Selma, July 8. Officers will be elected for next year and delegates will be named to the annual convention of the American Hotel association at Cleveland, O., July 14.

The Etowah Investment company has contracted to mine coal on the lands of the Raccoon Coal company in the western part of Etowah county and will work the Underwood and Blue Gem seam on a royalty basis.

A Boy Scout troop was organized in North Gadsden with Harry Disque, prominent young lawyer, as scoutmaster. It is expected that the troop eventually will become one of the largest in Etowah county.

Will H. Owen of Baker Hill Barbour county, has been commissioned as jury commissioner for that county for the term ending January, 1926.

The paved boulevard between Gadsden and Attalla, part of which was built by federal and state aid, has been thrown open to traffic.

VOCAL—

5428—Down South,
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5271—It Ain't Gonna Rain No Mo'
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5426—Old Black Crow in The Hickory Tree; and Weeping Blues,
Harry Frankel.

DANCE—

5433—After the Storm (Fox Trot)
There's Yes, Yes, in your Eyes (Fox Trot),
Bailey's Lucky Seven.

5361—Say it With a Ukelele (Fox Trot) and Before You Go (Fox Trot)
The Four Musical Minstrels.

5364—Mindin' My Business (Fox Trot) and If You'll Come Back, (Fox Trot)
Bailey's Lucky Seven.

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SALE OF LANDS FOR TAXES IN CHILTON COUNTY, ALA.

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Under and by virtue of several decrees rendered by the probate court of Chilton County, Alabama on the 12th day of May, 1924, for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes due for the year 1923, I will on **Monday, the 16th day of June, 1924,** sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the court house door of said county in Clanton, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, for the state and county taxes, fees, costs and charges, to-wit:

BEAT 1

No. 21.—Eli Guin—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 30, Tp. 24, Range 15. Tax and cost $11.97.

BEAT 2

No. 357.—N. B. Posey—SE ¼ of SE ¼ Sec. 27, Tp. 23, R. 12. Tax and cost $16.98.
and cost $15.30.

No. 358.—W. S. Peoples—SE ¼ of SW ¼ less 10 acres on N. side Sec. 28, Tp. 23, R. 13.

E ½ of NW ¼ Sec. 33, Tp. 23, R. 13. Tax and cost $17.47.

No. 455.—J. B. Williams—E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.77.

BEAT 4

No. 840.—Sim Crayton Estate—One house and two acres in SW cor. of NE ¼ of NE ¼ Sec. 22, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.71.

No. 1017.—R. W. Garner or O. U.—NW ¼ of NE ¼ and all of SW ¼ of NE ¼ lying N. of Walnut Creek Sec. 20, Tp. 22, R. 15. Tax and cost $14.40.

No. 1122.—J. M. Johnson—NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 21, Range 13.
SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 13. Tax and cost $21.52.

No. 1367.—H. M. Mahan—N ½ of NW ¼, SE ¼ of NW ¼ Sec. 31, Tp. 23, R. 15. Tax and cost $43.22.

No. 1368.—J. A. Mahan—One house and lot beginning at NW cor. block 1 running N. 200 ft. fronting Lock 12 road, thence E. 300 ft., thence S. 200 ft. to Block 1, thence W. 300 ft. to point of beginning in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $45.15.

No. 1381.—New South Land Co.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ lying W. of Clanton and Lock 12 road, Sec. 7, Tp. 22, R. 15.

SE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 1, Tp. 22, R. 14.

E ½ of NE ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 22, R. 14. Tax and cost $42.70.

No. 1510.—W. A. Ray—S. ½ of NW ¼ of NW¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, Range 14. Tax and cost $32.32.

No. 1637.—Robt. Teague or O. U.—N ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 14, Tp. 23, R. 15, for only 6 months. Tax and cost $8.25.

No. 4861.—Junius Winkfield—One house and Lots 7 and 8, Block 15, E. of R. R. in Clanton, Ala. Tax and cost $11.37.

No. 1516.—Grady Reynolds—NW ¼ of NE¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 23, Range 15. Tax and cost $7.08.

No. 1517.—Grady Reynolds—SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost, $13.10.

No. 1518.—Grady Reynolds—NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 13, Tp. 24, Range 13. Tax and cost $9.00.

BEAT 5

No. 1800.—G. R. Burris—One house and Lot 5, Block 0, in Mt. Creek, Ala. Tax and cost $17.45.

No. 1841.—Henry Courtney—One house and Lot K-19 in NW ¼ of NE ¼.

Lot K-18 in NE ¼ of NW ¼ all in Sec. 6, Tp. 20, R. 16. Tax and cost $14.30.

No. 1890.—Laura Fuller Estate—S ½ of NW ¼ and S ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $15.90.

No. 1963.—W. J. Headley—SE ¼ of NE ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 12, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $25.25.

BEAT 7

No. 2460.—Ralph Calloway—1 lot and shop building 3, Block 4.
Vacant Lots 10 and 11, Block 2, in Maplesville Real Estate Addition to Maplesville, Ala. Tax and cost $48.74.

No. 2510.—Mrs. M. F. Hicks—W ½ of NE ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼, Sec. 4, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.44.

No. 2516.—T. C. Haley—NE ¼ and NW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $20.72.

No. 2554.—S. D. Lovelady—N ½ of NW ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼, Sec. 31, Tp. 21, R. 11. Tax and cost $36.64.

BEAT 8

No. 2943.—George Smitherman—One house and two acres in SE cor. of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 26, Tp. 20, R. 11. Tax and cost $6.55.

No. 2977.—Mattie Walker—S ½ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 11 Tax and cost $13.45.

BEAT 10

No. 3669.—Frank Price—S ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼ and S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $20.40.

No. 3696.—S. J. Smith—NW ¼ of NE ¼, less 15 acres on W. side W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 33, Tp. 21, R. 15. Tax and cost $23.40.

No. 3734.—Mrs. Lida Williams—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 20, R. 15. Tax and cost $12.74.

BEAT 12

No. 3914.—J. R. Blow—E ½ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 15, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $8.67.

No. 3975.—J. I. Gables—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $11.94.

No. 3976.—L. V. Gaither—22½ acres on W. side of SW ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 6, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $9.07.

No. 4013.—G. W. Martin—SE ¼ of SW ¼, less 1 acre in the NE cor., Sec. 22, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $10.42.

No. 4019.—J. B. Mims—NE ¼ of NE ¼, E ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼ and E ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼, Sec. 24, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $18.01.

No. 4026.—Mrs. M. V. Northcutt—E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of NW ¼ of SE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 7, Tp. 23, R. 14. Tax and cost $20.12.

BEAT 13

No. 4121.—C. B. Armstrong—NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 27, Tp. 24, R. 13, less 1 acre near NE cor. Tax and cost $8.44.

No. 4234.—Lucy Swain—All of SW ¼ of SE ¼ lying E. of L. & N. R. R., except 2 acres in SE cor. Sec. 22, Tp. 24, R. 13. Tax and cost $10.45.

BEAT 15

No. 4592.—J. W. Lockhart—SE ¼ of SE ¼, Sec. 32, Tp. 20, R. 13. Tax and cost $9.85.

No. 4640.—J. J. Scott, No. 2.—SW ¼ of NW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼ of NW ¼, Sec. 36, Tp. 21, R. 13. Tax and cost $8.90.

This, 14th day of May, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT,
Tax Collector, Chilton County, Ala.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court, in Equity. B. L. Lowery, Complainant, vs. Essie Lowery, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertaned faiter reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Essie Lowery, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 10th day of July, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, Ala., this 9th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

6-12-4t.

SHERIFF'S SALE—PERSONALTY

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of $277.29, principal and interest, and $22.77 costs of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January Term, 1924, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of W. C. Burnett against G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport Vinson, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at or near Henry Oates' place, Post-office address Thorsby, Ala., Route No. 1, on the 19th day of June, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named G. H. Vinson and Mrs. Davenport Vinson, in and to the following described personal property, viz:

One Saw Mill complete, including one husk frame, carriage, belts and pulleys.

This 7th day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff.

Posted at Court House Door, June 7th, 1924. 1t.

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In Beats 11, 1 and 12 I believe I can truthfully say that ninety-eight per cent have already been dipped. Especially let me say that Beats 11 and 1, except some stock-law cattle, are ninety-nine and a half per cent. And let me appeal to the good people of stock-law one more time, who have cattle in these territories to come on look after their cattle, have them dipped and help get rid of this worrisome thing, and thereby stop the expense to the county, for if you will think one minute the money to keep this thing going, comes out of the fellow's pocket that is having to worry with dipping his cows. So come in and see after your cows, get them dipped and let's all get done with the thing and get in the same boat together and ride.

Yours for getting done with this thing this time, if possible, and yours for the betterment of our country in every way.

Yours truly,
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EARL COOPER ENTERS STUDEBAKER SPECIAL IN ALTOONA RACE

Second Prize Winner in Sensational Indianapolis Race Trains For Faster 250-Mile Event on Wood Oval —Must Average 100 Miles Per Hour to Qualify.

Rail Birds Claim Cooper Now Driving Faster Pace. Flood of Mascots Received Before 500-Mile Race Given as Cause For Vanishing Jinx.

Altoona, Pa., June 9.—Earl Cooper, sensational winner of second place in the recent Indianapolis Speedway classic with his Studebaker Special, has arrived here and gone into training for the second annual International championship race on Flag Day, June 14.

Paul Sheedy, general manager of the Altoona board oval, went all the way to Indianapolis to persuade Cooper to race for the $25,000 purse in the big 250-mile meet.

Veteran a Favorite

Cooper's record-breaking speed in the 2009-lap grind at Indianapolis, when he was pushing his Studebaker Special at 105 miles an hour and taking the turns without slackening his speed, makes him a favorite contender in the race here.

The Altoona track is known as the world's fastest course. Drivers must qualify at a speed of at least 100 miles an hour. The Studebaker Special's pilot did the 500-mile distance in Indianapolis in 5:06.47.18 time, at an average of 97.27 miles an hour. Jimmy Murphy made a record in 1922 when he did it at 94.48 miles an hour.

Cooper led most of the race at Indianapolis, jockeying at times with Murphy. It was when he was past the 425-mile post that tire trouble delayed him, and Joe Boyer nosed ahead in a Duesenberg. Even then, the speed merchant, Cooper, finished second with less than a lap behind the winner.

Railbird dopesters believe Cooper is due to make 1924 his greatest year in his fourteen years of racing. They point out that his hard luck in 1923 prevented him from being a track sensation. Leading in every race—including the opening of the Altoona track—he snagged into trouble when a few laps from the finish.

Girls Change His Luck

But his luck changed at Indianapolis on Decoration Day. The superstitious ones say it was brought about by the valanche of letters and good-luck mascots sent him by feminine racing fans from all over the country. Cooper sent out a worried S O S for some one to be his "Lady Luck." And nearly 1,000 girls volunteered to inspire him to victory.

All the otheer racers concede that Cooper, driving at a record pace, and leading most of the route, should have copped the checkered flag. But he did get second. Cooper things it means a new deal of the cards. He is confident of winning on June 14.

"My Studebaker Special emerged from the Indianapolis race in perfect condition," he said today. "It did the 500 miles without missing a beat of the engine. I could have gone into another race with it immediately. I have a feeling that the little car and I are going to make a barrel of money this year."

He's Driving Car Faster

Cooper, say the clockers at the track here, is driving faster than he used to. They all say he is "heavy footed," and that his Studebaker Special promises to hang up some new records in automobile racing before the season ends.

If his luck holds out, the veteran racer, it is said, will gain the coveted A. A. A. "Speed Kink" crown for 1924. He's won it twice before. Can he do it again?

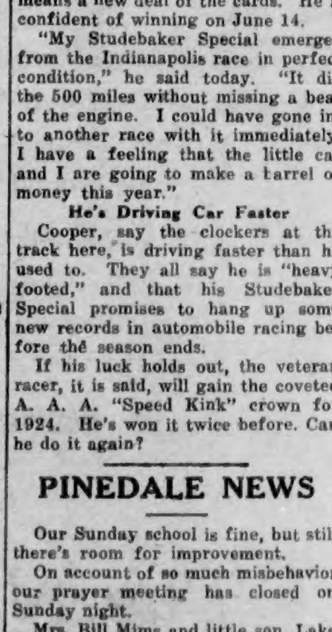
PINEDALE NEWS

Our Sunday school is fine, but still there's room for improvement.

On account of so much misbehavior our prayer meeting has closed on Sunday night.

Mrs. Bill Mims and little son, Lake of Union Grove community spent Saturday night at Mr. M. F. Ellison's.

There will be preaching at this place next fourth Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody come.



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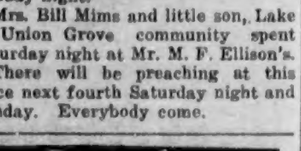

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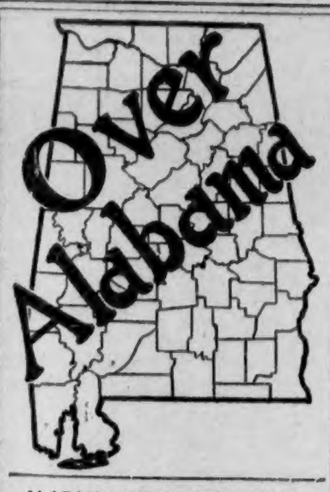

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

The supreme court reversed the Montgomery circuit court in the case of the damage suit brought by E. O Hall against the Seaboard Air Line railroad and the Orange Crush Bottling company, which was decided against Hall in the lower court. The case now goes back to the circuit court for another trial. Hall's suit was for $25,000 for damages which were alleged to have been sustained in a peculiar manner. He claimed that he was walking along a public road at a point where it intersected the Seaboard Air Line track, when a collision took place between a train and a truck, the respective property of the two defendants with a result that Hall was struck by the truck. The lower court decided for the defendants, but the supreme court held that the trial judge erred in sustaining the defendants' demurrers and reversed the case.

Scouting in Attalla got under way with a rush when a dinner was held at the Tea Kettle Inn by members of the district committee. It was decided to hold similar meetings the first Tuesday in each month. The troop organization committee reported plans for the organization of a new troop in Attalla within a few days. It will be sponsored by O. D. DuPre, Wiley Alford, R. M. Henderson and Dr. C. B Forman, prominent business men of the city.

One hundred and thirty anti-rabies serum treatments were sent to all sections of the state during the month of May, which is more than twice the usual number distributed in a similar length of time, according to Dr. L. C Havens, director of the laboratory Cost of the serum distributed in May is estimated at $5,000. Of the 130 treatments sent out, 87 were for treatment of indigent persons who had been bitten by or exposed to infection from rabid animals.

The Alabama Interstate Power Company, a subsidy of the Alabama Power company of Alabama, has been authorized by the Federal Power Commission to build five power developments on the Tallapoosa river above the so-called Cherokee Bluffs unit. With the construction of the projects, it was said, the fullest practicable utilization of the river's power resources will have been attained by a combined installed capacity of 114,000 horsepower

"False and malicious publication" is alleged in a suit for $100,000 damages filed in Jefferson County by C. C. Cooperstone, a traveling salesman of Birmingham, against John A. May, of Dothan, Ala. According to W. B. Pritchard, Cooperstone's attorney, May wrote letters to Cooperstone's employers, and the chief of police in Birmingham, in which he accused him of exerting harmful influence upon the morals of young girls.

With a total enrollment of 2,252 for the past school year, the Jacksonville State Normal School has closed one of the most successful years in its history according to Dr. C. W. Daugette, president of the institution. Of the total number enrolled, 725 were normal students, 325 in the training school and 27 were taking extension courses. The senior class this year numbered 110 the largest since the school was established in 1883.

An S. O. S. call is being sent out by cotton planters of Morgan county for hoe hands to work in the cotton fields. With the coming of the first open weather for the past month, and the cotton all ready for hoeing, the work has all come at once, and the help usually at hand to take care of the first working of the cotton is inadequate to handle the situation.

H. H. Frazier, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is trying to arouse interest in eliminating Selma's floating debt by a bond issue. He gives a comparison of Selma and other cities not so large or so rich which have no floating debt but has a bonded indebtedness.

Work now is well under way on the new school building for Falkville, six miles south of Hartselle, where the citizens are building a $25,000 ten-room brick and tile construction building.

All automobile garages and repair shops and battery stations in Gadsden have signed an agreement to close their places on Thursday afternoons during June, July and August.

Guy Jones, 32, of Gadsden, was drowned while out with his fishing party at Jacksonville, Fla. He leaves a widow and several children.

W. B. Cooper of New Harmony was among the visitors to Clanton on Monday of this week.

OAK GROVE

Singing is called in at this place next Sunday evening to go to Mud Town to sing with them in Children's Day service.

Prof. A. E. Aber of Odenville, Ala. will sing here the 5th Sunday. We expect a large crowd. Everybody keep this singing in mind

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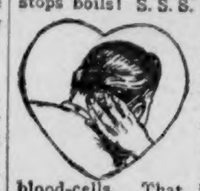

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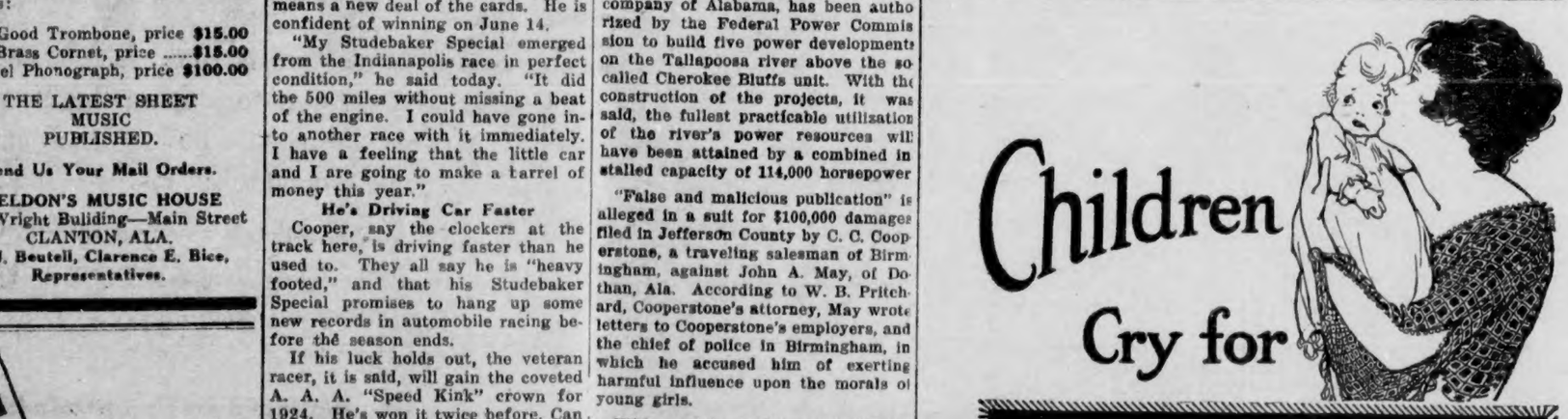

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A Ton of Freight Moved A Mile for Less Than a Postage Stamp

Large figures are, as a rule, bewildering to the public, but the statistics recently issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission on the freight operations of the American railroads during 1923, present some easy-to-understand and very significant comparisons.

These figures show that the average revenue received by the American railroads for hauling one ton of freight one mile during 1923, was 1.116c, as compared with 1.176c in 1922 and 1.253c in 1921. The average for 1921 was the highest in recent years; but since then there have been substantial reductions in rates. As compared with 1921, the average rate paid in 1922 represented a reduction of 5%, and that paid in 1923, a reduction of about 11.6%.

These are small figures when applied to one ton of freight, but when multiplied by 413,562,132,100 ton-miles of freight handled by the railroads last year, the slight reduction per ton-mile makes an appreciable showing.

In fact, the aggregate saving in the freight bill of the shipping public since January 1922 has been more than $1,000,000,000.

Think of the figures quoted above—one ton of freight was hauled during 1923 by the American railroads for one mile at a cost of a little over 1c. Figured in terms of an every-day commodity, this represents the movement of 800 pairs of shoes one mile; the actual carrying charges per pair being so ridiculously small as to have no effect whatever on the retail selling price.

Does this indicate that freight rates are too high?

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DEMAND GROWS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

CONDITIONS AT ALABAMA COLLEGE CROWDED SAYS DEAN O. C. CARMICHAEL.

Montevallo, Ala.—No state in the United States has experienced the phenominal growth that Alabama has in high school education and the corresponding demand for higher education, according to figures recently compiled by the Alabama College Million Dollar drive committee at Montevallo. Dean O. C. Carmichael, chairman of the drive, estimated that the demand has increased within the last

O. C. CARMICHAEL.

Dean of Alabama College, Montevallo, who is heading the Million Dollar Campaign. Dr. Carmichael has been temporarily relieved of his official duties to devote his entire time to this work.

twelve years by at least one thousand per cent. He believes that it will continue to increase just as rapidly if facilities for its increase are provided during the next twelve years. Already the state has provided for a portion of this growth in the colleges for men and it will have provided similiarly for the women when the million dollar drive is completed.

The increase of students in accredited high schools in Alabama has been practically one thousand per cent according to Dean Carmichael, the number of schools operating having increased from a paltry twenty less than twenty years ago to two hundred and ten. In the last ten years the number of students attending the three state colleges, Alabama, Auburn and the University has increased three hundred per cent.

There were graduated from state high schools five thousand boys and girls in 1923. If the rate of increase keeps throughout the next four years there will be ten thousand graduates in 1927. Ten thousand graduates in 1927, of which more than half are girls, will have to depend largely on the educational opportunities provided by their state.

"Provision has been made for the boys, to an extent, but what of the girls?" said Dean Carmichael. "Alabama has only one college devoted to the interests of feminine education and that one has room for only 650 students if they are crowded in. The need is distressing. The demand in three years will be overwhelming.

Twelve years ago there were seventy-five young women doing college work in state colleges. This year there are one thousand, 650 of them in Alabama College at Montevallo, according to Dean Carmichael. Alabama College increased sixty-five per cent in the number of college students attending in one year. The dean believes that they could increase one hundred per cent next year if they had the facilities to house and teach the girls.

Last year the citizens of Montevallo built a temporary dormitory to house sixty girls. The teachers gave up their rooms in the dormitory and went to live in town in order that more girls might get in.

"Next year if the increase continues at least three hundred young women will be asking for admission and they must be turned down," said Dean Carmichael. "They must be denied entrance because the state has not made provision for their higher training. What will the people do about it?"

HOW THEY WORK THE ROADS UP IN DEKALB COUNTY, ALA.

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that community simply set a day on which to come together and work that particular bad place. In many cases the objective of such organized efforts was to overcome the difficulties of roads up and down what we call the mountain gaps.

I will digress here just a moment and explain what we mean by "mountain gaps."

The majority of the people of DeKalb County live and farm on one of the two mountain plateaus, which largely constitute the area of the county. Lookout Mountain plateau extends north and south the entire length of the county on the eastern side. Sand Mountain is similarly situated on the western side. Between these plateaus, splitting the county wide open for its entire length north and south, is the Big Valley between these mountain plateaus.

All the people on the two mountains have to come to some railroad point in the valley to market their produce and buy their farm supplies. Hence, the necessity of the best road possible down the mountain to the place where the plateau breaks into the valley, which places are called "gaps." There are many of them, and in every instance they present road problems that call for much hard work to solve.

The farmers on these mountains certainly know that the county, State or Federal authorities cannot build good roads up all these gaps. They observe these agencies building trunk roads across the county by different routes, and the community effort is brought into action to connect up with the trunk roads by ironing the bad places out of the lateral roads.

In the same way, the people of Chilton County observe the State and Federal authorities building the trunk roads. The lateral roads are left to the county to build. Anybody can see that it is almost an impossible task for the county to build and pay for all the lateral roads. It is even more than the county could do in a generation to build all the fills and the bridges that would be necessary to get rid of the particularly bad places in the roads here and there.

To my mind, it would be a very gracious and commendable thing for the people to organize themselves on the community road working plan and supplement the work that the county is able to do and pay for, in the same manner that a similar situation has been very effectively aided here in DeKalb County.

When the people of a community get together and determine just what place in the road they shall work, and the day or days for the working, they advertise it in the newspapers and by circulars, whereupon, they find that the business interests of the town which they reach by such road are glad to join them in the work. In this way Fort Payne, Collinsville and Valley Head merchants and business men on many occasions last summer actually took picks, shovels, teams, tractors, etc., and helped work the roads leading into these towns.

I realize quite well that there are no mountain gaps in Chilton County like those we have in DeKalb. I have always heard that well-known place on the Lock 12 Road referred to as the "Gap" of the mountain, but it is nothing like what we call "gaps" here.

But there are bad places in the roads of Chilton County, obstacles which are just as obstructive to traffic as the "gaps" would be. For instance, there are swamps and low places where fills need to be built or bridges constructed.

Now, for instance, we will take the roads which lead into Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Maplesville, Verbena, or some other town in Chilton County, where they cross one of the many swamps or low places. By the DeKalb County plan, the people on one of those roads who travel that road to town, would set a day to come together and build a fill across some one of the swamps. They would appoint a committee of the citizens to advertise the fact and go to the town to be reached by that road and secure pledges from the business people and merchants of the town to help on the project. The people of the town could donate a day's work, a team, or tractor for a day, or a cash contribution, as might be most convenient or suitable for them.

This committee would also get in touch with the county road authorities in whose district or Beat the project lies, and arrange for county machinery, trucks, tractors, graders, or whatever other assistance the county might be willing and able to furnish for the occasion.

When this committee has seen that every phase of the preliminary organization has been arranged the day comes for the working. The assembly of men, teams, plows, wagons, tractors, scrapes, etc., is all concentrated, the work all divided up into sections, with a competent overseer for each section, and in the day or two days time there may be done a piece of work that will forever be of untold benefit to all who may have occasion to travel that way.

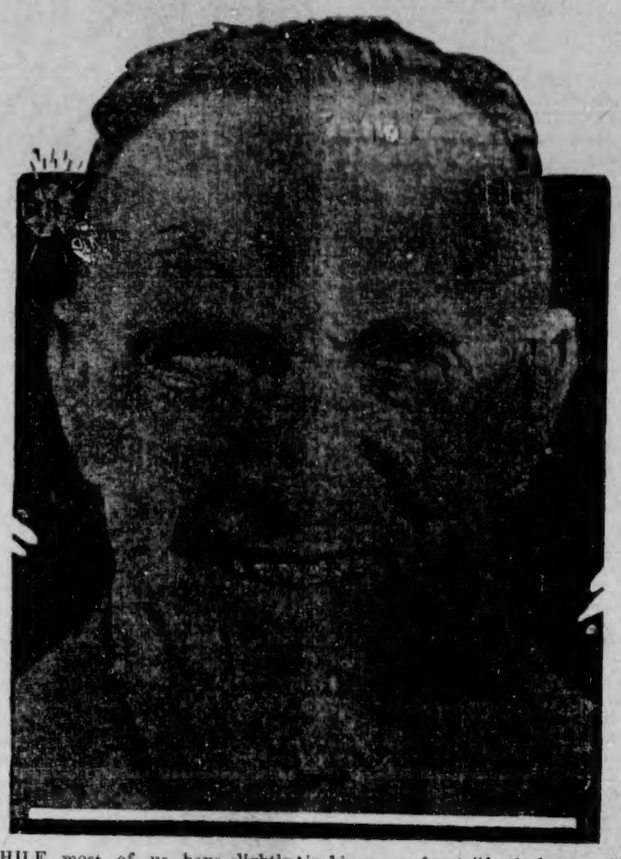
I would predict that if one project of this kind were put over in Chilton County, there would be other communities that would catch inspiration; and there would be many bad swamp roads converted into good fills and bridges before this summer is over.

I know that the people of the rural sections and towns of Chilton County are as patriotic and as ready to co-operate with one-another for the common good as any people on earth. All they need is for somebody to start the ball to rolling.

There is a great future for road improvement just around the corner for Chilton County. The county road officials are getting things organized on a plan that is worthy of the wholehearted co-operation of every citizen. If the people will adopt something like the DeKalb County plan and get right in the harness and help, the results will be most gratifying to all, I am sure.

I would like to write much more on this subject, but fear my article is already too long. I hope what I have said will cause some community in Chilton County to try the DeKalb County plan this summer. The best way to find out what it will do is to try it. It will not build roads for you to read about it any more than you will get good roads by waiting for the State Highway department to build them. Try it. Put some pep behind it. Get the county officers and the town officers behind it, and I will guarantee there will be more than one community road building held this summer.

A GENUINE "SPARKLING SMILE"



WHILE most of us have lightly spoken of "wishing to get a few thousand dollars in our fingers"—look who's here. Here's a man—James London of Toronto, Canada, who has not a few but many thousands of dollars—in his teeth! The money is represented in those six great sparkling diamonds you see set in his upper front "food choppers."

And, so the story goes, it is hard to believe that Mr. London landed on this continent some years ago with only $7.50 in his pockets. The fortune he has made since gave him the opportunity for satisfying his whim for a "glittering smile." And he sure has that.

Twelve Head of Cattle Burned to Death!

A barn containing forty head of cattle caught fire recently. Twelve cows were burned to death. Rats are indirectly blamed for the fire.—Bulletin.

Clean out the rats and guard against this happening to you! Get a package of Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Positively DESTROYS rats! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

G. O. P. CONVENTION MEETS IN CLEVELAND ON TUESDAY

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that brief period our country has enjoyed the greatest moral and material advancement in all history. This has been brought about largely under Republican rule. And at no time have the problems of government been more wisely and effectively met than during the last three years.

"Our party has always stood for constructive progress. It has always endeavored to promote the welfare of the average man. It has always adhered to America's best traditions, both in domestic and foreign affairs. We are here now to pledge anew our faith in American institutions, and to name the next president and vice-president of the United States."

Immediately a band struck into the "Star Spangled Banner," the lights went off and a rose and violet radiance was shed over the hall. From the back of the stage with multi-colored lights playing on it, dropped another huge American flag. There was a round of applause as the band finished and the lights went on again.

Then with John Philip Sousa, the famous bandmaster, wielding the baton, the band struck up the "Stars and Stripes Forever," while sergeants at arms and other supernumeriaries dashed hither and yon getting the stage set for the formal picture.

The floor presented a busy picture with delegates milling around finding their seats and shaking hands with friends and acquaintances. It was more like old time week than a hectic political meeting. Secretary Mellon was the center of the little throng and in the space of a few minutes probably shook more hands than he does in a week in Washington.

The gavel fell again and Adams introduced to the gathering the Right Rev. Wm. F. Anderson of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who delivered a prayer. He spoke at length giving thanks for the great leaders of the past and asking Divine guidance for the future. It was one of the longest prayers that ever opened a national convention. "Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, lest we forget, lest we forget," he concluded.

The convention delegates, 1,009 of them, will nominate Calvin Coolidge for the presidency, select a running mate for him from among a score of candidates, adopt a platform over which there is little real fighting, and then go home, having done in three days what in other conventions it has taken days and nights of turmoil and strife to accomplish.

There has been no convention like it in 20 years—since 1904—when the Republicans marched quietly to Chicago and nominated Theodore Roosevelt, another man called into the White House by the whim of an inscrutable fate, and then so solidified himself there that his party had little choice but to carry on with him.

Then more music. Under the leadership of a singing master, an innovation introduced four years ago by Will H. Hays, the present day movie czar, the convention stood and sang "America."

A lot of time was occupied with the taking of the convention photograph. The aisles had to be cleared and delegates made to stay in their seats, and this represented a considerable undertaking. The national committee had been liberal in the distribution of assistant sergeants at arms, apparently for there was almost as many officials on the floor as delegates and alternates.

The flashlight exploded with the proportions of a French Seventy-Five. The hall was so large that a cap of powder had to be used to get the picture.

It was 11:20 when Adams finally stalked out again and presented the pudgy figure of George D. Lockwood, secretary of the national committee, who read the official call, just to make everything legal and traditional.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce to my friends and the general public that I am now located in the New Barber Shop just opened up next to Powell Pressing Co., and invite all to come around to see me.

I have secured the services of Mr. George Wyatt, who will be on Chair No. 2 regular, beginning Friday, June 6th, and he will also be glad to have all his friends call to see him.

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GENERAL DAWES TO RUN WITH COOLIDGE ON G. O. P. TICKET

"Hell Maria" Is Chosen After Lowden Refuses to Accept the Nomination.

Cleveland, June 12.—Coolidge and Dawes are the republican ticket for 1924.

The silent President has been hooked up with the man who sprang overnight into fame by going up to Congress one day and "cussing it out" to its face.

Brig. Gen. Charles Dawes of Illinois, was nominated on the third ballot at the Cleveland convention after Frank O. Lowden had refused the honor which was handed to him during a stampede in the afternoon session. Dawes, one of Pershing's right hand men in France, had recently won international prominence on his work in revising the settlement of the reparations problem.

When the convention re-assembled leaders decided to give both Dawes and Hoover a ride, to see which appealed most to the delegates.

Keep Own Tally

William M. Butler sat at a small desk on the platform with two pairs of glasses on his nose keeping his own little talley. There were indications that at least Secretary Slemp leaned toward Hoover because the southern delegates—Alabama, Arizona, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi—voted for the secretary of commerce.

New York, Pennsylvania and Illinoins gave Hoover trifling votes going almost solid in each instance to Dawes. Dawes went over when Texas was reached on the call of states in alphabetical order.

At the conclusion of the ballot, the delegates voted to declare the nomination unamously. When Texas cast her 23 votes for Dawes his total was 566, about a dozen more than he needed.

Senator James E. Watson of Indiana, mounting the rostrum, declared: "I have no doubt that Coolidge and Dawes will march to victory in November."

The chair recognized Senator Pepper of Pennsylvania and he mounted the platform. Pepper presented a resolution and moved appointment of Frank W. Mondell, permanent chairman, to head the committee to notify Mr. Coolidge of the nomination and to name Representative Theodore Burton, Ohio, the keynoter, to head the committee to notify Brigadier General Dawes. While these formalities were going on delegates gathered up their standards and prepared for a march of victory around the hall.

CLANTON GIRLS LEAVE FOR JACKSONVILLE NORMAL

On last Monday morning a number of girls from Clanton left for Jacksonville, where they will attend the twelve weeks summer session of that school. The girls were: Misses Jewel Minor, Essie Parrish, Lola Sanford, Mary Popwell, Myra Moore, Gertie Mae Foshee and Maude Wagoner. Miss Wagoner had already been there before but had been back home on a visit.

CARTER-CAPELL WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

The following wedding announcement will be of considerable interest to the people of and near Clanton, as well as other parts of the State. The announcement reads:

"Mrs. Julia Capell requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Mary Amanda, to Rev. Percy Gates Carter on Wednesday, the 25th of June, 1924, at 2 o'clock, at the Baptist church, Louisville, Ala."

The friends of Rev. P. G. Carter in Chilton county are very numerous. During his pastorship of the Clanton Baptist Church, Rev. Carter became acquainted with hosts of people in Chilton county, all of whom loved and admired him. The announcement of the marriage of this splendid little preacher to Miss Capell will be of much interest to Rev. Carter's friends here, all of whom join in congratulations and wishing them much happiness of married life.

TO BUILD A GRAVEL ROAD TO MARBURY

Bids will be opened at the State Highway Department July 10 for a gravel project from the Roy Bridge, over the Alabama river in Montgomery county, to Marbury, in Autauga county, a distance of 29 miles. The highway commission some time ago voted to spend up to $50,000 in putting this stretch of the road which is part of the old Birmingham-Montgomery highway, in condition. The counties of Montgomery, Elmore and Autauga have agreed to maintain the road after it has been put in condition by the State.

CIGAR FACTORY SEEKING LOCATION IN CLANTON

The Bama Cigar Company, a concern which has been operating in Montgomery for the past several years, has decided to move out into a smaller town, and Clanton is their preference. The manager of the company is in communication with some of the business men of Clanton regarding their location here. The weekly pay roll of the factory is around five thousand dollars.

MR. J. B. DOWNS RETURNS

Mr. J. B. Downs returned last Sunday from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pickens in Denver, Colorado. Mr. Downs, his wife and their two grand children, Rose Mary and Mike Pickens, went out to Denver two or three weeks ago. Mrs. Downs and the children remained out there.

BAPTIST CHURCHES UNITY ASSOCIATION—NOTICE

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Eastern District of the Unity Association composed of all the churches east of Swift's Creek will meet with Mountain Creek Baptist Church, June 29th. All churches and Sunday Schools are urged to send large representations.

Watch the papers next week for program and speakers. Come one—come all Baptists and let us make this a great day.

S. J. EZELL,
ZEB MIMS.

PRESIDENT CALVIN COOLIDGE

Calvin Coolidge was nominated on the first ballot as the Republican candidate for President of the United States at the Republican National Convention in Cleveland, Ohio, last Wednesday. Mr. Coolidge received 1,063 votes, Robert M. LaFollette 34, and Hiram Johnson 10. Only 556 votes were necessary to nominate.

Coolidge's Frugal Life Shows That Wealth Is Not Sole Index of Success

Spendthrifts Astounded By His Living In Half of Rented House At $35 a Month.

(Mark Sullivan in the B'ham News)

Washington, June 14.—There will be a renewed flood now of information about Coolidge—articles about his public career and his private personality, his tastes, his ideals, his points of view, his background in Massachusetts and Vermont. The intention of the present article, however, is merely to cover one angle of Coolidge which seems, indeed, to go as far as any single phase of a man's personality can toward explaining the predominating characteristic of his attitude as president.

We are in a time of changing standards about money. The income tax law takes a larger share of the inheritances that rich men try to pass on to their heirs than ever before. The new federal income inheritance tax, added to the local inheritance tax exacted by some states, will take more than half the fortunes of some rich men when they die—after taking more than half of their incomes while they live.

It isn't done under the pressure of war. It isn't a levy on capital for an emergency of national defense. It is done more than five years after the war is over.

And a remarkable fact about it is that many rich men in the Senate voted for their increase in inheritance taxes, and many rich men outside the Senate assented to it, from a point of view that was partly personal. They felt and said that it is not good for children to inherit too much.

The "Glass Pocket"

Morover, the new income tax law introduces for the first time the institution of the "glass pocket." The amount of tax a man pays, and by a mathematical inference the amount of money he has and makes, is going to be in one degree or another public. Each man's neighbors are going to know his fortune, his profits and his annual income.

Out of this and some other tendencies there are going to be social and economic results too large to discuss here. Nevertheless, let us say in passing that this is but one more of many evidences that America is in a furiously rapid course of evolution, a course which few recognize, toward a destination the still fewer understand.

The one aspect of the nature of our income tax and inheritance laws, both federal and state, and of the prevailing attitude of the government toward both public and private money is that thrift, saving, economy, is not prized. On the contrary, economy in government is on the defensive. Those who fight for it do not generally succeed. In the recent Congress there were many issues affording opportunity for a direct line-up between those who stood for economy and those who stood for increased expenditure. In the great majority of these issues those who stood for economy lost. The same is well known to be true about most legislatures.

Economy Frowned Upon

Not only that, economy in private life, thrift and saving as a fundamental part of the individual philosophy of life, is not in high standing. The proof of that is equally abundant. A single detail of the proof is the practice of Henry Ford in soliciting persons to buy his automobiles on the installment plan—soliciting persons who can save as little as $5 a week to spend that $5 on one of his automobiles.

To an older generation of Americans this would have seemed all wrong. A man who was without enough money to buy a Ford automobile, even a second-hand one, and whose income is so small that he can save only $5 a week, would have been encouraged under an older American point of view to put such narrow savings as this into the savings bank and ultimately into a home.

Now the point of view of Coolidge toward all this is distinctly that of the older American generation. He is for economy in government. That more than any other one thing is the outstanding feature of his record. And his public attitude about economy in government is a part of his private attitude toward money and part of his personal philosophy of life.

Has Little Money

The fact that Coolidge has little money has been one of the conspicuous facts of his career. During all that period when the public was becoming acquainted with this new figure in our national life this aspect of Coolidge kept coming out in the papers. The fact that when he was governor of Massachusetts he refrained from having a pretentious house, and lived in one room in a Boston hotel, leaving his family at their little home in Northampton was constantly discussed.

Many persons regarded Coolidge's lack of money, or rather the fact that Coolidge had not been a money-maker as a reason why his capacity should be looked on with doubt.

When Coolidge was beginning to be talked about as a presidential possibility the writer has had, more times than he can remember, the experience of important men saying, in effect:

"But how can this man be a big man—he has never earned over $2,000 or $3,000 in his life!"

Men reluctant to admit that Cool-

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REYNOLDS RETURNS FROM NATIONAL CONVENTION

Judge L. H. Reynolds returned last Saturday from the Republican National Convention at Cleveland, Ohio, where he was a delegate most all last week. The judge reports that he had a grand time at the national convention. He says that this was the biggest and smoothest gathering of big men which he had ever had the pleasure of attending. Judge Reynolds says that everything in the convention was for Coolidge, teeth and toe nail. Of course, LaFollette and Johnson were there with their little radical and insurgent forces, but they were no more than blowing against the wind in that august gathering of Republicans. It is something wonderful how Mr. Coolidge has gained the favor of public sentiment in this country during the few months which he has been at the head of our government.

DRAINAGE MEETING LAST MONDAY NIGHT

According to the call issued two weeks ago, a meeting in the interest of draining the swamps around Clanton was held at the court house in Clanton Monday night. Mr. Guy A. Hart, the government drainage engineer was present and made a thorough explanation of the plans and procedures of the dredging business. The crowd in attendance was rather small, but those who were there manifested quite a bit of interest in the undertaking.

Mr. Hart pointed out that the action of the supreme court in declaring the drainage law of Alabama invalid had greatly hampered the drainage work in the State, and that under the present status it was difficult for a project like ours to be launched. However, a petition for rehearing has been filed with the supreme court, which renders the law still in effect, and those who have cause to know say that there is a possibility of the court reversing its decision when it meets again in August or September.

It was virtually agreed by the meeting that the work of having the district here surveyed and the cost of the project ascertained be gone into in the near future, and probably by that time it will be known for certain what will be done with the state law. Of course, as Mr. Hart explained in his speech, if the supreme court holds on to its decision and still declares the law unconstitutional, some other provisions will be made whereby the drainage work in Alabama may be carried on.

At this meeting an interesting and pointed talk was made by Dr. V. J. Gragg regarding the need of drainage here and the possible advantages which would be derived from it. There are spots of land right here within half a mile of Clanton where the foot of man has never ventured unless it was the Indians, due to the fact that it is so marshy and so thickly vegetated with reed, water grass and flag and inhabited by snakes, frogs, mud turtles and other crocodiles. There are three to five thousand acres of the best land in the county now in these marshy swamps and which would be transformed into excellent farming land should this drainage be done.

If one will look back to last autumn and the autumn before, when the creeks were almost dry and the whole air was filled with these pesky mosquitoes, you can readily see the need of the drainage of our swamps. Soms folks around near these filthy marshy ponds were almost compelled to leave their homes at night and turn them over to the hungry, sizzing and uninvited visitors, rather than stay there and have their epidermis punctured a thousand and one times by the probosces of these greedy little insects. This kind of business will be duplicated every year so long as our swamps remain undrained. And too, the germs of malaria are liable to get started here any time, and when they do the like of malaria fever as has never before been here will be in the midst of us.

So, we for one say, let's launch the drainage project right now and put our community on the road to better health conditions as well as to open up the best farming region in our whole county. Let's have the project surveyed this summer, and by the time the drainage law is finally settled we will be ready to get the machinery here and go to ditching these swamps.

REVIEW SOUGHT ON DRAINAGE DECISION MADE IN ALABAMA

Supreme Court Asked to Change Their Opinion Holding Law Unconstitutional.

Montgomery, Ala., June 13.—Motion for rehearing was filed in the Alabama supreme court Thursday afternoon of last week in the case appealed from Fayette county, in connection with which the supreme court in a recent decision held invalid the so-called Alabama drainage act. The style of the case on appeal is J. N. Collins, Judge, etc., vs. J. S. Hollis.

Motion for rehearing which was filed by Judge T. C. McClellan, Attorney General Harwell G. Davis, S. T. Wright, W. W. Monroe and Judge J. J. Mayfield, is based on the following grounds:

That the court erred in deciding that assessments for local purposes or betterment taxes for drainage purposes is a tax or taxation within the meaning, purview or inhibition of Section 23 or 212 of the constitution of Alabama of 1901.

That the court erred in holding that the drainage act of 1915 or the amendments thereto attempted to delegate the taxing power of the legislature to the drainage districts, its officers or agents.

That the court erred in holding that the drainage commissioners or any other officials of the drainage district provided for in the statute in question were authorized or the statute attempted to authorize them, to levy any taxes in violation of Sections 23 or 212 of the constitution.

That the court erred in deciding that the drainage commissioners or any other of its officers, agents or agencies, in exercising the authority, or in discharging the duties conferred or imposed upon them by the statute in question were levying a tax or a forced subscription for the benefit of corporations, individuals or associations, within the meaning or purview of Section 23 or 212 of the constitution.

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ALABAMA-WEST FLORIDA PASTOR'S SCHOOL

The Alabama-West Florida Pastor's School, being held at the Woman's College of Alabama, Montgomery, Alabama, is in its third regular session. This Pastor's School for Methodist preachers is a real school; its work is standard classroom work and involves study, recitations, examinations, and the preparation of theses. Recreation, directed by trained athletes, is also a feature.

There are seventy-five Pastors in attendance at this session. They are being housed in the College dormitories, and are using the classrooms and library of the College.

These admirable facilities contribute much to the efficiency of the School.

The Church has combed the nation in search of specialists, and the members of the faculty are experts in their respective fields. Following are some of the faculty: Dr. Walter D. Agnew, Woman's College, Montgomery, Ala., Dean; Graduate Teachers, Dr. Franklin N. Parker, Emory University, Ga., Dr. H. Paul Douglas, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.; Undergraduate Teachers, Rev. G. W. Reed, Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Birmingham, Ala.; Rev. A. M. Freeman, Gadsden Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Gadsden, Ala.; Dr. W. W. Scott, Gadsden, Ala.; Dr. C. P. Atkinson, Chipley, Fla.; Rev. A. L. Sellers, Clayton, Ala.; Dr. J. E. Northcutt, Montgomery, Ala.; Dr. E. M. Glenn, Birmingham, Ala.; Rev. W. H. McNeal, Pensacola, Fla.

T. E. Wyatt and E. C. Powell went to Maplesville Friday on business.

"If Your Pain Is There, What You Need Is a Good Tonic For the Kidneys"

The kidneys are the scavengers and they work day and night in separating and the poisons from the blood. Their signals of distress are easily recognized and include such symptoms as lumbago, backache, depressions, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic twinges, dropsy.

People are realizing more and more every day that the kidneys, just as do the bowels, need to be flushed occasionally. The kidneys are an eliminative organ and are constantly working, separating the poisons from the blood. Under this continual and perpetual action they are apt to congest, and then trouble starts. Uric acid backs up into the system, causing rheumatism, neuralgia, dropsy and many other serious disturbances. It means that you are a victim of uric acid poisoning. Then ask your druggist for Anuric (anti uric acid) and you will very soon become one of hundreds who have been helped by this powerful enemy to uric acid.

Dr. Pierce manufactures Anuric (kidney-backache) tablets and you can obtain a trial pkg. by enclosing 10c and addressing Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

CHILTON COUNTY TRAINING SCHOOL

Clanton, Ala., June 16, 1924.

To the Citizens of Chilton County:

The Chilton County Training School which has been recently organized and established in this county, four and quarter miles west of Clanton, for negroes, is expected to prove a wonderful asset for the community and county in general. The location could not be more ideal for the purpose for which these vocational schools are established.

Among some of the aims of this institution, are to give a higher standard of education for the negroes of Chilton county, to prepare the boys and girls for a more profitable and useful living at home on the farm; to train them in the arts of sewing, cooking, house cleaning, poultry raising, stock raising, home-building, and many other things that are brought into every day life.

Also a teachers' training course will be given to prepare young men and women for the profession of teaching, and to teach them the importance of being thrifty and honest, polite, mannerly, kind and useful to the community in which they may live.

We make this brief statement that the citizens of the town and county may have an idea of the purposes of the shool.

We also take this means to thank the public for the assistance rendered in making this school possible, exemplifying the very cordial attitude and friendly relations that exist among the citizens of the community and throughout the county.

Again thanking you for any favors shown.

Respectfully submitted,
I. B. BRYANT, Principal,
Chilton County Training School.

FORD CARS BY THE MILLION

Announcement of the Ford Motor Company that the 10,000,000th Ford car had been produced brings to light the interesting fact that these 10 million cars all are the famous Model T.

The company from its organization in June, 1903, until late in 1908 kept experimenting to determine upon a standard model. Approximately 25,000 Ford cars of different models were produced prior to the fall of 1908 when the new universally known Model T. was developed and introduced to the motor public. Popularity of the Ford Model T. is best told in the following production record by millions:

Car	Date
1	Oct. 1, 1908
1,000,000	Dec. 10, 1915
2,000,000	June 14, 1917
3,000,000	April 2, 1919
4,000,000	May 11, 1920
5,000,000	May 28, 1921
6,000,000	May 18, 1922
7,000,000	Jan. 12, 1923
8,000,000	July 11, 1923
9,000,000	Dec. 26, 1923
10,000,000	June 4, 1924

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Serving a sentence at Kilby prison, working at the same job there that he filled in civilian capacity at the prison until recently, is the experience of Clayton Peeples of Capitol Heights, a suburb of Montgomery. Peeples was employed at the state penitentiary as an automobile mechanic. A month or so ago county officers raided his attractive new bungalow in Capitol Heights and secured a still, Mrs. Peeples was arrested in connection with the raid. Her husband came into court some ten days ago and told the judge that the still was his and received a sentence of a year and a day in the penitentiary. He is now at Kilby prison, working as a state prisoner at his old job of automobile mechanic, which a week ago he filled as a free citizen.

J. W. Green, locomotive engineer and legislator, of Selma, has won his fight for a judgment against the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers for its act of ousting him from membership during the World War. Information arrived from Washington that the supreme court of the United States had refused to consider the appeal, holding the federal court to be without jurisdiction. As a result the labor organization must pay Mr. Green $12,500 plus the interest and penalties assessed by state law.

A third audit of the books of the public improvement department of Comptroller C. E. Armstrong's office, growing out of the shortage for which William L. Lehman, young clerk, was sent to Kilby prison, was authorized by a unanimous vote of the Birmingham city commission. The solicitor would not reveal details of the prisoner's statement or the name of the person said to be involved; but intimated the grand jury would make startling discoveries on the strength of it when it resumes its investigtion June 23.

The city of Jasper is now planning another large paving project, according to Mayor J. H. Cranford. The plan as announced by Mayor Cranford, is to pave First avenue from Nineteenth street to Twenty-second street and Second avenue from Nineteenth street to Twenty-second street; Twentieth street between Third avenue and First avenue; Twenty-first street to Third avenue and Twenty-second street between Third avenue and First avenue.

The incorporation of the Gadsden Coal and Clay Products company disclosed the fact that near the city a vein of fire clay underlying a workable seam of coal is to be developed for the operation of one of the largest brick plants in the city. The coal and clay will be taken out of the same opening, the coal to be used in burning the brick and furnishing steam for the machinery.

Two negroes, Collier Powell and William Price, were killed in a shooting affray, which took place on the Johnny Gray place about nine miles south of Eutaw. It seems that Collier Powell, William Price and Willie Williams got into a fuss over a blind tiger still, which resulted in William Price shooting Collier Powell, and in Willie Williams shooting William Price. Both died immediately.

Approximately 1,000 members of the reserve army training corps arrived in Anniston Saturday to begin their six weeks' summer training course at Camp McClellan. These are the first civilians to arrive at the local army post this year. Col. Raymond Sheldon, commander of the Eighth United States infantry, will be in charge of the R. O. T. C. camp.

W. R. Crew has been elected by the Goodwater council as town clerk, succeeding J. S. Flemming, who recently died. Only two names were placed before the body for the place. W. R. Crew and Robert Wilson, and the vote stood three for Crew and one for Wilson. Z. D. Sprayberry has resigned as chief of police of Goodwater.

The Etowah county commissioners designated one of the Bellevue Highlands streets on Lookout mountain as a public road and ordered it rebuilt from the main Fairview road to the county tuberculosis camp. This was done on the petition of a number of officers and members of the county tuberculosis association.

Denial that he was guilty of the many charges preferred against him in a grand jury indictment, was made in a public statement issued by Sheriff Guy O'Rear of Walker county. Although admitting that he may be guilty of technical violations, he declared, "I have not unjustly taken one cent from anyone."

Summer examinations of graduates of medicine seeking licenses to practice in Alabama will be held at the capitol beginning Tuesday, July 8. The number of applicants at the summer examinations will be greater than at any other period of the year.

In an effort to clear up the general freight rate readjustment being advocated in Alabama for fruits and vegetables, the Birmingham Traffic association has prepared to file two formal complaints before the state public service commission touching on rates for apples, oranges and lemons.

Hattie McClendon, negress, was given a sentence of life imprisonment in Tuscaloosa County circuit court on a charge of the murder of her infant child by administering carbolic acid to it.

SARDIS NOTES

Early Sunday morning the people began to gather here for the all-day singing. Promptly at 10 o'clock the singing was called to order by Prof. I. D. Huett, who sang, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," after which Mr. H. F. McCary led in prayer. Then Prof. I. D. Huett was elected chairman for the day and Mrs. H. L. Ratliff secretary. The arrangement committee were Messrs. A. W. Hayes, G. B. Williams and L. L. Brigance, who soon arranged a program composed of the following directors: Messrs. A. D. Huett, Horace Deason, A. W. Hayes, W. R. Kendrick, G. B. Williams, L. B. Williams and G. B. Billingsley. Then the Concord Quartet was called for and they not being present, a picked quartet was soon arranged, composed of A. D. Huett, I. D. Huett, L. L. Brigance and R. M. Brigance. The organists for the day were Misses Susie Huett, Addie Belle Billingsley, Mrs. Gladys Short and L. L. Brigance.

We were then dismissed for the noon hour which was much enjoyed by all.

The following directors were used for the afternoon: I. D. Huett, C. C. Parrish, Leonard Culp, R. M. Brigance, Gladys Williams, F. S. Shepard, R. M. Kendrick, R. O. Williams, Gladys Ousley, Gracie Abbott and Addie Belle Billingsley.

We were glad to have the Concord Quartet with us in the afternoon. We thank them for the beautiful quartets they rendered for us.

We wish to thank all who co-operated in helping make this singing the success it was, and especially all the visitors and invited them back again. We especially enjoyed the quartets rendered for us.

The time for the parting hour having arrived, by a special request Prof. I. D. Huett sang, "I'm On the Road Back Home," after which we were dismissed by Rev. J. D. Deason.

(MRS.) H. L. RATLIFF, Sec.

PROGRAM OF FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

To Be Held With Mulberry Church, Sunday, June 29, 1924.

9:30 a.m.—Devotional, Rev. J. W. Mitchell.

10:00 a.m.—Outstanding Needs of Our Association, W. J. Billingsley.

10:20 a.m.—The Remedy, T. F. Harper.

10:40 a.m.—What Shall We Do About It, T. L. Lecroy.

11:00 a.m.—Address by Rev. S. H. Bennett.

12:00 M.—Dinner.

1:30 p.m.—Devotional, Oscar Davenport.

1:50 p.m.—W. Y. M. U., Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

2:20 p.m.—B. Y. P. U., Miss Lena Franklin.

2:50 p.m.—Laymen Movement, Howard Oden.

3:20 p.m.—Miscellaneous; adjourn.

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WANT ALL-DAY SINGING

Mt. Creek, Ala., June 16, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow us space in your paper to announce that we, the inmates of the Soldiers Home, want to have an all-day singing at the Home at Mt. Creek July 4, 1924, and all singers and everybody are invited to come bring books and lunches and have a good day in auditorium and on campus.

Mrs. J. T. Fowler and Committee.

OAK GROVE

There will be an all-day singing at this place the 5th Sunday. Everybody come and bring the late books.

W. J. NORTHCUTT.

JEMISON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Crowson entertained a number of friends Saturday night, honoring their sons, Andrew and Ruben Crowson of Bessemer. They had music and singing, after which ice cream was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dykes and his mother; Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Merchant and children; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowson; Andrew and Ruben Crowson, and Mr. Fred Merchant.

NOTICE TO CAR OWNERS

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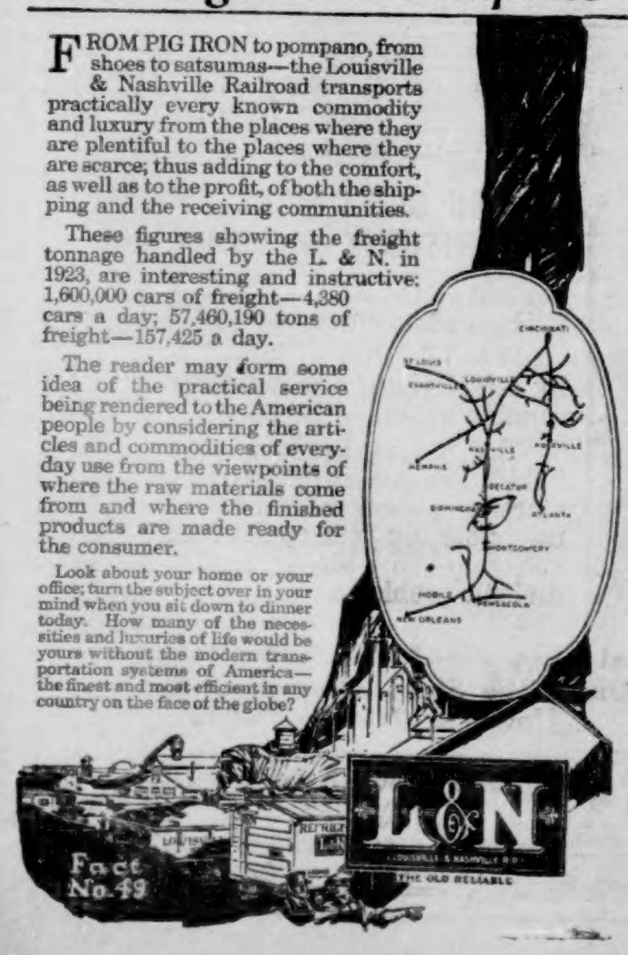

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THORSBY SECTION
(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

(Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Manager)

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson and children of Jemison visited at the home of their parents in Thorsby Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mastin spent two days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Adams and baby of Birmingham spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Adams of this place.

Miss Louise Connatser left Monday for Jacksonville, Ala., where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. Parnell, Eva Mae and Eugene Parnell, of Selma, mother, sister and brother of Mrs. S. C. Wood, are visiting in Thorsby.

Miss Romalie Pate, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, returned from Birmingham on Monday night.

Mrs. Garrick of Senoria, Ga., mother of Mrs. C. M. Williams, Mrs. Birdett and Mr. Howard Garrick, are visiting her children in Thorsby.

Miss Palma Dahl of Birmingham was week end visitor at the home of her father, Mr. D. D. Dahl.

Mr. Luther Davenport has recently moved his family into Mrs. Anna Villadsen's green bungalow.

Mrs. Louise Guth of Memphis, Tenn., will return home Friday after having made an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tomsen of Thorsby.

Mr. Russian Gibbons of Minooka was a visitor in Thorsby Tuesday.

Mrs. John Johnson is the proud possessor of a new car, a wedding anniversary gift from her husband.

Miss Eloise Abernathy, a former student of Thorsby Institute, has been visiting Miss Lorena Graham for several days.

Mrs. Annie L. Brewer of Chicago is visiting her uncle, Mr. Wash Johnson, whom she has not seen for 20 years. She and Mrs. Wm. Billingsley expect to leave June 22 for Mentone, Ala., to be present at the W. M. U. convention to be held there.

Mrs. F. E. Gronquist returned to her home in Thorsby Saturday after having spent two weeks in Birmingham with her daughter, Miss Helen Gronquist.

Miss Dorothy Butler returned from Montgomery Wednesday after spending a week with her brother, Mr. Clarence Butler.

Miss Helen Bosworth of Birmingham, niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bosworth of Thorsby, is spending 2 weeks with them.

Mrs. Magne Anderson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ivy Horn of Boyles, Ala.

Miss Geraldine Dobson of Lock 12 has been a visitor of Miss Ethel Peterson for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson motored to Montgomery Sunday returning the same day.

Mr. Chas. Peterson and Rev. J. M. Graham were week end visitors at their homes in Thorsby.

The W. M. U. quarterly meeting of the Chilton County Association will be at the Pleasant Grove church west of Thorsby July 2nd at 10:00 o'clock. We urge each church to be represented. Miss Hannah Reynolds, our State Young Peoples Worker, will be present.

The Ladies Guild will meet next week, Thursday, June 26th at the home of Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Mr. Wm. Billingsley left Sunday for Mentone to attend a Sunday School Convention.

MINOOKA NEWS

The Sunday School and prayer meeting in this community are progressing nicely.

Miss Mattie Scott of Thorsby is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ila Gibbons, here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lake and son, William James, of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Arledge the past week end.

Mrs. J. C. Barefield and son, Robert, visited her brother, Mr. Ganey Blankenship of Helena the past week.

Miss Ethel Brown is visiting her friend, Miss Ollie Busby in Jemison.

Mrs. J. W. Wyatt and children of Birmingham spent the week with her mother, Mrs. O. R. Vest.

Mr. Akins Collins and Mr. Lewis Rodgers of Thorsby spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Aldridge.

Mr. Harrison Holcombe of Calera spent the week with Mr. J. C. Barefield.

Miss Dorothy Clements of Birmingham is visiting her cousin, Miss Florence Clements this week.

Rev. Thomas of Deatsville filled his regular appointment at Providence Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lake of Denver, Colorado, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. M. Aldridge.

Mr. Luther Harris of Calera was the guest of Miss Posey West Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Sanders Carter of Troy was the guest of Miss Annie Vest Sunday.

Miss Jennis Blankenship spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Barefield.

Hear Gennett Record No. 5426, by the Vaughn Quartet, at Weldon's Music House, Clanton, Ala. Price 75 cents.

AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS 1914-1924

With a view to creating dissatisfaction in the ranks of agriculture, the Democrats persist in their assertion that exports of farm products, under the Republican tariff law, are way below what they used to be and that Republican policies are therefore to blame for the waning foreign market for farm and merchandise. This must be characterized as a bald falsehood. The Democrats make comparison with exports during the war time years, which of course, were far above normal, but they carefully refrain from citing the pre-war figures. In the last two years Europe, which has always been our cheif purcaser of farm and cattle products, has returned to the normal production of grains and other foodstuffs. Nevertheless, our exports of these goods far exceed what they did a decade ago both in volume and value. In some instances the Democrats admit value increases, but they deny volume increases, are due solely to rises in price. Let us compare some of the volume exports for the ten months period ended 1914, and April, 1924, taken from the official figures:

Meats increased from 392,000,000 to 893,000,000 pounds; animal oils and fats (not including fish oils, etc.) from 575,600,000 to 1,100,000,000 pounds; butter from 3,000,000 to 4,400,000 pounds; cheese from 2,000,000 to 3,250,000 pounds; milk, fresh and prepared, from 13,500,000 to 190,000,000 pounds; eggs from 14,000,000 to 28,000,000 dozen; hides and skins from 17,000,000 to 63,000,000 pounds. These are some of the animal products.

Barley, bushels, 5,600,000 to 10,250,000; corn 7,900,000 to 18,600,00; wheat 78,000,000,000 to 71,000,000; rice, pounds, 15,000,000 to 183,300,000; rye, bushels, 1,300,000 to 12,000,000; corn meal, barrels, 263,000 to 416,500; oatmeal, pounds 11,000,000 to 133,000,000; rye flour, barrels, 6,400 to 350,000; and wheat flour 10,000,000 to 15,000,000; and a large increase in grain preparations for table food.

Values only are shown in many of the vegetable articles, so volume comporisons are not available, but the value of the exports in the 1924 period was 5,400,000 and in 1924 it was $15,600,000; dried fruits, lbs., 137,000,000 to 291,500,000; canned fruits $4,700,000 to $15,250,000; huge increases in fresh fruits all along the line. Total value of fruit exoorts increased from $28,000,000 to $77,000,000.

Taking some of the staple items and we have cotton, pounds 4,406,000,000; cigarettes two to 10 billion. we received $567,000,000 for these exports, and in 1924 the bill came to $821,000,000. Tobacco, unmanufactured, pounds, 394,000,000 to 500,000,000; cigarettes two to 10 billion. Refined sugar, pounds, 43,000,000,000 to 154,000,000. Cornstarch, lbs. 64,000,000 to 214,000,000.

Enough has been said to show the enormous volume increases in our export trade of agricultural products, 1924 over 1914. If we take the volume of all the farm products exported in the 1924 period, including tobacco, and manufacturers thereof, we reach a total of $835,000,000; while the same items for 1924 period reached a total value of $1,800,000,00. With the exception of tobacco manufacturers, which increased from $6,000,000 to $21,000,000, the items cited are direct farm products. If we add to these the indirect produces, such as cotton textiles, leather goods, and the thousand and one things our mills fabricate from American farm production, the comparison wiuld be even more impressive. The Democratic party can not get away with the buncimbe that exports are less now than before the war. The figures completely refute them.

THE CORINTH SINGING

On June 15th the people of this and other communities met at Corinth for song service. The service was opened by E. L. Jones reading the 100th Psalm. The following persons directed three songs each for the morning session: E. F. Taylor, T. L. Robinson, L. F. Cleckler and N. J. Jones. Organists, Richard McKinney and Mrs. Lula Cleckler. Recess, 15 minutes. After recess, Rev. J. D. Hughes preached one of the best sermons it has been the writer's privilege to hear; text Luke 2:44.

After noon the following persons sung three songs each: Lee Robinson, J. F. Dubose, W. A. Cleckler, Archie Jones, J. S. Castleberry, J. W. Cagle and I. S. Holland. Organists, L. F. Cleckler, C. H. Robinson, Richard McKinney, Arthur Beaird, Mrs. Belle Cagle. Recess, 15 minutes. After Recess, J. W. Cleckler, R. M. Robinson and A. A. Beaird, three songs each, this being followed by a quartet and dismissed.

The singing was good, fine order and pleasantness everywhere. We wish to thank everyone for their presence and good help.

Yours truly,
A. L. ROBINSON, Chm.,
J. A. JONES, Secy.

THE MAPLE SPRINGS SINGING

The audience was called to order at 10 o'clock by O. L. Devaughn, the local choir director. After a song by Prof. Devaughn, the pastor, Rev. W. H. Wilson, led the congregation in prayer.

The class was then duly organized for the day's service by electing Prof. O. L. Devaughn chairman for the day and J. Z. Mims secretary. Prof. Devaughn directed several selections while the program committee was arranging for the forenoon. The directors before dinner were: L. T. Grant, J. R. Robinson, O. L. Devaughn, J. Z. Mims and R. T. Grant. The directors in the afternoon were: S. M. Yates, L. T. Grant, L. H. Henderson, Curtis Hand, R. T. Grant and O. L. Devaughn. There were two quartets beautifully rendered by the Devaughns and Grants.

Just before the closing song, a short and pointed talk was given by the pastor. After the closing song the audience was dismissed by Rev. J. E. George.

As a whole, the day was a grand success, although the class was very small, compared with the usual class at an all day singing at this place, the class did some good singing which was or seemed to be enjoyed by many earnest listeners.

The organists for the day were: Miss Macie Adams, Mrs. Leatha Sorrell, Miss Jewell McDowell and Mrs. Toy Devaughn.

Yours for more singing and better singing,

O. L. DEVAUGHN, Chm.,
J. Z. MIMS, Secy.

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CLANTON WINS FROM STAR PLAYERS OF MONTGOMERY

In about the hardest fought game the Clanton baseball team has engaged in this year, they won over the star players from Montgomery at the high school park last Thursday afternoon. In the fifth inning Clanton made one score, and the stars scored in the ninth, making a tie. In the eleventh inning Clanton made another score, untying the game. The total score was 2 to 1 in Clanton's favor.

Clanton will play Gantt's Quarry at the high school park this afternoon, Thursday. This promises to be another thrilling game.

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WANTED—A farm near Clanton, Lomax, Strassburg or Jemison, Ala. Give complete information in first letter. Address, Dr. Jas. A. Edwards, 215½ North 20th Street, Birmingham, Ala. 6-6-3t-pd.

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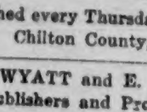

REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

The people of the country commend the President for signing the tax reduction bill but they commend him still more for advocating a better bill.

MILK OR BEER?

The strike of the brewery workers in Berlin develops the fact that four cars of beer are consumed in that city every hour and that the brewers are losing $500,000 daily because of the strike. Congress having turned down the gift of $10,000,000 of taxpayers' money to Germany, possibly some of the money spent on beer in Germany might be devoted to the purchase of milk and fats for the German children, as was contemplated had we made the gift.

SOVIET BREAD

Senator Copeland of New York runs true to Democratic form. He believes in letting the government do it. In closing a recent address in the Senate on conditions in city and country he said:

"Agriculture has come to the edge of the precipice. The masses in the cities have come to the breaking point. In short, the individual food producer and the individual food consumer can take no further step without disaster. Sole hope of assistance lies in government."

They are trying it out in Russia and Copeland wants it tried here.

A COMMON MAN FOR PRESIDENT

In political circles, national, state and county, the question is often raised, Can a man of modest means and limited finance be entrusted with high public office? There has grown, to some extent, in this country the idea that such a man cannot succeed at the head of public affairs, but that men ought to be elected to office who have made for themselves lots of money and enviable records as business men.

But the country is kindly undergoing a revolution in this one respect, and especially as regards the money part of it. Calvin Coolidge is a man of little financial strength, but his ability as chief executive of the United States and his shrewdness in mastering the big political and governmental questions of the times have sprung up almost as if by magic, science fate thrust that horor upon him only a few months ago. The Coolidge family for generations back has been a modest one, even as the President and his immediate family are today. They have never coveted high standing among aristocracy, neither have they aspired to great wealth.

This country is beginning to realize that a family can be too wealthy for its own good. Boys and girls reared up in lavishness, in too many instances, are worthless if not detrimental to their country, while those who are compelled by necessity to work realize what there is in the world worth obtaining, and they go after it. It is too often the case with folks that unless there is some necessity for work, they will neglect it to the extent that their faculties for work actually become inactive.

President Coolidge was reared on a farm in Vermont, and his father still works on that farm. The President keeps his boys working on the farm a good portion of the time, holding on to the old adage that work makes the man and lavishness makes the sluggard.

They're Off—In a Cloud of Dust!

GASTON MEANS FOR POLITICAL ENDS

Washington, D. C., June 16, 1924. —The notoriously bad reputation of the witnesses and the utter worthlessness of the testimony upon which the Wheeler Committee has depended in its attempt to smirch the characters of prominent officials has finally disgusted even the leaders of the Democratic press to such an extent as to arouse their protest. Republicans have generally been willing to let the investigation proceed with little comment, so that if there be any truth in the charges that truth can be made known. Although a few witnesses have been called who were of good character, their testimony was of no consequence. The men and women upon whom the committee rests its case have admittedly been party to crimes or so closely connected that any presumption of innocence is absurd.

Morover, the chief witness, Gaston B. Means, has told stories so incredible that no jury would accept them. He related many alleged facts which he said would se substantiated by his records, but about the time when he would be called upon to produce the records, he came forward with the claim that some one had secured them from him by use of a forged letter. Posing as one of the shrewd? est detectives in the United States, he claims to have been duped at just the right moment to relieve him of the need to prove his assertions. Senator Wheeler is a Democrat, and, naturally, the Democratic press would like to uphold his investigative activities. As one of many instances of repudiation of the Wheeler methods may be cited the Atlanta Constitution, which recently said editorially:

"The testimony, 'under oath,' of this same Means, who has been the Senate prosecutors' star witness throughout the gamut of invesigations that have come out of the political brain-storm that has gripped Washington since, the presidential year dawned, ran the sweep of the North American continent.

"This is the same Means who was tried and acquitted of the murder of a Mrs. King, his rich benefactress, in Concord, N. C., and who subsequently attempted to secure possession of a portion of her estate.

"He is the same Means who has boasted 'under oath' of his connection with transactions in Washington that his own testimony has indicted as shady, if not criminal.

"He is the same Means who is under indictment in New York today for a serious federal offense. He admitted on the witness stand that he has unsettled grudges against men who come under the ban of his indictments.

"He has not supported one charge that he has made with even reasonable documentary evidence, nor has he offered any proof other than his own words, under an oath made by one whose record in the criminal courts of this country do not establish either good character or unimpeachable veracity.

"It is a shame that there are Senators who would blacken the lives of good men, and stick a dirk into the characters of unselfish officials who are serving the country ably and efficiently, as is Secretary Mellon, by such unsupported testimony.

"It shows the depths to which political footballing has degenerated in this country."

Mr. Alphus Downs and family of Birmingham were visitors to relatives Saturday night and Sunday.

PROTECTION GIVES US THE MONEY

Washington, D. C., June 16, 1924. —Proving too much is often the fatal mistake of the advocate of a bad cause. It is a mistake often made by the opponents of protection. Not long ago we had an illustration of that in the case of a British manufacturer who was urging free trade for England and who admitted that he had established factories in a number of protective countries. That admission was conclusive proof of the effectiveness of the protective countries. That admission was conclusive proof of the effectiveness of the protective laws in those countries, for protection secured factories and payrolls for them.

Recently we had a similar illustration in the United States. Opponents of protection issued a pamphlet in which the statement was made that the women of America do the buying for the 25,000,000 families in this country and that they spend for food, clothing, furnishings, etc., about $40,000,000,000 a year, or about $1600 per family. Of course the free trade advocates were trying to give the women the impression that under free trade they would need to spend less.

But that is not the conclusion the women will draw. They will reflect upon the fact, as told to them by the free traders, that they have this enormous sum to spend—and this is the only country in the world where so much money per family is available for spending. And that condition has been reached under a protective system. The women of the country will not take kindly to the suggestion that the tariff system be changed for one that might greatly reduce the amount they have to spend.

"The existence of a low tariff law from 1913 to 1922 does not alter the truth of the statement that our amazing prosperity was developed under a protective system. From 1860 to 1893 we were continuously under a protective system. We had four years of low tariff and hard times during the Cleveland Administration, and then protection until 1913, when the Underwood law was passed. For a few months that law was effective, and some four million men lost their jobs, but the outbreak of the war shut out imports more effectively than any protective tariff, and created new markets for our products. By the time normal conditions began to return, following the war, a new Republican tariff was enacted—in 1922. So the fact is that with the exception of a short time, this country has developed its industries under protection. And that system has given the women of the country, so the free traders tell them, an average of $1600 per family to spend.

Of course, the opponents of protection want the women to get the idea that they could get more for their money if they would throw down the tariff bars and buy goods made in Japan, in China, in England, in Germany, in France, and elsewhere on the continent of Europe, where low standards of living and wages prevail. There are a few women who will accept that line of argument. But there are more who won't. Most women will ask, "What shall it profit me to be able to buy goods at a lower price if my husband loses his job and I have no money with which to buy?"

Losing jobs is one of the necessary incidents of the adoption of a low tariff, for the low tariff encourages imports, and, with more imports there must be less home production and less home productron means less employment, and wages cut off.

The women of the country are not going to vote their husbands out of a job—especially when the free traders tell them that under the protective system they have reached a point where they have, on an average, $1600 per family to spend.

WHERE WOULD YOU GO?

Suppose you were an ax murderer or porch climber, where would you go? Why you would drop up to the big city of Birmingham and play your trade or profession.

If you were an addict of morphine, cocaine and other drugs, or wanted to dispense them, you would go over to Montgomery, where you could find plenty of customers and reap a harvest as dispenser.

If you were a prohibition enforcement officer, or represented the secret service of the government, you would drop down to the Gulf City of Mobile and form you a bootlegging ring and mop up a fortune among the suckers of that port city.

If you wanted to "roll 'em higher" and bather in the waters of Mobile Bay and the Gulf of Mexico, you would just cross over the bay and join the single taxers or some other organization.

If you wanted to be a policeman, there was a time when you would have gone down to Selma in the black belt, but now you would go up in the Northern part of the county and learn sure enough "hill billy" politics.

If you want to learn how to fight, just go to Bessemer and you will soon fight your best friend.

If you want to be fed and treated like a Wall Street banker, we would go right down to Aliceville, in Pickens county, where they will put you on a Brunswick in a few hours.

If we wanted to learn the traffic laws, we would move either to West Blocton or Marion, as neither town has enough automobile traffic to learn the traffic regulations.

If we wanted to meet the cleverest lot of two salaried state officials that can be found outside of the penitentiary, we would go right over to Goat Hill and mingle with the boys. They know how to take it going and coming.

If you want to get in the asylum, move over to Tuscaloosa. The price they are asking for real estate will soon convince you that they are all crazy.

If we wanted a little "white lightning," we would go over in Chilton, where they guarantee not to use any devil lye in the manufacturing business.

If we wanted to sleep, we would stop off between trains at Maplesville.

If we wanted to know all of the hooks and crooks of the country, we would take the law examination.

If we wanted to be a law unto ourselves, and handle the state funds as we pleased, we would join the State Medical society, where your mistakes are never told.

If we were not afraid of the Ku Klux, we would tell you what we would do if we lived in Centerville. But blackberries and plums will soon be ripe, and we may make it through until fall when the average fellow wants to pay his subscription, and where every fellow loves his neighbor and all live in brotherly love and unity.—Centerville Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Miller returned to their home near Mobile on Tuesday after visiting here for several days.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by Field & Government Experts

Insects are just about the worst agricultural people to face, a writer for a farm publication has declared, and certainly there is no insect problem facing a farmer that it more serious than the boll weevil problem to the cotton farmer, unless he applies correct and proven methods of control. It is impossible to eradicate the boll weevil, it is believed, but by the use of the government method of poisoning with calcium arsenate the insect can be controlled and a profitable crop made.

It will pay to poison, experts say, if the weevils are injuring the crop seriously; if the land is sufficiently fertile to yield at least one third of a bale to the acre with weevil injury eliminated; if the farming organization is such that applications of poison at the right time and in the right manner are assured, and if the farmer is willing to spend the amount necessary to provide an adequate supply of dusting machinery and poison.

One pre-square poison application should be made wherever twenty or more boll weevils appear on an acre of young cotton, scientists say. The treatment should be applied at the first indication of squaring. Home mixed molasses-calcium arsenate mixture applied with a mop to the tips of the plants, or straight calcium arsenate in dust form applied either by machine or shaking the dust from a sack, are recommended at this stage.

The usual formula for the molasses mixture is as follows: 1 pound of calcium arsenate, 1 gallon of molasses, 1 gallon of water, or with extremely heavy infestation and with frequent rains, a stronger mixture containing 2 pounds of calcium arsenate, 1 gallon of table quality syrup and ½ gallon of water. The latter may give quicker and better control. Syrup should always be sweet or unfermented and the mixture should be applied within twenty four hours after mixing.

For the treatment of fruiting cotton the calcium arsenate dusting method is recommended in preference to late season applications of syrup mixtures or other liquid poisons yet tested. Dusting should begin when 10 per cent of the squares show weevil puncture and at least three applications of 5 to 7 pounds per acre should be given at four and five day intervals. Thereafter dust should be applied only as when needed to keep the infestation below 20 per cent until after a full crop of bolls has been set and become grown. Only machinery built especially for dusting cotton should be used.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of June 15, 1899

Tax Collector Hubbard made his settlement with the State Treasurer last Thursday. His accounts were found correct and satisfactory which speaks well for Mr. Hubbard and Chilton county.

Thorsby Tid-Bits

The postmaster sold his cow to the railroad company last week. It was rather a compulsory trade, however.

The gold digger has sold his house and lot and will board at the hotel.

There is some talk of putting electric wires in the houses of Thorsby.

The canning factory died the death of a rag doll, and the winery and sanitorium have the same sickness.

The tin-horn detective held forth in dad's new and unfinished residence. The entertainment was for the benefit of the church; the hobo got $3.00 and the church got $1.00.

Mr. J. M. Langston of Jemison is having his house remodeled and will move in town in a few days.

An interesting relic of the Civil War was recently brought to light in Chilton county—a Minnie bullet, which had been embedded in the anatomy of J. E. Lawrence for well nigh 37 years.

The Clanton Baptist church is being fitted up with a new coat of paint.

Married this week—Mr. J. A. Wilson and Miss Mary V. Gray.

Hon. L. H. Reynolds of Jemison was in town Monday on business.

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POOR OR

Visiting Nurses Carry On Intensive Health Campaigns To Save Coming Generation

EFFORTS to reduce the excessive death rate from maternal mortality in the United States will continue during the coming year, according to a report read by Haley Fiske, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, at the annual convention. During 1923, 100,000 maternity cases among Metropolitan policy-holders, received the care of public health nurses, either working directly for the company or under arrangement with local health associations.

The report revealed the fact that an average of 20,000 mothers die each year from causes incidental to childbirth. In order to reduce this rate, the company is carrying on an intensive prenatal service. Visiting nurses see the expectant mother once a month from the time a case is reported until confinement. Following the birth of a child, both mother and baby are cared for daily for eight days. If complications develop, the nurse is privileged to make closer observations of the case.

An important feature of the work is the education given mothers regarding their own health and the health of infants. They are instructed to keep in close touch with a physician during pregnancy and to make ample provision for good obstetrical service at confinement.

New York City leads the country in low mortality due to child bearing. The average in that city is five deaths for each thousand mothers, while the general rate is eight for each thousand.

Nursing associations and other agencies throughout the country are co-operating with the company in its campaign.

PICNIC AT JEMISON JUNE 26

A large picnic will be held at Jemison, Ala., on the 26th day of June. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Dinner will be served by the members of the Parent-Teachers Association. There will be a big baseball game, speaking by prominent men of the State, also a public installation of Masonic officers. In connection with all this there will be various forms of amusements. So make it a set matter to be present that particular day, as a great and enjoyabfile time will be assured to all.

Sincerely yours,
R. B. JOHNSON.

Judge Reynolds went down to Providence in Beat 16 Sunday and made a lecture before the Sunday School there. The Judge says that the people of Providence gave him the best of attention while he spoke to them on Sunday School matters. The people of Providence are religious folks according to the old-time meaning of the term.

Mr. T. G. Taylor, who has been suffering for the past week with a severe attack of erysipelas has considerably improved and will be able to be out again shortly. The inflamation was in a very dangerous place being in his right eye and all over the right side of his face.

COOLIDGE DEFENDED THE BUDGET

The Congress which recently closed its first session has been chiefly notable for its practical scrapping of the budget law. Guided as it was by a coalition of Democrats and radicals intent only on manufacturing political capital with which to beat the Republicans at the fall elections, the recommendations of the Budget were thrown to the winds and legislation carrying huge additional appropriations was passed, largely as a bid for votes. Fortunately President Coolidge, through the courageous use of the veto power, was able to kill two of the major raids upon the Treasury. The general pension increase bill, carrying an added tax burden of some $90,000,000 annually, and the postal pay increase, seeking to load $68,000,000 more on to the tax-payers, were disapproved by Mr. Coolidge and Congress fafiled to pass them over his veto. The bonus bill also met with Executive disapproval, but became a law despite it. However, there were funds available to care for that obligation, and the Treasury estimated that, even with the drastic cut in revenue made by the new tax law, there would be no deficit for at least a year. Numerous other appropriation measures, large and small, not contemplated by the Budget, have been enacted or are awaiting further attention when Congress reconvenes in December. The net result when final adjournment comes on March 4, next, will see Congressional approval of expenditures exceeding the Budget by hundreds of milloins of dollars. The taxpayers' hope lies in President Coolidge, who can be depended upon not to relax the vigilant guard of the Treasury which he has exhibited ever since he entered the White House.

Breeding Time—Now!

This is breeding time for roaches! Now is the time they spread their deadly germs! Don't take a chance on having your food contaminated. NOW is the time to stop them—next week it will be much harder. Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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NEW AGRICULTURAL ERA FORECAST

Montgomery, Ala.—(Special)—What agricultural economists regard as the possible beginning of a new era in Southern farming was inaugurated recently when the converted steam plant owned by the Alabama Power Company and dedicated by them to the cause of boll weevil control began production of calcium arsenate according to the newly discovered process of electrolytic precipitation. Officials of the Gulf States Chemical & Refining Company, operators of the plant, expressed themselves as delighted with the first day's production of three tons which, according to J. A. Moore, President of the Company, is sufficient to exterminate or control the boll weevil on 1,200 acres of cotton. "The first day's production," said Mr. Moore "is but a fraction of the daily capacity which will be delivered when the plant is under full operating control and manufacturing processes become synchronized."

The manufactured product is said to equal in every way that prepared by the inventors using laboratory methods and is of such purity that it may be used not only as a boll weevil destroyer but on fruit trees, in gardens and on other plants which formerly required lead arsenate, a more expensive insecticide but one less harsh than calcium arsenate produced by former methods.

The electrolytic process was discovered two years ago by A. M. Kennedy, at that time a member of the engineering staff of the Alabama Power Company and a former close associate of Thomas A. Edison in chemical work. Mr. Kennedy became impressed with the need of an adequate supply of a poison which would facilitate boll weevil extermination or control. Calcium arsenate, is considered to be the only effective poison yet discovered for the South's cotton scourge, but its manufacture by acid methods was cumbersome and the resulting product was not uniform and frequently contained traces of free acid which burned the plants. Mr. Kennedy had spent the greater portion of his life in the study of electrochemistry and conceived the idea of producing calcium arsenate by electrolysis to yield a product free from harmful ingredients and of specific composition. He acquainted officials of the Alabama Power Company with his ideas and received their enthusiastic support, President Thomas W. Martin placing at his disposal all necessary resources for carrying out the work.

Mr. Kennedy perfected the principles of his process, later enlisting the aid of Dr. Stewart J. Loyd, head of the Department of Chemistry at the University of Alabama, who assisted him in making his ideas practicable. Numerous experiments were performed in the State, and later the Power Company secured the cooperation of the General Electric Company who extended to the inventors the facilities of their laboratories at Schenectady where the Kennedy-Loyd process, as it is now known, was perfected.

Realizing the immediate need for tremendously increased production of calcium arsenate in the South, and wishing to place a superior product at once in the hands of the farmers, the inventors, through the influence of Power Company officials, enlisted the aid of J. A. Moore, Jr., President of the Gulf States Chemical and Refining Company who agreed to bring about practical application of their discovery.

Immediate action was necessary to bring out the new product in sufficient quantity to combat the boll weevil during the season of 1924, and realising the futility of attempting to construct a new plant in time to produce the poison during this year, Mr. Moore some months ago appealed to the Power Company who placed at the disposal of his concern, free of charge for a period of years, a steam plant with full equipment which had been acquired by the Alabama Power Company at the time the Montgomery utilities were taken over. Then followed a period of feverish work in which forces of the Power Company joined hands with those of the Chemical concern in the task of converting the plant from a power producer to a boll-weevil death-mill. Conversion was completed recently and the smoothness of performance in producing today's output is ample evidence of the thoroughness of the transformation.

J. A. Moore, President of the Gulf States Company, explained that it is the purpose of his Company to develop further the production of calcium arsenate and other arsenical insecticides through their research department in such manner that production costs can be materially lowered, all of which will react to the ultimate good of the Southern farmer and orchardist. "The location of this plant in Montgomery" said Mr. Moore "assures Southern cotton growers of a source for immediate supply of practically any quantity of calcium arsenate they may wish. Shipping facilities are good as the Gulf States Chemical and Refining Company's plant is served by several reads. Distribution has commenced, and there are enough orders already on hand to keep the plant operating full capacity for several weeks ahead."

A. M. Kennedy, inventor of the process paid high tribute to the Alabama Power Company who, he said, by providing facilities for perfecting the process and in donating the use of the factory and equipment have given to the South its greatest asset in controlling the boll weevil.

Mr. Jim Mims and children of Birmingham came down Saturday evening to visit relatives.

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There will be an all day singing at Refuge Church the fifth Sunday in this month. Everybody is invited to come and bring well filled baskets and 1924 song books. We especially invite all singers as we desire to make this the best singing ever held at this place.

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And they're His creatures too.
Be kind to animals, my friends,
And they'll be kind and true;
For what you give will always be
Reflected back to you.

Bloomfield, N. J., Press.

Little Folks Enjoy Party.

The home of Mrs. V. J. Elmore was the scene of a merry gathering of the little tots on Wednesday afternoon, when she celebrated in honor of her little daughter, Olive Ranier's third birthday anniversary, from 4 till 6 o'clock. The guests were greeted by the little hostess, who was attractively attired in a pink voile frock with lace and ribbon trimmings. Punch was served on the veranda from a baby tea table made attractive with streamers of pink crepe papers and covered with a lace cloth over pink. Animal cakes were also served. Misses Jane Roberts and Frances Taylor presided here.

Numerous juvenile games were played on the lawn. Pink glandiolas and pink verbent were in evidence throughout the apartments.

The dining rom was most attractive with a pink umbrella suspended from the ceiling and festoons of pink crepe papers extending to the table which held "Butter Cup" place cards bearing the names of the 25 little folks. The cake held three tiny lighted candles. An attractive feature of the table decoration was an animal parade, cake and cream and lollypops, in the chosen color tones, were served. The cutting of the birthday cake afforded much excitement when Miss Mary Francis Atkinson and Master Billie Greene Retherford each cut dimes. Favors were big balloons and juvenile figured umbrellas. Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. McDavid assisted the hostess.

Missionary Society Meets.

The regular business meeting of the W. M. S. met Monday afternoon at the church, Mrs. J. C. Jones presiding. After the regular routine of business, committees for the 4th of July celebration were named, as follows: Novelties booth, Mrs. McDavid chairman; Sandwich booth, Mrs. Macy Jones, chairman; Cold drinks, Mrs. John Armstrong, chairman, Ice cream stands, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, chairman; Peanuts, Mrs. Glennie Evans; Each circle will be responsible for a couple of cakes and one ham. These chairmen named their assistants and a full corps of workers will be on duty. No further business, the meeting adjourned.

Card Club Meets.

Mrs. John Browder was hostess on last Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Bridge Club. Baskets of nasturtiums, gladiolas and vari-colored sweet peas beautified the apartments, where two tables for the game were arranged. After a series of rubbers, the club prize was won by Mrs. Oscar Jones, this being a couple of decks of congress cards. Later in the afternoon the hostess assisted by Mrs. McDavid served a tempting salad plate with iced tea.

Mrs. Polk Hostess.

Mrs. George Polk was hostess on last Wednesday afternoon to the members of the Sewing Club at her home. The reception room was given an added touch of beauty by baskets of fragrant sweet peas. Sewing was indulged in until later in the afternoon when a tempting ice course with orange nectar was served. Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn of Montgomery and Mrs. M. B. Arant were guests of the club for the afternoon.

Mrs. Barney Roberts returned home Sunday evening from a week end visit to Birmingham, where she took part in the annual recital of Mrs. Edna Gussen at the conservatory.

The following announcement will be read with a great deal of interest, as both parties are widely known and popular members of the younger set. The groom-to-be having formerly been connected with the Alred Drug Company. The wedding will be that of Miss Mary Mullins to Mr. Carey Speer, to take place next Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins in Clanton, Ala.

Mr. A. C. Luckie from Pine Apple, Ala., was a visitor to his son, Mr. R. E. Luckie and family last week, enroute home from Memphis, Tenn., where he attended the Confederate Veterans Reunion.

Mrs. Frank Smith and little daughter from Denver, Colo., stopped over here last week on a brief visit, enroute to Tampa, Fla., where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. J. B. Downs has returned home from a lovely trip to Denver, Colo., where he visited his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Pickens. Mrs. Downs remained for a few weeks longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Richards and children from Jackson, Tenn., motored down for a visit to her mother, Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer.

Mrs. Ruben Reynolds and sons returned to their home in Montgomery after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds on Second Avenue.

Mrs. Parsons, formerly Miss Kate Smith, from Marbury spent Wednesday in Clanton with Mrs. Nannie Crichton.

Mrs. Herbert Neighbors and children have returned home from a visit to Anniston, Birmingham and other places.

Miss Sara Luckie and Joe Luckie will be home last of week after a delightful two-weeks stay in Deland, Fla.

Mrs. Charlie Philips of Cuthbert, Ga., is spending some time with Miss Mollie Hannon.

Miss Ruth Prince and mother have returned home from a visit to friends in Decatur.

Mrs. Geo. Polk and children will leave Friday for a couple of weeks' visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. J. W. E. Gulledge returned home last week from the C. V. R. in Memphis, Tenn.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Dennis were visitors to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith Sunday.

Mr. Mack Broadhead was a visitor to Montgomery last Sunday.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Gov. Brandon has appointed the following as delegates from Alabama to the twentieth annual meeting of the National Tuberculosis Association, to be held in Atlanta, Ga., May 5 to 10. Mrs. Marie Pearce, president, Alabama Tuberculosis Association; R. A. Brown, E. M. Tutwiler, Jr., Bem Price, Tom Huey, John C. Hanley, Mrs. C. B. Spencer, Mrs. Sidney Hart, Mrs. Mitchell Williamson, Miss Bertha Clement, all of Birmingham; Mrs. J. Brevard Jones, Montgomery; Dr. S W. Welch, state health officer, Montgomery; J. H. Cranford, Jasper; Mrs. Val Taylor, Uniontown; Miss Ita Stocks, Gadsden; Dr. W. K. Shapp, Jr., Florence; Dr. G. A. Cryer, Anniston; Dr. W. D. Partlow, superintendent Alabama Hospital for the Insane, Tuscaloosa; William H. Monk, Jr., Mobile.

Twenty delegates will represent Alabama in the ninth world convention of Sunday schools to be held in Glasgow, Scotland, June 18-26. They are: Dr. J. H. Chapman, Rev. V. W. Hamner, Miss A. L. Williams, Mrs. T. G. Bush, Allen G. Lochr, all of Birmingham; Miss Nannie Baker, Mobile; Rev. M. L. Turner, Sheffield; Miss Annie Williams, Ensley; Mr. and Mrs. John Wyker, Decatur; J. Z. Shuits, Stevenson; Rev. and Mrs. L. C. Branscomb, Anniston; Mrs. Jeff Terry and Mrs. F. B. Burphy, Huntsville; Mrs. George Gantt and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Tuscumbia; Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pratt, Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Callen from Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McSwain.

Messrs Marcus Biles and Jack Bean were visitors to Pensacola during the week end.

SEWERAGE ASSESSMENTS DUE JUNE 1ST THIS YEAR

The sewerage assessments against property in the Town of Clanton were all due on June 1st of this year. The assessments were made payable in ten annual installments, the last one of which was due on the above date.

The above is published for the benefit of those who may have purchased real estate here since the sewerage system was installed and to all others who may have overlooked the matter.

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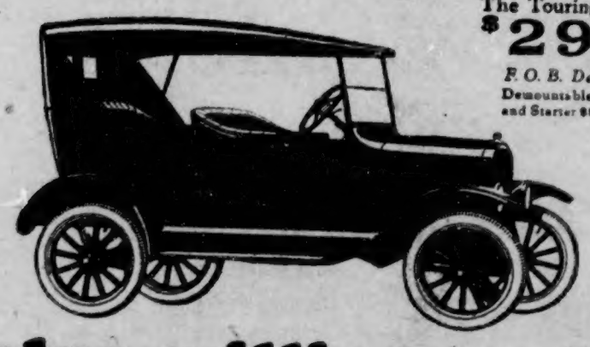

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In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertaned faiter reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Essie Lowery, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 10th day of July, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, Ala., this 9th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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Mr. Joe Dorough from Birmingham was the guest of Miss Senia Baker last Sunday.

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On last Wednesday night Deputies Culp and Foshee, together with their wives and Mrs. Littlejohn, went out to Mims' Ferry just below Lock 12 to a fish fry which was given by Mr. Sam Mims. Shortly after Foshee and Culp arrived at the ferry they scented something in the air which caused them to smell a mouse. They decided that there was something frying around there besides fish. Finally, the officers hid out close to the ferry landing and soon some fellows came across from Coosa on the flat. As soon as the flat hit the Chilton bank one of the men on it, Sam Adams by name, was seen to stick a pint bottle under the oar fastening on the flat. When Foshee pulled the bottle out from its hiding place, the story was told—the mouse had been located in the form of a pint of corn whiskey. Sam Adams was arrested and brought to Clanton. He was released on bond at 11 o'clock Wednesday night.

DR. GRAGG RETURNS

Dr. V. J. Gragg returned to Clanton last Monday from a week's visit to Chicago and Rochester. The first of last week Dr. Gragg was in attendance at the American Medical Association at Chicago, and after that was over he went over to Rochester, N. Y., and looked over the hospitals of that city. Rochester is very noted for its hospitals. The town is not much larger than Clanton and it has seven immense hospitals, one of which is the largest surgical hospital in the country. In Rochester even most of the large hotels devote two or three of their upper floors to hospital work, maintaining operating rooms and everything. In other words, Rochester is out and out a hospital town. People come there from all over the world to take treatment in those medical and surgical institutions. Dr. Gragg reports that the trip was a very enjoyable as well as instructive one.

SIGNIFICANT MEETING IN BIRMINGHAM

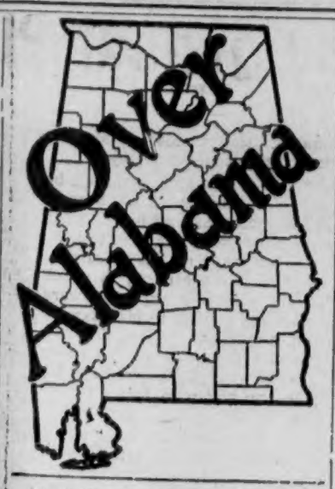
Leaders of Many Organizations Plan To Inform People Concerning Schools.

Heads of many important civic and professional organizations met in Birmingham a few days ago to consider the crisis which educational institutions of Alabama are now facing. Dr. E. M. Shackelford, president of the Alabama Education Association, and State Superintendent J. W. Abercrombie spoke for the common schools of the State; Dr. George H. Denny, Dr. Spright Dowell, and Dr. T. W. Palmer represented the colleges; Dr. Guy E. Snaveley and Dr. J. C. Dawson, the privately owned colleges; Dr. J. E. Dillard, the Alabama Council of Christian Education; Mrs. E. L. Hays, the Alabama Congress of Parents and Teachers; Mr. E. A. O'Neal, the State Farm Bureau; Mr. L. N. Duncan, the Government Extension Service; Mr. W. C. Blassingame, the State Board of Health; Mr. J. D. Matlock, the Grand Commander Knights Templar; Dr. Herman Turner, the Rotary Clubs; Mr. W. I. Pittman, the Lions Clubs; Mr. G. F. Stephens, the Alabama Press Association; Mr. Charles Moffett, the Scottish Rite Masons; Mrs. Watt T. Brown, the Daughters of the American Revolution; Capt. Matt H. Murphy, the American Legion; Reverend S. L. Dobbs, the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; Reverend L. O. Dawson, the State Baptist Convention; Mr. Lewis Bowen, the Federated Labor Union. Letters and telegrams indicated the thorough sympathy and co-operation of leaders of other organizations not represented by actual attendance.

These leaders, representing thousands of our best citizens, are of the opinion that our State public school system has passed the peak of possible development on existing resources and that a retrograde movement is inevitable unless new sources of revenue can be found. It was pointed out by various speakers that educational advance has been rapid during the past decade particularly, but that, in spite of all efforts, Alabama has fafiled to keep pace with other states of the union. Alabama ranks among the first states in natural wealth, but ranks last in annual income of citizens. This condition is largely due to lack of proper education. Aur state ranks thirty-ninth in bank savings deposits, forty-fifth in expenditure per child for education, forty-sixth in expenditure per citizen for education, forty-sixth in adult illiteracy, forty-seventh in school attendance, forty-third in slary of teachers, and forty-sixth in teacher-preparation. Our ranking, according to national and impartial statisticians, leaves us entirely too much in the forty-odd class to be pleasing to any patriotic citizen.

The idea most strongly expressed in the meeting was that the people of Alabama do not realize the condition of the schools and that they should be fully informed. Chairman Shackelford was directed to appoint a committee to address an open letter to the people of the State setting forh the conditions in a general way; and the heads of organizations represented put themselves on record as favoring an intensive publicity campaign to cover several years, if necessary, with the purpose of thoroughly informing the public and thus bringing about a general demand for improved school conditions.

Mr. J. M. Curlee is now serving as night police of Clanton. Mr. Curlee has had quite a bit of experience in police and deputy work having served in one or the other of these capacities here for the past several years.



ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Mrs. J. F. Halliburton of Sheffield is suffering from a broken arm as the result of an automobile accident a she was traveling from Birmingham in a car in company with Mr. Halliburton their son and John Samples of Florence. Young Samples was driving the car when near Cullman the car plunged down a 30-foot embankment in the water a depth of five feet. Mr and Mrs. Halliburton were pinned beneath the car. Samples and Frank Halliburton, the son, rescued the couple.

The city water department of Gadsden has just completed the laying of 10,000 feet of six-inch mains in the western part of the city, making water connections for a number of homes and establishing 12 fire hydrants in a section heretofore without protection. About 2,000 feet of 10-inch pipe is to be laid into Alabama City to connect with its large distributing system, thus giving that city a water service equal to that enjoyed by Gadsden, according to officials.

A thorough test of Alabama's ancient blue laws is to be made in the high courts by some of the business men of Gadsden who were convicted on the charge of keeping their store open on Sunday. It is said that counsel for the defendants will set up the plea that the law is discriminatory and that it is also unjust. Demurrers filed and overruled also indicate that the drawing of the indictments will be attacked. Most of the 40 odd defendants pleaded guilty and accepted fines of $10 each.

The attempt of the state highway commission to divert the Montgomery Birmingham highway through the town of Prattville, adding about a mile and a half to the distance, has been disapproved by United States District Engineer R. E. Toms. The state highway body first located the road to pass a short distance east of Prattville with a spur to the town. Later, upon Prattville citizens agreeing to pay the extra cost, the commission voted to route the road through the town.

A large quantity of war trophies, estimated at between 15 and 30 carloads will be available for shipment into Alabama as this state's share of World War trophies, according to announcement by Adj. Gen. Hartley A. Moon. The trophies include a wide variety of articles, cannon, including big howitzers; caissons, machine guns, rifles, helmets, Uhlan lances and other articles.

The Alabama officers reserve association will probably hold its annual convention in Tuscaloosa at the same time as the state legion convention meet there July 3, 4, and 5. About 200 are members of the organization and are composed of officers commissioned in the United States army, but not in active service. Col. John S. Sewell, of Birmingham is head of the association.

Ed Kinney, negro, exchanged a probable penitentiary sentence of from one to twenty years for a $50 fine when a Jefferson county jury changed its mind and convicted him of petit larceny after it had previously announced a conviction for grand larceny involving the theft of 367 yards of silk.

Alabama is building roads equal to those being built in North Carolina according to W. S. Keller, state highway engineer, who with members of the highway commission recently returned from North Carolina, where they attended a convention of the American Road Builders' association at Greensboro, N. C.

Organization of a federal intermediate credit association to have headquarters in Montgomery and serve farmers throughout the state by providing credit for production purposes was authorized by the executive committee of the Alabama Farm Bureau federation.

T. P. Littlejohn is arranging for the Dallas county fair, which will be held from October 14 to 18 under the auspices of the Selma Chamber of Commerce and Farm Bureau. Three thousand dollars will be given in prizes for agriculture, live stock, cooking, home demonstration work and the woman's department, etc.

Several calls have been made on the Farm Bureau for poison for the boll weevil, of which there is a heavy infestation in Dallas county for this time of the year.

W. B. Cooper of New Harmony was among the visitors to Clanton on Monday of this week.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"There's lots o' folks on Easy Street--comin' back---"

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

MR. J. D. FULMER DIED ON LAST SATURDAY

The death of Mr. J. Davis Fulmer occurred at his home, three miles west of Clanton last Saturday, June 14th, as a result of indigestion, with which Mr. Fulmer has been suffering for a year or so. The remains were buried at Poplar Springs cemetery Sunday, Rev. W. W. Robinson officiating.

The deceased leaves a wife, five boys and five girls living and two children dead. The only living brother is Joel Fulmer of Clanton and the two sisters are Mrs. W. J. Calloway and Mrs. W. C. Pipes of Clanton.

BARLEYCORN AND UNDERWOOD

Old Barleycorn is going to die,
He's the mightiest foe on earth;
The demons had a jubilee,
When the devil gave him birth.

Don't bury him Under-wood-en tomb,
He'll sure give you the slip;
But dig a grave and bury him deep
As Hobson sunk the ship.

CHORUS:

Better not play with Barleycorn,
Better for you when he is gone;
Better not compromise at all,
'Til the whole round world goes dry.

—Contributed.

EMMETT CHRISTIAN JAILED FOR FAILING TO DIP CATTLE

Mr. Emmett Christian, farmer of near Maplesville, was arrested by Sheriff Jittlejohn Monday and brought to jail under the charge of failing to dip cattle. Officers say that Mr. Christian had been notified twice of his failure to dip, and he continued to refuse to dip. When the second notice was served Mr. Christian was brought to jail. He remained in jail Monday night and made bond Tuesday morning, each charge being $300. The total bond was $600.

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RIGINAL

Let's Go to Clanton July 4th--Free Barbecue--Speaking

COOLIDGE'S FRUGAL LIFE SHOWS THAT WEALTH IS NOT THE SOLE INDEX OF SUCCESS

(Continued from page 1).

idge had considerable good qualities would say:

"Here is a man, a lawyer, who has always lived in one-half of a rented house at $35 per month, and has never even owned an automobile—can you tell me that a lawyer who lives that way can be an able lawyer?"

But, when Coolidge turned to public life, he turned to it as a permanent career and dismissed the idea of a money-making professional career. He knew exactly what he was doing.

Father Also Frugal

Coolidge's attitude toward money, both public and private, arose out of his background. When Coolidge's political fortunes advanced to the point where the newspaper men following him had occasion to come into contact with his personal background, when they began to know something of his father, Colonel John Coolidge, and the latter's circumstances, they discovered that Col. Coolidge is something more than merely a Vermont farmer and retired village storekeeper. In clothes and in his manner of living Col. Coolidge practices the same simplicity as his son. And he practices it for exactly the same reason, namely, that he likes to live that way better than he would like to live some other way.

In the course of a long life of this sort of thing Col. Coolidge has come to be one of this type of leading business man of the village. One observes that he seems to have accumulated anywhere from $30,000 to $50,000.

Will Inherit It

President Coolidge is his father's only heir. He always knew that in time he would inherit that little Vermont village fortune. The $1,500 to $2,500 of annual interest on it (for President Coolidge, like his father, is one who will stick to something like 4 per cent and safety) is not much, but it is the difference between something and nothing.

President Coolidge, in turn, has two sons and for these sons his philosophy of life is the same as it was for himself, namely, that a fortune is a handicap rather than an advantage.

On the day when Coolidge was inaugurated as president one if his sons was working on a Massachusetts farm at ordinary field hand wages. Coolidge wanted his children to have the same attitude toward money that he himself had and his father had. He wanted them to need to work. He wanted them to need to save.

No Fortune

The knowledge of these circumstances about Coolidge's background threw a world of light on him, his personal relation to money, and his public attitude toward money.

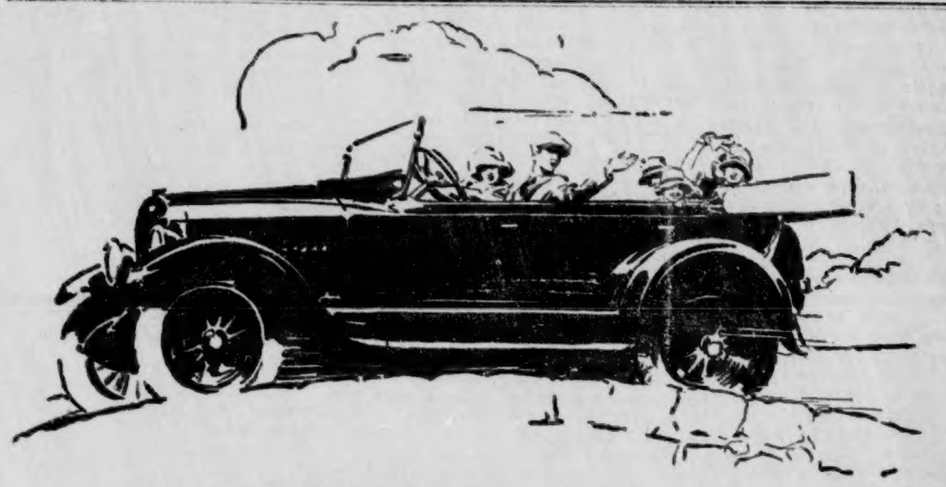
Here was a man who, although he had never earned, until he became president, more than $3,000 a year, except for the years when he had the salary of governor of Massachusetts, and later as vice-president, in which offices his necessary expenses were more than appropriate to his salary—here was a man who had no fortune, who did not try to make one, who was content with little, who kept his family in one end of a house rented at $35 a month.

But, at the same time, here was a man who had a perfectly orthodox attitude toward money and the relation of government to money. In his economics he is as sound as a banker. The arguments of bolshevism bounded off his hard mind as if it were New England granite. In his mental attitude, his notions about government and property and organized society, he is a pillar of the ordinary conservative American point of view.

It was the curious case of a man who very much poorer than most labor leaders (some officials of labor unions get salaries as high as $20,000 a year), who made less money year by year than most locomotive engineers, but, nevertheless, believed as thoroughly in the right of every other man to make as much and keep as much as he could—he believed as thoroughly in this as he does in the tenents of the Congregational church.

Politics and Money

Aside from having this fundamental point of view, this personal philosophy of life, about money, Coolidge had a practical, common-sense and a shrewdly cautious prevision in the field of politics where politics touches money. He knew that the American voter condemns unnecessary public extravagance and vents his disapproval on public officials who practice extravagance with the public funds. At least, the American voter used to have this point of view at the time the events of this story occurred. It is one of the best of the stories that Coolidge's friends tell about him.



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AROUND CALERA

A splendid program was rendered by the Shiloh Sunday School last Sunday which was a Children's Day Program. The entire Sunday School marched in groups of classes with each teacher carrying the banner for their respective class. Songs, were sung by the entire school. A number of duets were beautifully rendered by members of different classes. Also each class sang a special song, while nearly every child in the community had a special part, being recitations, songs, pantomimes, and etc. A special feature of the morning program was a song sung by Mr. M. T. Busby, while another interesting feature was the Lord's Prayer in Mute Language, given by Howard Busby, who has been in school at Talledega for several years. At 12 o'clock the school adjourned for dinner after which the program was finished in the afternoon.

The Oak Grove Singing Class met with Shiloh Class and the program was also interesting for the afternoon. Directors were: Mr. Will Northcutt, Mr. Leonard Pierce, Mr. W. R. Scott, Iva Mathis, Mr. Amy Boswell, Mr. Akins Collins, Mr. Lorenza Cobb, Mr. Lorane Mathis. Those presiding at the organ were: Mrs. Sarah Crim, Mr. Amy Boswell, Miss Mexa Tate, Miss Flossie Cobb, and Miss Ester Atkinson. A guitar duet was given by the Misses Martin, also a quartet by the following: Mr. Iva Mathis, Mr. A. I. Collins, Mr. Will Northcutt, and Mr. Lorenza Cobb was enjoyed. The entire day was carried out to perfection and we hope that everyone enjoyed it well enough to come back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby and little Miss Verna and Viola Sullivan attended the Children's Day at Shiloh.

Mr. Amy Boswell and little sister, Agnes, from Cooper were the guests of relatives in South Calera Sunday.

Miss Alice Endress was the guests of her little friend, Miss Lillian Busby Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Robinson and two lovely children from Pelham were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Busby last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams of Bessemer visited relatives in Jemison Saturday, coming to South Calera Sunday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Busby. Mr. Williams returned to Bessemer Sunday night, while Mrs. Williams remained over for a short visit.

Mr. Erman Cooper spent several days with his cousin, Mr. Holen Crim last week. The two motored to Marble Valley Sunday.

Miss Camila and Viola Howell spent Sunday with Mrs. Nanne Barefield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pilgreen and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pilgreen were the guests of Mrs. Jessie Cox Sunday.

Mr. G. S. Lee made a business trip to the Magic City one day last week.

Mrs. Ellie Busby and children of Calera visited Mrs. Frank Mayhew Sunday, also attended the Children's Day.

Misses Ledolia and Ida Cooper of Marble Valley are visiting their aunt, Mrs. E. D. Crim this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Busby and family of Jemison were visitors to South Calera Sunday.

Mr. G. S. Tate was in Thorsby Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Martin and little daughter Francis, were guests of Mrs. Martin's parents Sunday.

Mr. Roy Rogers of Adamsville came down for a short visit to his father

FRANK WILLIS BARNETT AND BIBB GRAVES TO BE LEADING SPEAKERS

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AT COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL GROUND

BRING THE FAMILY AND SPEND THE DAY IN AMUSEMENT-CELEBRATION

DR. FRANK WILLIS BARNETT TO SPEAK HERE THE FOURTH

The announcement has been made that Dr. Frank Willis Barnett of Birmingham will be one of the main speakers at the Fourth of July celebration in Clanton. Hon. Bibb Graves of Montgomery will also be here to speak. With these fine speakers on hand, it is a certainty that the lecturing will be good, and with the big free barbecue to feed you on, you can't help but have a good time. Evevrybody has an invitation.

Tuesday.

Mrs. Job Reynolds and little granddaughter from Jemison was visiting relatives here Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbell and Miss Mattie Lee Grey were the guests of the formers parents for the week-end.

Miss Estelle Underdonk of Calera spent Sunday as the guests of friends here.

Little Miss Floy Grey of Siluria spent last week with Mrs. C. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans of Calera were among the visitors to South Calera Sunday.

Mr. Herchel Grey spent last week as guest of friends in South Calera.

Ice Cream and Cake were served on the school ground in Calera Saturday night for the benefit of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Rufus Rogers is now at Cherokee Bluffs where he has gone to take a position there.

We regret to learn that the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Martin has been ill for the past few days.

Mr. Newton Miner of Sylacauga is at home for a few days. Newt is in the mercantile business at the Marble City.

Twelve Head of Cattle Burned to Death!

A barn containing forty head of cattle caught fire recently. Twelve cows were burned to death. Rats are indirectly blamed for the fire.—Bulletin.

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He knew, for Bankers never get so rich that their homes can be made inaccessible to insects. His wife had just tried Sweet Dreams Spray for killing flies and ants on the previous day—and it killed them all—while she looked.

And he said that Sweet Dreams Spray was a "Godsend."

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DEMOCRATS PUT UP NEGRO FOR CONGRESS IN ILLINOIS DISTRICT

E. B. Dickerson, Negro Lawyer of Chicago, To Oppose Madden In Illinois.

New York, June 22.—Breaking all precedents, democrats have put up a negro for Congress.

The Illinois state committee held a meeting here Sunday and agreed upon Earl B. Dickerson of Chicago, a negro, as a candidate for Congress against Representative Martin B. Madden, republican.

The negro was substituted as the democratic Congressional candidate in the first Illinois district because of the illness of James Doyle, who was nominated at the primary. Dickerson is assistant corporation counsel in Chicago under Mayor Dever, is a graduate of the University of Illinois and Chicago university, a member of the American Legion and a well known leader among those of his own race.

This is the first time the democratic party has put up a negro for Congress. The first Illinois district has a large negro population and normally is two-thirds republican. But in the recent republican primaries a negro ran against Madden for the republican nomination and received 6,000 votes against 9,000 for Madden. The illness of Doyle give democrats a chance to take advantage of the showing by the republican negro and put up a democratic candidate.

The selection has the sanction of George Brennan, the Illinois democratic boss, who has a large following among negroes because of his anti-klan activity. Negroes have sent him many telegrams since he arrived here with the announcement that he would demand a plank specifically denouncing the klan. Illinois democratic leaders believe this will be reflected in a large democratic vote at the next election, hence the placing of Dickerson on the ticket.—Birmingham Age-Herald, June 23.

PROGRAM FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING UNITY ASSOCIA'N

All the Baptist Churches east of Swift Creek will meet in their regular fifth Sunday meeting with the Mt. Creek Baptist Church Sunday, June 29th, 1924.

It is hoped that every Baptist church and Sunday School will have large delegations present. Lunch will be served on the grounds.

10:00, a.m., Devotional, Rev. E. A. Norris.

10:15 - 1045, Necessary preparations for the Revival, Rev. J. D. Hughes.

10:45-11:30, Stewardship, the Solution of our Baptist problems; Open discussion led by Rev. W. M. Mims.

11:30, Address, speaker to be supplied.

Adjournment.

1:30-2:00, Our Sunday school problems, open discussion led by L. Johnson and other Superintendents.

2:00-2:15, Teacher Training by H. S. Shaw.

2:15-2:45, The W. M. U. Accomplishments and plans, Mrs. L. Gilbert.

2.45, The B. Y. P. U. as a training agency, open discussion led by J. Z. Mims.

Adjournment.

MRS. DEDWEILDER DIED IN SELMA LAST MONDAY

The death of Mrs. Nettie Dedweilder occurred at the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Ruby Thompson in Selma Monday, June 23rd at 5:40 p.m. The cause of her death is attributed to paralysis. Mrs. Dedweilder was 83 years old and has been suffering for the past several months, being unable to get about without help. She went from her home in Clanton to Selma a few weeks ago with the hopes of regaining strength but the change did not seem to help her. She had been residing for the past several years with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Gore, in Clanton.

The remains were shipped to Maplesville Tuesday morning, where they were taken in charge by Martin and brought to Clanton in the hearse. The body lay in state at the Gore home in Clanton Tuesday night, and after the funeral by Dr. S. J. Ezell, was carried to the Dedweilder family cemetery near the home of O. D. Grooms on Mulberry, where enterment was made Wednesday morning.

The living children of the deceased are: Mrs. Farris Gore of Clanton and Mrs. Birdie Smith of Montgomery. The husband of the deceased died a number of years ago.

TO ASK NEW BIDS FOR HIGHWAY IN CHILTON COUNTY

Second Contract for Road Called Off and Another will be Let by Highway Department.

Bids will be advertised again by the state highway department for the paving of the project in the northern half of Chilton County comprising a section of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway. When bids were first opened some time ago for this project the low bidder was Speed-Parker of Louisville, Ky., but owing to some misunderstanding as to the contract this company was relieved from taking it and the contract awarded to the Schevenel Company of Memphis. This concern, when it came time to execute a contract with the state, was unable to reach an agreement as to the contract and the commission decided Monday to re-advertise for bids. This action will not delay the work it was stated, as a separate contract for grading had been awarded.

Votes Dallas Road.

The Commission voted to build a road from Selma to Plantersville and the Chilton County line toward Clanton, after hearing from a Dallas delegation. This action was made dependent upon Dallas county furnishing the money to build the road, to be refunded by the state after more bonds have been sold. Such action was made necessary, it was stated, by the fact that proceeds from bonds sold have already been allotted to the various counties for 1924-'25 The state will build the bridge project in the usual manner of procedure, without the county being obliged to put up money for this phase of the work. The project will go on the 1924-'25 program as a result of the action yesterday.

RUNNING MATE TO COOLIDGE

REPUBLICANS everywhere are of the opinion that the G. O. P. Convention couldn't have nominated a better man for the vice-presidency than Brig. General Charles G. Dawes. His past record has stamped him as a man of action who gets things done when he wants them done. And, if he's elected, political circles predict he will wield a "fiery" gavel as presiding officer of the Senate.

General Dawes was born in Marietta, Ohio, August 27, 1865. He practiced law in Lincoln, Neb., until 1894, when he migrated to Evanston, Illinois—a suburb of Chicago. He served as Comptroller of Currency from 1897 to 1902 and he's been president of the Central Trust Company, Chicago, since then.

Commissioned as Major of engineers in the national army in June, 1917, he soon rose to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. As Lieutenant Colonel of railway engineers, he arrived in France in July, 1917, and his splendid work with the A. E. F. gained him his present rank of Brigadier General in October, 1918.

OFFICERS RUN DOWN NEGRO AND NEGRESS WITH WHISKEY

Sheriff Littlejohn, Deputies Culp and Foshee and J. L. Gore, woke up nearly everybody in Clanton last Friday morning about 3 o'clock when they were chasing Joseph Leonard and Mrs. T. S. Peavey, both colored, who were transporting whiskey in a Ford automobile.

The officers were going up the Lock 12 highway, when they met the car near the home of Henry Gore. The officers knew from the occupants that the car was carrying booze, so they turned around and chased it toward town. Near the one-mile post, the negroes were commanded in vain to halt, so the officers shot off one of the rear casings of the Ford. But even with one casing missing the negroes did not slow up but came on into town. The officers began to smell whiskey and they could see the negroes throwing something out of the car which later proved to be pieces of a five-gallon jug. It is assumed that the negroes smashed the jug in the car and threw out the pieces.

Just after the fleeing prohibition violators turned the corner at the cemetary, the officers put a hole in the other rear casing, which slowed up the car until the officers succeeded in getting ahead of it. The negroes were forced to stop in front of Mr. Leonard Farley's and the officers took charge of them and the ranshacked Ford. Both Leonard and his female colleague were arrested and placed in jail, they being later released on bond. The car is in the posession of the sheriff.

OODLES OF COTTON BLOOMS

Mr. Sie Foshee, the famous Studebaker and Chevrolet salesman for Polk Brothers, was in our office on Tuesday, he having just arrived from the home of Mr. Charley D. Foshee near Billingsley. Sie had his pocket full of cotton blooms which he had gathered from his uncle's farm. Mr. Foshee has abopt 85 acres of cotton this year, which is looking mighty good.

The first cotton bloom this year, however, was received by mail from Mr. Aldon Davis Monday. Mr. Davis writes that the way for the farmers to head off the boll weevil is to rush their cotton and make it mature before the weevils get a whack at it.

Mr. W. A. Blackmon of Birmingham was in Clanton shaking hands with friends Wednesday. Mr. Blackmon will be remembered as the grist mill man who used to run a mill here with Mr. Hubbard.

SATURDAY LONGEST AND WARMEST DAY OF PRESENT YEAR

The longest day of the year was last Saturday.

It was also equal to the hottest day of the present summer season.

The thermometer at the weather bureau recarded highest temperature for the day as 95 degrees, which maximum has been reached on two previous days this year. Sunlight on the longest day of the year measured 14.3 hours.

UNION MEETING OF MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

A union meeting of the Missionary Societies will be held at the Methodist Church on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The ladies of all churches are cordially invited. The program will be as follows:

Subject, "The Christian Home, a Vital Factor in Social Progress," by Mrs. Askins.

Devotional, "What a Christian home should be," Mrs. Wilkerson.

Duet, Mesdames Armstrong and Middleton.

"Parental Companionship in the Home," Mrs. John VanDerveer.

Song.

Reading, selected, Mrs. Ezell.

"Parental Responsibility in the Home," Mrs. Hester.

Song.

Prayer.

BAPTIST CHURCHES UNITY ASSOCIATION—NOTICE

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Eastern District of the Unity Asociation composed of all the churches east of Swift's Creek will meet with Mountain Creek Baptist Church, June 29th. All churches and Sunday Schools are urged to send large representations.

Watch the papers next week for program and speakers. Come one—come all Baptists and let us make this a great day.

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MINERAL SPRINGS

On Saturday night, June 28th, a meeting will be held at the Mineral Springs School House for the purpose of organizing a Baptist Church at the Robinson Cemetery. There will be preaching by Rev. B. Lawrence of Jemison Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. All who feel interested in this business be sure to be present at this meeting, so that we can get your name and how much you can help on building a church house. We want to find out whether or not we can build a house before we constitute a church. J. M. PASCHAL.

PLANE CROSSES UNITED STATES IN 1 DAY'S TIME

San Francisco, June 23.—Lieutenant Russell L. Maughan, army flier, successfully completed his daylight-to-dusk flight from New York to San Francisco when he landed at Crissy field at 9:48 p.m. He arrived at San Francisco at 9:44.

The plane in which Maughan left New York at 2:59 a.m., Eastern Standard time, today on his third attempt to span the continent, was first sighted when he circled the field twice in the deepening dusk.

Maughan's landing at 9:48 p.m., made his time for the 2,850 miles air line dash from New York including five refueling stops enroute, 21 hours, 48 minutes, slightly under his original estimate of the time the flight would consume.

Jubilant at Victory.

Apparently almost overcome with emotion and jubiliant at the victory which he had achieved, Lieutenant Maughan seemed unable to speak as his plane came to a stop. His face bore a serious and drawn expression.

He was lifted bodily from the cockpit by his cheering comrades of the air service, and carried on their shoulders through the swirling crowd to a rear door of the army headquarters.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN CLANTON LAST SATURDAY NIGHT

Over $20,000 is Total Loss in Stock and Buildings of Chilton Hardware and City Bakery.

Last Saturday night about eleven o'clock a fire originated in the City Bakery, according to assumption, and totally destroyed the bakery and the Chilton Hardware Store, which was separated from the bakery only by a wood and plaster wall. The fire department was on the scene shortely after the blaze was discovered, but even through vigorous efforts they were unable to extinguish it. There was lots of paint in the hardware store, and when the fire got into that water would have absolutely no effect. The Store of W. A. Kemp, just across the alley from the hardware store caught fire a time or two on the second story, but this was kept under control. The bakery and the hardware store were a complete loss.

Mr. Oscar Jones, proprietor of the Chilton Hardware Company, gives the following figures regarding his store:—Stock, $16,000; Fixtures, $2,000; Insurance, $10,500; Loss, $7,500. The value of the bakery outfit was around $1,200, and reports say that about $750 insurance was carried. The buildings, belonging to Dr. Arthur Johnson, were badly damaged, nothing being left of them except the brick walls and a small portion of the floor and ceiling, which of course will be of no value in rebuilding. Reports say that $1,500 insurance was carried on the buildings.

Miss Annie Lowe and Mrs. Bob Farley and little daughter, Myrtle, of Clanton, left Saturday afternoon for Sylacauga, where they will spend several days with relatives and friends.

WHEN TO LAY-BY IS TOLD BY FUNCHESS OF AUBURN STATION

Repeats Statement That the Chief Object of Plow Is to Kill Weeds. Root Protection Urged.

Auburn, Ala., June 24.—The question now arises: When shall we lay-by? As the production season advances this question is frequently asked by farmers, and Prof. M. J. Funchess, Director of the Alabama Experiment Station, answers it by saying, "Cultivation should continue long enough to keep weeds under control."

Discussing the subject further, Prof. Funchess said that "the chief purpose of cultivation is to destroy weeds;" and that, since this is true, "cultivators man be discontinued as early as the weed problem is solved."

If corn is clean when it becomes waist or shoulder high weeds have a poor chance. Competition is too strong for them, and under this condition further use of the plow becomes unnecessary. Prof. Funchess declared that more corn has been injured than has been benefitted by late cultivation, if it is clean.

The same principle holds true for cotton. Weed control is the chief object of the plow just as it is for corn. It is true for other crops also.

In cultivating cotton, corn, and other crops the roots should not be cut. Each root severed injures the plant, and, consequently, the yield is reduced to that extent.

MINOOKA NEWS

We are very sorry to say that Mr. R. D. Gibbons is on the sick list, but hope him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Daisy Crim spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tally Cost of Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Barefield of Mammoth visited relatives in Prattville last week and spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barefield.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cook of Calera was the guest of rM. and Mrs. W. M. Aldridge Sunday.

Mrs. Kelley of Thorsby spent Saturday with her son, Mr. R. R. Gibbons.

Mr. E. N. Adams and family motored to Shelby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Broadhead and Mr. and Mrs. Linnie Broadhead were the guests of Mrs. W. A. Sims Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Vest of Siluria is spending the week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Vest.

Mr. Alton Barefield of Helena spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barefield.

Misses Marie Hughes, Annie Mae Aldridge, Annie Vest, Gladys Jackson and Alva Barefield attended church at Shiloh Sunday.

Miss Annie Vest spent Monday with friends in Keystone.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Oldham and little son, Floyd Eugene, spent Monday in Birmingham.

Little Miss Annie Cost of Calera is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Daisy Crim.

Mr. Tonie Gentry and Miss Lila Sanders motored to Shiloh Sunday.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Hotels On Wheels

Long distance travel nowadays is a very different proposition from what it used to be since the writer began to go from place to place indicated by black dots on a railroad map. Time, trouble and worry to covel long spaces have been reduced to a minimum, provided you have "the price."

Even for short trips modern improvements reduce discomforts. But when one is to cover hundreds of miles over several railroads, traversing many states he can appreciate the arrangements that have been made for his comfort.

Having decided to visit our son and his family in New Jersey, something more than a thousand miles from Thorsby, and involving two nights and part of two days on the fastest train covering the distance between the two points, we applied to Nels Petersen to secure sleeping car berths from Birmingham and transportation from Thorsby. In due time he notified us of reservation of a certain lower berth in a certain Pullman car at the Terminal Station in Birmingham, where we were to call and pay for our sleeper tickets when we arrived there. Later, for proper consideration, Mr. Petersen supplied us with what are known as "coupon tickets," which indicated payment for transportation from point to point covering the whole distance we were to travel by railroad.

Starting at Thorsby Thursday evening the train conductor tore off from our tickets and gave them back to us. Arrived at Birmingham we found a big transfer bus at the L. & N. station to take us and our baggage to the Terminal station, here the driver tore another coupon off our tickets and gave the remainder back to us. When we went to the Pullman ticket office to pay for our sleeping car reservation, we were told our train would leave at 11:50 p.m., but we could get into the car at 9 o'clock.

The Terminal station is much more commodious and attractive than the old L. & N. station, and we were content to wait there until the caller announced that our car was ready. While waiting, four men bearing a table and chairs took a position just in front of us. We thought they were preparing to play some kind of game. But when we started for the Pullman car the gateman sent us back to those men at the table who proved to be Pullman car conductors, arranging their schedules. When they found where we wanted to go, one of them took our whole string of tickets and gave us in exchange two small tickets bearing only our car and berth numbers, which prove to be all we needed for the remainder of our journey on the railroad.

Each Pullman car corresponds to one floor in a good hotel. It is divided into twelve sections, each having seats for four persons by day, which are transformed into a bed for two at night, and if there are another one or two passengers occupying a part of the section, a bed is provided for them by lowering a portion of the car ceiling directly over the lower bed. Curtains are hung at the aisle side of both upper and lower beds to provide comparative seclusion, even in close quarters. The colored man, called a portor, who acts as a general attendant of the passengers, is required by the rules of the company to prepare all the beds in the car for occupancy, no matter if there are but few passengers in sight, and restore them to order for day travel each morning.

In addition to the sections mentioned, there is what is called a "state room" which furnishes more space and privacy. This room is a sort of imitation of the so-called "bridal chamber" in a hotel, and is often reserved for newly-weds on their bridal tour.

In addition there is always a ladies' dressing and toilet room, and in the other end of the car the gentlemen's dressing, smoking and toilet room. Everything is arrnaged to provide a maximum of comfort and convenience in a minimum of space. Among the conveniences offered is the arrangement made by the railroads by which these cars may be handled by one road after another, without compelling passengers to leave them to make any change of cars even if they wish to go across the whole country. In our trip we traveled in nine states and the District of Columbia and reached our destination in the same car we entered in Birmingham.

Trains, like the one we rode in, are made up wholly of Pullman cars, each accommodating about fifty passengers. They carry neither baggage nor express and stop only at long intervals which enables them to adhere pretty closely to their fast time schedules.

Meals at pretty regular intervals are provided by attaching a dining car, to the rear end of the train and hauling it as far as necessary to give all the passengers opportunity to sit down comfortably at a table, be served according to their selection from the menue and eat while traveling 30 to 40 miles an hour.

These dining cars are an important part of "hotels on wheels." They are fully equipped and well stocked restaurants, each having five tables for four people and five tables for two people, this gives a total capacity for serving thirty patrons at once, but when it is remembered that there are from six to ten Pullmans in the train, each accommodating fifty people it will be understood that the service must be of a high order to serve all in time to prepare for the next meal which is usually done at a station where the diner is cut off from the train and made ready to be picked up by a train going in the opposite direction.

There is something very attraceive about these dining car meals. The food, cooking and service are usually first class. The end of each table stands adjacent to a large plate glass window, the view of the fast gliding landscape is kalidascopic and one can actually have a meal twenty-five or thirty miles long. In no other way can so much of a certain kind of enjoyment, or we might say, so many kinds of enjoyment be packed into the space of a meal hour. As an indication of the care taken to offend no patron we noted that the young man who sat opposite to us at a table, asked for cigars when he had finished his dinner and was politely referred to the smoking room in his car.

The expense, above day coach car fare, for the accommodations mentioned are about the same as at any good hotel that is stationary, but the opportunity to combine such privileges with railroad travel is evidently greatly appreciated by the traveling public.

One of the pleasures of travel is an accumulation of mental pictures that are gathered as flashlights by one who is at all observant of what is passing. Many of the changing scenes and circumstances leave lasting impressions, which like pictures, can be enjoyed long afterwards.

Don't Shake The World's Business Confidence In Uncle Sam ~

Francs, Marks, Rupees, even Pounds Sterling, are having their ups and downs, to the great financial detriment of the Old World. Why is Uncle Sam's dollar—for the first time in history—the best coin on the face of the Earth?

Because of confidence in American business men and business methods—confidence in the fundamental soundness of American institutions; from the great railroad systems (the Nation's second largest industry) on down to the smallest factory, mill or workshop.

Coincident with this confidence, and to a certain extent because of it, this country is enjoying an era of unquestioned prosperity—1924 promising another year of the biggest business in our history.

The railroads must share in this prosperity; because railroads are so largely responsible for good times. But the railroads cannot share in, or continue to contribute to, good business unless they are treated fairly in the matter of regulatory laws; and unless they have the friendly co-operation of the public, to which they are entitled.

The American railroads are valued at over twenty billion dollars; they employ two million people; they do a business of over seven billion dollars a year. Therefore, their position in our economic scheme is substantial and their well-being is vital to all of us.

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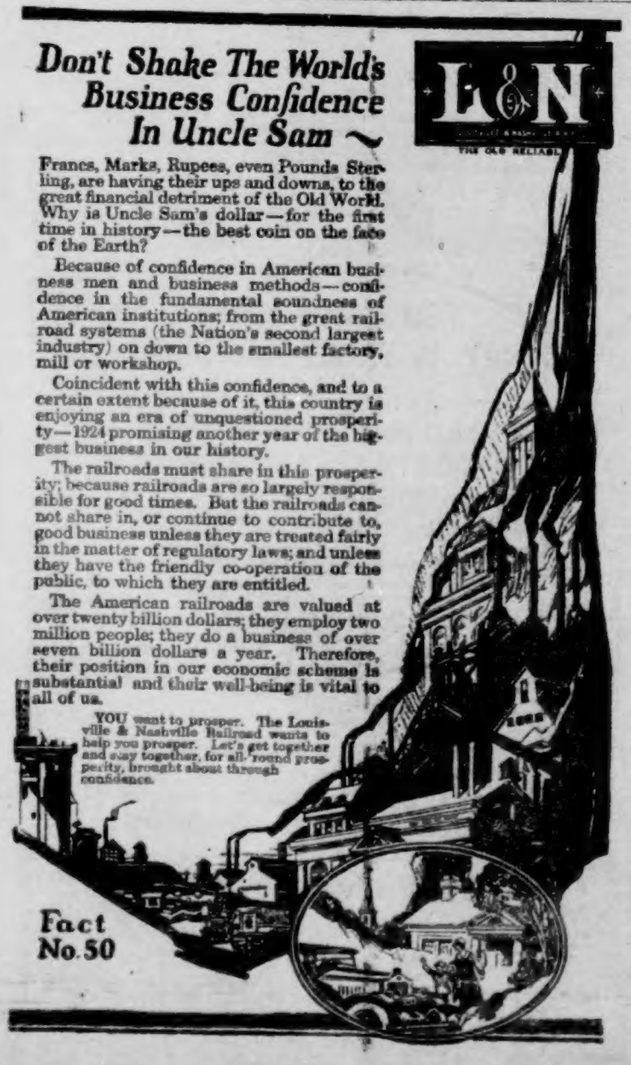

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Trial of United States District Attorney Aubrey Boyles on charges of attempting to influence an officer, scheduled for June 20, has been ordered continued until August 4, following the report of state Solicitor Bart B. Chamberlain that William Holcomb, Jr., deputy sheriff, complainant and chief witness, were absent from the city. The continuance was granted by United States Judge Ervin.

Maxwell Field has been described as a vital link in the government's chain of air stations by Lieut. Col. Charles H. Danforth, newly appointed air service officer of the Fourth Corps area, who recently was in Montgomery for a trip of inspection of the field. Maxwell Field is the only government owned flying field in the area, Colonel Danforth said.

The Alabama Public Service Commission granted authority to the Western Railway of Alabama to establish rules and regulations governing the handling of packing house and dairy products in peddler cars from Montgomery to points on its line in Alabama. There is now no such provision, it is stated.

Boy Scouts in summer camp at Camp Horne, have started what is believed to be the first organized effort at reforestation in the state. H. L. Vail, a forestery formerly with the Pennsylvania department of forestry and now with the United States engineering department, and located at Tuscaloosa, has charge of the work.

Validity of the state law of 1923 creating the state insurance fund and providing a method whereby the state could carry its own insurance instead of placing it with insurance companies has been sustained by Judge Walter Jones in the circuit court, when he sustained demurrers interposed by the state.

A movement to secure war trophies for Anniston has been started by the Anniston Post of the American Legion. Under the war trophy act passed by Congress each county is entitled to a certain amount of trophies and the Anniston Post will take up the matter for Calhoun county's share, it is stated.

Alabama lacked in 1923, 7,000,000 dozen, of producing as many eggs as should have been consumed in the state during that period, according to F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician, in an article appearing in the current issue of the Alabama Market Journal, published by the state department of agriculture and industries.

Articles of impeachment against Sheriff Guy V. O'Rear, of Walker county, have been filed in supreme court by Harwell G. Davis, attorney general. The Walker county sheriff is charged with wilful neglect of duty, corruption in office, and incompetency.

A petition has been filed with the Alabama public service commission by the Demopolis Electric Light and Power company, seeking authority to transfer its electric system at Demopolis to the Alabama Power company. The petition has been set for hearing August 4.

Ivey McElroy, 25, and C. W. Alewine, 20, were captured with 20 gallons of whiskey in their automobile near Gadsden, but not until officers had put five bullets into their car. The boys lived in Cleburne county and said they were on their way to Gadsden.

Lawlin Carter, 12-year-old, was struck and killed by lightning at their home at Arab in Etawah county. He was sitting in a chair on the front porch when lightning struck a post and knocked him to the ground. His neck was broken and his face and head was badly burned.

Tom May, for many years one of the convict "trusties" employed at the state capitol, and who made himself valuable as a carpenter, pipe fitter and general repair man about the state house, has been granted a parole by Governor W. W. Brandon.

C. C. and F. J. Waldren, brothers, were fined $100 and cost and given sentences of six months at hard labor at Anniston in the county court when tried before Judge Thomas Coleman on the charge of violating the prohibition law.

Products of the Decatur Cornice and Roofing company here are being sent to Australia. The company is preparing a shipment of "Alabama ventilators" for transportation to buyers in Australia.

Mayer W. Aldridge, of Montgomery, who for several years has been consulting accountant for the Alabama Public Service Commission, has tendered his resignation, to become effective July 1.

Paving on three streets of Troy has been completed, Fairview, Orion and Orange. The work has been delayed by heavy rains.

The supereme court has sustained the special election of December 10, 1923, in Florence to provide for an additional one-half of 1 per cent tax levy for schools in the city of Florence and reversed the opinion of the Lauderdale probate court which held the election void.

County Farm Demonstrator C. E. Stapp has received nine pigs from Auburn, making 28 that have been distributed among the members of the boys' pig clubs. The banks of Gadsden are backing the boys in buying one-brek stock.

RED CROSS RELIEF WORK

Atlanta, Ga., June 10.—$1,000 was today appropriated by the National American Red Cross for relief work in Carter county, Tennessee, where a cloudburst June 1, killed ten, injured a score more, and left 50 people homeless. Carden's Bluff and Hunter were the communities suffering heaviest.

The Red Cross was requested to take charge and administer all relief at a mass meeting of citizens Monday.

Steps have already been instituted by a local committee to raise an additional $5,000 for the permanent rehabilitation work. Basing relief strictly on need, the Red Cross will attempt to place every family back on a self supporting basis.

The Carter county cloudburst is the third disaster the South has suffered in less than two months. Twenty-two Red Cross workers are now in South Carolina administering a relief fund of approximately $80,000 as a result of the tornado of April 30 which killed several score people in that State and left over 3,000 homeless. Another corps of workers is in Mississippi and Alabama where another tornado May 27 killed over 30 people and left hundreds homeless in the two states.

ADAMS NEWS

Mr. John Ramsey and wife of Fremont were up near this place Friday.

Those who enjoyed the little fishing picnic up near Malpesville Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lawley, Tuscaloosa; Mr. and Mrs. William Lawley, Mrs. John Lawley and family, and Mr. W. H. Foshee and family. Caught lots of fish and all had a nice time.

Mr. Clarence Minor of Birmingham spent the week-end with relatives near this place.

Messrs. Moody Chambers and Leonard Tippins and Misses Lennie and Willie Foshee motored to Selma last Sunday.

Mr. Caldwell White of Birmingham spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Misses Rena and Gladys Blount of Tampa, Fla., are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broadhead.

The cream supper at Mr. Arsie Lenoir's Saturday night was good. All seemed to have a good time.

THE INSTRUCTION OF SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS

The Annual School of Methods for the instruction of Sunday School workers, teachers and preachers, held at the Alabama Woman's College in Montgomery under the auspices of the South Georgia Methodist Conference, closed on June 19th, and certificates were presented to seventy-five students.

Dr. Walter D. Agnew, President of the Woman's College in Montgomery, Ala., was Dean of the school. During the past year there were eighteen schools held all over the South with more than three thousand attending.

RED Bunch Seed Peanuts, at Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

Well, it seems as if Maplesville is dead, as I haven't seen anything in our paper about the people, but we are not—Maplesville is doing nicely we are glad to state.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely, only we would like to have more with us every Sunday.

Although it seems as if the B. Y. P. U. is going dead, we must do better than that—let's get together and reorganize and make it an A-1.

We are very sorry to learn of our pastor resigning. We hate to give him up as he has done some good work for Maplesville. We are hoping him success in his Seminary work.

Our Baptist revival begins the 3rd Sunday in July. We are all praying that this will be the most glorious revival ever held in Maplesville. We learn that Bro. Bennett of Montgomery is going to conduct the meeting.

Mr. Grady Williams and family of Birmingham have recently moved to Maplesville. We are glad to have them in town.

Mr. W. W. Brooks of Montgomery spent the week-end with Mr. Bill Abney.

Mrs. Ed Goodgame of Clanton was visiting in town Saturday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady McAfee are the proud parents of a 4-lb. boy which arrived June the 8th, whom they named Alton Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCarty and son, Coleman, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coleman have returned home from an extended visit to Birmingham.

Mrs. P. C. Pulliam and children have returned home from an extended visit to Hickory, Mississippi.

Misses Rena and Gladys Blount of Tampa, Fla., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Charlie Seales.

Mrs. Stanley Hayes, Misses Ethel Mize and Willie Jones have gone to Montevallo to attend the summer session.

A large crowd from here attended the singing at Sardis last Sunday. All reported a grand time.

BETHSALEM SINGING

There will be an all-day singing at this place on the 4th day of July. Everybody is invited to come, and all lovers of music are invited to come and bring your 1924 song books and a well filled basket. Cream and cold drinks will be sold here that day.

NEW HARMONY NEWS

Well I am glad to say we are not having so much rain at present. But I can say the farmers shirt is about as wet these few days of pretty weather as if were raining, isn't it so farmers? The grass is about to get us down in this part of Chilton County, the wet weather sure was good for the grass, of course the grass just as well to get the cotton as the boll weevil because one or the other of those plagues are almost sure to get it. While hoeing last week I found eighteen weevils not looking for them.

Our friend Mr. D. L. Henley, of Lakeland, Fla. tells us they are having quite a bit of rain down there. It is raining every day. I am hoping to see a few more pretty days to fight grass.

Mr. Cooper, come again; you write a very interesting letter. In my opinion you are right about the poor farmer.

Next first Sunday is our regular preaching day at Pleasant Grove. Everybody is invited. Rev. F. A. Ellison will conduct the services.

Mr. J. T. Mims of Sylacauga was with us a few days last week.

STOUT PERSONS incline to full feeling after eating, gassy pains, constipation
Relieved and digestion improved by
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WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says: "With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-70, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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Sweet Dreams Spray—the double-strength liquid masterpiece.

So easy to use. Simply pump the cloud-like vapors of Sweet Dreams Spray into crevices and niches where insects hide. That's all—the insects are dead.

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It proves its merits while you look.

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1 lot of fine newest style Canton Crepe and Satin back Crepe Dresses, beautifully trimmed in black and white and others, they are easily worth $19.50 to $22.50; special for 2 days.....**$11.64**

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1 lot of Ladies' $15.00 to $16.50 Silk Dresses, i nCanton Crepe, Satin back Crepe and Taffetas; for 2 days only.....**$9.64**

For Friday and Saturday we are going to sell our entire stock of Ladies' Dresse sat and below cost. Don't fail to take advantage of this.

1 lot of Ladies' Gingham Dresses, long sleeves, worth $1.95; for 2 days only.....**$1.49**

1 lot of Ladies' $2.25 to $2.75 Gingham Dresses, for 2 days only.....**$1.69**

1 lot of Ladies' Fine Dotted Swiss Dresses, sells at $4.95, nice assortment, only.....**$2.29**

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

(Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Mgr.)

Messrs. Ben Brown and Plato Deason left last week for their respective homes, after spending the year attending Thorsby Institute.

Mr. Earl Meade of Birmingham spent two days last week with his parents. Mr. Meade has a fine position with the L. & N. railroad. He has just been taking his vacation attending the Shriners Convention in Denver, and other points, returning by way of Chicago.

Mrs. Louis Guth, after spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tomsen, returned to her home in Memphis last Friday.

Misses Jennie and Edith Robinson spent a couple of days last week shopping in Birmingham.

Mrs. Carl Peterson and two children, Rachel and Jack, spent Sunday with her son, Mr. Harry Peterson of Mountain Creek. Miss Rachel remained for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henning and Mr. and Mrs. Reno Villadsen motored to Birmingham Sunday.

Miss Lorena Graham was a visitor in Birmingham last week.

Word from Miss Beatrice Johnson tells of her delighted trip in New York, taking in Niagara Falls and other places of interest. She expects to return home by way of Cleveland and Chicago.

Rev. E. W. Butler and daughter, Margaret and Dorothy, left early on Monday morning to motor through to Lakeside, Ohio. Mrs. Butler left by train Monday night. Mrs. Martha Snyder accompanied her, intending to spend the summer visiting relatives and friends in Indiana.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet Thursday, July 3, with Mrs. Robert Johnson.

Little Miss Helen Anderson of Birmingham is spending the week with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson.

Mrs. Clem Esther Hall and son, Paxson, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Hall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Paxson.

Miss Gladys Houghton, a student from Burlington, Vt., spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. Each and will supply the Congregational churches at Mountain Creek and Stony Point for several weeks.

Mr. Arthur Villadsen was a visitor in Birmingham Sunday.

Word from C. R. Foss and A. E. Reagan states that they expect to arrive home from their auto trip and vacation Saturday.

A message from Judge S. M. Adams who has recently undergone an operation in Birmingham, states that he is doing very nicely.

Rev. Each announces that there will be stereopticon views shown at the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

Misses Margaret Butler and Mabel Howard gave a cob-web party at the home of Miss Margaret last week, Tuesday evening. Games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served late in the evening.

Mr. J. D. Wright and family of Birmingham were visitors last week at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. L. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howard are visiting Mr. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Howard.

Mrs. Robert Martin visited her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Moore of Billingsley last Saturday.

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Chilton County Baptists meets at Mulberry church next Sunday.

The annual election of officers for the Eastern Star of Thorsby resulted as follows: Mrs. Mary Martin, Worthy Matron, C. A. Peterson, Worthy Patron; Martha B. Goddard, Assoc. Matron; Matilda Peterson, Treasurer; Lummie Wilson, Secretary; Cora Gentry Conductress; Eliza Robinson, Associate Conductress; Lillian Pate, Ada; Lily Bean, Ruth; Jessie Maddox, Martha; Marie Anderson, Electa; M. E. Maddox, Chaplain; Tina Piper, Marshall; Maude Bentley, Organist; Cora Smith, Warden, D. H. Gentry, Sentinel.

JUDGE REYNOLDS TO SPEAK IN BALDWIN S. S. MEETING

Judge L. H. Reynolds has been invited down to Robertsdale in Baldwin County, to make an address before the Baldwin County Sunday School Convention, which is to be held the first Sunday in July. The Judge has accepted the invitation and will leave for Robertsdale about Friday or Saturday before the first Sunday.

Messrs. Bill and Dewey Giles of Birmingham motored to Clanton on Tuesday afternoon in a Ford.

Miss Lennie Jones of Clanton went to Little Rock, Arkansas and was happily married last week.

SENATOR TOM HEFLIN DENIED SEAT IN DEM. CONVENTION

Alabama Senator Goes Home Because Seats were not Provided for Him.

Convention Hall, New York, June 24.—Widespread indignation is expressed regarding the situation resulting from a dearth of tickets. For the first time in history the delegates have no extra admissions into the convention hall. The charge is made that the committee furnished W. G. McAdoo with a large block of seats to be filled by McAdoo's friends to counteract the fact that the convention being in New York, is stacked with friends of Governor Smith. This charge is denied at McAdoo headquarters.

Certainly one of the causes of the lack of tickets is the fact that the committee, because of its poverty, sold tickets of admission at the rate of $100 each.

There is considerable indignation expressed by Alabamians at the lack of courtesy displayed by the committee to Senator J. Thomas Heflin of Alabama. Senator Heflin is an outstanding democrat, who has always responded to the call of the party during campaigns. Yet, when he got to New York he was not provided with tickets of admission, or a seat on the platform. Such courtesies have almost invariably been shown senators of the United States. Senator Heflin has returned to Washington.

Alabama's delegates are greatly embarassed because of their inability to accommodate many prominent Alabama people who have come to New York to see the big show. Murray Brown, whose wife is a delegate, thought until the last minute that he would have to remain on the outside, but finally landed a job. He is an usher. And T. V. Patterson of Birmingham is a sergeant-at-arms.

ATTEMPTED TO BURN CONFISCATED AUTO

An attempt was made Tuesday night about 3:00 o'clock to burn the old Ford automobile, which the officers caught the negroes with whiskey in last Friday night. The old car was standing in the yard between the Sheriff's house and the jail. It was outed before it completely burned up.

An urgent request for a road to connect Cullman and Guntersville was presented to the state highway commission by Probate Judge Griffin of Cullman county and Mayor Robertson of Cullman. They stated that the population in Cullman county today is for the Cullman-Guntersville connection, in preference to the north and south road, which will be part of the Bee Line highway.

A store is not a place which a member of the public may enter of his own right. He does so only at the expressed or implied invitation of the proprietor, who may order him out and forcibly eject him, if necessary, the supreme court of Alabama held in rendering a decision in the case of the Brookside Pratt Mining Company versus John T. Booth.

Judge Vaughan's offices in the Dallas County court house were entered and $21 in cash stolen. Entrance was made through a window. Checks and valuable papers were scattered about and the only clue is footprints which shows the time to have been after the hard rain

FAMOUS NORTHWEST "MOUNTIES" STIR LONDON

LONDON is host to a distinguished group of visitors these days. It's a detachment of ten members and officers of the famout Royal Northwest Mounted Police of Canada whom you see pictured above. And they're getting no end of attention and admiration from the crowds attending the British Empire Exhibition in which these famous "Mounties" are acting as guards or Canadian Government and Canadian Pacific buildings.

Of the ten fine physical specimens of manhood pictured here—six are Canadian by birth, one is an Austrian, two are Englishmen, and one is Belgian. The detail is in charge of Inspector C. H. Hill of Litherbridge, Alberta, who is seated second from the left in the front row. This brave officer, who stands 6 feet, 3 inches, in stocking feet, was twice wounded during the great war in France. The others in the group are Serg. K. J. Sampson, Corp. H. A. McBeth, and Constables F. Bass, H. C. Foster, J. H. Hellofs, D. L. McGibbon, R. E. Nelson, J. E. Pelletrie and R. L. Trolove. After looking over this fine body of men we can readily see why people speak of the "Mounties" as guardians of the law who "never come back without a man."

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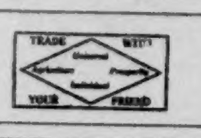

REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

An ogry of demagogism has been running rife in the world, and we, here in the United States, are feeling its devastating effects. All good Republicans and all good Democrats, who put their country above their party, demand the beginning of an era of common sense in public discussion.—Gen. Chas. G. Dawes, Republican nominee for Vice-President.

When a fellow goes from Clanton to Birmingham now by automobile, he can certainly see the need of good roads, and in lots of places the need of just a road. When you are not detouring through narrow, bumpy trails and through the woods you are having to drive over piles of sharp rocks and gravel which literally shake up every fiber in your anatomy. But if the work which is under way is ever completed, it will be great pleasure to glide over the long stretches of cement and asphalt. Until this road is completed, if this editor decides to go to Birmingham again by automobile, he is going on the train.

It may be O. K. for church members to have swimming parties in which both sexes indulge in the plunge, for the purpose of raising church funds, but it is hard for a country newspaper editor, who was raised up in the back woods by old-time Missionary Baptist parents, to conceive of the church and modern mixed bathing being carried on under the same canopy. We doubt that money gotten this way will redound very much to the up-building of the church and to the cause of Christ. This looks to us like a string by which the good Christians are allowing the devil to pull them into forbidden paths under the disguise of doing good.

UP TO PHILLY

There has been a reorganization of the Philadelphia esqui-centennial committee, and it is hoped that plans for the celebration in 1926 of the one-hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence will go forward more smoothly and rapidly. The city has an opportunity to arouse patriotic reverence for the Declaration and its signers that should not be permitted to pass. The event to be commemorated was of deep significance to the whole country, and the whole country looks to Philadelphia to provide the occasion for a tremendous demonstration. The celebration should be natich-wide, and the city can count on every state and territory to respond with an enthusiasm that will carry the affair to a triumphant conclusion.

TEST MOBILIZATION

Next September the Government plans to hold a test mobilization of its military and commercial resources to determine the condition of the national defense. Our industrial organizations have already been informed by the War Department what they will be required to furnish if ever again the country is called into war. They have been studying the plan and know how their plans must be re-arranged for war production. The September mobilization will reveal whether the military man-power of the country is prepared for action, and whether the commercial and industrial resources are ready at the places assigned them in the general scheme of national defense. Experience of the world war shows that preparedness of this sort will save the country billions of dollars and thousands of lives if war ever comes to us again.

As Long As We Keep Our 'Little Car on the Sidewalk We're Safe!

A CANDIDATE OF DEMONSTRATED ABILITY

Our Democartic friends are scarcely to be blamed for throwing a few fits of hysteria over the nomination of Dawes for the Vice Presidency, for the selection is one that is peculiarly embarrassing to them. They are compelled to admit that Dawes has a great record of accomplishment, particularly in connection with the reparations conference, but they assert that the Republicans are entitled to no credit for the reoson that Dawes was not an official representative of the Government.

But therein lies the real basis for the claim for credit for his work. In his speech at New Haven a year and a half ago Secretary Hughes pointed out very clearly that the reparations problem is not a political but an economic problem. He said that it could not be solved by politicians but must be solved by business men. It was the Hughes suggestion that the nations interested in the reparations problem invite able business men to study the situation and try to work out a practical solution. He expressed the conviction that Americans, if invited, would be glad to serve.

For about a year European nations failed to act on that suggestion but every other effort put forth by them proved unsuccessful. Finally, finding that nothing else got them anywhere, they turned to the Hughes proposal and adopted it. Dawes was invited as one of the Americans and was selected to head the committee of which he was a member. That committee, under his leadership, worked out a plan which seemes in a fair way to bring desired results. If that plan will not solve the reparations problem, it does not seem likely that anything else will. For any good that may be accomplish Mr. Dawes is entitled to his due share or credit, but, back of him, Hughes is entitled to credit for making the original suggestion.

The fact that Dawes was not an official representative of the United States Government is all the more reason why Hughes and the Republical Administration are entitled to credit. There is no doubt whatever that if the United States had consented to appoint official representatives nothing could have been accomplished by Dawes or anyone else. The reparations conference would have turned immediately to politics international politics and effort to settle the disputes on a business basis would have been abanded. The outcome would have left animosities as deep as ever and a widening rather than a closing of the breach.

Stating the matter briefly, Secretary Hughes is entitled to first credit for devising the plan; President Harding saw its soundness and endorsed it; Mr. Dawes consented to serve and did serve with a degree of aoility that has met world-wide commendation. The Republican convention recognized the fact that Dawes had demonstrated rare ability in his handeing of the budget the greatest of our domestic problems and had done splendid work in the reparations problem a matter in which we are not directly concerned but we have been willing to serve in a practical way. He was nominated for Vice President because of his demonstrated ability. The Republican Administration is entitled to full credit for all that has been accomplished through him. The Administration would have been subject to censure if it had created chaos in the reparations dispute by throwing the whole question into international politics, as our Democratic friends would have done.

The people of the United States will not have any difficulty in determining where to give the credit.

LET'S SEE NOW—WHO WAS IT THAT SAID "NIGGER"?

For the past half a century the Democrats in this country have been practically at sea when it came to a real issue against the Republican party. As a result of this inability on their part to find anything to fight their opponents with, a mock issue with little or no ground has been used against the Republicans with the hopes of diverting the people's mind from the issues that actually concern them, and cause them to become prejudiced over the race question and lose sight of big questions of commercial and civic importance. Such shallow and meaningless epithets as "the bellweather flock," "the black and tans,' and "niggerism," have been flung at the Republican party, especially in the South, until they have become so hackneyed that even lots of the Democrats are ashamed of their futility.

We wonder what tent the good Democrats of Chilton County are going to assume when they read that "A negro has been put out for Congress in Illinois by the Democrats." With this announcement before their eyes, can the Democrats continue to have the gall to charge that the Republican party is "negro"? We suppose that they will, because such a Democratic act is nothing unusual. The highest honor which has ever been placed on a negro was placed by Woodrow Wilson when he appointed Emmett J. Scott as Assistant Secretary of War of the United States to give orders to the white officers and enlisted men during the World War. The negroes themselves, in big conventions, have passed resolutions commending the Democratic party for being the negro's friend. A negro gathering right here in Clanton, less than a year ago, gave three loud cheers for Woodrow Wilson, saying that he had done more for the negro race than any other man.

E. B. Dickerson was substituted as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the first District of Illinois in the place of James Doyle, who was nominated in the Democratic primary in that State. Just the idea of taking a white man off their ticket and substituting a negro in his place—and the dear old "lilly-white" Democratic party did it. The Democrats might as well take down their sign. They, by their own actions, have squandered the only "issue" they have had for the past fifty years. The Democrats in the solid South will hate mighty bad to give up "negro talk" because it has been their "rag doll" for all these many years. But they have used their "rag doll" so incessantly and for such varied purposes that it has long since become thread-bare and has lost so much of its saw-dust that it won't even stand with props on every side. They will just have to bury it, that's all, and hatch up another "issue" from somewhere.

FARM FACTS

With two mules and a cultivator one man can do as much work as two men can do with two mules and single plows.

Good screens will keep most of the house flies out and in this way prevent diseases.

Running water should be part of the equipment of every home. It means much to the farm-wife and family.

With four or five cows farmers are supplying the family with milk and butter, and selling cream to the extent of $20 to $30 a month. There is room for lots more dairying of this kind.

It may not be too late to apply nitrate of soda to corn. The best time is when it is two or three feet high. About 100 pounds per acre is the rate.

"Poisonous Plants of Alabama" is the title of a new bulletin just published by the Extension Service, Auburn, Alabama. It is a very attractive bulletin with many illustrations. Copies may be had from the county agents or by writing to Auburn.

Improved methods, labor-saving machinery, and livestock must take the place of those who are leaving farms.

The farm home should be just as attractive and convenient as the city home. Electric lights and running water will do much to make it so.

Of the club boys neglecting their work: If they follow instructions of the county agents they should make money; if they do not they are almost certain to lose money.

"Poisoning the Boll Weevil' is a valuable little circular now being distributed through the county agents by the Extension Service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

"Four cows are supplying my family with milk and butter, and our monthly sales of surplus cream bring us about $25. We recommend a few cows on each farm."—T. J. Whatley, Opelika, Alabama.

"If a good seedbed is prepared, cultivation that will control weeds is sufficient. Cultivation may be discontinued when weed control is over."—Frank E. Boyd, Alabama Extension Service, Auburn.

Poor land means poor farmers and rich land means rich farmers. Every farmer in this county who has rich land is making money.

The sooner we learn that one man is capable of plowing more than one mule and thereby doing more work when he crosses a field the better off we will be.

It is a rather interesting fact that the average Iowa farmer has four times as much horsepower and makes four times as much money as the average Alabama farmer.

There is room for many more tractors on Alabama farms. We must have more power because more power means greater wealth.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by Government Experts

One of the most interesting features of boll weevil control to the cotton farmer is the "cost and profit" of applying measures. Referring to the use of calcium arsenate one expert has declared that, "It does not cost to dust—it does cost not to dust." A comparison of three methods of poisoning in an average of all tests conducted in the South in 1923 has been made and these figures show conclusively that it pays to use calcium arsenate in dust form. The comparison follows:

Florida Method: Untreated check-plats averaged a yield per acre of 388.7 pounds of seed cotton; treated plats average 514.3 pounds, a gain of 125.6 pounds at a cost of $5.82 an acre with a profit of $7.94.

Sweetened Poisons: Untreated check-plats averaged a yield of 668 pounds per acre, while treated plats averaged 769 pounds, a gain of 101 pounds at a cost of $10.17 an acre and a profit of $0.94.

Calcium Arsenate in Dust Form: Untreated checks averaged a yield of 564.6 pounds per acre, and untreated plats averaged 869.3 pounds, a gain of 302.7 pounds at a cost of $7.74 and a profit of $26.56.

Thus, it is shown that application of calcium arsenate in dust form increases the yield, lowers the cost and increases the profit. Poisoning by this method should be even more profitable this year under average weather conditions, as the price of calcium arsenate is somewhat lower and probably will not go higher provided farmers buy their supply early in the season.

Dusting with calcium arsenate should be applied with machines built especially for dusting cotton and the applications made only when the air is calm and the plants are moist. This usually means making only night applications. From five to seven pounds of calcium arsenate should be used to the acre.

There should be an interval of four or five days between applications unless a heavy rain follows one application. The cotton should be thoroughly dusted until the weevils are under control. This usually means about three applications. Applications should be renewed when the infestation again reaches 10 to 15 per cent.

Further information on boll weevil control measures may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney building, New Orleans, Louisiana.

CLEANINGS

Marion Star—The violently partisan papers should get together. We note that one of them refers to the Cleveland convention as "machine bossed throughout" and that another seeks to cast scorn upon it by saying it was "leaderless throughout."

Detroit Free Press—About the best work that can be done toward insuring world peace just now is to put the United States in a position that will make it unprofitable for any other country to try to put over anything.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—If William Pecksniff McAdoo should grab off the nomination at New York, can you imagine anything more ludicrous than Mr. Doheny's attorney maligning officials who were corrupted by Mr. Doheny's cash?

Minneapolis Tribune—"It will be a pleasure to be associated with you in public service," said the President to the candidate for Vice-President. And watch what pleasure the people will have in voting for the pair.

Atlanta Constitution (Dem.)—The quiet, unassuming, silent and yet forceful leadership of Calvin Coolidge, as President, is a source of more comment than any feature connected with national politics this year.

Omaha Bee—The expected happened when Senator Walsh reported on the oil lease inquiry. Every Republican from Harding down was denounced, but no word was said of McAdoo, Daniels, or any other Democrats.

Boston Transcript—Speeches by Governor Coolidge were published under the caption: "Have Faith in Massachusetts." Speeches by President Coolidge might appropriately be entitled "Have Faith in America."

Troy Times— Coolidge and Dawes! A good ticket to nominate, a good ticket to elect; and good men for the people's confidence as public servants in the highest offices.

St. Louis Times—Even the radicals in Europe are ultra-conservatives when it comes to considering payment of their nation's debts to the United States.

Boston Transcript — The Japanese are talking of deporting all Americans, but you can't scare an American much by proposing to send him to the United States.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—Europe is making the first serious effort to get down to peaceful business and industry since 1913. The cause? Dawes.

Kansas City Journal—If a candidate for the Presidency was ever named by the people, it is Calvin Coolidge.

Washington Post — Coolidge and Dawes, Coolidge and Dawes, Stand for the old Constitution and laws.

Marion Star—Off hand, we assume that the emblem of the third party will be a wrecking bar.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of June 22, 1899.

Mr. Joe Wylie of Riderville was happily married to Miss Oda Carroll on the 14th inst.

Mr. Jeff Jones of Ganadarque has moved his family to Lomax.

Mr. Red McAfee and Miss Martha Moore of Lawley joined hands for life last Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Farley has returned home after visiting friends at Pletcher.

Dr. Campbell and wife were over to the singing at Lily Sunday.

Misses Turner Mullins and Ola Jones of Jumbo were in Clanton Wednesday.

A revival at the Baptist church is being conducted by Rev. Paul Price of Ohio.

Mr. A. W. Powell of Kincheon brought us the first cotton bloom we have seen this season.

The postoffice has been moved into the V. H. Vines store.

Married this week—Mr. W. A. McArrell and Miss Minnie Rhodes.

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FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

Rev. W. W. Robinson of Providence filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night. Two excellent seremons were preached at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. A very good crowd was present at these services.

The singing society met Sunday afternoon and engaged in two hours of good singing. Altho the organ was in bad shape a right good singing was enjoyed. The directors were T. G. Wyatt, Prof. Dewey Huett and Prof. C. C. Parrish.

At the singin services the announcement was made that Prof. Huett was going to open a singing school at Friendship on July 7. The school will run for eighteen days. The people of the community are urged to patronize the school and furnish Prof. Huett a good class.

It was definitely announced after preaching Sunday night that the annual revival of the church would begin on Sunday, July 20, the third Sunday, at 11 o'clock. Rev. Marion W. Mims of Verbena has been secured to help Bro. Robinson in the preaching.

Breeding Time—Now!

This is breeding time for roaches! Now is the time they spread their deadly germs! Don't take a chance on having your food contaminated. NOW is the time to stop them—next week it will be much harder. Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder TODAY. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

THANKS FRIENDS

Editor Union-Banner:

Allow me space in your paper as I wish to say that I am leaving the Central Alabama Hospital, and wish to thank the people of Clanton for the kindness shown me during my two years training at this place. I hope to enter a larger hospital and try to build myself up some day.

MISS LOUISE ALDRIDGE.

DIESEL ENGINES FOR MARINE

The Shipping Board is beating no retreat in its fight to keep its ships on the seas. On the contrary, it is constantly devising means to make the operation of American vessels more efficient and assure their success in competition with foreign rivals. The board is preparing to spend about $25,000,000 in putting Diesel engines in about 60 of its large steam cargo ships aggregating 600,000 tons. A survey has been taken of those now out of service and 375 have been selected for eventual conversion into motor vessels. It is declared the Diesel engine consumes fuel equal to only one-third of that consumed by a steam ship at sea and only about one-tenth at port. It may be operated with a reduced engine room force, thereby saving wages and subsistenance costs. In addition to converting its own ships the Shipping Board is giving encouragement to private owners to make similiar conversions. Through amendent of the Merchant Marine Act, the Board is authorized to make loans to private companies equal to one-half the cost of substituting motors for steam equipment.

America's "Speedist Bet" For the Olympics

Joy has displaced gloom over America's sportdom now that it looks very probable that Charlie Paddock, the cinder path "speed king," will represent the United States in the Olympics. An injured tendon in one of his limbs gave the great record-breaking sprinter some trouble for a while, but, according to latest reports, he has fully recovered from his injury and will be ready in time to step out with the world's fastest track men over in France.

This unusually good photograph of Paddock was made on his private cinder path at Los Angeles where he has been going through daily workouts in preparation for the big international meet. It shows him making a fast get-away from the starting mark—a feat that experts claim he has down to perfection and in which he is showing greater speed than ever before. Well, here's hoping he shows 'em all his heels across the pond.

BECAUSE IT IS LAW

President Coolidge worked hard to defeat the bonus bill, but, now that it is a law, he is working equally hard to save the veterans any loss or inconvenience because of the bungling work of the Senate Democrats in defeating the appropriation bill that would have provided bonus funds. In the words of Mr. Burton in his Cleveland keynote speech, President Coolidge believes that "Laws are not to be observed merely by those who favored their enactment, but by everyone in this broad land." It is a statement of principle that many thousands need to take to heart.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Mr. I. T. Garner, Optometrist of Calera, Ala., will be off for about ten days attending the Southeastern Congress of Optometrists at Greenville, S. C., which convenes there the 23rd to 27th, inst.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Marcus were called to Memphis last week to the bedside of their son, Claud E. Marcus, who underwent an operation for appendicitis there Wednesday of last week. A letter from the doctor this week states that Claude is doing as well as could be expected.

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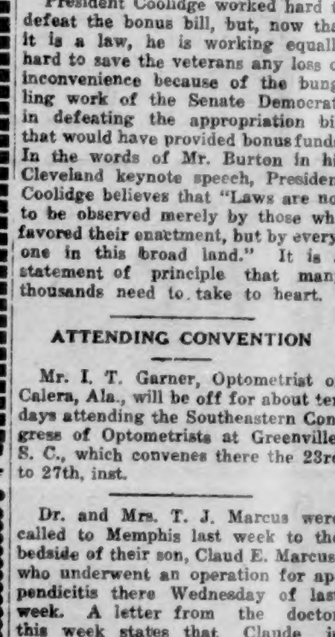

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FARM FOR SALE—281 acres, 9-horse farm, 5 1-2 miles north of Billingsley on Clanton and Billingsley road, about 200 acres clear of stumps, four tenant houses, and big 5-room dwelling, fruit and pecan trees of all descriptions, 100 thousand feet of long-leaf pine timber, located 1 1-2 quarter from church and school. If interested, call or see W. D. Burnett, Billingsley, Ala. 26-4t-pd

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

WANTED—A farm near Clanton, Lomax, Strassburg or Jemison, Ala. Give complete information in first letter. Address, Dr. Jas. A. Edwards, 215½ North 20th Street, Birmingham, Ala. 6-5-3t-pd.

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SINGING SCHOOL TO BEGIN AT COLLINS CHAPEL JULY 7

Singing school will start at Collins Chapel school house on July 7th, closing July 29th. The school will be taught by Prof. J. D. Patton.

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LIBERTY HILL SINGING FIFTH SUNDAY IN JUNE

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John A. Rollins, Secy.

J. M. Wyatt and daughters, Mrs. Alice Baker and Miss Edna Wyatt went to Fort Payne last Thursday to visit W. M. Wyatt and family. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Nelius Miner of near Refuge sent in a cotton bloom to the Banner office Tuesday of this week.

"Development of the poultry industry in Alabama is waiting for a better market for eggs. Such a market can be provided only by co-operation on the part of producers.—John E. Ivey, Extension Service, Auburn.

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Twelve Head of Cattle Burned to Death!

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Auction Sales conducted Anywhere, Anytime, Any Place in the State. I will buy anything you have to sell, and sell you anything you want to buy.

W. W. FOX, Clanton, Ala.

ORIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Mullins-Speer Wedding.

Of unusual interest to a large circle of friends was the marriage of Miss Mary Mullins to Dr. Carey Speer, which took place Wednesday morning at the home of the aunt of the bride, Mrs. W. I. Mullins. Only close relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The home was lovely with summer garden flowers with pink gladiolas predominating. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Hance Allred and preceding the ceremony Miss Roberta Curry sang sweetly "All for You." The bride was handsome in a loud going-away suit with lavander hat and accessories. The impressive ring ceremony was performed by Dr. S. J. Ezell in his usual charming manner. The groom is a well-known young man of sterling worth and connected with a drug business in Marianna, Fla. After a brief visit to Birmingham they will go to Florida where they will make their home.

Bridge Club Entertained.

A delightful game of Bridge was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Oscar Jones on last Wednesday morning, entertaining her Bridge club. Tables were arranged on the porch, which was especially attractive with pot plants and vases of sweet peas and nasturtiums. Upon the arrival of the guests punch was served from a prettily appointed table by Mrs. J. C. Jones. After several rubbers of the game the top score was held by Mrs. N. S. Johnson, who was presented cards. After the game a lovely luncheon in two courses was served in the dining room. The table held as its central decoration a tall vase of exquisite pink gladiolas. The guests of the club for the game were Mrs. Hosea Downs, Mrs. Knowlton Mahan and Mrs. J. C. Jones.

Mrs. White, Hostess.

A lovely afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. M. L. White on last Wednesday when she was hostess to the Sewing Club. The guests were entertained on the spaceous veranda, made attractive with wall vases and bowls of summer flowers. Some enjoyed fancy work and "42" was also the diversion of the afternoon. Later a refreshing ice course was served. Besides the club members Mesdames McDavid, Kate Hayes, O. O. Roper and Renfroe Mullins were present.

Visitors Honored.

As a special courtesy to her house guest, Miss Gladys Jones of Birmingham, Miss Inez Harris was a lovely hostess at a swimming party on last Wednesday afternoon at Gore's Pond. The congenial group, chaperoned by Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. J. C. Harris, left town and motored to the pond. After a delightful swim, the guests enjoyed a most tempting picnic lunch before returning home. The party included about 20 of the younger set.

Miss Rita Arant is spending this week in Deatsville as the guest of Miss Gladys Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Polk and children spent Sunday in Columbiana and were accompanied home by Miss Sunset Polk.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bone from Midland City were among the out of town visitors to the Mullins-Speer wedding Wednesday.

Mrs. Horace Fulton from Bessemer is the guest of Miss Martha Pyron and father.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Jones and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McSwain and Louise and Elizabeth McSwain enjoyed a motor trip to their farm near Auburn last week.

Miss Margaret Harrison from Dallas, Texas is the guest of Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

The Philathia S. S. Class will hold their regular business and social meet at the home of Mrs. Macy Jones on Friday evening at 3:30 o'clock. A full attendance is urged.

Miss Mary Ellis has as her guest her cousin, Miss Mabel Ellis from Greenville.

Mrs. George Nicholson and Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn have returned home after a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Erle Luckie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Duke and Mrs. O. S. Welch from Prattville were the guests of Mrs. G. L. Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds left for a motor trip to the mountains in North Carolina, and will be absent from town for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willis and son from Roanoke were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Foshee.

Mr. Cary Speer from Marianna, Fla spent a couple of days in Clanton as the guest of Mrs. Clyde Jones.

Dr. and Mrs. Will Wilson from Birmingham were visitors to Clanton for the week end.

Mr. C. Reese Mullins made a visit to the Capital City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luckie and children will visit Montgomery Friday to celebrate the 67th birthday of her mother. Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn.

Mr. Jim Hester and little daughter from Montgomery are visiting his brother, Mr. Joe Hester, after a visit to his daughter, Miss Lillie, in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor from Montgomery were the week end visitors of Mrs. Bama Cox.

Miss Helen Sewell from Deland, Fla., left Thursday morning for a fw days stay in Montgomery before returning home.

The Philathia Class will meet on Friday afternoon, June 27th at 4:00 o'clock at the residence of Miss Frenchie Evans. All members are urged to be present. Hostesses are Mrs. Macy Jones, Mrs. T. C. McSwain and Miss French Evans.

Mr. Tom Jones from Montgomery is visiting relatives in Clanton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Armstrong are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a little daughter at their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Petrey will leave this week for Clearwater, Fla., where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson from Selma accompanied the remains of the latter's grand-mother, Mrs. Dedweilder to Clanton Tuesday.

Mr. W. K. Mullins and little daughter, Sara Beth, left for their home in Birmingham Tuesday after a couple of days' visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

Mrs. M. D. Arant is visiting relatives in Opelika this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White, Mr. and Mrs. Wingard, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Upchurch and Mrs. Bama Cox left Wednesday for a ten-days stay at Mr. White's camp on Yellow Leaf.

ANOTHER COTTON BLOOM

Just as we were going to press we received from Mr. Luther Patterson, Clanton Route 4, a cotton blossom. Mr. Patterson sent in a good specimen but it was about two days later than the first one received.

HE'S HIS OWN "ADVERTISEMENT"

EVEN the rickshaw men down in Durban, South Africa are strong believers in that well known slogan—"It Pays to Advertise." As proof we offer the above photograph showing a Durban rickshaw man wearing a unique headpiece which serves to attract trade. It must have made a hit with the youthful gob so contentedly seated in the "rick" and evidently sensing some humor in the outfit on his "human horse."

As we said before, the fancy headgear is used as an advertising medium and is composed of the horns of steers decorated with gay feathers, snake skins and natural flowers. No—he's not wearing white shoes. A city ordinance compels all rickshaw men to paint their feet white.

Competition, they tell us, is keen between these rickshaw men and they use various means of attracting business their way through such grotesque decorations.

Wouldn't there be some fun if taxicab drivers did the same thing in our cities?

Sideache Backache

"I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had had pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

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The Woman's Tonic

"It seems like it did me good from the very first. After I had taken half a bottle I noticed an improvement. I continued its use and I got better and better. The pains in my legs and sides disappeared and I began to gain in weight until now I weigh 150 pounds and feel better than I ever did in my life. I am perfectly well and strong. I have given it to my girls, too."

Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial? E 82

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HOLMES' MILK SAVER

"Saves That Which Was Lost"

Will positively free milk from bitterness caused by cows eating bitter weeds, and also helps the cows. Proven by numerous tests made by Chilton County farmers, all of whom are enthusiastic over its merits. Simply mix a little in each cow's feed and get good milk instead of bitter milk. Costs only about 2c per day for each cow.

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Games Called --

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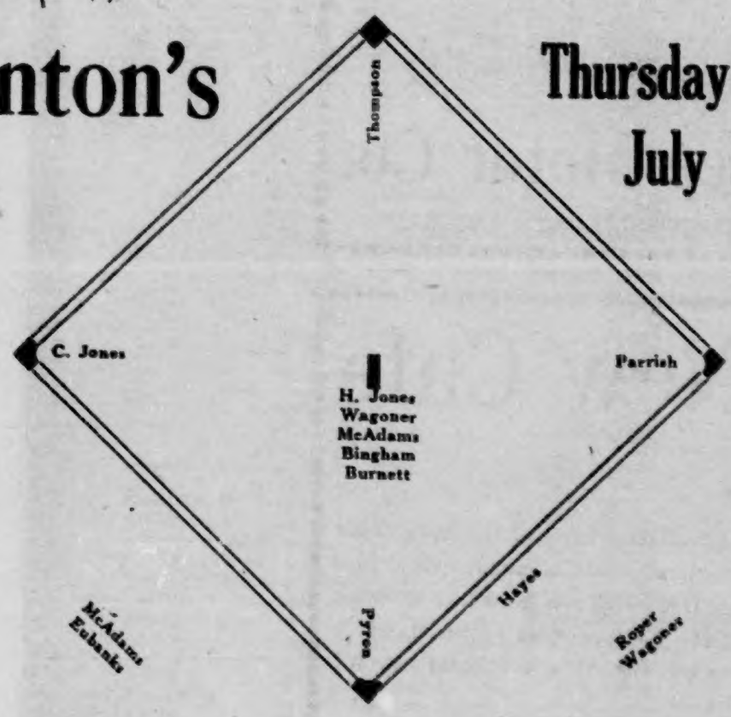
3 P. M., Sharp

FRIDAY
First Game
10:00, Sharp
Second Game
2:30, Sharp



Thursday and Friday, July 3rd and 4th

Friday Games For Benefit of Church

Dope On Clanton

Clanton will put on the field the strongest team that ever represented her in a base ball game. You see them on the right. Management has not reached agreement with all of them, but they will be here if their services are available.

Dope on Opponents of the 3-Game Series

THE WHEELER MOTOR BASE BALL CLUB is the fastest semi-professional club in MOBILE, or the Southern part of Alabama; Camden being the farthest north they have been before this series. Their club is composed of college players and a few who have served in professional company. They have won 40 games and lost 5 this season.

Bound to Be Three Fast and Snappy Games of Base Ball

If You are a Fan, see These Games---They'll be Fine

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court, in Equity. B. L. Lowery, Complainant, vs. Essie Lowery, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertaned faiter reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Essie Lowery, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 10th day of July, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, Ala., this 9th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
6-12-4t. Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Of First Meeting.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Middle District of Alabama; In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of McDonald Mercantile Co., a firm composed of J. H. McDonald and Mrs. Ola McDonald, and J. H. McDonald and Mrs. Ola McDonald, individually, Bankrupt, postoffice Clanton, County Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to Establish a Uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States" approved July 1st, 1898, meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned Referee, in the United States Court House, Montgomery, Alabama, on the 3rd day of July next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to make proof of debts, and for the election of a Trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Act of Congress aforesaid.

M. S. CARMICHAEL, Referee.

Montgomery, Ala., June 23, 1924.
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NOTICE BANKRUPT SALE
McDonald Mercantile Co., Clanton, Alabama.

Pursuant to an order made by the United States District Court, Northern Division, Middle District of Alabama, in Bankruptcy, I, as Receiver of McDonald Mercantile Co., Bankrupt, will offer, to the highest bidder for cash, during legal hours of sale, subject to approval of said Court, on the 7th, day of July, 1924, at the store-house formerly occupied by the bankrupt at Clanton, County of Chilton, State of Alabama, all right, title and interest Bankrupt had in and to stock goods, wares and fixtures and book accounts:

Stock of Dry Goods, Shoes, etc.	$2,856.54
Fixtures	207.00
Book Accounts	283.85
Total	$3,347.39

Right reserved to sell separate or as whole.

Inventory now on file.

Montgomery, Ala., 23rd day of June, 1924.
1t-ch. M. HUGH STUART, Receiver.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

The election held on June 17 in District "C" of Chilton County to determine whether or not a District tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property should be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said district as advertised for a period of six years commencing with the present tax year resulted as follows:

	For	Ag'st
Providence, Dist. 58	8	0
Total	8	0

And the following was the vote outside this established tax District:

Free Springs, Dist. 53	1	5
Concord, Dist. 59	0	0
Minooka, Dist. 61	13	2
Total	14	7

It is therefore declared that said election carried and that said tax shall be levied as required by law.

T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
County Commissioners.

This the 18th day of June, 1924, 12 o'clock, noon.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1t Judge of Probate.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

The election held on June 17 in District "B" of Chilton County to determine whether or not a district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property should be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said District as advertised for a period of six years commencing with the present tax year resulted as follows:

	For	Ag'st
Maple Springs, Dist. 1	15	0
Shiloh, Dist. 12	13	0
Enterprise, Dist. 13	28	0
Verbena, Dist. 15	59	0

And the following was voted outside of these established tax districts:

	For	Ag'st
Bethsalem, Dist. 11	9	12
Morganville, Dist. 16	23	1
Coopers, Dist. 18	36	5
Corinth, Dist. 19	26	0
Mt. Pisgah, Dist. 29	3	2
Concord, Dist. 32	19	3
Providence, Dist. 33	13	0
Mt. Pleasant, Dist. 62	25	4
Baker, Dist. 69	2	18
Eastview, Dist. 72	10	0
Totals	166	45

It is therefore declared that said election carried and that said tax shall be levied as required by law.

T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
County Commissioners.

This the 18th day of June, 1924. 12 o'clock, noon.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1t. Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING OF PROBATE OF WILL OF CORINE C. FOX, DECEASED.

To Nora Anderson, State of Oklahoma, sister of Corine C. Fox, deceased, to the widow and three children of Eli Hicks, deceased, brother of Corine C. Fox, deceased: .

Take notice and you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of June, 1924, application was made to the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, by G. W. Fox for the probate of the last will and testament of Corine C. Fox, deceased, and that the 19th day of July, 1924, has been fixed by an order of this court, made and entered for the hearing of said application at which time you may appear and contest the same if you see proper.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
6-26-3tc. Judge of Probate.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

The election held on June 17 in Vermont, District No. 8 of Chilton County to determine whether or not a district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars worth of taxable property should be levied and collected annually on the taxable property of said district as advertised for a period of six years commencing with the present tax year resulted as follows:

	For	Ag'st
Vermont, Dist. 8	28	0
Total	28	0

It is therefore declared that said election carried and that said tax shall be levied as required by law.

T. J. DORMINEY,
J. M. MIMS,
C. T. WALKER,
J. WILEY LITTLEJOHN,
County Commissioners.

This the 18th day of June, 1924, 12 o'clock, noon.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
1t. Judge of Probate.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|00 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the August Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Curry Jones and Roberta Curry, in favor of court costs I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 28th day of July, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary Curry Jones, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, June 24th, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-4tc.

NOTICE OF LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court, in Equity.

To Mary Curry Jones:

You will take notice that I have this 23rd day of June, 1924, levied upon the following described Real Estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court, in Equity, for the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|100 Dollars, in favor of Court Costs, and that said Real Estate will be advertised and sold according to law, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door 23rd day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-3tc.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

W. B. Allgood, state auditor, was victorious in the case involving claims of William Chandler, former sheriff of Etowah county, for sums of money for feeding prisoners, which has been decided by the supreme court. The case had been decided in favor of Chandler in the Montgomery circuit court but the supreme court reversed the Montgomery court and then rendered a decision in favor of the state auditor, dismissing the petition of Chandler for writ of mandamus to require the auditor to issue his warrant for the sums claimed.

Completing a two-year investigation of the possibility of sending photographs through the air, with the assistance of the radio, Alfred Marchant, of Mobile, has announced he had perfected the invention and is ready to "demonstrate it if given assurance that protection will be given the secret." Marchant refused to divulge any part of the method used to "broadcast pictures," fearing his secret would get out and that he would lose the benefits of two year's study and work.

Sheriff Leath and deputies have begun arresting Sunday blue law violators on warrants at Gadsden. Four proprietors of business houses were the first to be served with papers. All of them were indicted by the recent grand jury and were fined in circuit court but they have been open nearly every Sunday since the grand jury adjourned. Sheriff Leaf announced that all stores keeping open on Sundays in Gadsden or in the county would be served with warrants at once.

All arrangements have been completed in connection with the transfer of the Tuskegee Railroad company into the hands of the Mitchell company of Atlanta. The purchase price was 95,000. The new ownership will extend the spur line that now comes to the government hospital on through the normal institute grounds and into Tuskegee. Gasoline coaches will be placed on this track at an early date, and all the traffic turned to Chehaw over this new route.

A large audience witnessed the graduating exercises and a presentation of the nurses' home to the Druid City hospital at Tuscaloosa. Dr. J. J. Doster, dean of the summer school at the University of Alabama, delivered the graduating address and J. T. Horne presented the nurses' home to the hospital. The home was a gift of Mr. Horne. Sam F. Clabaugh accepted the home in behalf of the hospital students and Dr. L. O. Dawson delivered the dedicatory prayer.

The executive board of the Colonial Dames of Alabama held its first meeting here since the election of Mrs. A. D. Pitts to the presidency, on the resignation of Mrs. J. Morgan Smith of Birmingham in March. Several important matters of business were dispatched, one being the collection of the remainder of Alabama's quota for the Sulgrave Manor Fund, which it was decided would be paid.

Many college students from states in the fourth corps area which covers the entire southeastern section of the United States, have been rejected by military authorities for R. O. T. C. training at Camp McClellan this summer because of physical defects it has been stated by army officials. Since the opening of the R. O. T. C. camp on June 14, 37 youths have been found unfit for service and have been sent back home.

The entire program for the state legion convention to meet in Tuscaloosa July 3, 4 and 5, is completed with the selection of Cecil Bates, a Mobile attorney, to make the response of welcome in behalf of the legionnaires it has been announced. The only candidate so far announced for commander who will be elected the final day of the convention is J. Fred Johnson of Florence.

"Devil's Grippe," a comparatively new human ailment, which first made its appearance in Alabama last year appears to be showing up in Wilcox Dallas and Lowndes counties, several cases having been reported recently to the state board of health from these sections.

Seven people are taking anti-rabies treatment in Anniston, following the report made by the local branch laboratory of the state health department that a dog's head examined after having made vicious attacks, showed positive proof of having rabies.

Miss Clara Dendy, of Luverne Ala. is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. James Richardson.

TEN MILLION FORD CARS IN ONE PARADE !

They're off! Ten Million Ford cars in one parade.

With Ford No. 10,000,000 scheduled to cross the United States on the Lincoln Highway, a genius for figures has worked out the matter of staging a parade of the entire 10,000,000 Model T Fords.

Here's the way he figures it.

The road selected is 24,840 miles long circling the earth at the equator. He parks the Fords in one place at the side of the road, sets a pace of twenty miles an hour for the parade and starts the cars at intervals of thirty seconds.

Drivers are to have an eight-hour day the same as that enjoyed by all Ford employes and are, of course, to have Sundays, Christmas, New Year's and Fourth of July off.

If you were inclined to watch such a parade and would remain until the last car passed, you'd have to stick at your place along the line for thirty-two and a half years.

With all the Fords remaining in line, it wouldn't be long before you would find yourself in the center of a whirling corkscrew of cars, as the genius has already figured it, if you remained to the finish, and were observant, you probably would have noticed that the first car passed you sixty-seven times before the last or ten-millionth car had left the parking ground.

Furthermore, figuring Ford production on the time basis of the last million, 65 million more Ford cars would have been built while you were watching the parade.

FORESTRY IN ALABAMA

The Alabama Commission of Forestry is occasionally asked why longleaf pine does not reproduce itself. It is pointed out that over large areas from which longleaf pine has been cut the new growth often consists of other species of pine or of scrub hardwoods. By some it is believed that longleaf pine seeds really produce another species of pine, such as loblolly or short-leaf. Most logging operations leave sufficient small or defective trees to serve as seed trees. Longleaf pine produces seed only once in from three to seven years. Loblolly and short-leaf pine, however, seed more frequently. If the longleaf is cut between seed crops, any loblolly or short-leaf pines near-by may seed the land first. When the next long-leaf seed crop occurs, the ground may be already pre-empted by the other pines, thus creating the impression that long-leaf is unable to reproduce itself. If the other pines or scrub hardwoods do not first take the ground, the long-leaf seedlings will spring up by the thousand after the first seed crop.

RED Bunch Seed Peanuts, at Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

SINGING AT BETHSALEM

There will be an all-day singing and dinner on the ground at Bethsalem the 4th of July. Everybody come and bring their baskets.

SORGHUM Seed, Amber Cane, cheap —Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

S.S.S. stops Rheumatism

"MY Rheumatism is all gone. I feel a wonderful glory again in the free motion I used to have when my days were younger. I can thank S. S. S. for it all! Do not close your eyes and think that health, free motion and strength are gone from you forever! It is not so. S. S. S. is waiting to help you. When you increase the number of your red-blood-cells, the entire system undergoes a tremendous change. Everything depends on blood-strength. Blood which is minus sufficient red-cells leads to a long list of troubles. Rheumatism is one of them." S. S. S. is the great blood-cleanser, blood-builder, system strengthener, and nerve invigorator.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

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For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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CLOSING OUT SALE

We are closing out our Entire Stock of over 1,400 pair of Shoes at cost and below cost, and others so close to cost it will make us feel dizzy and cause you to smile on account of the good values which we will give you. You will find this stock to be composed of some of the best brands, such as Walk-Over, Red Goose, John C. Roberts, etc. To find our store look for the sign "Big Summer Sale Now On."

With this Closing-Out Sale will go all Summer piece-goods at very low prices. This will include all Silk Goods such as Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepe, Silk and Wool Crepe, Taffeta, Satin, Messoline, and all Cotton Goods such as Voiles, Organdies, Dotted Swiss, Botish, etc. Come Early, while you will have an opportunity to select what you would like to have.

We mean every word we say in regard to giving you values for your money. Spend your money with us and be pleased. We are not quoting any prices whatever but you will find them cheaper than elsewhere. Just remember to look for the sign.

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All five are members of the New York State Committee for Smith's nomination. Seated—left to right—are shown Miss Elizabeth Marbury, Mrs. Alice Good and Mrs. Dorothea Courten, delegates to the National Convention. Left to right, standing, are Mrs. John E. Quinn, president of the Women's Democratic Club; and Miss Anne Matthew, registrar for New York County.

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PLEASANT HILL

On last Sunday the Chilton County Singing Society met with the Pleasant Hill church in singing praise to our Blessed Lord. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves very much. We are giving heartfelt thanks for each sweet song that was sung, thanking each director and the entire class for their kindness shown us. We had a large crowd out with us and appreciated it very much. here was plenty of dinner to feed the entire congregation and plenty left. Directors were E. L. Glasscock, A. H. Glasscock, Mr. Collins, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Foshee, Mr. O. B. Robinson and others. Organists were Miss Genie Collins and others.

We trust to meet you all again in the near future. With kindest thanks to you all.

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Weevil control will help farmers who help themselves by using the methods approved by THEIR experts.

Tests and experiments by experts prove that it pays to apply cultural methods of boll weevil control under all conditions and calcium arsenate in dust from where the soil will yield as much as one third of a bale to the acre.

Farmers should help their cotton crops to early fruiting and maturity before the boll weevils have had a chance to destroy them by planting selected seed and applying intensive cultivation.

Applications of calcium arsenate in dust form should be made on cotton when 10 per cent of the squares have been punctured by boll weevils. From five to seven pounds of poison should be used to the acre and the application should be repeated two or three times at four and five day intervals.

Others have proved that boll weevil control pays. Prove it yourself by using government methods and check the result on a small tract where control measures are not used.

Boll weevils go into winter quarters before frost occurs. Reduce the number by burning trash and burying the stalks as soon as the crop is gathered.

Apply calcium arsenate in dust form to boll weevil infested cotton when the air and the plants are moist, perferably at night.

DR. FRANK WILLIS BARNETT TO SPEAK HERE THE FOURTH

The announcement has been made that Dr. Frank Willis Barnett of Birmingham will be one of the main speakers at the Fourth of July celebration in Clanton. Hon. Bibb Graves of Montgomery will also be here to speak. With these fine speakers on hand, it is a certainty that the lecturing will be good, and with the big free barbecue to feed you on, you can't help but have a good time. Everybody has an invitation.

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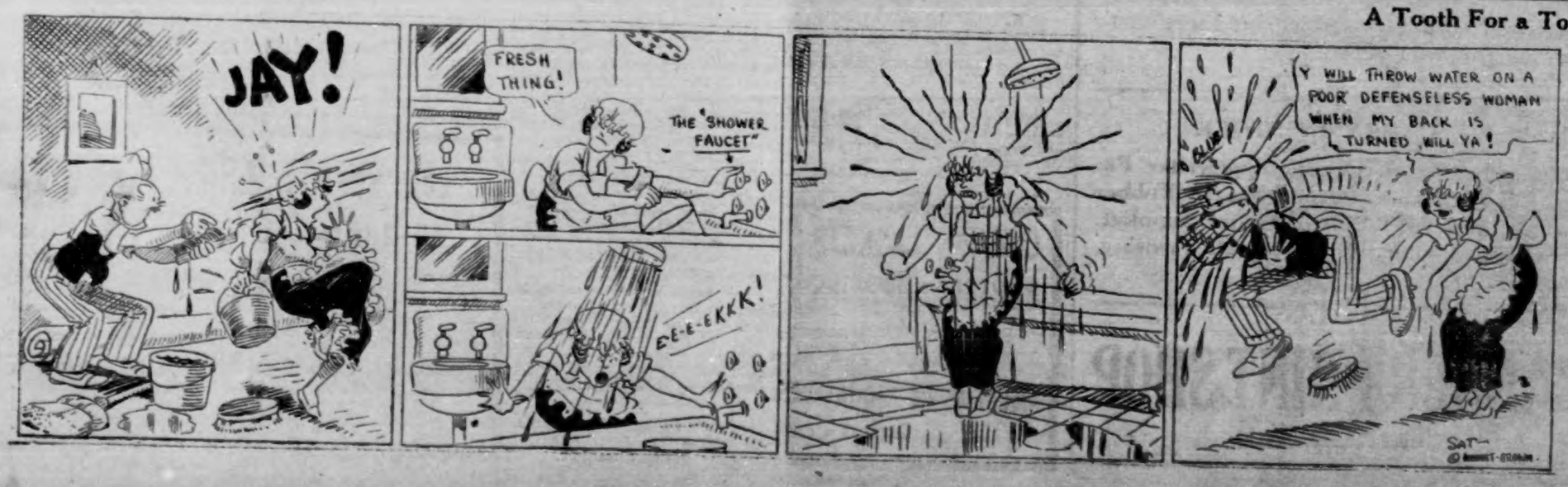

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OFFICERS OUTWIT BOOTLEGGERS ON LAST SATURDAY

Three Men Caught at Cove, Bringing Moonshine Whiskey Over into Chilton County.

A little bird having whispered in their ear, Sheriff T. J. Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee stole away from the habitat of civilization shortely after noon Saturday and went down to the Cove on Coosa River. The officers arrived at the place about one or two o'clock and sought them out a place of concealment. They waited for something to turn up, but everything seemed to be on the quiet until about dusk, when they heard the familiar noise of paddles being bumped against a boat down at the river. So they knew that something was going to happen. The officers held their post near the trail in the vicinity of the Littleton old house about half a mile from the River. About eight o'clock three men were spied coming up the trail, each one just a few paces ahead of the other and each carrying something. When the men got even with the officers they were flushed, who were found to be Oscar Miner, Henry Easterling and Benjamin Easterling. The Sheriff latched on to Henry who was carrying about one gallon of whiskey in bottles. Foshee made a pass at Oscar Miner with a 2-gallon jug of moonshine. There was no one to wait on Benjamin, so he broke his gallon jug which he had in a corn sack and took to the bushes. Oscar Minor also took down through the woods and Foshee took after him. When the young man got to Cove Branch, where the water was about knee deep, Foshee caught him, and the two had a rather lengthy scuffle in the water, first one being ducked and then the other. After they scuffled for about fifteen minutes Foshee called the sheriff to his help, who was holding Henry Easterling back up on the trail. Easterling assured the sheriff that he would stand, and for him just to go ahead. So the sheriff did. After Foshee and Littlejohn succeeded in putting the hand cuffs on Oscar, they returned to the trail to find that Henry had disappeared.

Oscar Miner and his two-gallon jug were brought and placed in jail about ten o'clock Saturday night. The officers went Sunday and got Benjamin Easterling and brought him to jail, but as yet, Henry Easterling has not been caught. Both Oscar and Benjamin have made bond and have been released from jail.

FROM BEAT 11

Editor Union-Banner:

Please print this from Beat 11, Chilton County, Ala., June 30, 1924.

We will say to the man who has control of the dipping of cattle that we ask for inspection of our cattle in Beat No. 11. We haven't got any ticks on our cattle, and we ask to be released from quarantine. We ask you to come at once or send a man to see our cattle. We do not want to violate the law if we know it, but it looks like we will have to.

We ask for inspection at once. We do not know the man's name, but we ask him as a gentleman for inspection of our cattle.

Sent in by Jno. S. Dennis, by consent of our Beat.

"THE LIFE OF CHRIST" TO BE SCREENED AT HIGH SCHOOL

According to announcement just made, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church have just completed arrangements for the presentation on the celebrated motion picture production, "The Life of Christ" at the high school auditorium on Friday, July 4, at 10:30 a.m., 2:30 and 8 o'clock p.m.

This is an adaption based on the famous Oberammergau rendition of the Passion Play, and it has been enthusiastically received everywhere it has been presented. The picture beautifully and impressively depicts the life of Christ, beginning with the annunciation and taking up His birth, His boyhood days, work and miracles on earth, last supper, crucifixion, resurrection and ascension, dealing with it in a strikingly NON-DENOMINATIONAL spirit.

It is obvious that great good can be derived from a teaching of this kind and the impression created is everlasting. Things seen are remembered usually, where often soon forgotten if heard only.

An appropriate musical program accompanies the picture throughout and critics say the picture and music combined represents one of the most impressive, instructive and pleasing programs ever offered.

The presentation is complete in every detail. Two experienced, competent operators are in charge and with two motor-driven machines, with standard size screen and a direct current generating plant, they give service equal to that rendered by the largest theatres. Recent endorsements say the film is in good physical condition, assuring clearness.

In order to give everyone an opportunity to attend this program, the tickets will be sold at a nominal figure. They will be 35 cents for adults and 20 cents for children.

The amount realized by the Missionary Society will be used strictly for church purposes, and the support of the community is asked.

OFFICERS GET MAN IN STUMPS HILLS TUESDAY

D. B. Tidwell of Birmingham, formerly of this county, was caught by Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee in the Stumps Hills settlement Tuesday morning with a quart of moonshine whiskey in his Ford car. Tidwell, when the officers took hold of him, assured them that what he had in his bottle was wine, or at least that had bought it for wine, but upon close examination, it was found to be regular old Stumps Hills corn. So Tidwell and his Ford were brought to town, the man being placed in jail and the car being taken into custody by the sheriff to await court proceedings.

Tidwell professed to be a chicken and egg peddler out of Birmingham, and at the time he was caught with the whiskey he had a few eggs and chickens with him. The officers allowed him to dispose of his produce, that is, his chickens and eggs, after they got to Clanton.

W. M. DEVAUGHN TO TEACH SINGING SCHOOL AT WALNUT

Prof. W. M. Devaughn will open up a singing school at Walnut Creek church on Monday morning, July 7. Prof. Devaughn's worth as a music teacher is well known around here, and all in reach are urged to help him out in his school.

Why Do We Celebrate July Fourth As a National Holiday in America?

A bit of American History Touching on the Nation's Birth, and the Reason its Birthday is Dear to the Hearts of Americans.

Our national holidays are too much given over to mere outward manifestations of observance and too little to recognition of the underlying ideas which give these festivities importance.

Independence day should set the American people thinking of the real and permanent meaning of the Declaration of Independence, and the vital significance of the Fourth of July.

The story of the birth of American nationality is one of the most inspiring in all the annals of mankind. No other nation has been born of such high purpose, broad vision and unselfish spirit of service to humanity.

The Declaration of Independence was signed by a company of greater men than ever before had been joined in the founding of a nation. Their act represented something far higher and nobler than mere personal dissatisfaction with the existing order. They were men who would have better served their personal advantage by desisting from this act. Moved by the purest patriotism, they launched defiance against a powerful military organization, supposedly capable of crushing the feeble forces of the colonies, knowing that monarchy was sure to define their act as treason and probably would punish them for such action with death.

No mere question of taxation, or even of insubordination to the British crown, moved these heroic men to their historic deed. The time had come for the American people to cast off the outward garments of Europeanism and assume the garb of independent nationality.

The European governmental and social order was no longer suitable to the situation of 3,000,000 colonists who had left the shores of Europe behind them, had here erected free commonwealths, and now were ready to turn their backs on European institutions. The European system of caste and class had never taken deep root in New World soil. Circumstances leveled conditions and made men as equal as variations of talent and industry would permit. No arbitrary system of rank based upon birth could survive in the free air of the virgin forest and field where men were thrown upon their own resources, where success, or even survival, depended upon individual qualities.

And so at Philadelphia, on July 4, 1776, the hour had come when Europeanism must end and Americanism begin. The Liberty bell rang forth a message which was destined to echo throughout the world or all time to come. For this new Americanism was to affect not only the continental domain of a new republic but the civilization of every land to be penetrated in the years to come by the principles proclaimed in the Declaration of Independence.

The union of the states was not to be achieved until the passing of eight years of war and five years of peace, but it was foreshadowed in this Continental Congress where the freedom of the colonies was proclaimed. Unity in the struggle for freedom was to be followed by union in the perpetuation of the results of that struggle.

Have faith in America! Have love for America! For love of this republic is love of humanity, which this republic through all its life from the beginning has served so well by example and action.

Let us honor the men who risked life and fortune that this republic might live, by rendering unyielding loyalty to the nation for which they were willing to surrender everything.

Let us resolve that this republic, despite the persistent effort of malevolent or misguided men, shall be kept true to the ideals of the patriots of '76, and of the long line of brave and wise men who after them have unselfishly served the nation.

UNCLE DOCK WELLS GIVES GOOD NEWS TO OUR READERS

Early last monday morning, just a few minutes after we had opened up the Banner print shop, Uncle Dock Wells came in and told the editor to take a seat at his desk, that he had some good news which he wanted to tell the readers of The Banner about. We got our pencil and pad and began to jot down Uncle Dock's dictations.

He began by saying that he had just returned from a trip which had carried him almost all over the county, and that he had had a most enjoyable time. Uncle Dock said that the crops of the county, generally speaking, were the best he had seen for years. Of course, he said that he had seen some grass and some poor spots among the crops, but as a general thing, they were very good. The firm belief was expressed by the old gentleman that the people of the country are entering an era of better times.

"On my round," said Uncle Dock, "I have heard lots of talk about protracted meetings to take place during July and August. I diden't find any wild-cat whiskey, diden't see any and diden't smell any. I heard but little said concerning politics. I found what I consider a nice crop of frying-size chickens—enough, I think, to last through the revival meeting season. Some of the chickens were slightly affected with sore-head, but that dosen't matter for preachers don't care for chickens' heads no way."

Uncle Dock was wonderfully elated over his trip, saying that his friends were all mighty glad to see him, and that it was a great pleasure to him to be out among them.

The interesting discourse was closed with his good wishes to the Banner readers, and the hope that he might see lots of them in the big meetings over the county during the next few months.

STORE BROKEN INTO AT COOPERS THURSDAY NIGHT

On last Thursday night, June 26th, burglars entered the store of Cooper Produce Company through the sky light and carried away dry goods, shoes, etc., to the amount of around $400.00. This is the fourth time this store has been broken into during the past three years. It is owned by O. D. Deloach of Coopers and Tom Taylor of Clanton.

Some parties passing the store at midnight that night saw some men whom they say were two white men in the store with lights, but they thinking that it was probably Mr. Deloach thought nothing of it. Messrs. Taylor and Deloach are offering a reward for the arrest and evidence leading to the conviction of the guilty parties.

NEWS FROM UNION GROVE

Our Sunday school and prayer meeting are still going on nicely.

Miss Delene Collum spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Marlar.

The cream supper at Mr. Willie Brasher's Saturday night was just fine.

Misses Rebecca Dorminey, Carrie Mae Retherford, Edna and Amy Robinson dined with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Glasscock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hall.

Miss Iris Robinson was the guest of Misses Euna and Annice Davis Sunday.

Several from this place went to the all day singing at Oak Grove Sunday.

Messrs. Mittleton Robinson and Fletcher Dupriest and Miss Carrie Mae Retherford spent a while with Misses Edna and Amy Robinson Sunday evening.

Miss Pearl Chandler left Sunday evening for Siluria where she will spend this week with her friend, Miss Mollie Vinzant.

Miss Euna Davis spent Saturday night with Miss Rebecca Dorminey.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cofer and little son, Johnnie, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oslin spent a while Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Dorminey.

NEGRO WITHOUT LIGHTS RUNS FORD INTO WHITE MAN'S CAR

A rather unpleasant and, according to reports, uncalled for incident occurred on the Lock 12 Road near the home of Tug Willis last Saturday night about 10 o'clock, when a Ford car driven by Carl Peavey, a negro, was headed into another car driven by a man by the name of Smitherman. Reports say that Smitherman was going up the highway when he saw a car coming at reckless speed and without lights, so Smitherman drove his car out in the ditch beside the road to give the approaching car plenty of room to pass. But instead of passing, the car driven by Peavey was turned so as to head right into Smitherman's car.

As soon as the negro's car stopped, Carl Peavey got out with a double-barrel shot-gun in his hand and Peavey's wife got out with a revolver in her hand. The negroes said that they thought the car which was stopped beside the road was that of the "damned officers," and that they were going to have it out with them right there. When the negroes found that it was not the officers' car, Smitherman and the women and children who were with them were ordered to take on up the road and not to mention anything of the affair. Mr. Smitherman, being unarmed, had to obey the orders of the negro.

Someone in the community called the Sheriff at Clanton, so Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee went out there. When the officers arrived on the scene, they found only Carl Peavey there with the wrecked cars. A quantity of whiskey was found poured out in front of Peavey's car and a broken 2-gallon jug was found a few feet away. The officers asked the negro what was the trouble, to which he answered that the white man ran into him. The negro said that he knew nothing of the whiskey and the jug. As yet, no arrest have been made regarding the affair.

MRS. DOSHIE BATES DIED LAST FRIDAY MORNING

Mrs. Doshie Diola Bates, wife of Mitchell Bates of Clanton, died at the home in Clanton last Friday morning about 5 o'clock. Mrs. Bates was 50 years old and was the daughter of Mr. Jack Powell of Providence.

Mrs. Bates had been afflicted with pellagra for several months, and for the past several weeks her health has been in a declining condition. Death came upon her by slow degrees, she not being able to raise herself from bed for two or three weeks.

The deceased is survived by her aged father and mother and seven brothers and one sister. The brothers are: Ollie, Sam, Joe, Cleveland, Leiland, Tom and Amherst. The sister is Mrs. Newton Wyatt of Providence.

The remains were buried at Providence Saturday at 11 o'clock, Rev. M. J. Parrish preaching the funeral, assisted by Rev. W. W. Robinson.

COOPER READY FOR BIG GO AT KANSAS CITY ON JULY 4th

Famous Pilot Hopes to Overcome Jinx That Trailed Him at Indianapolis and Altoona Speedways.

Kansas City, Mo., June 30.—You can't break the heart of a Nebraska farmer's son. Out in Marion county they still talk of the way young Earl Cooper, at the age of 10, mastered an intractable farm horse and made it cakewalk like a stage performer.

Cooper, one of the world's famous race drivers, veteran of a thousand contests, came to Kansas City today with his tiny blue Studebaker Special. And he's devoting his waking hours to schemes for beating Old Man Jinx and winning the fast Fourth of July races at the Speedway here.

Inspired by good-luck trophies and keepsakes from racing fans all over the country, Cooper set a terrific pace at Indianapolis in the 500-mile classic last month.

Forced Into Second.

His average of 97.99 miles an hour was faster than the oval had ever known. And then, while leading at 125 miles, his right tire threw a steaming hot tread, and he was forced into second by a tire change.

Then, at the 250-mile Altoona, Pa., speedway on June 14, Cooper drove his Studebaker Special at a reckless speed, climbing steadily toward first place. Bing! Old Man Jinx stuck a loose nail in his rear right tire on the fifteenth lap. Another tire burned up on the thirty-first lap.

But Cooper wheeled right on, after a tire change of 9 1-2 seconds. Two more tires burned out from Cooper's mad wheeling around the track, and Cooper was forced to finish sixth, behind Tommy Milton.

"I was leading at Kansas City just a year ago," said Cooper, today, "but trouble kept me from winning. This July 4th I hope to set a new world's record. This Studebaker Special is plenty fast. Just let me have an even break, and the checkered flag will be mine."

Cooper is known in the racing world as a "laboratory racer." His charts, blue-prints and scientific tests, which accompany him to every race course, have attracted much interest. He shares every improvement with his fellow racers. And they are wondering what the "Little Napoleon" is planning to do here in the big race.

LIBERTY HILL

The singing society met last Sunday afternoon, as we had announced, and with the help of the United Singing Society, we rendered a splendid program. The directors for the afternoon were: Leonard Culp, Akins Collins, A. H. Glasscock, Vester H. Campbell, E. H. Glasscock, C. C. Parrish and E. H. Foshee. Organists were Misses Claudie Smith, Gussie and Bonnie Littlejohn.

We had some splendid quartet singing by the Thorsby and Stumps Hills bands. We were glad indeed to have so many vistiors with us, and hope they will come again. We meet every first and third Sunday afternoons, but we will not meet next Sunday afternoon for the class is going to Thorsby.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Last week I told you about "Hotels On Wheels." This time I shall attempt to give you some idea of what we saw along the way and since our arrival at the home of our son in Kenvil, New Jersey.

From Birmingham to Atlanta was a night ride of which we knew but little, except that the road bed of The Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railroad seemed to be pretty rough which together with frequent stops and bumps prevented a good sleep.

Arriving in Atlanta at 6:15 a.m., we were supposed to leave at 8 a.m., attached to a train coming over the West Point road from Montgomery. While strolling in the train shed we met the Conductor of our car who told us the Montgomery train was twenty-five minutes late, and we would have plenty of time to get breakfast, so we climbed the long stairway to the street level and went into the Station Restaurant. The service, equipment and food were such as to make us feel that we would look for a more satisfactory place next time.

Going down to the R. R. tracks again we found that our car had been moved, as we had been told it would be, but in due time we located it at the rear end of that train from Montgomery, now being made up as a solid Pullman train to run as far as Washington, D. C., over the Southern Railroad.

At Gainsville, Ga., we set our watches ahead one hour to conform to Eastern Time. At Seneca, Ga., 115 miles from Atlanta, the dining car is put on and dinner served and another hour's run brings us to Greenville which is the last stop we make within the state of Georgia.

We noted a great difference in appearance of the farms of Alabama and Georgia. While the Georgia farms for the most part were more free from stumps and scrubby growth trees, and had by far better buildings than our average Alabama farms, vegetation in the broad fields looked mighty sorry compared with what we left in Alabama. Corn, only 4 to 6 inches high was of a sickly green, and cotton was barely above the ground. The fields looked clean and well cared for, but so little was work in the fields evident that we saw only one lone man with a mule in the four hours ride before we left the State. One thing I did notice that our farmers might well adopt—every plowed field was liberally terraced, and instead of leaving the terraces to grow up to grass and weeds, they were invariably planted to corn, which was up and looked far better than any in the open fields.

When we reached North Carolina at Charlotte about 4 p.m., we at once noted great improvement in the appearance of everything visible. The stock in the fields looked good; everything indicated a spirit of progress among the people. Manufacturing of various kinds was in evidence and good roads were the rule instead of the exception. Fine school houses were noted in many places and we understand that they are common in all parts of the State.

It took just about four hours to cross North Carolina. We had supper in the diner and reached Danville, Va., soon after 8 p.m. As it was then growing dark we could see nothing of the passing show. Our route led through Charlottsville, the seat of a great University, Lynchburg. Manassas, of historic interest, Alexandria, all Virginia cities, to Washington, D. C., where we caught a glimpse of the dome of the Capitol building. Thence over the Pennsylvania railroad to Baltimore, Md., Philadelphia, Pa., Wilmington, Delaware. Thence through several important New Jersey cities to Newark, where we arrived soon after breakfast. Newark is a city of 600,000 population and a great manufacturing center, sending its products far and wide. Before we got away from the R. R. Station we saw a huge motor truck or covered van, painted a glistening white, bearing on its sides in large gold letters the one word "Mennens" which every mother in the land knows through magazine advertising or personal experience.

In this section of northern New Jersey one is certainly in the midst of things. Within an area no larger than the state of Alabama there is concentrated probably 20 per cent of the population of the United States. A hetereogeneous accumulation of all types of humanity in the known world. Greater wealth and deeper poverty, more beauty and greater squalor, more of good and more of evil than can be found within a like area anywhere in this land of ours.

Just now the eyes and ears of the world are attracted to the great Democratic convention assembled in New York. It is my privilege to "sit in" at a Radio receiver and hear all the proceedings very distinctly. A wonderful opportunity and entertainment. Here is some of it.

It is not my purpose to attempt to report speeches in the convention. Readers of The Union-Banner will no doubt have read them long before they could be published in any weekly paper, nevertheless there were many items of interest, a Radio audience scattered over a wide area as atmospheric conditions on Tuesday, the first day of the convention were almost perfect, and arrangements for broadcasting at the convention were first class so that every word or sound was distinctly audible, with very little of interfering noise.

The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock a.m., daylight saving time, which is one hour earlier than Eastern time and two hours ahead of Alabama time. For some reason the National Committee and the delegates were slow in assembling and were not ready for business until 11:30.

In the meantime the audience, comprising about 12,000 people were entertained by a talented concert singer, Miss Anna Case, whose strong, resonant and beautiful voice seemed to fill the vast spaces and charm not only the great audience within the hall but the much larger Radio audience. The Radio announcer was an adept at his business and gave such graphic descriptions of all that was going on that it seemed as if we were present and could visualize the whole show.

At last all was ready and we heard the gavel of the chairman of the National Committee pounding for order (Mr. Cordell Hull), and his voice announcing the convention had come to order. Next came the earnest invocation by a well known Bishop, whose name has escaped the writer. Business moved along fast and smooth, several committee reports were made, then the chairman announced the nomination of Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi, by the National Committee, to be temporary chairman of the convention, and recommended his election. The recommendation was put to a vote and carried without a dissenting voice. A committee was appointed to escort Mr. Harrison to the platform, and at his appearance a great roar of handclapping and vociferous applause greeted him.

Senator Harrison lost no time, except to express his thanks for the honor conferred upon him, then started at once on his keynote speech. His voice was clear and his every word could be as distinctly heard as though we were seated by his side. He had prepared a "roast" for the Republicans and presented it in good style.

He then extolled the Democratic administration of Woodrow Wilson. When he mentioned the martyred President by name the audience rose as one man and the cheers and yells were deafening. The different delegations siezed their banners and started a march in the aisles, the audience stood on their chairs waving whatever they happened to have with them and each trying to outdo his neighbor in making a noise. This demonstration lasted for about fifteen minutes before order was restored and Senator Harrison was permitted to finish his speech. At its close there was another outburst of applause cut short by the band playing Dixie. After a welcoming speech by Mayor Hylan of New York City, in which he offered "The Freedom of the City" to delegates, alternates and visitors, there were a few resolutions presented and adopted, some announcements made and the convention stood adjourned until 11 o'clock Wednesday. It is worthy of note that many women were among the delegates and committees of which women were chairmen in some cases.

Wednesday was a strenuous day at the convention, which was supposed to meet at 11 a.m. Delegates, committees and the crowd were slow in coming and more slow in getting down to business. The temporary chairman called many times for delegates to clear the aisles and be seated but it was near noon before they came to order.

After some routine business, including the report of committee on permanent organization which announced the nomination of Senator Thomas J. Walsh, "a tried and true democrat and the greatest investigator in the land," for permanent chairman, and Mr. Walsh's election by acclamation, a committee consisting of two men and two women were appointed to escort him to the platform. After a brief word of thanks for the honor conferred upon him, he began his speech, which lasted about an hour.

The announcer reported the hall insufferably hot and the delegates uncomfortable and uneasy.

Soon after Senator Walsh finished his speech he announced nominations for President in order and instructed the clerk to call the roll of States; Alabama being first on the list Hon. Forney Johnston was recognized by the chairman and in an eloquent and forceful speech nominated Alabama's illustrious son, Oscar W. Underwood. When he finished any Alabamian might be proud to claim citizenship with a man of the character and qualifications he gave Senator Underwood. A little later a delegate from Maine was given the floor and seconded the nomination. After listening to all the nominating and seconding speeches for each of the sixteen candidates put in nomination for the presidency by this Democratic convention, I can say no one of them was more fittingly nominated or graciously seconded than Alabama's "Favorite Son."

The next man nominated was Senator Joseph Robinson of Arkansas. It struck me as decidedly humorous that at the conclusion of the nominating speech the band should strike up "Old Black Jo."

California was next called and Senator Phelan of that state took a foul hour in denouncing the Republican party and its administration, extolling the virtues of the Democrats, eulogizing President Wilson and finally getting down to the purpose of his remarks set off in glowing terms what a good fellow was William Gibbs McAdoo, whom he nominated for president.

Then another demonstration broke loose. Delegates, Alternates and friends of the nominee by thousands marched in the ailes, waving bnners, flags, hats and arms, all yelling vociferously, keeping up the racket which came to us over the Radio, like the roar of Niagara. And lasting for an hour, as night approached a sudden and terriffic electrical storm arose and we abandoned the Radio.

Next morning, Thursday, when the convention opened, Connecticut was called and the chairman of that delegation annouced they would give place to New York. This gave opportunity for the nomination of Gov. Alfred E. Smith of New York. During the recess the Smith adherents had provided themselves with a great variety of noise making mechanisms, even to a great siren borrowed from one of the battleships in the harbor. With the aid of these implements of torture they monopolized the time of the convention with human and mechanical noise (called a demonstration) of more than an hour, just to beat the McAdoo crowd, and all day long whenever Smith's name was mentioned by seconding speakers or otherwise they went at it again until the patience of many was exhausted and the chairman announced "If we are not permitted to conduct our meeting here we will go elsewhere." After this, things were more orderly, and by night ten candidates in all had been enrolled, leaving twenty-five delegations yet to hear from.

Friday morning, it soon became evident that machine enthusiasm had been eliminated, and whatever of applause occurred was of human origin.

The entire session of the fourth day of the convention was spent in nominating and seconding speeches and demonstrations by the audience and delegates, and the day's work wound up with a contingent of six more nominees.

One can imagine the heroic struggle which faces the convention to secure the 762 ballots necessary to a choice of any one of them and possibly a dozen more who may be voted for without nomination.

The convention is so big that anything like a full report of any one day's proceedings, fills the pages of our largest daily papers.

I have only attemepted to give glimpses by an "ear witness" and if the readers of The Union-Banner have been agreeably informed and have obtained a fair idea of the proceedings, my efforts will not have been in vain.

Mrs. S. E. Smith of Jemison Route 3 was a pleasant caller at our office Tuesday morning.

WOMAN FINDS REMEDY WORTH FABULOUS FORTUNE

"I wouldn't take a million dollars for the good Mayr's Wonderful Remedy has done for me. I have finished the course and can say I am entirely cured of very severe indigestion, bloating and colic attacks I suffered from it for many years." It is a simple harmeless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflamation which causes practically all stomach liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold by Alred Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

WASH HEFLIN THANKS FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Wash Helflin of Mineral Springs asks us to express to their friends their sincere thanks for the help rendered them, after their home and furnishings were burned a few days ago. Their house and almost all the furnishings were destroyed by fire Saturday night, June 21. The people of the community have been mighty good in helping Mr. and Mrs. Heflin replenish their home, for which they are very thankful.

NEW DORMITORY AT WOMAN'S COLLEGE OF ALABAMA

The Woman's College of Alabama will complete its new dormitory by September 1st, according to President Agnew. This new building, which will cost $110,000, was made possible by the people of Montgomery and Mr. Victor H. Hanson, editor and publisher of the Birmingham News, who gave $10,000 on conditions that the citizens of Montgomery raise $50,000 more and that the building be called The Weenona Hanson Hall. The canvass, which was initiated by the Chamber of Commerce of Montgomery, was successfully completed with a little over the amount desired subscribed. Rev. Richard Wilkinson, Rector of St. Johns Episcopal Church, was chairman of the campaign committee.

The new building is to be 142 feet long and four stories above the basement. It will accommodate 130 students, in suites of two rooms and a bath. The basement will contain the heating plant, the laundry and the kitchen. On the first floor there will be a suite of three parlors and offices for the Dean of Women.

Alabama is growing, as no other state, in educational desires and the higher institutions of learning are hard pressed to keep up with the demands created by the increase of high school graduates. The Woman's College of Alabama is enlarging her facilities as fast as possible in order to provide for the girls who may desire a college education.

$30.00 Automobile Tire Eaten!

William Hall writes, "Rats got in my garage and ate holes right through a new $30.00 tire. They love rubber. I put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake in the garage and have never seen a rat since. Wonderful stuff." Protect your tires against rats! Get a package TODAY. Sold by Upchurch Drug Co. and Cooper Drug. Co.

CLANTON DEFEATS WEST POINT ROUTE 2 TO 1

Clanton defeated West Point Route here last Thursday with a score of 2 to 1. Clanton made their first run when a hit and walk were made from O'Brien made a wild throw to second run came when Pyron got a hit, caught in a chase, between first and second, and third, both times safe. O,Brien made a wild throw to second and third, which Pyron scored on. Little made the best batting. He got a double and two singles out of four times at bat.

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O'Brien and Little; Jones and Thompson.

ROCKY MOUNT

There will be a working on the cemetary at Rocky Mount Thursday July 17th. Every body that is interested come help clean off the cemetary.

W. W. GLASS

Lee Oden, negro of Clanton, was arrested by Deputy Foshee Sunday afternoon under the charge of violating the prohibition law, the warrant having been sworn out several days previous.

O. C. MASTIN, M. D.
Office in
New Hayes Building
Clanton, - - Alabama

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary miseries through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book, "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and child-birth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. E. Kerger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores—everywhere.

Once Used, Always Favored--- Sweet Dreams Spray---Liquid

Double-Strength. Kills Insects While You Look Sold in Red-Top Cans

The absolute efficiency of Sweet Dreams Spray, the great double-strength liquid, has made it the favorite everywhere.
Once used, always favored.
And so easy to use.
Just pump the misty vapors of Sweet Dreams Spray into the hiding places of mosquitoes or other troublesome insects. They die as you pump and look.
Is Sweet Dreams Spray really so wonderful?—Well it hasn't failed yet, but should it fail in any instance your dealer will refund the purchase price without question.
But remember—Sweet Dreams Spray is a double strength liquid that is packed only in cans—red-top cans that are easily recognized.
A trial will verify these claims.
Gallons $2.00; Quarts $1.25; Pints 75c, Half-pints 40c.
At all dealers.

FIRST IN THE SUMMER vacation kit, put a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC and DIARRHOEA REMEDY
Invaluable for sudden and severe pains in stomach and bowels, cramps, diarrhoea. When needed - worth 50 times the cost for single dose.

The Railroad Dollar of YESTERDAY and TODAY

How the Railroad Dollar Has Shrunk

Although everybody realizes that "everything has gone up" amazingly and distressingly, the general public does not know of the great increase in the cost of operating American railroads, as shown by a comparison between the years 1916 and 1923—and the corresponding shrinkage of the purchasing power of the railroad dollar.

As a pertinent illustration, ta the following figures from the records of the L. & N. Railroad:

In 1916, the L. & N. paid for labor 37c out of every dollar received, while in 1923 the cost had increased to 50c; the average cost of coal per ton at the mines was $1.10, which increased to $2.65; the cost of passenger locomotives increased from $16,575 to $51,500; freight cars, from $1,127 to $2,008; rails, from $30 per ton to $43; bridge steel, from $50 per ton to $83; cross-ties, from 51c each to $1.18; track ballast, from 10c per cubic yard to 23c—and so on.

In 1916 the L. & N.'s payment for taxes was $480 per mile, while in 1923 it was $1,265; an increase of 164%. During the same period the book value of L. & N. property increased 30.4%; but its net operating income decreased 6.4%.

All of this increase in cost was beyond the control of the management of the L. & N. Railroad; yet despite the new problems and burdens which it created, the L. & N. has consistently improved its service and added to the facilities of its transportation plant. The efficient and able management of the Nation's Railroads, of which the L. & N. is typical, alone has enabled them to meet the changing conditions, and shortened revenues, above described and still not only maintain their service to an equal standard, but actually improve it.

THE OLD RELIABLE

Stop that Eczema!

AMAZING results have been produced by S. S. S. in cases of eczema, pimples, blackheads and other skin eruptions. If you have been troubled with eczema, and you have used skin applications without number, make a test yourself, on yourself with a bottle of S. S. S., one of the most powerful blood cleansers known. S. S. S. makes the blood rich and pure, and when your blood is freed of impurities your stubborn eczema, rash, tetter, skin eruptions, pimples, blackheads, blotches and acne are bound to disappear. There are no unproven theories about S. S. S.; the scientific results of each of its purely vegetable medicinal ingredients are admitted by authorities.

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

Ladies' Dresses
For Summer Wear

Tub Frocks are lovely. Lovely because of their fabrics. And none more beautiful than the charming dotted voils, with tiers and sashes

Shades are most delicate and alluring. Many other models in organdy, swiss and ginghams.

Ladies' Hats

Charming Hats are here. They are essentially different in style. Smart, brilliant in colorings, in varied assortments of small, medium and large shapes, suitable for Women, Misses' and Matrons. Don't fail to come and see these.

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Clanton Mercantile Company

Clanton, Alabama.

THORSBY SECTION

(R. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Prof. J. D. Patton, who will open up a singing school at Collins Chapel, Monday July 7th will be present at the Baptist church next Sunday and sing there.

Mrs. Carl Langville and daughter, Muriel, of Ensley, arrived in Thorsby Sunday evening and expect to spend a week with Mrs. Langville's mother, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Miss Eunice Parnell, sister of Mrs. S. C. Wood, is visiting here this week. Miss Parnell is a nurse at the Fraternity Hospital in Birmingham.

Miss Sadie Shannon, after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Nels Peterson, left Monday morning for a few days' visit in Prattville and will then return to her home at West Point, Ga.

Mrs. C. A. Meade was hostess last Thursday evening at a party given in honor of Miss Sadie Shannon. Games and contests occupied most of the evening. Delicious refreshments of different kinds were served.

Miss Esther Johnson left Monday morning for Birmingham, where she has secured work for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. E. Erdahl and two daughters, Misses Anna and Inga, are visitors here this week. They will leave here for Los Angeles, California by way of Chicago and Minneapolis. They expect to make their home in Los Angeles. We regret very much to lose these good people.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Howard and their son, Edwin and wife, left early Saturday morning for an auto trip and visit to Chicago, Milwaukee, and other points in Wisconsin and the upper peninsula of Michigan.

Howard Brothers have their green house emptied already to refit the sections with new dirt and plants for next year's crop. We little realize when we see their carnations in full bloom the amount of work necessary to bring them to this stage.

Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent Sunday and Monday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson. Miss Ruth has a position with the Seaboard Railway Co.

The Congregational Ladies Aid, announced to be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Johnson, will be postponed on account of sickness in the family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jackson motored to Notasulga last Saturday, Mr. Jackson returning Monday and Mrs. Jackson remaining for a visit with her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen left for Birmingham last Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Christine Christenson.

Miss Jean Moss from New York, who has recently been visiting in Spartanburg, S. C., arrived Sunday for an indefinite visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Henning.

Mr. Roy Johnson and Miss E. Lewis of Ensley motored to Thorsby Saturday and visited Mr. Johnson's mother, Mrs. John Johnson.

Mrs. R. A. Mickesell, two sons and daughter, and Mrs. John Ryan, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Mickesell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Mr. Martin Nelson was taken to the Fraternity Hospital in Birmingham last Wednesday, where he was operated on for appendicitis. Latest reports are that Mr. Nelson is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson and daughter, Ethel, visited in Jemison last Thursday and took in the barbecue and Masonic installation.

Misses Lorena Primm and Bernice Williams from the C. E. Society of the Congregational church, are delegates to the C. E. Conference at Montreal, N. C., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and Mr. and Mrs. Reagan returned last Saturday from their trip to Florida. A nice time is reported and they are all looking well, even baby Foss. They visited several places of interest, including Jacksonville, St. Augustine, and Daytona, stopping off several days at the last named place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson were visitors in Thorsby last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Glass, mother of Mrs. S. P. Franklin, is visiting her daughter. Mrs. Glass is in poor health and will spend some time here.

Mr. D. J. Flummer and Willie Scott were week end visitors in Thorsby.

The L. & N. railroad put on an excursion to Birmingham last Sunday. About 20 people from Thorsby availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the Magic City.

Mr. F. E. Gronquist returned to Thorsby last week, after spending some months in Birmingham.

The Cooke Players are temporarily located in Thorsby. They know a good place when they see it. This company consists of Mr. and Mrs. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Richards and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and Mr. Sam Jones. They will show Friday and Saturday night this week, presentnig "Polly of the Circus" Friday night and "When Johnny Comes to Town" Saturday night. The proceeds in part will go to the Parent-Teachers Association.

Mr. D. L. Ward spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Miss Leora Goodgame visited her sister, Mrs. Herbert Peterson of Jemison last Thursday.

Miss Ethel Taylor, who has been spending several weeks with her aunt Mrs. G. L. Harper, left Monday for Florida.

Mrs. Oden of Maplesville, aunt of Mrs. Wm. Billingsley, is visiting in Thorsby.

Mr. Frank Glernier and daughter drove through from Mobile and stopped Friday night and Sautrday with Mr. D. M. Paxson. Mr. Glernier is from Indianapolis, and made the trip through from there about three weeks ago. He was then on his way home.

Mr. John Hayes and family, with his son, William, met with what might have been a serious accident. Last week as they returned by auto from Mobile, in going too near the edge of the road, near Selma, their auto tippled over. Miss Lucile received the most serious injury, but they were fortunate in escaping as well as they did and with their lives.

The Parent-Teachers Association will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Martin Peterson next week, on Thursday, July 10th.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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A Good, Clean Shave, an Up-to-Date Hair Cut, or a Hot or Cold Bath, go to Thorsby's Only Barber,

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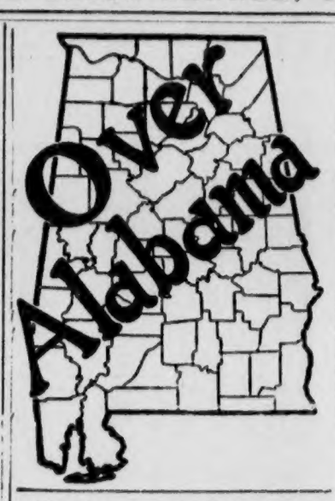

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

A road survey is now in progress for the extension of the western spur that ends at the government hospital a Tuskegee. This section of the road was turned over to the Mitchell Lumber company and it is the purpose of Mr. Mitchell to extend it through the institute grounds and on to Tuskegee The institute has agreed to give the right of way, to build a passenger depot and to employ an agent, and in addition to this the trustees appropriated a neat sum toward the construction of the road bed. The extension of this road by the institute will mean a saving of $15,000 a year on freight rates to the institute.

Constitutionality of the act of the legislature conferring powers and duties of jury commissioners in Crenshaw County upon the court of county commissioners was upheld by the Alabama Supreme Court, in the case of R. L. Byrd, et al. vs. the state ex rel. W. B. Colcuett et als, appealed from the Crenshaw Circuit Court The decision reversed judgment of the trial court.

The Huntsville police are searching for two young couples who registered at the Hotel Yarbrough at Huntsville and left without paying their board bill. The quartet were traveling together in an automobile and registered under the names of J. J. Mauerty and wife and R. N. Brown and wife. The hotel management claims they left by the fire escape without coming by the desk to settle their bill.

Formal certificate of appeal in the case of G. T. McElderry vs. John W. Abercrombie, as state superintendent of education and as executive officer of the state board of education, has been filed in the office of the clerk of the Alabama Supreme court.

The Mobile Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will mark the spot in Mobile where Woodrow Wilson delivered his pronouncement regarding this country's attitude toward foreign countries and the gaining of new territory.

Pearl and Odell Jackson, negroes alleged members of an axe gang, will hang in the Jefferson county jail Aug. 8. This was decided in the criminal division of circuit court when Judge Harrington P. Heflin sentenced both negroes to death. Peyton Johnson, alleged to have been a member of the same gang, was given the same sentence some time ago, but he appealed his case.

An appeal has been taken to the supreme court by George E. Stone the treasurer of Mobile county, from the recent decision of the court of appeals, upholding the constitutionality of the act of 1923 increasing salaries of Mobile circuit judges. Stone's appeal was in the form of a petition for a writ of cetioriari to the court of appeals which if granted would have the effect of reversing the appellate court's decision.

Sentence of 35 years for second degree murder given Harry Paul Hayne, Cleburne county, for the killing of Al Giles, was affirmed in a decision by the supreme court. The court has affirmed the sentence given George Webster, Shelby county, of 25 years, given for second degree murder after he had killed John S. Hatfield.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at Anniston, it was unanimously voted for that organization to sponsor the American army horse show, which is planned to be held on July 17th.

J. S. Harbin, age 24, who escaped three weeks ago from the Huntsville jail where he was facing charges of burglary and grand larceny of nine stores, has been returned to Huntsville by S. B. Worley appeal deputy.

During the past week the concrete engineers division of Wilson Dam have averaged pouring 1,000 yards of concrete per day.

Announcement has been made at Camp McClellen that 40 trainees had been rejected and returned home within the past few weeks because of kidney diseases. This marks the second large number of R. O. T. C. students to be sent home on account of physical defects.

The Phi Gamma Delta fraternity which recently sold its home on Fraternity Row to the Zeta Beta Tau fraternity at University, Alabama, expect to occupy another home early in September when the University open.

Mr. J. C. Ingram from Rockford Route 2 was here Wednesday.

This picture shows one of the improved dormitories at Alabama College, Montevallo, erected to care for students in view of congested conditions. Alabama College is asking citizens of Alabama for one million dollars to help relieve this situation.

TRUSTEES TO SPEND PROCEEDS MILLION DOLLAR CAMPAIGN

Montevallo, Ala.—Funds collected in the million dollar campaign, launched on June 2nd by the board of trustees for Alabama College at Montevallo, with Dean Carmichael in active charge, will be expended by the regular board of trustees of the college, headed by Governor W. W. Brandon and President T. W. Palmer of the College.

The money will be turned over to this board to be used for expansion purposes exclusively, the building of additional buildings and installation of additional equipment to take care of the growing needs of the college. The school, according to Dr. Palmer, has reached the limit of its service to the state and it is for expansion, not maintenance that the million dollar fund is being asked of the people of the state.

The first thing that will be done with money collected in this drive will be the erection of a large dormitory to raise the capacity of the school in boarding accommodations to at least a thousand students.

This will be followed by the erection of an academic building in order that the classes, which have been meeting in rooms from one end of the campus to the other, may be gathered together in one building for the sake of convenience and efficiency.

Following that the board of trustees is planning to erect a modern chapel, to be a memorial to the Alabama Women of All Wars, which will replace the oldest and most inadequate building in the entire campus the present auditorium of the school

The program of expansion will cover a period of five years just as the collection of funds realized from the drive will cover a period of five years.

Members of the board of trustees have also been appointed members of the state-wide executive committee to handle the million dollar drive. The personnel of the committee is as follows:

Dr. T. W. Palmer, president, Governor W. W. Brandon, Judge W. H. Tayloe of Uniontown, M. V. Joseph of Birmingham, A. V. Lee of Gadsden, W. T. Sheehan of Montgomery, Dr. J. W. Abercrombie of Montgomery, Dean O. C. Carmichael of Montevallo, L. M. Moseley of Union Springs, W. J. Dansby of Butler, Judge R. B. Evins of Birmingham, J. B. Ellis of Selma, Virgil Bouldin of Huntsville and Landers W. Sevier of Birmingham.

CLASSIFIED ADS

SORGHUM Seed, Amber Cane, cheap —Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

COWS FOR SALE—One now fresh, two more will be in few days. Full Jersey stock. If interested, apply to I. W. Bice, Clanton, Ala., Rt. 1. 26-2t-pd.

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—281 acres, 9-horse farm, 5 1-2 miles north of Billingsley on Clanton and Billingsley road, about 200 acres clear of stumps, four tenant houses, and big 5-room dwelling, fruit and pecan trees of all descriptions, 100 thousand feet of long-leaf pine timber, located 1 1-2 quarter from church and school. If interested, call or see W. D. Burnett, Billingsley, Ala. 26-4t-pd

OLD Colony Life Insurance Company of Chicago, Illinois, offers agents a wider field and increased opportunity by writing man, woman and child from ages 0 to 60 on the annual, semi-annual or quarterly premium plan, for amounts going up to $3,000 as regards children, while for adults the limit is $30,000. As the Company writes also sub-standard risks our agents have very few rejections. The Company just entered Alabama and is looking for a good producer in this locality. 1t-p

BUSINESS COURSE AND SUMMER SCHOOL—I will begin a six weeks' Business Course at the Clanton Grammar School Building on July 7th.

If you are interested in shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping or penmanship, you can not take these subjects anywhere else at this price.

There will be a regular Summer School, in charge of an experienced teacher, for the first, second, third and fourth grades.

W. E. MARTIN,
MISS SADIE ADAMS,
1t-ch. Clanton, Ala.

Don't forget the big ball games, free barbecue, moving pictures and other entertainments here on July 4. Everybody come to Clanton and have a wonderful time.

Rev. W. W. Robinson of Providence was here Wednesday. His good wife sent the Banner force a box of fine peaches. We are always glad to see preachers, and especially so when they have something like this for us.

Mr. W. Y. Keel of Billingsley was in town Wednesday, looking mighty sweet.—He was selling honey.

FOR ECONOMICAL TRANSPORTATION

BARGAINS IN USED CARS

We have on hand the following used cars which we must move in order to make room for NEW CHEVROLETS which are now enroute to us:

BABY OVERLAND—Late model, in first-class condition $275.00
PREMO Touring $150.00
FORD Touring—New Paint $75.00
FORD Touring, just right for cut-down $50.00
CHEVROLET Touring in perfect shape and a real "Honest to Goodness" Bargain $125.00

All the above can be bought with small cash payment and liberal terms on balance.

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WE ARE GOING TO MOVE IN A FEW DAYS. RATHER T
FIRST - CLASS DRY GOODS, SHOES, LADIES' DRESSES, M
TO-WEAR, WE HAVE DECIDED TO SELL OUR ENTIRE ST
ERS AT PRICES THAT YOU HAVE NEVER SEEN BEFORE
RATHER THAN CARRY THEM TO OUR NEW LOCATION.

RED HOT SPECIAL

$1.00 triple stitch, heaviest grade blue Work Shirts, all sizes, special **59c**
1 lot of Ladies' 75c Silk Hose, in all colors, flesh, mellon, dawn, black, brown, white, grey and other leading colors, while they last; these hose are slightly imperfect; no exchange; while they last **19c**
$2.50 and $2.75 Men's Work Shoes, guaranteed all leather, and all sizes, special at **$1.79**
1 lot of fine 36-inch Curtain Scrim, white and colored, while 1000 yards last at **9c**

DRY GOODS SPECIALS

1 lot of Chambrays, beautiful assortment of patterns, sells everywhere at 15c; special, per yard **9c**
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At this point, by request, Mrs. W. J. Billingsley was given time to discuss W. M. U. After a most inspiring talk on this subject, a collection of $8.00 was taken for Dr. Ayers, a Missionary in China.

An address, or sermon, by Rev. S. H. Bennett, was a real treat for all who heard him. His appeal was to the individual. "Get yourself right and that will right the church."

After this sermon a dinner sufficient for twice as many people was spread.

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The last subject, "Laymen Movement," was taken care of by Paul Oden and Bro. Bennett.

The writer is not able to express in words through these columns the inspiration derived from this meeting. We wish it were possible to pass every good thought that was given to the entire Chilton County Association. Bro. Bennett is a whole team and surely things must move wherever he is found.

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Mrs. Caton was the mother of Mrs. Joe Grooms. There are some three or four more boys and girls to mourn after the deceased mother. The husband died some years ago.

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Respectfully,
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The chapel seats only eight persons. It was built in 1848 by F. J. Huber and John Gortner, who migrated to Iowa from Ohio. And, we're informed, it is still in very good condition—a sort of landmark that all Fort Atkinson natives point to with pride.

SOUTH CALERA

Mrs. Sarah Crim left Sunday for Greenville, Miss., where she intends to spend a part of her vacation visiting her sister, Mrs. Levert Stockdale.

Misses Ida and Leola Cooper, after a week's visit to their aunt, returned to their home in Marble Valley last Sunday.

Miss Mexa Tate spent several days in Calera last week attending the Baptist revival.

Mr. Mack Busby of Elmore, after a visit to his son in Colorado, returned by South Calera for a few days visit to his sister, Mrs. Davis Green.

Mrs. Tom Busby and two children, Vera and Era, spent a part of last week in Pelham visiting relatives.

Mr. George Lee was in Montevallo one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Griffin is visiting friends in Calera.

Mrs. George Lee went to Birmingham Sunday to be the guest of her daughter for a few days.

Mr. Will Jones spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess and Mrs. E. D. Crim motored to the River near Wilsonville Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbell came home Saturday afternoon from Siluria to visit her mother, Mrs. C. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby and little daughter from Pelham came Sunday to spend the week with relatives in South Calera.

A number of new additions were made to the church during the Baptist revival in Calera for the last two weeks. Bro. E. B. Farrar did the preaching. The meeting was among the best ever held in Calera.

Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin attended the ball game in Columbiana last Thursday.

Mrs. Horace Busby was the guest of Mrs. W. N. Jones Monday.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT MULBERRY CHURCH

After devotional, which was conducted by Dr. John A. Pool, Bro. B. Lawrence was made chairman for the day.

"The Outstanding need of our Association," was spoken to by Bro. W. J. Billingsley. "The Remedy," as given by Bro. Harper, is a re-consecration of our lives to God's service.

At this point, by request, Mrs. W. J. Billingsley was given time to discuss W. M. U. After a most inspiring talk on this subject, a collection of $8.00 was taken for Dr. Ayers, a Missionary in China.

An address, or sermon, by Rev. S. H. Bennett, was a real treat for all who heard him. His appeal was to the individual. "Get yourself right and that will right the church."

After this sermon a dinner sufficient for twice as many people was spread.

At 1:30 the house was again called to order and the remainder of the program was rendered. Bro. T. J. Deason took care of the subject, "What shall we do about it?"

"The B. Y. P. U." was spoken to by Miss Lena Franklin. You know the ground is always covered when she gets through. We hope all who heard her will heed the advice given.

The last subject, "Laymen Movement," was taken care of by Paul Oden and Bro. Bennett.

The writer is not able to express in words through these columns the inspiration derived from this meeting. We wish it were possible to pass every good thought that was given to the entire Chilton County Association. Bro. Bennett is a whole team and surely things must move wherever he is found.

Friends, avail yourselves of every opportunity to learn of the conditions surrounding you, and then try to have a part in righting the wrong and taking care of the things that are good.

HOWARD R. ODEN, Secy.

MRS. MARY CATON BURIED AT NEW SALEM ON THURSDAY

Mrs. Mary Caton, age 52, died Wednesday, June 25th at Bessemer, Ala., the cause of her death being pneumonia. The body was shipped to Thorsby Thursday and enterment made in the New Salem cemetery. The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. P. Lowery of Thorsby. The body came to Thorsby in the charge of the son of the deceased, Fred Caton.

Mrs. Caton was the mother of Mrs. Joe Grooms. There are some three or four more boys and girls to mourn after the deceased mother. The husband died some years ago.

Enters Feed Store at Night

Bill Hartley writes, "Rats came up from the swamps to my feed store every night and did awful damage. Finally I heard about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake,, used it and haven't seen a rat since." Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake positively DESTROYS rats! Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch and Cooper Drug Co.

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TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on July 21, 22 and 23. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified, and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education if living in some other county to be transerfred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for second who has not finished at least two years of high school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for first who has not had the equivalent of a full high school course.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday, except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in thirds to take second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m., and those taking for first and submitting valid seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
7-3-3t Co. Supt. Education.

Mr. J. P. Gentry of Jemison Route 3 was in Clanton Tuesday. His paper was out on the 1st, so you can guess the rest.

THANKS FRIENDS OF CLANTON

Editor Union-Banner:

Through the columns of your paper we wish to express to the people of and around Clanton our sincere thanks and appreciation for their kindness and help to us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother. The people were always willing and anxious to help us and we wish to thank them to the depth of our hearts for it. Without the help and sympathy of our friends our burdens and grief would have been unbearable. Again we thank you all.

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J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Coolidge and Dawes; Coolidge and Dawes:
One at each end of the crosscut that saws.

Another Senatorial investigation is under way in Washington. But this time the tables are turned and Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the leader of the Democrats, is the object of inquiry. In playing a game of golf on one of the most fashionable and exclusive courses at the National Capital things did not go to suit him. Reason fled, the primordial instincts of the cave man gained the ascendency, and the individual who had the temerity to question the Senator was laid flat with an awful soak in the eye. Now the governors of the club are looking into the matter to determine whether the distinguished Democratic statesman shall be asked to resign, or whether he will be tolerated a while longer.

"Government extravagance must stop," President Coolidge curtly told the Democratic-Radical combination at the Capitol responsible for the $68,000,000 postal pay bill when he returned that measure to the Senate with his veto. "The money must come from the pockets of the taxpayers. To the extent that we create further obligations which must be met from the moneys derived from taxation, to the extent do we reduce the possibility of further reduction in taxes. Before such obligations are created it should be conclusively shown that they are essential in the best interests of the Nation." Every citizen can say "Amen" to that proposition, and every voter will substantially endorse it with a Coolidge ballot next November.

LENIN MUST HAVE LAUGHED

Communists and anarchists in their palmiest days and nothing on the Democratic members of the Rhode Island State Senate when they undertook to put into effect their slogan of "our program or bust." The Democrats wanted to put through a measure for a popular referendum on the calling of a convention for revision of the state constitution, and insisted that the Republicans give it their support. The Republicans thought otherwise, whereupon the Democrats, aided by a presiding officer of their own party, proceeded to ram the proposition down Republican throats. Free for all fist fights punctuated the proceedings, police reserves were rushed to the Senate Chamber, and gas bombs were exploded that rendered a number of Republicans horsdu combat. Finally 21 of the 22 Republican Senators left with the determination not to return, after the chairman of the Republican state committee declared he had advised hem to leave the State to escape probable violence at the hands of "thugs and gunmen."

There is no difference in principle between what has transpired in the Rhode Island Senate and the recent proceedings of committees in the Demo-radically controlled United States Senate. The one found expression in physical violence, while the other was an exhibition of moral and mental depravity seldom found in any legislative body. In Rhode Island bodily harm was perpetrated upon the Republicans by their opponents. In Washington character assassination was the weapon which the Demo-rads relied upon to accomplish their ends. There are plenty of lessons that our voters can draw from these incidents, the chief of which is "Keep cool with Coolidge."

A "NOISY FOURTH" FOR UNCLE

CLEANINGS

Boston Transcript—Owners of railroads are forming an organization apparently for the purpose of reminding the Government and the public that, after all, the people who invested their money in the roads have some rights.

Marion Star—In a word, Secretary Hughes, couching his note in words of the utmost friendliness, points out to Nippon that we do not care to exercise that as a privilege which is ours as a right.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—In a Washington alley, a cat was found the other day nursing five pups. That's nothin! We know of a certain political party that is nursing a whole flock of bolsheviks.

Minneapolis Tribune—What the country needs is not only a continuation of Calvin Coolidge in the White House, but the election of a Congress which will give him whole-hearted support.

St. Louis Times—With the national debt reduced by two and a half billions the Democratic party will find difficulty in puncturing the financial record of the Republican Administration.

Providence Journal—"League Issue to be Dropped by Democrats."—Headline. Having previously been dropped by a seven million plurality of the voters of the United States.

Omaha Bee—One outfit objects to Dawes as being too conservative, and another is against him because he is too explosive. The voters will like him because he is progressive.

Springfield Union—Both directly and indirectly the work of General Dawes in Europe has been the most helpful and promising thing done for the American farmers.

Boston Transcript—Secretary Davis predicts that it will be a 10,000,000 plurality for Coolidge—a landslide plus a tidal wave, so to speak.

St. Louis Times—Calvin Coolidge has more followers today than any other man in the United States of America. He is our greatest leader.

Philadelphia North American—Washington was a good enough Father of his country but what the communists are looking for now is a Foster father.

Los Angeles Times—With Coolidge and Dawes as candidates few will need to read the platform. It's a good one, at that.

Portland Oregonian—Liberty bonds of late have been selling above par, perhaps due to the Coolidge and Dawes incident.

Providence Journal—The Democrats need not flatter themselves that General Dawe's pipe is a pipe of peace.

NOTICE

There will be an Ice Cream Supper at Mt. Carmel church, Adams, Ala., on Saturday night, July 5th, for the benifit of the Church.

W. M. U. WORKER

THE FARMER'S CARVING SET

The New York "World" has been throwing fits because the Republican tariff imposes too heavy a tax on the things the farmer must buy, and it cites carving sets as an example. All you farmers who feel burdened by the tax on carving sets please stand up and be counted.

In most farm homes the carving is done with the same meat knife that is used in the kitchen. If the farmer has a carving knife with a special bone handle, he probably paid about $2 for it, and it will easily last him for 40 years. Even if the total cost was due to the tariff, the tariff burden would be only five cents per year.

Of course the whole price of the carving knife would not be due to the tariff, and probably none of it would be. You will remember that in 1890 when the McKinley bill proposed to put a tariff on tin, the Democrats said that this would mean increased prices for everything the people buy that is put up in tin cans. But experience proved them to be ignorant of the effects of a tariff. Under the Republican tariff on tin we built up a domestic industry and the price of tin went down instead of up. We were freed from the foreign monopoly.

The same thing may be true of carving knives. It very likely is. There is no monopoly in the manufacture of carving knives. Anyone can make them who wants to, and it does not take a very big plant, either. But the tariff compels the foreigner to pay a tax into the United States treasury before he can market his carving knives here, and gives the American knife maker a measure of protection from the cheap labor of Europe. When our own knife industry is operated on a large scale it can cut the price, just as the price of tin was cut.

But, in any event, we guess the American farmer will not be greatly agitated by the solicitude of the New York "World" for his welfare in the matter of carving knives. The "World" is more interested in getting its partisan in the White House than it is in the American farmer. And the farmer has sense enough to know it.

STAYED NEUTRAL

Absolute frankness and honesty in politics seems to be beyond the comprehension of some people. We have an illustration of this in the failure of many delegates at the Cleveland Convention to take President Coolidge at his word when he said in advance that he would make no recommendation as to the selection of the candidate for the Vice Presidency. Mr. Coolidge maintained the attitude he had indicated. Many delegates and many newspaper correspondents who cover conventions did not think he would. Consequently there were reports, more or less credited, that Coolidge had indicated his preference for one candidate or another. It was assumed by some that whomever campaign manager Butler preferred must be the choice of Coolidge also. As a matter of fact, Coolidge did just what he said he would do—leave the selection of a candidate for the Vice Presidency to the convention. Mr. Dawes was the choice of the convention, as he should be. The Republicans of the country sent an overwhelming majority of the delegates to Cleveland instructed for Coolidge for President. Those delegates were not instructed as to candidates for Vice President. They were free to exercise their own judgment, and they performed the duty well.

FARM FACTS

The boarder hen should be culled from the flock and the cost of keeping her eliminated. A thorough culling of every farm flock is now in order. Over 25 percent of the hens have been removed from flocks without reducing the egg production.

Announcement has been made at Farm headquarters, Montgomery, that over 100,000 hens have signed for cooperative egg marketing. The Alabama Farm Bureau Poultry Association is now assured. The membership campaign will continue until July 15, with indications that at least a quarter of a million hens will be signed.

The wise housewife buys early her supply of canning rubbers and throws away the old ones. The cost of a rubber ring is a lot less than the value of a jar of spoiled fruit.

"In the beginning when each farmer produced and manufactured at home most of the things that he and his family needed, selling very little, there was no great need for organization. But we are now farming in a different age, and under different conditions. A business organization of farmers held by capable and constructive leaders is an absolute necessity."—Prof. Duncan, Director, Alabama Extension Service.

Over $10,000 worth of Alabama cotton of the 1823 crop went to market by the cooperative route. It demonstrated the many advantages of marketing this way.

Mr. O. D. Deloach of Coopers was in Clanton Tuesday on business in connection with the robbery of his store at that place Thursday night.

BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

Boll weevils are greatly influenced by weather conditions at all times of the year. The rate of increase in the spring and summer depends on climatic conditions as do the length of time they remain in winter quarters, the death rate during the winter and the time of coming from winter quarters.

By far the most important check the weevil receives is dry weather during June and July. It has been found that in Texas and other Western states an average of about a quarter of all the grubs in the fields are killed by heat and dryness. If the weather is sufficiently dry a weevil in a square which falls to the ground is soon killed by the heat or by the fact that the square soon becomes so dry that it does not furnish suitable food. Even in fallen bolls as many as ten out of a hundred of the grubs are sometimes killed by these conditions. The bolls which do not fall to the ground do not become so heated as to affect the grubs.

In very dry weather, and especially when the cotton plants are small so there is very little shade, even the grown weevils are killed in a few seconds when they happen to fall upon the ground, provided they do not fall in a place where they can crawl immediately upon some object from which they can fly back to the cotton plant.

The seasons in which the boll weevil will always do the most damage are those with much wet weather in June and July and in such cases efforts to check their progress and rapid multiplication must be redoubled and the fields watched closely to determine the time for applications of calcium arsenate in dust form.

The greatest movement of the weevils into winter quarters is when an average temperature of 60 degrees is reached, especially if the nights are cold and the days comparatively warm. Under such conditions there is a very noticeable activity on the part of the weevils in the fields.

This generally takes place in October and November and is a gradual rather than a sudden movement.

The conditions most destructive to the weevil in the winter are more or less frequent changes from low to high temperatures. A number of changes of this kind will kill many more weevils than a very low temperature alone. During very warm spells in the winter the weevils are sometimes found flying about. Activity of this kind seems to weaken them and when a cold spell comes they usually cannot withstand it.

Further information may obtained from the state college of agriculture.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of June 29, 1899.

Mrs. M. D. Johnson of Alpine, mother of J. H. Johnson, died suddenly on the 11th inst.

W. D. Lawrence of Maplesville is overhauling his big munger system gin, getting ready for another crop.

Representative L. H. Reynolds of Jemison left on Monday for Watkinsville, Oconee County, Ga., where he goes on a visit to friends and relatives. He is accompanied by Mrs. Reynolds and their bright little boy.

The double store for Messrs Honeycutt and Hayes at Thorsby will be under way of construction shortly.

Mr. James Nix and Mr. Joe Ward of Macedonia had ripe watermelons as early as June 22.

The revival at the Clanton Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Paul Price, came to a successful conclusion last Tuesday night.

Miss Lucy House of Jumbo visited Miss Susie Conway Sunday.

Messrs. Jas. A. Thomas, J. E. Robinson, and Prof. E. Robinson of Providence are attending McMorris' Arithmetic school at Clanton.

W. H. Taylor went to Wilsonville Sunday to visit his brother whom he has not seen for 8 years.

Married this week, John Vanderslice and Miss Sallie Malone.

Miss Jennie Wilson of British and Mrs. L. E. Judge o Birmingham are visiting the family of Dr. E. A. Matthews in Clanton.

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1 lot of Men's Palm Beach Suits, special at..... **$8.45**

1 lot of Men's Fine Silk Mohair Suits, in all sizes; special at..... **$10.95**

1 lot of Men's Fine Tropical Worsted and Gaberdine Suits; these suits are hand tailored and made by one of the best manufacturers; to close out during this Sale, special at..... **$15.45**

We carry the biggest line of Trousers in town. See us and save money. We have them grouped in several lots and at prices that will make them move.

1 lot of Fine Wash and Khaki Trousers, special at..... **$1.19**

Another good lot of Trousers, special during this Sale at..... **$1.34**

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Lot 4 consists of Men's and Young Men's Trousers, worth up to $5.00; special at..... **$3.45**

Don't forget our Boys' Suits while they last; be sure and get one for the boy and save money.

Our entire stock of Ladies' Suits will be placed on Sale at less than 1-2 former prices.

Your choice of any Men's Straw Hat in the house for..... **$1.39**

1 lot of Men's Felt Hats, in all sizes, black and brown, special at..... **$1.39**

Another lot of Fine Felt Hats, all sizes, special at..... **$1.79**

1 lot of high grade Felt Hats, in all sizes, newest shapes..... **$2.48**

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Lot No. 1 of Ladies' White Canvas 2-strap Pumps, all-leather in ond outer sole; special, low heels..... **$1.64**

Lot No. 2 is another bargain in White one-strap Pumps, low heels; while they last at..... **$1.79**

Lot No. 3 consists of high grade Felt Slippers, special at..... **85c**

Lot No. 4 consists of high grade black and brown Oxfords, low heels in one-straps and laces, black and brown and guaranteed all-leather, special..... **$1.98**

Lot No. 5 consists of Ladies' High Grade Oxfords and Strap and Patent Sandals, worth much more than our low prices of..... **$2.59**

Our entire line of $4.50 to $6.00 Low Cuts which is the very newest in style; we have them in satins, kid one-strap Sandals, in black, brown, white, grey, airdale, and all the leading styles, materials; don't hesistate; special while we have them..... **$3.95**

We have a beautiful line of Children's Low Cuts, priced from **$1.75 up to $2.69**; see them if interested, they will save you money.

We are going to offer during this Sale the greatest bargains in Men's Dress and Work Shoes and Oxfords that you have ever seen.

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Lot No. 2 consists of Men's High Grade Dress Shoes, all-leather, and in all sizes, special at..... **$2.64**

Lot No. 3 consists of Men's flexible all-leather guaranteed Work Shoes, with Uskide soles, special at..... **$2.24**

Lot No. 4 consists of Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords that sold at $4.00 to $4.50, all sizes; special during this Sale at..... **$2.95**

Another lot of High Shoes and Oxfords, while they last at..... **$3.95**

Space will not permit us to mention all, therefore we would suggest that you come and see the wonderful low prices we have marked our entire stock.

We are going to sell our entire stock of Ladies' and Children's Dresses at less than cost; see them anyway—

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Lot No. 2 consists of Fine Gingham Dresses with short and long sleeves, for only..... **$1.39**

Another fine lot of Gingham Dresses for only..... **$1.67**

Lot No. 4 of Ladies' Silk Dresses, new styles, while they last, in the leading silk materials, all sizes..... **$9.64**

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Knowledge, like timber, should not be used till it is seasoned.

—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Philathia S. S. Class Meets.

The monthly meeting of the Philathia S. S. Class was held at the home of Mrs. Macy Jones on last Friday afternoon when she and Mrs. T. C. McSwain and Miss French Evans entertained jointly. The porch was most attractive with lowering pot plants and vases of yellow daisies and zenias. The devotional was led by Mrs. Wilkerson and the outstanding committees made favorable reports. Plans were discussed to sell plate lunches at Gore's pond on Thursday afternoon, and committees named. Other committees were as follows: Welcoming, Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Page; Auto, Mrs. J. C. Jones; and Sick, Mrs. Neighbors. Later in the afternoon a lovely salad plate with iced tea was served.

Free Swimming Day.

Mr. Gore is opening his pond today to all swimmers to a free swim, and the Philathia S. S. Class of the M. E. church will sell lunches in the afternoon. Go out and enjoy the water, and you will come out ready to enjoy one of these lovely plate lunches only 40 cents.

Misses Daisy Varner of Montgomery and Dorenia Smith of Birmingham are spending this week as the guests of Miss Sallye Johnson on the camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Henley and children from Naftel, Ala., are spending some time in Clanton.

Mrs. Gilvie McKee and boys are spending this week with relatives and friends here. Mr. McKee will "Ford" up and join them on the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Polk have as their guest his mother from Columbiana.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Wilkerson were visitors to the Capital City on Wednesday.

Mrs. Annie Vines from Selma was the guest of Mrs. Clyde Jones on last Friday.

Miss Louise Orr will leave Friday on a Canadian-Western tour, with the Alexander Touring Party, and will be in Passadena, Cal., for several weeks before her return home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Parrish and children were guests of relatives for a short while Saturday, enroute by motor to northern Alabama cities.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dickerson from Selma were the guests of Misses Orr and mother for the week end.

Mrs. L. H. Reynolds spent a couple of days in Birmingham this week and was accompanied home by Mrs. John M. Bridges and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass Jones from Montgomery are visiting former old friends here this week.

Mrs. M. D. Arant has returned home from a visit to Opelika and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Jones had as their guest for the week end her mother, Mrs. Adeline Giddens from the Capital City.

Mr. A. C. Harper and son, Clarke, Jr., were visitors to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Mullins from Birmingham will be guests of relatives in the city for the 4th of July.

Mr. Tate Callen was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Callen, this week.

Miss Rita Arant has returned from a visit to Miss Gladys Willis in Dadeville.

Messrs. Harve and Jack Hicks from Centerville were visitors to Clanton last week.

The friends of Miss Mayme Smith will be glad to learn that she is home again after undergoing an operation for appendicitis at the Central Ala. Hospital.

On account of the regular meeting of the Study Club coming on Friday, the 4th, the club will be postponed until Friday week, July 11th, to meet with Mrs. A. Johnson.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson and boys returned Friday from a few weeks visit to her mother in Owensville, Ind.

Mrs. Claude Reynolds and mother, Mrs. Johnson, motored down to Montgomery Friday.

Mrs. Earl G. McLin of the McLin school of Expression, will be in Clanton soon and give several numbers under the auspices of the Philathia S. S. Class. Watch for the date.

Mrs. Tom Thompson has returned to her home in Selma, after a few days stay with relatives here.

Mrs. J. Watts Moore spent several days in Birmingham last week as the guest of Mrs. W. K. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart had as their guest last week Mrs. Bill Lenier from Tallassee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong and Mrs. O. Q. Roper were the week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Roper at Boothton.

Rev. and Mrs. P. G. Carter from Geneva were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade last Thursday. Rev. Carter will be in Clanton to preach to his former congregation the 1st Sunday in August.

Frank Mullins spent a few days with relatives in Montgomery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curlee were visitors to Birmingham for the week end.

NOTICE—EX-SERVICE MEN

Thorsby, Ala., July 1, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Kindly print the following letter for the benefit of ex-service men and their dependants:

I have on hand a number of application blanks, instructions, and return envelopes to be distributed in this community to veterans and their dependants desiring to make application for the benefits under the World War Adjusted Compensation Act.

If you were dependant on an ex-service man and he is dead, make application for his adjusted compensation.

I shall be glad to assist or give information to any ex-service men or the dependants of any such men.

Very Respectfully,
GROVER A. BICE, P.M.,
Thorsby, Ala.

REV. CARTER AND BRIDE HERE

If anyone should ask, you may tell them that Pastor Carter is actually married. He was in Clanton one day last week, and he had the proof right with him. The Banner wishes to give its most hearty congratulations to both Rev. and Mrs. Carter. We feel sure that with the aid and encouragement of this noble lady as a life companion, Rev. Carter will be able to do his work as a Baptist minister even more efficiently and more strongly than he has in the past. We were indeed glad to meet Pastor Carter and his "better half."

HER FACE LOOKS FAMILIAR?

SURELY many of our women readers will recognize the simply but fashionably attired beauty pictured here. Her lovely brown eyes and haunting smile have graced hundreds of magazine covers and pages of fashion periodicals. Who is she? Well, if we must name her—she is Miss Lillian Grace.

Miss Grace is famed throughout the country as a remarkable beauty and is always in demand by photographers, artists and fashion experts. She appeared in person recently at the Fashion Pageant held in New York City where hundreds sought the chance to get a close glimpse of her.

With such beauty—should think she would make a good "drawing card."

SALE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Circle No. 2 will put on a 25c Sale at the church next Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

MRS. G. C. HARRIS.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"Our idea o' th' zenith in wasted energy is settin' one committee t' investigatin' another investigatin' committee --"

Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

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but it did the work. It just seemed to cleanse the liver. Very soon I felt like new. When I found Black-Draught so easy to take and easy-acting, I began to use it in time and would not have sick headaches."

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STUDEBAKER WINS TWO "FIRSTS" IN REMARKABLE RUN

First Prizes in 1882-Mile Contest Staged at El Paso, Texas, Awarded to Studebaker Light-Six and Special Six for Economy and Endurance.

El Paso, Texas, June 30.—Two first prizes, one for economy and the other for endurance, were won by standard stock Studebaker cars in the Economy and Endurance run staged by the El Paso Herald.

The Studebaker Light-Six, competing against four other well-known makes of cars, covered the 1882-mile route across Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, which included paved roads, desert wastes and rough mountain trails, in the prescribed 12 days, using but 95 gallons of gasoline and six quarts of oil.

This is an average of 19.8 miles per gallon of gas and 813.65 miles per quart of oil.

Won Handsome Trophies.

The Special-Six carried away the honors for endurance against a field of other well known cars. The only two points scored against it were those assessed because the driver, who was unfamiliar with all the rules, purposely shut off his motor in a traffic jam. Otherwise, it had a clean score.

First prize for economy, won by the Light-Six, was a large, handsome plaque, while the endurance trophy was a beautiful silver loving cup. Both trophies were suitably inscribed.

Violations Penalized.

The entire course was covered by officials, press representatives and "checkers." All drivers were required to check their cars in and out at pre-determined "control points," each morning, noon and night. Strict A. A. A. rules governed the contest and penalties were assessed for all violations.

These two new records follow close on the heels of numerous equally impressive road victories for stock Studebaker cars in Florida, California, Pennsylvania, South Africa, the Syrian Desert and Australia.

The wide interest aroused by this economy and endurance run has influenced the sponsors to establish it as an annual event. Next year it will probably attract even a larger number of entries.

NEW HARMONY

There was an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. Harmon Headley on ost Saturday night, given in honor of Mrs. Headley's sister, Miss Fannie Vance. There was a large crowd out and all seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mr. Fletcher Carter and little son, Tommie, from Birmingham, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. Eugene Jaskson.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Gibson of Montgomery are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henley of Memphis, Tenn., are here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Huey Guinn of Sylacauga are expected to arrive in Clanton next Thursday to be here on a week's visit to the latter's grandmother. Mrs. Guinn will be remembered as Miss Ruby Cooper.

We have singing each second and fourth Sunday afternoon at Pleasant Grove, and extend an invitation to all who can to come and help us, especially all singers. We have our new organ now, and of course, our singing is lots better.

We have Sunday School each Sunday afternoon except the first Sunday, which is the regular preaching day, when our Sunday school is at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11 o'clock. We also have 30 or 40 minutes of prayer service after Sunday school and several have expressed this as being the most enjoyed feature of all.

It has been announced that Mr. Harvey Culp will preach next Sunday instead of Bro. Gibson, the regular pastor. Mr. Culp is one of our own boys and a devout church worker. So let us all extend to him a hearty congratulation for his past work and wish him God speed in the work that God intends for him to do.

7,000 ALABAMIANS WILL GET $185,000

DIRECTORS ALA. POWER CO. DECLARE 17TH QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—CHECKS WILL BE MAILED JULY FIRST.

Checks amounting to $185,000.00 will be issued to over 7,000 Alabamians in every quarter of the State on July 1st, when the seventeenth quarterly dividend will be paid on Alabama Power company preferred stock, according to Thomas Bragg, manager of the company's investment department who stated that the board of directors declared the 17th consecutive dividend at their last meeting. More than 10,000 Alabamians own Alabama Power company's securities of different kinds.

Mr. Bragg stated that customer ownership, the goal for which practically all utilities in the country are striving, is coming rapidly nearer for the Power company as a considerable percentage of all users of the company's power now own its preferred stock and this number is being augmented by leaps and bounds. "In purchasing stock in the largest Alabama corporation," said Mr. Bragg, "our citizens are not only investing in the company but in their state as our growth has been and will continue to be parallel with that of Alabama."

Mr. Bragg presented interesting figures showing that the Alabama Power company, despite the fact that it began marketing its securities but a short time ago, is now leading all public utilities in the customer ownership field and that, since 1920, when the stock was first placed on the market, each year has witnessed the doubling of sales over the previous year. He considers this a remarkable tribute to the confidence held in the company by investors and the public, and to the usual advantages offered in the stock.

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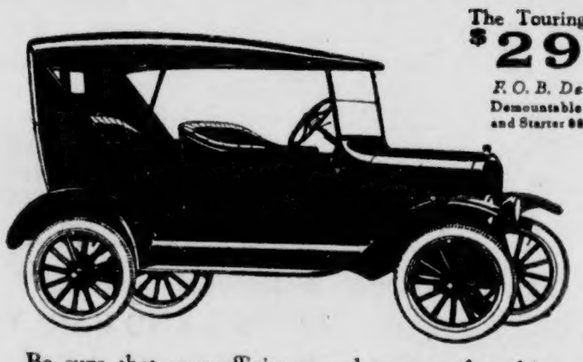

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LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court, in Equity. B. L. Lowery, Complainant, vs. Essie Lowery, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertaned faiter reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Essie Lowery, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 10th day of July, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, Ala., this 9th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
6-12-4t. Register.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING OF PROBATE OF WILL OF CORINE C. FOX, DECEASED.

To Nora Anderson, State of Oklahoma, sister of Corine C. Fox, deceased, to the widow and three children of Eli Hicks, deceased, brother of Corine C. Fox, deceased: ,

Take notice and you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of June, 1924, application was made to the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, by G. W. Fox for the probate of the last will and testament of Corine C. Fox, deceased, and that the 19th day of July, 1924, has been fixed by an order of this court, made and entered for the hearing of said application at which time you may appear and contest the same if you see proper.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
6-26-3tc. Judge of Probate.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|00 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the August Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Curry Jones and Roberta Curry, in favor of court costs I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 28th day of July, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary Curry Jones, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, June 24th, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-4tc.

NOTICE OF LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court, in Equity.
To Mary Curry Jones:

You will take notice that I have this 23rd day of June, 1924, levied upon the following described Real Estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court, in Equity, for the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|100 Dollars, in favor of Court Costs, and that said Real Estate will be advertised and sold according to law, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door 23rd day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-3tc.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

**Chilton County,
Section "A"
Surfacing**

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, August 6, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the surfacing with one course plain cement concrete pavement 17.455 miles of road in Chilton, County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

Contractors in submitting bids on the concrete paving will include in the price bid per square yard all necessary labor and materials with the exception of Portland Cement which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. The contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense and in addition will be held responsible for the return to the mill of all empty cement sacks.

Contractors in submitting bids for this work will understand that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids are the ones that will govern.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

The successful bidder will probably be required to pave several miles of this project during the fall months. Also he will absorb into the price bid for concrete paving, the cost of the necessary fine grading, within the following limits, six inches above or six inches below sub-grade.

The items of work are approximately as follows:

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.

1,000 Lin. Ft. Blind Drains.

23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4 inch galvanized cable for guard rail.

1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.

102 End post braces for guard rail.

17,455 Miles of shoulder construction.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash certified check or bid Bond for Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.-00) made payable to the Chariman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
7-3-3t-c State Highway Engineer.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity.

R. G. Blewster, Complainant, vs. Cammie Otts Blewster, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of R. G. Blewster, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Cammie Otts Blewster, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30th day of July, 1824, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 28th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
7-3-4t-c. Register.

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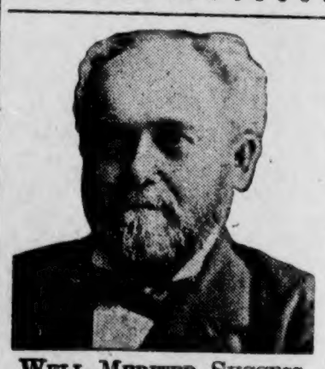

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Claude L. Lanham of Charleston, W. Va., after a four-day steady chase, was captured at Merritts Landing on the Alabama river. The prisoner is charged with highway robbery to which may be added assault with intent to murder, growing out of the finding of M. W. Culver of Texarkana, Ark., in the Louisville and Nashville yards at Flomaton, Ala. After his arrest Lanham is alleged to have confessed to officers and said he and Culver had come from Mobile after having been released from a ship on which they had been working as sailors, for the purpose of robbing freight cars and a jewelry store at Flomaton and that after reaching Flomaton Culver refused to take part in the robberies.

George A. Jeffrey, attache of the American embassy at Tokyo, accompanied by Mrs. Jeffreys, are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Florence Forbes at Decatur, after a trip around the world. The diplomat was given a leave sometime after the recent severe earthquake during which time Mrs. Jeffreys had a thrilling escape from death. She was standing in a narrow street when the first quake was felt and in 30 seconds she said the buildings in neighborhood were raised. By a miracle she was uninjured.

The United States government steamboat, Tuscumbia, employed in government work at Wilson Dam, was sunk in the Tennessee river near the Sheffield landing, as the result of striking a submerged rock near the south side of the river channel. The steamer was in service near Buck Island and Florence wharf hauling gravel for construction work at the dam.

Freight trains No. 90, northbound and No. 97, southbound, on the Alabama Mineral division of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, collided head-on recently at Inland, 27 miles from Birmingham, and two engineers O. Hall and S. J. Spain, and two firemen, Dave Thompson and Will Glover, were injured, none seriously.

The Tennessee Valley laboratory has been asked by a number of north Alabama companies to make tests for disease among the employes of the petitioning company. Dr. Periollo, director of the laboratory, has announced that health officials will be glad to make such tests if the employes of the company will visit the office.

The date of hearing of impeachment charges against Sheriff P. H. McQueen of Crenshaw county, which had been set for July 8, has been postponed by the supreme court. The new date of hearing has not been fixed, but it is expected that the case will not be heard until early in October.

Plans are being perfected for the erection of two additions to the Colbert county high school at Leighton. The additions when completed will cost approximately $1,800 and will make the school a modern one in every respect.

Warrants charging murder of his son, Houston Campbell, have been sworn out at Selma against Jesse Davis, Perry Count and A. B. Blevins negroes by Jim Campbell. Campbell's bullet ridden body was found in a swamp above Summerfield.

Louis Nebrig writes to relatives at Albany-Decatur that in the wheat fields of Oklahoma 25 head of stock died from sunstroke recently on the farm on which Nebrig is helping with the wheat harvest.

Lymon Sherer, 11, was shot in the head and fatally wounded at his home two miles east of Jasper recently when a shotgun in the hands of his cousin, Dell Sherer, was accidently discharged.

Coming in contact with a 2,300-volt transmission line, F. F. Bradford of Tuscaloosa and Ervin Stamps of Alabama City, linemen of the Alabama Power company, were electrocuted at Tuscaloosa.

The people of Cordova and vicinity are making plans to erect a large city high school building. The location of the school has been selected and the building material has already been ordered.

The summer school which has been in session for the last four weeks at the Cordova high school was closed Wednesday. The school has been a real success with an enrollment of about 56 students.

Acton Fisher, a negro helper at an automobile repair company, was shot and instantly killed by Special Officer B. M. Duke at Selma, where Officers Duke was called to disperse a crowd of negroes gathered for a barbecue.

Four inmates of the Jefferson county jail have left Birmingham for Montgomery in the custody of State Officer Joe Wilson, to serve sentences in Kilby prison.

Building permits totaling $1,895,465 have been issued in Tuscaloosa during the past year, according to the annual report of the Chamber of Commerce.

The Anniston Business and Professional Women's Club will foster two of the adult schools to be conducted in Calhoun County during the Summer and two others will be fostered by the Axis Club, it has been announced by those in charge of the preliminary plans for the schools.

Murphy Allen, white farmer living near Ryan, was killed by lightning during a thunder storm recently. Allen had been driven in by the rain and it was while removing gear from his horse that he was hit.

W. W. DEVAUGHN DEAD

William Webster Devaughn, age 69, died last Sunday at the Central Alabama Hospital of heart dropsy. The remains were buried the following day at Poplar Springs, Rev. J. D. Hughes conducting the funeral.

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With this Closing-Out Sale will go all Summer piece-goods at very low prices. This will include all Silk Goods such as Crepe de Chine, Canton Crepe, Silk and Wool Crepe, Taffeta, Satin, Messoline, and all Cotton Goods such as Voiles, Organdies, Dotted Swiss, Botish, etc. Come Early, while you will have an opportunity to select what you would like to have.

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REFUGE SINGING

The all day singing at this place the fifth Sunday was called to order about 9:30 by Chairman O. R. Robinson; prayer was offered by Rev. M. J. Parrish. Committee for arranging program was appointed as follows: T. N. Miner, G. C. Powell, L. F. Cleckler.

Program for the morning was J. W. Cleckler, S. L. Baker, R. M. Robinson; quartet by E. L. Powell, R. M. Robinson, L. F. Cleckler and Ethel Powell. After three songs by E. L. Powell, another quartet was rendered by O. L. Devaughn, E. L. Powell, Mrs. Maggie Robinson and G. C. Powell.

A 15 minutes lecture on Singing was made by Rev. W. W. Robinson, which was extra good. Adjourned for dinner; dinner being spread, everybody came up and ate until they were filled, and there was about half of the good eatables left. May God bless the good ladies for preparing such a fine dinner.

Called back to order at 1:30 by the chairman; J. E. Miner, O. L. Devaughn, W. H. Robinson; quartet by G. C. Powell, Ethel Powell, L. F. Cleckler, and E. L. Powell; L. F. Cleckler, C. H. Robinson, J. A. W. Mims; quartet by J. A. W. Mims, Evie Mims, R. E. Powell and Miss Beanie Mims; G. C. Powell, R. E. Powell, all directed three songs each.

Organists for the day were Mrs. Annie Robinson, Ruth Thompson, Lular Cleckler, Mr. C. H. Robinson, L. F. Cleckler.

Closed by a short but interesting talk and one good song by R. Robinson. Dismissed by Rev. M. J. Parrish.

We wish to thank all for their coming and helping. We are made to believe that the day was well spent in praising God in song service. We are forced to say that it was the best that we have ever had at this place. Behavior was good, with just a little exception, but by the good people and our wide awake officers, we will take care of all this by and by.

I would like to make mention of lots more, I will not consume any more space. Thanking the editor and all for their good help, will close, asking you to come again. There will be preaching here next Sunday.

J. E. MINER, Secy.

NOTES FROM CENTRAL ALABAMA HOSPITAL

Miss Mayme Smith, recently operated on for appendicitis, went home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Roper returned home Sunday much improved.

Mrs. Bud Baker was able to return home Friday.

Mr. Joe Bratton, who has been suffering from blood poison, is now much improved.

Mr. Green Mims has been in the hospital for an eye operation by Dr. Arthur Johnson.

Mrs. Luetta Logan is improving, following an abdominal operation.

Miss Clara Vines was in the hospital for a day or two a few days ago.

Mrs. Bud Cox was there a few days last week.

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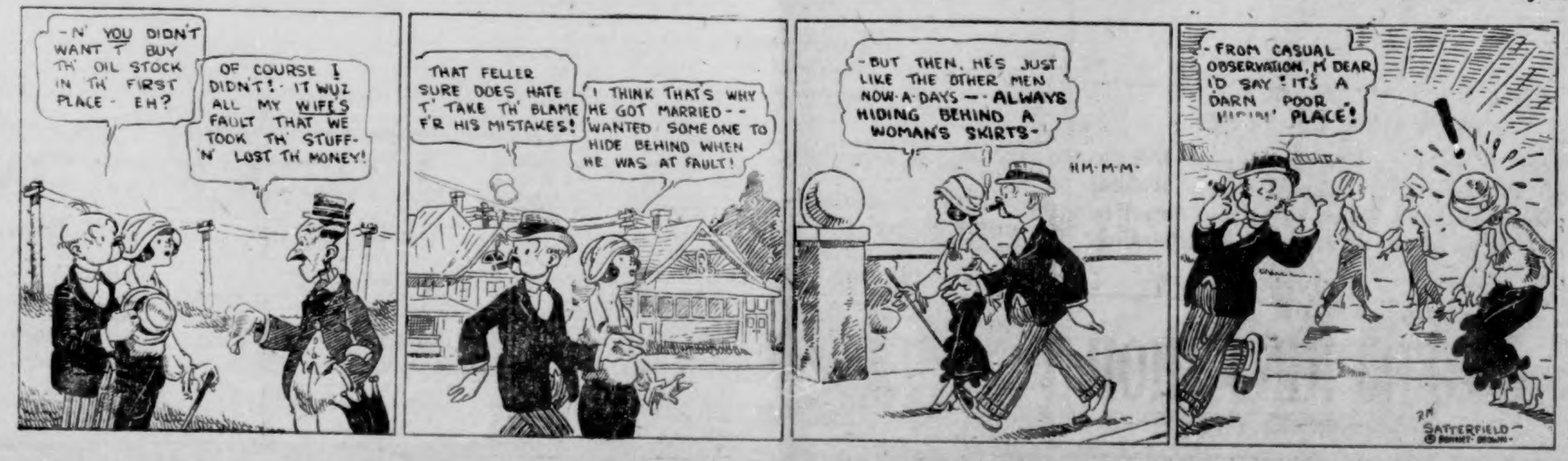

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BIG FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION HERE A SUCCESS; BIG CROWD

People of County Come Together and Join in Celebrating July 4th.

Independence Day was fittingly celebrated at Clanton last Friday. Early in the morning people began to gather from all sections of the county, and by 9 or 10 o'clock all the east side of town near the high school grounds was working alive.

The first feature of the program was a speech by Dr. Frank Willis Barnett at 10 o'clock. Dr. Barnett spoke in his usual style of combining wit and humor with profound philosophy, attracting the attention as well as amusement of his many hearers. His speech was very instructive as well as entertaining.

The base ball game between Clanton and Mobile was called at 10:30, a large number of spectators availing themselves of seeing a good game, which resulted 4 to 3 in favor of the home team.

About 11:30 the attention of the gathering was directed to a speech made by Col. Bibb Graves of Montgomery. This noted gentleman with a military record and a literary standing as well made a fine speech which was altogether in line with the occasion. He spoke for forty-five minutes and held the undivided attention of a goodly number of earnest listeners. His speech was fine indeed.

Then came the biggest event of the day—the big free barbecue. A pile of nice juicy barbecued meat consisting of beef, mutton, and kid was spread out on the long table, and everyone present was invited to come up and help themselves, and to say the least of it, the hungry crowd did its part nobly, and they were well pleased too.

The greasy poll was there with top of it. All day, the boys and men dollar bills sticking all around the were doing their best to reach the money, but it was late in the afternoon before the goal was reached. Master Joe Luckie of Clanton, with the assistance of several other boys, succeeded in getting the money. The greasy pig was caught by one of the Mobile ball players. The pig was sold, bringing the sum of $4.00.

Another base ball game was pulled off between Clanton and Mobile at 2:30 in the afternoon, the result being 10 to 1 in Clanton's favor.

Another feature of the day was the motion picture, "The Life of Christ," which was shown twice during the day and once at night. This was a splendid picture and was seen by a number of people.

All during the day cold drinks, ice cream, candy, balloons, walking sticks and whips were sold by the ladies of the Methodist church, and from these operations a nice sum was realized which will apply on the new church building.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sims and two sons, Harry and James Coplin are leaving July 16 for a western tour. They will visit Mr. Sims' brother in Denver and a sister in New Mexico before returning.

Mr. Joe Dorough of Birmingham was the charming guest of Miss Mabel Baker last Sunday.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERTSON HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

A rather serious automobile accident happened just north of the Reese Mullins bridge on the highway above Clanton late Monday afternoon, when the big Buick Six driven by a Mr. Robertson, a hosiery salesman from out of Birmingham capsized. No one was in the car except the man and his wife, both of whom were sharply injured but not seriously. The two injured people were taken from under the crushed automobile and carried to the Central Alabama Hospital, where treatment was administered them. The automobile was brought into Ellis' shop, where repairs will be made.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, it is said, were on their way from Birmingham to Quincey, Florida.

S. L. HAWK IS SHOT BY A NEGRO LAST SATURDAY NIGHT

A posse of from two to three hundred men were scouring the woods in the vicinity of Wetumpka early Sunday morning in search of a negro, Luff Murrell, who shot and seriously wounded S. L. Hawk, city nightwatchman, late Saturday night.

The bullet tore through the fleshy part of Mr. Hawk's arm, while three other shots from the negro barely missed the officer, it was reported. Mr. Hawk was rushed to a Montgomery hospital where he was reported as doing nicely early Sunday morning.

Murrell, according to the officer, was known as a dangerous negro, and has a police record in several cities. According to Mr. Hawk, a negro approached him late Saturday night and requested protection from Murrell, who he said, had threatened his life.

Mr. Hawk, at the direction of the complainant, sought to place Murrell under arrest. As he approached the negro, Mr. Hawk turned the glare of his flashlight full on the accused man, who in turn immediately opened fire.

Only one bullet took effect, Mr. Hawk collapsing in his tracks. The negro then fled. Friends nearby rushed to the aid of Hawk and took him to the hospital.

Citizens procured the aid of bloodhounds from Speigner prison, and all fully armed, the midnight search got under way. The deep baying of the hounds as they picked up the scent echoed and re-echoed through the valleys surrounding Wetumpka.

The negro had approximately an hour's leeway, and until an early hour Sunday morning he had not been apprehended.

MAN ARRESTED FOR CELEBRATING FOURTH OF JULY

Sheriff Littlejohn and Harvey Foshee arrested Sam Paul Mims of Refuge community in Clanton on the evening of the Fourth of July. Sam was celebrating the national holiday, but he was celebrating it in the wrong way. All indications went to show that he had been drinking something besides lemonade. He was arrested for violating the prohibition law and placed in the county jail. He was later released on bond.

G. D. Retherford, police of Clanton, arrested Jim Thompson on the Fourth for violating the prohibition law. Jim was placed in jail, and was later released on bond.

CLANTON DEFEATS COLUMBIANA HERE 4 TO 1 MONDAY

In a fast ball game at the high school park Monday afternoon of this week, Clanton defeated Columbiana with the score of 4 to 1. The Clanton boys starred several times during the game. Julius Burnett pitched for Clanton and did excellent work. Jack Hayes bunted a ball with a man on second and a man on third; Columbiana fumbled the ball, letting the two men on bases come in and letting Hayes safe on first. Roper made a beautiful peg to the plate after catching a high fly in back left field, Columbiana having a man on third, who was out at home. Parrish also made a sensational catch of a hot liner while playing on third base.

Clanton plays Mignon Mills of Sylacauga this afternoon (Thursday). This club has the reputation of being one of the fastest in the State, they having defeated LaFayette two games last week. Two real ball clubs are going to tie up; you will miss a real game if you do not see this one.

AN OPEN LETTER FROM THE FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N

To the Farmers of Chilton County:

We would like very much to see you personally and discuss together the problems having to do with our mutual welfare but as it is impossible for us to see everyone at this time, we ask you to take a few minutes of your time to read what we wish to call to your attention.

This is one of a series of letters that will appear in this paper for the purpose of bringing to your attention the Farmers Co-operative Association and outlining to you the possibilities contained therein for the farmers of this county. We come to you not as someone from a foreign field with a cut and dried formula which has been prepared by someone used to conditions entirely different from ours, and which you are asked to swallow whole. We come rather as your neighbors and permanent citizens of this county inviting you to consider if it would not pay you well to join hands with your fellow farmers in this county in an effort to improve the conditions under which we exist.

We realize that with a larger membership the association can be of greater assistance to each individual member and can render this assistance at a smaller cost to each individual member. As duly elected officers of the association we feel that it is our duty as well as our privilege to invite your co-operation in the great work of helping to bring about the economic independence of the farmer.

This organization was formed by a group of men who had been among the most active in the Chilton county division of the United Farmers during the past two years. The change was made by them because, in view of certain developments in the aforementioned organization, a change was necessary if we were to have an active organization of the farmers of this county, and they were unwilling to be without such an organization. They knew that it had been demonstrated that an organization of the farmers could be of inestimable help to the members. They believed that if they would form a home organization based on a practical business plan, operated at a reasonable expense to each member and directed by men selected by the members and under the control of the members at all times, that the farmers of this county would rally to such an organization and make it a permanent institution for the handling of their business.

The purpose of this organization is to market the products of its members to the best possible advantage and also to purchase for its members at wholesale prices such articles as its members wish to purchase thru the association and will include the following: Fertilizers of all kind, seed, feed, fruit trees, flour, salt, farm tools and other farm supplies.

In future articles to appear in this paper, we will outline to you in more detail the plans of the organization and the methods that will be followed in its operation.

Yours for co-operation,
J. S. WELDON,
W. B. COOPER,
R. M. FOSHEE,
Executive Committee, F. C. A.

CEDAR GROVE

There will be a working at this place on the 17th of July. All who are interested in the church and cemetery are requested to be present. Come prepared to spend the day in cleaning off the yards and cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cox of Temple community are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby boy Monday night.

NEGRO'S HEAD CUT OFF BY TRAIN HERE ON MONDAY NIGHT

Early Tuesday morning the body of an unidentified negro man was found under the overhead bridge across the railroad in north Clanton. The head of the negro and his right shoulder and arm were in one piece and the rest of his body in another. It is supposed that the negro lay down across the railroad track to rest and dropped off to sleep, and a train came along putting him to sleep forever. The negro appeared to be about twenty years old.

JUDGE REYNOLDS AND TOM ROCKETT VISIT IN BALDWIN

Judge L. H. Reynolds, accompanied by Mr. J. T. Rockett, left last Saturday morning for Robertsdale in Baldwin county, making the trip by automobile. Judge Reynolds went down there to make a Sunday school lecture before a community Sunday School Children's Day exercise which was held Sunday at the Union Hill School house, a few miles out from Robertsdale.

Both Judge Reynolds and Mr. Rockett report that they had a most enjoyable time while in the midst of those people in Baldwin county. There are a number of people in that community who are former Chilton county people, and the Judge and Mr. Rockett were very enthusiastically received. The former Chilton people now living there consist of the Campbells, Northcutts, Lowerys, DuBoses and Robinsons. There are around a hundred former Chilton county people living in that vicinity.

Judge Reynolds was booked to speak to the gathering at 11 o'clock, but he being a little late getting there, his part on the program was postponed until after noon. At 2:00 o'clock the judge spoke to the gathering on the subject, "The Benefits of a Sunday School." There were more than five hundred people present, and Judge Reynolds says they were the most responsive crowd of people he has ever spoken to. The judge was invited to speak before this meeting by Mr. C. M. Northcutt, a former Chilton county man, who is now Superintendent of the Sunday School at Union Hill.

Sunday afternoon the judge and Mr. Rockett went on down to Foley and from there to Fairhope, a noted summer resort, where they spent the night. They returned by way of Greenville, arriving back in Clanton Tuesday morning.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. A. M. Crawford of Castleberry was admitted to the hospital Tuesday following an injury by a fall.

Mrs. M. H. Roberts and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. Luetta Logan went home Wednesday.

Mrs. L. M. Nichelson was able to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Robertson of Birmingham, who sustained injuries in an automobile wreck, are rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Sam Headley was admitted to the hospital Monday.

Mrs. Jim Mims has been in the hospital since Monday.

Mr. Joe Bratton, who has been suffering from a severe case of blood poison, is much improved.

Mr. Clifford Mullins of Mitchell Dam was in the hospital two or three days this week.

The hospital was so crowded Tuesday that one of the nurses' rooms had to be vacated for a patient.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on July 21, 22 and 23. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified, and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education if living in some other county to be transerfred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for second who has not finished at least two years of high school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for first who has not had the equivalent of a full high school course.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday, except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in thirds to take second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m., and those taking for first and submitting valid seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
7-3-3t Co. Supt. Education.

ANOTHER AUTO WRECK TUESDAY AFTERNOON

A frightful yet not severe automobile wreck happened on the Wesson Hill just north of town Tuesday afternoon when Claude Reynolds' Dodge car, driven by Miss Sara Luckie took into the bank on the side of the road. Reports say that the girl was attempting to pass a wagon on the hill when a front wheel of the car got in a small ditch. The steering wheel was given a quick turn to get it out of the ditch and the car lammed into the bank on the other side of the road, turning over on one side. The left front wheel, the right front fender and the rear right fender were demolished. One or two other girls were in the car with the driver, but none were hurt more than sustaining a scratch or two.

ALABAMA BIRTHS TOTAL 57,140 IN PRECEDING YEAR

The stork was kind to Alabama in 1923. During those 12 months a total of 57,140 births were recorded, according to official records in the office of Dr. W. T. Fales, director of the bureau of vital statistics of the state health depratment. Of the new citizens arriving 37,132 were white infants and 20,008 were negro infants.

The same records show that this tremendous addition to the population of the state included 444 sets of white twins and 264 sets of negro twins, also two sets of white triplets and three sets of negro triplets.

It is shown also by the records of the bureau that in 1923, the total number of marriages in Alabama was 28,309, of which 14,656 were marriages of white persons, and the remaining 13,653 marriages of negro persons. The number of deaths occurring in the state during 1923 totalled 270,39, this number including 14,055 white persons and 12,984 negroes.

OSCAR GILES JUMPS IN RIVER WHEN OFFICERS APPROACH HIM

On last Thursday morning about 2 o'clock, a.m., Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee were waiting on the Chilton side of the river at Mims' Ferry, when they heard someone on the Coosa side call for the ferry. In answer to the call, a man got in a boat on this side and went across. The flat was already on the Coosa side. In a few minutes the flat came across with a Ford car and three men on it. The men tried for some time to land the flat but failed, so the officers came out and took charge of the car and one gallon, three pints of whiskey. Littlejohn went after Oscar Giles, who came across on the flat and who was the owner of the Ford car, but Oscar jumped in the river and swam up stream around the cliff called the Rock House. The officers did not chase him further, but getting the ferryman to come down there and land the flat, took the Ford car and whiskey and brought them to Clanton.

Oscar Giles was arrested in Clanton Thursday morning and placed in jail. He was later released on bond of $500.00. The car is in the possession of the sheriff.

CALVIN COOLIDGE, JR. DIES OF BLOOD POISON IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

President's Younger Son Succumbs After Brief Illness of Five Days.

Washington, July 7.—Calvin Coolidge, Jr., son of the President, died tonight at Walter Reed Hospital of blood poisoning.

The end came after the boy had battled with the utmost bravery and fortitude for five days against a disease which had racked his body with pain and sapped the reserve strength of his frail constitution.

President and Mrs. Coolidge, who had maintained constant vigil at the hospital, were at his bedside, hopeful and cheering and comforting their son to the last.

A sinking spell, it was said, had occurred which every effort was made to check through the use of restoratives and stimiulants.

For some time fears of such a development had been felt and the President and Mrs. Coolidge had not left the hospital for dinner. The report was the most serious which had yet come from the sick room.

With what success the collapse was combatted was not immediately apparent, no indication coming from the sick room. He survived sinking spells last night, however, and this gave a faint hope to anxious watchers.

The spark of life still was in the boy at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced, and he was partly conscious under a flow of oxygen.

Six physicians worked over him while the president and Mrs. Coolidge were at the bedside. Scarcely any hope, however, was held out for his survival.

In the face of repeated requirements of treatment today the doctors found themselves constantly assisted by the boy himself and they also found a refusal on his part to weaken under the pain of the manipulation and injections.

One of the observers said that it had never been necessary to do anything but to inform young Calvin, who has clung to consciousness, of the time and place where a given operation would bring pain.

A sinking spell, the fourth he had suffered in 24 hours, brought death. Notwithstanding the use of oxygen and other restoratives, the courage which had withstood crisis after crisis and had beaten death off repeatedly, was unable to meet the attack. The collapse began at 6:30 o'clock and he gradually sank into eternity. He died at 10:30 o'clock.

Y. W. A. TO MEET

The Young Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Miss Marjorie Murphy Wednesday afternoon, July 16th at 4 o'clock. An interesting program on Baptist Missions in Africa will be rendered. A good attendance of the membership is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Baxley are the proud parents of a big new ninepound baby boy, it having arrived early Tuesday morning.

Mr. Willis Lowe was a visitor to Birmingham Saturday and Sunday.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Different

One of the educational advantages of travel is the easy way to learn how different in many ways are people and conditions in the various sections of our common country.

I have been very much interested in watching proceedings on a field across the street from our temporary home. First a good crop of hay was taken off it. Then a man with a pair of horses weighing about 1600 pounds each, with a plough cutting a furrow six inches deep and 12-ins. wide, which was turned upside down, not set on edge, went carefully over the field. Next it was harrowed both ways leaving a seed bed friable and even above the bed of humus in the inverted sod. The field was then carefully sown with millet, to be grown for hay. After sowing it was again harrowed both ways and finally a heavy roller went all over it leaving the surface smooth and even. Millet seed are round and smooth and about the size of red clover seed. The processes employed imbedded each particular seed in close fitting soil while underneath it the earth was loose for root growth and the decaying humus will furnish all the fertilizer needed. Today this field looks as if each particular seed has started to grow, and the farmer tells me he will get a good crop of hay off it in time to put in a crop of winter wheat or rye in the fall, which in turn will get the benefit of all the root growth of the millet for humus or fertilizer. What is the result. These farmers do not depend on one crop a year. What they grow is fed to stock, mostly high grade milch cows, which in turn are producers of milk and its products, but an abundance of the very best kind of fertilizer, which is carefully preserved and put where it will do the most good. These people do not have "all their eggs in one basket." They live in comfort and are not of the class crying to congress for relief. Their homes are well furnished, and their children attend fine schools. Last Sunday evening our son took us for a ride to Long Valley, about fifteen miles away. This valley was settled probably 150 years ago by a colony of Germans, each securing a broad tract of land, these homesteads have been handed down from generation to generation, each one practicing the best ideas in agriculture, and all the present owners are wealthy, but most of them remain on their farms amid the visible evidences of this prosperity.

During this ride we were shown an institution which is a fair representation of business methods a hundred years ago. In a small hamlet, just a few houses and a general store at a cross roads, also a small station on a railroad, there was a factory building, a machine shop, and a warehouse. The concern which is now conducted by decendants of the founder of the business, which consists of the manufacture of engines, turbines and castings. Their power is supplied from a small stream flowing through the valley where their works are located. Their products are widely known and I am told they are doing a prosperous business. One can readily see how these people can compete with big concerns located in congested cities where their help is often unskilled and expensive. Each man employed in this country factory has probably grown up in the business and knows well whatever he has to do. Power is provided at lowest cost, shop expenses are low, and labor strikes are unknown, insurance and taxes are not big items in overhead expenses. That is the way business used to be done. Many a prosperous town of today has grown up around some factory started when the place was small. And even today, small towns all over the land are seeking factories who want more room and better living conditions for their employees, and once they get started others follow so that within a few years many small towns have grown to prosperous cities.

As an instance of how this process produces wealth the writer, about fifty years ago bought a home in a small village 12 miles from Chicago. The land was valued at $500 for five lots 50x150; a short time ago that tract of land sold for $50,000; needless to say it had long ago passed out of my possession. In and around New York City, property, or land, values increase rapidly. Manhattan Island has become covered with buildings, and so great is the demand for space that it takes but a small bit of land to sell for a million dollars. The only way in which such an investment can be made profitable is to occupy sky space, piling story upon story hundreds of feet in the air and then rent the space at prices that would make ordinary country dwellers gasp.

I have just received detailed information of plans for the erection of a skyscraper church by a New York Methodist Episcopal church. The plans have been drawn and approved, and work will begin soon. The building will be located on the highest ground on Broadway at the intersection of One Hundred and Seventy Third Street and will be 24 stories high with a central tower topped by a cross that will be higher in the air than the top of the Woolworth building.

The space used by the church, within the building, will comprise an auditorium seating 2,200 people, Sunday school rooms and church offices. All available space on the first floor will be used for stores and offices for rent. Two corners of the building will be devoted to small apartments while the central tower will contain 500 rooms to be rented to young men students at low rental.

In the basement there will be a gymnasium, swimming pool, club rooms and a cafateria. The plans call for an expenditure of four million dollars on the entire project, and it is expected that the income will meet the running expenses of the church in lieu of endowment which many older churches have. Trinity Episcopal church is probably the richest in the world—it is more than 100 years old and owns acres of land in lower New York City, in the vicinity of Wall Street, which they rent on long term leases. These acres are now covered by many of the largest and most expensive buildings in the city.

Only yesterday I read in a New York paper of another Methodist Episcopal New York church, which is having plans prepared for a church and apartment building to cost $6,000,000 which they figure will pay interest, insurance, taxes, etc., and still leave about $20,000 annually for church expenses.

In this section of the country any project that does not involve millions is a small affair. This is a land of millionaires. Few of them ever did earn or make it by trade, but real estate owned by ancestors has converted thousands into millions, and there are hundreds of square miles of it—one does not need to wonder how it all came about.

Another thing "different" noted among the very wealthy is the fact that many of them, by their wills, leave their estates to be administered by Trust Companies, who pay the heirs stipulated sums, or shares of the income from the investment, and do not leave their millions to be squandered by the young people who have been brought up in luxury and never knew how to work or the real value of money.

The weather is most always a matter of interest, and it is certainly very different here from what we learn from reports that it is in Alabama. We have been told once or twice since we came here, "This is a hot day," but we failed to recognize it, because we were not uncomfortably warm. Most of the days are so cool that a little fire in the house would feel comfortable, and as for the nights our bed is equipped just about the same as the one we had all winter at home. There have been very few mosquitoes so far, and we sure do enjoy the entire absence of red bugs.

Oh yes, there is something else here that is "different;" maybe it has been mentioned in some of our Alabama papers. But the Democratic National convention is certainly unique. This great concourse of people were supposed to assemble here for the purpose of nominating candidates for president and vice-president.

Having closely attended, by radio, the proceedings of the convention, I am convinced that there was never a greater demonstration of the art of "How not to do it," and a determination to prevent by every known process the nomination of anybody. In the first place the rule that a successful nominee must have two-thirds of the votes of the convention, is "different" from the recognized Democratic rule for all kinds of mass meetings. This rule was originated by Andrew Jackson, to punish somebody who had peeved him because this man's wife refused to recognize as a social equal the wife of one of his political pets. And being Democrats the party have not changed it in a hundred years. This is the 11th day and the 14th session of the convention. The last ballot I heard was the 72nd which was but little altered from the first. The convention has descended to an acsemonious fight in which the chief element is human endurance. Surely this is different from what it should be.

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causes bad breath, gassy pains, coated tongue and belching.
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Sweeten your stomach and breath—only 25c

SWIFT CREEK NEWS

The people of this community are enjoying themselves at present going to singing school, Sunday school, church, ice cream suppers and ball games.

Mr. Grady Giles left Sunday for Clay county, where he will stay this summer.

Misses Mary and Carrie Giles entertained a number of friends at their home Saturday night.

Misses Myrtle and Etta Knight and Misses Lillian and Eula Mae Knight were present at the entertainment given by th Misses Giles Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Giles visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Walker Friday.

Misses Myrtle and Etta Mullins spent Saturday afternoon with Misses Mary and Carrie Giles.

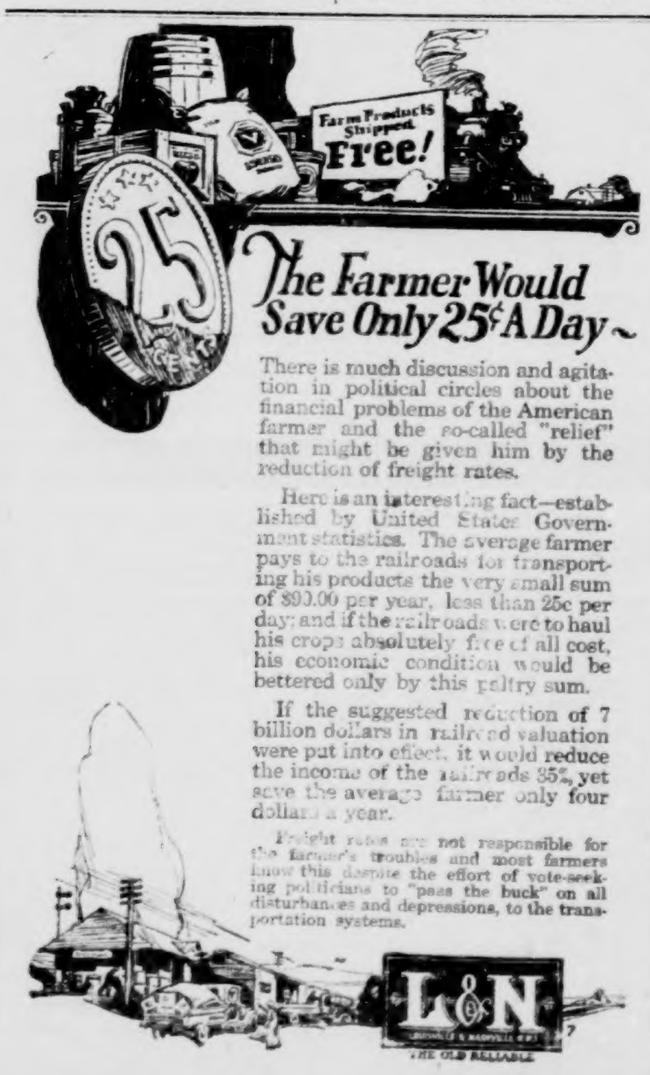
Mrs. Nellie Driver returned home Sunday after a long visit to her mother, Mrs. Henry Dobbs.

A HEN WITH A RECORD

Mrs. Annie Armstrong of Clanton is the owner of a hen which has a rather good laying record. The hen, says Mrs. Armstrong, lays an egg every day, every other one being a two-yellow egg and measuring about 7 inches around and weighing about a quarter of a pound. On the between days the hen lays a smaller egg, which is only slightly larger than ordinary eggs.

The pedigree of the hen is a cross between the Rhode Island Red and the Minorca.

Our friend, Mr. J. F. Anderson of Pletcher was in our office a few minutes Monday morning. Mr. Anderson said that the rain missed his section Sunday.



The Farmer Would Save Only 25¢ A Day

There is much discussion and agitation in political circles about the financial problems of the American farmer and the so-called "relief" that might be given him by the reduction of freight rates.

Here is an interesting fact—established by United States Government statistics. The average farmer pays to the railroads for transporting his products the very small sum of $90.00 per year, less than 25c per day; and if the railroads were to haul his crops absolutely free of all cost, his economic condition would be bettered only by this paltry sum.

If the suggested reduction of 7 billion dollars in railroad valuation were put into effect, it would reduce the income of the railroads 35%, yet save the average farmer only four dollars a year.

Freight rates are not responsible for the farmer's troubles and most farmers know this despite the effort of vote-seeking politicians to "pass the buck" on all disturbances and depressions, to the transportation systems.

Pimples

BLOOD impurities are pumped by the heart into the face. That is what causes that grainy appearance, that muddiness, sallowness, pimples, blackheads, acne, red spots, and that impossible "something" which no face cream, massage, or face powder can cover up or beautify! The foundation for a beautiful skin simply is not there, and no face treatment can give it to you. But increase your red-blood-cells,—and quickly the ruby tint of purity begins to glow in the cheeks, the complexion becomes venus-like and immaculate! Try it. It will do it every time. S. S. S. builds the red-blood-cells you need for a beautiful complexion. Begin using S. S. S. at once, and give yourself what you have been working for, for years.

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OAK GROVE

We elected new officers and teachers here Sunday. Our Superintendent is Mr. Oscar Cobb; assistant, Mr. W. J. Northcutt; Secretary, Miss Myrtle Martin; teacher for Class No. 1, Miss Rosa Lee Martin; No. 2, Mrs. W. J. Northcutt; No. 3, Mrs. C. L. Martin; No. 4, Miss Myrtle Martin; No. 5, Miss Lester Cobb; No. 6, Miss Ollie Glass; No. 7, Mrs. Lester Northcutt.

Our singing society met at 1:30 p.m. Sunday. Everybody seemed to enjoy the day. We had some fine quartets and singing.

Remember our regular singing evening, 1st and 3rd Sundays.

Our B. Y. P. U. met with good attendance Sunday night about 6:30, and enjoyed a nice program with our new Junior leader, Mr. W. J. Northcutt. Also a fine program by the Seniors.

Everybody seemed to enjoy the Fourth, especially at the home of W. J. Northcutt, where ice cream and lemonade were served.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Williams and daughter of Jemison were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Northcutt the 4th and 5th.

Everybody remember our regular preaching Saturday night and Sunday.

FREE SPRINGS

Crops are good around here, but are needing rain very badly.

Mr. J. C. Prim and wife, Hugh Prim and wife, Roy and Phares Raybon motored to Clanton the Fourth.

Eudoras Killingsworth and Joe Upton of Bessemer motored down the Fourth and spent the week-end with Roy Raybon.

Daniel Prim of Randolph and Hugh Prim and wife of Siluria spent last week at J. C. Prim's and W. H. Raybon's.

Rev. J. G. W. Bailey of Minooka was a pleasant caller at W. H. Raybon's Sunday—one of our old home boys.

W. H. Compton, wife and children of Talladega are spending a few days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Prim spent last Monday at Mrs. Barnes'.

W. H. Raybon and sons, Roy and Phares and Daniel Prim motored to Randolph Sunday afternoon.

Meeting will start at Free Springs next first Sunday. Everybody come and let's make it a week of real work and good for the Lord.

MUSIC SCHOOL AT POPLAR SPRINGS

Prof. O. L. Devaughn will begin a singing and music school at Poplar Springs on Monday, July 14th. The public is cordially invited to come and help.

J. L. McDOWELL.

NEW SALEM CEMETERY CLEANING

All parties interested in the cemetery at New Salem are asked to meet there on Wednesday, July 16th, with tools to clean off same.

G. W. Maddox, T. A. Maddox, J. D. Bean.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE OPENS PREPARATORY SCHOOL

A preparatory school department will be opened at the Woman's College of Alabama at the beginning of the fall session, September 16, 1924. The regular four year course of a standard high school will be offered, supplemented by courses in public school music, art and expression.

The object of the department school is to prepare students for college. It will, however, provide a liberal secondary school education to those who may not attend college but who wish to secure a high school education surrounded by the influence of a high grade liberal arts college.

The main feature of the school is the unuusal advantage offered in music, art and expression. The faculty in charge of this department is carefully selected from some of the best teachers in the South. These courses are offered free to any student registered in the preparatory department.

This important part of Woman's College will be conducted in the building recently erected on the campus through the gift of Mr. Fred M. Jackson of Birmingham, and will be organized and carried on separately from the rest of the College and under a separate faculty entirely.

CARD OF THANKS

We of the Methodist Church, wish to express our thanks to both papers for their generosity in giving space in their columns to the advertisement of the barbecue on the 4th inst., also faithful service rendered by Mr. Sartor, Dr. Hinkle and Mr. Pipes. Besides this there were many others who rendered service, lent needed articles, etc., for which we appreciate. We also are grateful to Prof. Stephens for use of school building and grounds, and to Mr. Heard and ball team for the games. We are especially proud of our ball team.

C. C. WILKERSON, P. C.

Mr. J. R. Rucker of Maplesville, Route 2, was in Clanton Monday attending commissioners court regarding road matters.

$30.00 Automobile Tire Eaten!

William Hall writes, "Rats got in my garage and ate holes right through a new $30.00 tire. They love rubber. I put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake in the garage and have never seen a rat since. Wonderful stuff." Protect your tires against rats! Get a package TODAY. Sold by Upchurch Drug Co. and Cooper Drug. Co.

THE LEADER MOVING INTO NEW LOCATION IN CLANTON

The Leader, Mr. Maurice Lande, manager, is not going to move away from Clanton, but is going to move his store into the place now occupied by Mr. W. A. Kemp. The Leader now has on a big Removal Sale at its same old stand and as soon as the proper arrangements can be made by both Mr. Lande and Mr. Kemp, the Leader will be moved into the new location. Mr. Kemp is going to move into one of the new buildings now being erected by Mr. J. C. Jones on the Kicker lots.

Mr. Lande has built up his business in Clanton to a point that he has to have more space. Since coming to Clanton four or five years ago, Mr. Lande has made a number of friends and has added to his train a long list of customers. He came here spreading printers ink lavishly and he has been continuing to do it all the while, and his business grows—sure it does. Advertising pays.

HIGHLAND

All that are interested in the Cemetery at this place please meet on Thursday July 17th for the purpose of cleaning off the cemetery and also the church yard, as the protracted meeting will start next third Sunday. So everybody that can, come and bring tools and help.

W. J. HAMILTON.

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Child-birth

WHEN the Little One arrives, you can have that moment more free from suffering than you have perhaps imagined. An eminent physician, expert in this science, has shown the way. It was he who first produced the great remedy, "Mother's Friend." Mrs. C. J. Hartman, Scranton, Pa., says:

"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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Sweet Dreams Spray—the great double-strength liquid masterpiece.
And so easy to use. Just pump the misty cloudlike vapors of Sweet Dreams Spray into the hiding places of Mosquitoes. With one master stroke, it kills them all—right while you pump and look.

Sweet Dreams Spray passes the same sort of death warrant right on to other troublesome insects—Ants, Flies, Mites, Fleas, Roaches, Bed Bugs and other bugs. It is most highly recommended for general household use.
Sweet Dreams Spray is packed only in cans—red-top cans that are easily recognized.
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For Summer Wear

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Shades are most delicate and alluring. Many other models in organdy, swiss and ginghams.

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THORSBY SECTION

(R. E. HORTON, Manager.)

(Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Mgr.)

Mrs. Johanna Lefstead spent Monday and Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson motored to Heflin, Ala., spending Friday and Saturday and returning home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan and children of Birmingham were visitors at the home of Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Soberg from Thursday until Sunday afternoon. Mr. Arnold Soberg accompanied them home for his vacation.

Miss Clara Peterson of Birmingham visited in Thorsby Sunday.

The Lutheran Sunday School held their annual picnic on July 4th in Mr. Conrad Carlson's grove. It was an ideal day and a general good time was reported for which they felt many thanks should be given Mr. and Mrs. Carlson.

Misses Agnes and Ruth Gerald came home last Thursday evening. Miss Agnes is attending the Birmingham Southern College this summer. She returned Sunday evening. Miss Ruth has been in Demorest, Ga. the past year attending college and will return there next year.

Messrs. Sylvester and Clyde Robinson were visitors in Thorsby over the Fourth from Birmingham, where they now reside.

Miss Nell Shannon left Saturday morning for a few days visit in Prattville, where she will join her sister, Miss Sadie Shannon. From there they will both go to their home in West Point, Ga. Miss Shannon will be gone about two weeks. The Institute Library will be open as usual on Friday P. M.

Word from the Butlers at Lakeside, Ohio, reports their safe arrival. While they are near the place that was struck by the storm no damage was done there.

The following information has been gleaned in regard to the teachers of Thorsby Institute: Miss Helen Jenkins, Prin., is attending Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. taking special work in Latin, in which she already excells. Dr. Place one of her teachers ,s the author of Latin text books. Mr. C. J. Tisall, a graduate of the University of Arizona, is attending Columbia University, Columbia, N. Y. taking educational work. Mr. Roscoe Maddox, one of next year's teachers, is attending the University of North Carolina. Besides other work he is taking a course in athletics.

Mrs. Berdohl and two daughters left Thorsby Monday morning. They were the recipients of several social favors while here.

Mrs. F. E. Gronquist leaves this week for a visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hebert Peterson spent the Fourth with relatives in Thorsby.

Don't forget the Parent Teachers Association Social at the home of Mrs. Martin Peterson this week, Thursday, July 10. Everybody is cordially invited.

Mr. Walter Johnson, Mrs. Harry Langford and Miss Julia Gugina were visitors at the home of Mrs. John Johnson the Fourth.

Among other visitors over the 4th and to spend the week-end were Misses Agnes Leary, Marie Flummer, Annie Werness and Vivian Longville, and Messrs. D. J. Flummer and Earl Meade.

Judge Adams returned home Wednesday night after having spent two weeks in the hospital in Birmingham.

Miss Gladys Flummer is visiting in Birmingham this week.

Miss Maurice Anderson spent the Fourth with Miss Naomi Gronquist.

Miss Dora Brantt, a former resident of Thorsby and now living in Indiana, has been visiting the past week with Miss Lillian Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. Oden of Maplesville left Monday morning after spending the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Billingaley.

Mr. Olaf Shieve made a trip to Birmingham last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford were visitors in Montgomery last week.

Miss Ruth Turner went to Birmingham Monday morning to visit with her aunt.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet next week Thursday, July 17, at the home of Mrs. Carl Grenn.

The Rural Flim Co. presented "The Life of Christ" at Bates Hall last Wednesday. It was a good picture.

A Sunday School Training Class will start next Monday morning at the Baptist church. A capable teacher will attend . Everybody is invited.

Future Champion?

SOME big frame of muscle and bone this fellow, isn't he? "Strength" is his middle name, although most of the wrestling fans know him as Hans Steinke—latest European contender for the heavyweight wrestling championship of the world. He's in this country, wrestling most of the runners-up for the world's title, which—at this writing—still rests securely on the brow of our own Ed ("Strangler') Lewis.

That Steinke, who is a German, possesses almost a superhuman strength has already been evidenced in his bouts to date. He decisively defeated both the huge Charley Cutler and Stanislaw Zbyszko—the latter the former titleholder—pinning their shoulders to the canvas in jig time. If he does as well with one or two others he must meet before getting a chance at the title, Champion Lewis is in for one of the toughest matches of his career.

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THORSBY, ALABAMA

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epticmized Form.

The workers and children of the State Baptist orphanage at Troy will enjoy a picnic Thursday, July 24, at the grounds of the home. Among the prominent visitors who will be present will be Rev. J. W. Stewart, Dr. J. W. Phillips, of Mobile, Dr. Frank Willis Barnett of Birmingham. The Troy orchestra and the children's chorus will supply the music. A ball game and athletic stunts will furnish the afternoon's program.

George F. Tindall filed suit in the Jefferson circuit court for $50,000 against the Globe and Rutgers Fire Insurance company as a result of his alleged arrest some time ago on a charge of burning an insured automobile. Tindall, after being indicted by the grand jury during its July, 1923 term, was tried and acquitted, he claims. One count in his complaint is that he was forced to spend four days in jail.

Dr. S. W. Welch, state health officer, has returned from a trip to Chicago, Ill., and Lansing, Mich., where he attended annual meetings, respectively, of the American Medical Association and the Association of Health Authorities of North America. He was elected a member of the executive committee of the latter organization. The committee is composed of only seven members.

Anniston voters went to the polls and decided by a decisive vote in favor of the $100,000 school bond issue and the $40,000 park bond issue. Although the vote was perhaps the lightest polled in a city election in many years, the victory for the bond supporters was won by a wide margin. The school bond issue was carried by a 6 to 1 vote, while the park issue was carried by a 3 to 1 vote.

The Central of Georgia Railroad Company has put in its steamshove and sidetrack at Childersburg and has begun work on cutting down grades and elevating the tracks. Two highways and the Southern Railway tracks will go under the Central tracks when the work is completed.

Charles W. Rittenour was re-elected president of the Alabama Farm Bureau Hay association at the annual meeting of the board of directors while A. W. Shedd was named general manager. This will be Mr. Rittenour's third term under the farm bureau federation.

A. B. Aldridge has been named receiver for the Ensley Southern Railway company by Judge William M. Walker, of chancery court, following admission by the Ensley road of allegations contained in a bill of complaint filed by the Southern Railway company.

Sergeant W. C. Shyrigh of Birmingham, is walking from that city to New York. Sergeant Shyrigh is a member of the National guard unit and intends to walk the entire way and is making his expenses by shining shoes. He expects to arrive in New York in 12 weeks.

R. A. Butler, a negro, 24 years of age, walked off a barge at Wilson Dam and was drowned. Butler worked on the night shift and it is thought that he fell asleep and the blowing of a work whistle aroused him and in a dazed condition he walked off the barge.

One hundred thousand dollars worth of Tuscaloosa's city improvement bonds were sold to Ward-Sterne & Company, of Birmingham, for $102, the best price the city has ever obtained for city bonds.

The Alabama public service commission granted the petition of the Southern railway for permission to discontinue the agency at Cardiff, as a freight and passenger station and to make it a prepay station.

The Southern Roads company has announced that the underpass on the intercity highway between Sheffield and Florence which has been closed for several months has been completed and is now open for traffic.

Jacob R. Moon, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Moon, of Goodwater, recently graduated at West Point, with the rank of second lieutenant in the regular army.

George Parker, 45, employe in a coal mine at Nyota, Blount county, several miles northwest of Birmingham, was instantly killed when struck by a falling rock.

COOLEY IS NAMED BY REPUBLICANS

Doctor To Make Race For Congress In Seventh District

GADSDEN, Ala., July 8.—Dr. B. S. Cooley of Gadsden was Tuesday afternoon nominated for Congress by the seventh district republican convention here. He defeated Ignatius Polisk of Cullman, by a vote of 104 to 17, the Cullman dellegation being the only one to vote for its candidate. Dr. Cooley is medical examiner for the war veteran bureau. The convention adjourned until 1 o'clock out of respect for young Calvin Coolidge.

George McEldery of Talladega delayed the work of selecting a candidate by making a speech in favor of a high tariff, asking the convention to name a man who has sense enough to vote for protection. His particular reasons concerned tariff on vegetable oil.

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Hegeman Laboratory is Dedicated To Conduct War On Tuberculosis

The dedication of the Hegeman Memorial Laboratory at Mt. Mc Gregor near Saratoga Springs, N. Y., marks a step forward in the fight on tuberculosis, according to the medical authorities who participated in the ceremonies recently.

The new stone structure is a harmonious architectural feature of the sanatorium group of twenty-two buildings, which the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company maintains for the benefit of the sick among the 30,000 of its field and home office staff.

It was provided for by a fund of $300,000 in the will of the late John Rogers Hegeman, president of the company from 1891 to 1919, to whom the building is a memorial. "We hope—we even expect," declared Haley Fiske, now president of the company, "that some discovery will be made here that will be connected with the name of the donor and will be of lasting benefit to future generations."

Dr. Edward R. Baldwin, head of Trudeau Sanatorium at Saranac Lake and one of the foremost authorities on tuberculosis, welcomed the new laboratory into the field of scientific research. "The sanatorium represents what we know about tuberculosis," he declared. "The laboratory represents what we do not know, but must find out."

An interesting figure at the ceremony was the Rev. Father P. NL. Waggett, famous British scientist and theologian who studied with the great Pasteur, foremost scientist of the nineteenth century. "Only to-day we are beginning to understand the greatness of Pasteur," he said. "The world knows nothing of its greatest men, the unseen workers, secret, cloistered, hidden, world-forgetting, they pursue their studies tirelessly until one day the world learns that they have discovered a cure for some disease."

The Metropolitan sanatorium has been the chief means, directly through its treatments, and indirectly, through the instruction passed on to fellow workers by former patients, in reducing by 50 per cent the death rate from tuberculosis among the company's employees, within a period of ten years.

LETTER ON FORESTRY

Pines will come back on burned over land if there are any pine seed trees in the vicinity and if the burning is discontinued, according to a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. Frequent fires usually result in replacing valuable pine growth with scrub hardwoods, such as blackjack and turkey oak. Many persons believe that after conditions have reached this stage the original pine forest has become permanently transformed into a scrub hardwood type possessing neither timber nor pasturage value. Southern pines, however, possess great vitality. If any seed trees are left and if fire is kept away from the area the young pines will make fairly rapid headway. Their thick bark which they acquire at an early age protects them against injury from the hardwood branches. In a comparatively few years they will grow up through the scrub oaks and shade them out and thus reclaim the land for valuable uses.

STEWED FISHES IS NEW BOUNTY OF THE COOSA

F. P. Ansley of Sylacauga has a tale that will put all efforts of followers of Izaak Walton to shame, and he brought his witnesses to The Age-Herald office to vouch for the facts as they were related.

Mr. Ansley believes Providence will provide for the hungry and especially on the Fourth of July. His belief was rewarded when he had failed after an all-day effort to land enough of the finny tribe to provide himself and family with a good picnic dinner while fishing on the Coosa river near Talladega.

"I was just about to give up," Mr. Ansley said, "when I noticed a bulky white object waddling about near the surface of the water and not far off shore.

"At first I couldn't make out what it was, but knew it was something alive and grabbed my dip net and succeeded in landing a five-pound blue ca. During the afternoon I hauled in three of the same variety, weighing in al about 15 and 20 pounds and al anded under the same circumstances.

"Believe it or not, they were all drunk," Mr. Ansey explained, "just pain drunk, and I set about to locate their source of supply. I found it not far up stream and it evidently had been in operation just a short time before. At any rate there were drunk cat fish in the Coosa river on the Fourth day of July and I got a good mess of 'em. The water edge where the sour mash had been poured was alive with fishes, drunk and getting drunk."

"No, sir, I'm not a very strong prohibitionist," Mr. Ansley continued.

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CLANTON, ALA.

MUST GROW ITS OWN FOOD

Atlanta, Ga.—(Special.)—"Few people in the South realize the enormous drain there has been on the South's wealth through the steady food and grain buying during the past fifty years. What's the greater pity of it is the fact that most of this money comes directly out of the farm pocket," said H. G. Hastings, of Atlanta, Chairman of the Farm and Marketing Bureau of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

"For fifty years or more the cities and towns of the Cotton Belt have been furnishing food and grain to the farmer instead of our farmers feeding the cities and towns. While the cities and towns have had the best of this unnatural business, it has really impoverished both country and city."

"As nearly as can be ascertained, my own state of Georgia has spent in the last 25 years not less than two and one-half billion dollars for food and grain from the North and West, real hard cash money that ought to be sticking in our farmers' pockets. That money is gone never to return.

"It is no over-statement or exaggeration to say that twenty-five billion dollars of the South's money has gone that way in the last fifty years. It was good, hard worked for farm money. What we have been doing is spending our lives growing cotton, trading it off for bread and meat at no profit to ourselves.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF THORSBY

Located at Thorsby, Ala., at the Close of Business June 30, 1924

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts		$77,417.05
2.	Overdrafts		7.72
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and W. S. Stamps		(None)
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants		(None)
5.	Banking House		1,000.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		2,097.06
7.	Other Real Estate		(None)
8.	Cash—		
	a. Currency	$2,406.00	
	b. Gold	540.00	
	c. Silver, Nickels and Pennies	804.92	
	Total		$ 3,750.92
9.	Due from Banks		5,695.86
10.	Due from Federal Reserve Bank		(None)
11.	Exchanges for Clearing House		(None)
12.	Checks and Cash Items		46.19
13.	Cash Items in Transit		5,494.84
	Total		$95,509.64

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$10,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund		6,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		866.36
4.	Reserve for Taxes and Interest		(None)
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	a. Individual Deposits	$50,302.71	
	b. Demand Certificates	3,261.14	
	c. Due to Clearing House	(None)	
	d. Due to Banks	(None)	
	e. Due to Federal Reserve Bank	(None)	
	f. Cashier's Checks	1,268.06	
	g. Certified Checks	(None)	
	h. Unpaid Dividends	(None)	
	Total		$54,831.91
6.	Time Deposits—		
	a. Savings	$ (None)	
	b. Time Certificates	20,811.37	
	Total		$20,811.37
7.	Notes and Bills Payable		3,000.00
8.	Notes and Bills Rediscounted		(None)
9.	Bonds Borrowed		(None)
10.	Other Liabilities		(None)
	Total		$95,509.64

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came C. R. Foss, Cashier of The Bank of Thorsby, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

C. R. FOSS, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of July, 1924.

WALLACE C. EDLER, Notary Public.

ATTEST:
CHAS. E. LUCAS,
A. E. REAGAN,
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REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For President of U. S.—
CALVIN COOLIDGE

For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Are you paying the doctor for the screens you don't have? Many a farm is doing just that thing.

Observers at the Democratic convention complained that there was too much speech-making. Similar comments have been heard of the conduct of Democrats in the Senate Chamber at Washington. It looks like a windy campaign.

A widely broadcasted photo of Temporary Chairman Harrison of the Democratic convention shows him in the pose of a well known vendor of patent medicine, with finger pointed skyward in prophetic warning. The posture seemed to fit him quite naturally.

With Calvin Coolidge to do the thinking and Charles G. Dawes to do the putting over, these two will make a strong executive department at Washington. The Democrat or the radical who can beat these two in November has not stuck his head up yet, and he won't because there is no such animal.

It took the Democrats five days to determine the issues upon which they would make their appeal to the country. If the Democratic leaders themselves don't know what they are fighting for how is any other citizen expected to cast an intelligent vote for their candidates.

Various group leaders at the Democratic convention threatened to bolt the party and go over to the radicals unless their candidate won the nomination. It remains to be seen whether they will carry out their threat, but the incident shows that much of Democracy's support is inspired by individuals rather than by party principles. In other words, Democracy's leaders seek a government by men rather than by laws.

It will be interesting to hear Cotton Tom Helflin when he comes back to Alabama this fall campaigning in the interest of Al Smith or McAdoo or whoever the Democrats nominate—if they ever nominate anyone. Wonder if he will mention that New York Alternate, a negro, who came out on the platform with Frank Roosevelt to enter Al's name for nomination. We wonder also if he will tell how he himself was denied a seat in the Democratic national convention. That Democrat convention has got the dear old Rooster in a mell of a hess.

AUSTRALIA ARMS

Australia is preparing to construct two 10,000-ton cruisers. It is contended that the Washington armaments treaty does not adequately safeguard the peace of the Pacific, and that the British navy was so weakened by that treaty that it cannot extend suitable protection to the dominions. However that may be, the fact remains that foreign navies are being strengthened while our own remains at a standstill or worse. Fortunately there is pending in the Senate, having already passed the House, a bill to add eight cruisers of the 10,000-ton class to our fleet and to modernize some of the older battleships. The passage of the measure at the last session was prevented by the dilatory tactics of Democrats, but it is hoped to put it through when Congress reconvenes.

WHY IS IT?

UNCLE TED'S BED-TIME STORIES

A Man of the People For the People.

"It certainly is an exciting time," said Jack as he and his sister were eating supper. "I wish I were old enough to vote next November. It must be a great feeling to step right into a booth and be able to cast your vote for the man you really want. I know I'll be proud to do it when I am old enough."

"And so will I," answered Ruth. "I can vote when I'm old enough too. You aren't the only one."

"Sure you can but whom would you vote for if you could vote right now?" asked Jack.

"Why, I don't know," answered Ruth. "I guess I'd have to think about it for a while."

"Well, of all the stupid things I ever heard of," replied Jack. "What in the world would you wait for? You know very well that there is only one man to vote for and that man is Calvin Coolidge, who now occupies the big chair at the White House."

"Why certainly, Ruth," spoke up Uncle Ted who had been listening to the conversation from the other room. "It seems to me that Jack is quite right. We have in the White House today a man who is one of the safest presidents the country has ever known. He has shown in a hundred different ways that he can be trusted to carry the country on through the next four years not only with safety but in a manner to make every American proud of these United States.

"Now the Republican party has nominated this man as its candidate at the polls next November. No, Ruth, there should be no reason for you to hesitate as to the man you would vote for if you were old enough to go to the polls next fall."

"Won't you please tell us a story right now?" asked Ruth.

"Yes, Ruth, I will go right ahead and tell you some things that perhaps I have not told you in the past about Calvin Coolidge. As I have told you before, this man of the common people was born on July 4, 1872, in a farm house among the rugged hills of Vermont. He was just a plain New England boy on a plain farm, receiving his early education in the district school of the village. He worked for his father before and after school and while they were not poverty-stricken they had few luxuries. The Coolidge family had to be careful of their money. This necessity has been carried through life by Calvin Coolidge. When he was governor of Massachusetts he refused to sign a bill raising the salaries of legislators from $1,000 to $1,500. He is as careful of the public's money as he is of his own. He knows the plain people and understands their problems because he has always been one of them.

"When he was Mayor of Northampton he cut down the city debt just as today as president he has demanded that taxes be cut down and the national debt reduced. There are many ways in which Coolidge is much like Lincoln. They were both born in a small house in the country. They both have been noted for their common sense, their honesty, strength of character and close knowledge of what the people want and need. Calvin Coolidge is not a dreamer. He is of the strong stock of people who do things instead of talking about them.

"You remember me telling you about Mother's Day not so long ago. I thought of President Coolidge at that time, for those who have seen his office know that ever since the day he took up the work left unfinished by the late President Harding, a picture of his mother has occupied a prominent place on his desk. That picture has always been before him. It was on his desk when he was Mayor of Northampton. It was there when he served the people of Massachusetts as Governor and it was there when he sat behind the Vice President's desk at Washington.

"All of these things tell you what a man really is, kiddies. He has shown in every move of his home and official life that he is a thorough, honest, home-loving American citizen. As you know, he studied law in a law office in the town where he was afterwards elected mayor. He studied hard and when he began to practice was known by all those with whom he came in contact as honest, careful and thorough.

"You know that President and Mrs. Coolidge have two sons. Their home life is the finest you can imagine. Calvin Coolidge was married in 1905 to Miss Grace Anna Goodhue, who at the time was a school teacher. At the University of Vermont, from which she was graduated, Mrs. Coolidge was a leader in all important affairs and one of the most popular girls in the University. Their two sons are fine, unspoiled boys. You couldn't help but like them both.

"I was reading an interesting thing the other day. It was the speech made by Judge McCamant, of Portland, Oregon, who placed the name of Calvin Coolidge before the Republican convention four years ago for Vice President. At that time he received 674½ votes to 146½ by his nearest competitor. One thing that stands out in the speech of Judge McCamant was this:

" 'He is big enough and sound enough to be President of the United States, should the occasion require.'

"Judge McCamant little thought then what the result would be but he did know the man whom he was nominating. Calvin Coolidge, unlike many men in the past, took the work of the Vice Presidency very seriously. He studied the problems of the Nation earnestly with the result that when he was called to the White House he was ready to handle the job well.

"Now he is the nominee on the Republican ticket as a result of the fact that the voters want him kept in the White House. What finer type of man could we have at the head of our Nation?

"Bed-time is here so off to your dreams.

"Good-night!"

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WHEN BAKER WHITEWASHED

Senator Harrison declares it is the duty of his party to drive corruption from government. Does he think it could be done any better under Democratic auspices? Wherever there has been evidence to indicate fraud or misuse of power, President Coolidge and his Republican Administration have taken every proper means to punish the guilty and protect the people from the results of their wrong-doing. Mr. Harrison cannot say as much for his party attitude toward transgressors among its own members. Charles E. Hughes investigated the aircraft scandal and recommended the court martial of those responsible. They were all whitewashed by President Wilson on recommendation of Secretary of War Baker. It remained for a Republican Department of Justice to investigate the notorious war frauds and bring indictments against almost a hundred former officials and other individuals who had mulcted the Treasury of millions of dollars. As a cleanser of government, the people are not likely to select a party that has been the chief inspiration of corruptionists.

Mr. Homer Lowe of Birmingham is on a visit here to relatives.

PEOPLE OF TODAY AS COMPARED WITH PAST

"People today can appear in public with a perfectly innocent countenance after having committed sins which a few years ago would have completely ostracized them from public and social favor." The above, or words to that effect, were spoken from the Baptist pulpit in Clanton last Sunday night by Rev. Ezell, and the assertion is just as true as truth itself. The sense of shame, which is one of the greatest assets of the human race, has almost become a myth. The time when the young people, the girls included, would blush at a slight remark by another, has seen its day, but now-a-days, instead of displaying any sense of modesty, the second person strives to spit out something just a little worse than the first one, and generally succeeds. In society the young men desire "action," and what it takes to satisfy this desire, the girls just even have it. The sense of shame in the human race is fast becoming totally extinct.

For an error to be corrected, first a thorough study of the cause of the error should be made. The question may be asked, "Why is it that people now-a-days have so little sense of modesty and shame?" Our answer to this question is that the on-coming generation is cultivating the repression of these senses. The sense of shame in a person cannot be expelled in an instant or even in a day or even in a year, but it can be totally expelled by constant practice and by continually venturing just a little further and the next time just a little further.

One Sunday afternoon some boys in a car were driving up the street when they met two young girls walking. The girls were asked to take a ride. At first the girls flatly refused, saying that their mothers would not allow it, but by thirty minutes of persistent persuasion, the young girls boarded the car and sped away. At first they would not think of it, but after a while their conscience was overcome and they did.

What are some of the most prominent modern indulgences which serve to lessen the sense of modesty and shame in people? To this question we will answer—the mixed swimming pool, automobile riding, the moving picture show, and the dance hall. From infancy on, mothers used to teach their girls that it was not nice for their nude person to be exposed to men and boys. But what do you see today? In the swimming pools may be seen children six or seven years old and from that up to grown folks with two-thirds of their body naked, mixing and mingling together, in open view of the prying eyes of dozens of onlookers—the same sights often deck a great part of the motion pictures which are shown in our theatres.

Even after permitting their children to indulge in these forms of pastime, the parents of today wonder why it is that their children are so devoid of modesty and care so little for what they do and say in public. This wondering is useless. The reason is right before our eyes almost every minute of every day. Just as long as our young people are allowed to indulge in the things that tear down modesty and shame, just that long the human race is going to drift deeper into shamelessness and immorality.

We do not like the idea of preaching pessimism, but we have got to face the facts or else the result is going to be disastrous. Just think, if you can, where the race will be two decades hence if the present pace is continued. There is only one remedy to these conditions, and that remedy lies within the hands of the parents of the coming generation. They can better conditions or they can remain silent and let the race go to the dogs. Which are we going to do?

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of July 6, 1899.

Married at the home of the bride on the 29th of June, Mr. J. E. Vanderslice and Miss Sallie Malone.

Everybody and his best girl spent the Fourth and their money in Thorsby. They drank ice cream and ate lemonade and saw de b'ar clim de pole.

Mr. Peter Quigley died Thursday morning at his home near Jemison.

Married on June 26th at the Baptist church in Pratt City, Warren W. Kicker and Miss Emma L. Williams.

Major-General Joseph Wheeler has been ordered to the Philipines and is now on his way there.

Messrs. Renfroe Mullins, Rush Vines, Durwood Foshee and Caldwell McMorris visited Verbena on the 4th.

Mr. E. E. Forbes and wife of Montgomery are staying at the Thornton House in Clanton.

Mr. C. J. Stewart is building a handsome new residence in Clanton.

Mr. Clyde Davis is spending his vacation in Ganadarque.

Married this week—Mr. Joseph Wallace and Miss Jennie Glinn; Mr. C. D. Chandler and Miss Ada Roberts; Mr. L. A. Fulmer and Miss M. E. Crumpler.

The following Masonic officers were duly elected and installed at their recent meeting: John W. Stanfield, W. M.; Jos. P. VanDerveer, S. W.; Mm. T. Aldridge, J. W.; Jno. C. Dennis, S. D.; J. W. Moore, J. D.; Wm. I. Mullins, Treas.; Allie C. Smith, Secy.; Solomon Parker, Tyler.

HOUSEWIFE BECOMES NEW WOMAN

"All of our best doctors had given me up. I was unable to leave my bed for 16 weeks and was yellow as a pumpkin, besides the terrible stomach pains I suffered. Our druggist advised my husband to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and it has saved my life. I am a new woman now." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

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The Clanton Cafe

M. L. (Matt) Ware, Proprietor.
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SOUTH CALERA

The Fourth of July celebration was among the greatest affairs ever held in Calera. The ball games were interesting and also many other attractions were there for the enjoyment of the people in general.

Miss Dora Campbll returned to Siluria Sunday evening after a week's visit to her mother, Mrs. C. Campbell.

Mrs. Honeycutt and two children f Lakeland, Fla., after visiting relatives in Jemison, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. G. S. Tate.

Misses Mamie and Catherine Clark of Birmingham, but formerly of this place, were the guests of Miss Marie Hughes last week end. They also visited friends in Calera.

Mr. Coll Chism of South Carolina is spending a while with his mother, Mrs. W. M. Chism. His wife, who has been visiting in Mississippi, came down Sunday to be with him.

Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mrs. Lou Pilgreen and Mrs. Ada Martin of Calera visited Mrs. Martin's parents Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horabe Busby of Pelham returned home Sunday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Busby was the guest of Miss Hazel Cox Sunday.

Mrs. G. S. Lee returned from Birmingham Wednesday after spending a few days with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Badie Watts and two children of Ensley came down to spend the Fourth with Mrs. E. D. Crim, mother of Mrs. Watts. They returned home by automobile Sunday afternoon, while little Miss Cecil remained over for a week's visit with her grand mother.

Mr. J. W. Burgess and Mr. Holen Crim motored to Columbiana Sunday.

Mrs. Jessie Cox spent Sunday with Mrs. John Pilgreen of Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. Coll Chism made a visit to Mrs. W. N. Jones Monday.

Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin motored to Camp Branch last Friday.

Miss Hazel Cox spent one night last week with Mrs. H. L. Foshee in Clanton.

Mr. Elmer Campbell spent part of last week in South Calera.

Mr. Roy Rogers of Adamsville was visiting his father in South Calera last week.

Mrs. W. N. Jones and family attended Conference at Mt. Pleasant church Wednesday.

We regret very much that the family of Mr. Carl Glass is moving from our community.

Charter No. 11,515. Reserve District No. 6.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT CLANTON, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1924.

RESOURCES.

1.(a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$304,928.96	
Total Loans		$304,928.96
2.Overdrafts, secured none, unsecured $90.57		90.57
4.U. S. Government Securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 30,000.00	
Total		30,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		13,000.00
6.Furniture and Fixtures	$ 2,600.78	2,600.78
8.Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		18,699.17
10.Cash in vault and amt. due from National Banks		62,774.50
11.Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, and 10)		7,303.22
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	$ 70,077.72	
15.Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,500.00
16.Other assets, if any		5,504.08
Total		$446,401.28

LIABILITIES.

17.Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
18.Surplus fund		15,000.00
19.Undivided Profits	$ 13,950.77	
(c) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	8,437.86	5,512.91
20.Circulating notes outstanding		28,900.00
23.Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		16,597.63
25.Cashier's check outstanding		382.53
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	$ 16,980.16	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26.Individual deposits subject to check		177,076.44
27.Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		39,931.00
28.State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		10,932.07
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	$227,939.51	
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32.Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		102,068.70
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$102,068.70	
Total		$446.401.28

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF CHILTON, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1924.
DEWEY BRANCH, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
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With the advent of cool weather in the fall, usually in October and November, boll weevils begin to seek protection against the winter. The majority of the weevils leave the fields and fly to the nearest shelter which may be adjoining timber, grassy turnrows or buildings. The direction of their flight is governed partially by the prevailing winds. The movement takes place when an average temperature of 60 degrees is reached.

The movement into winter quarters is not sudden and many weevils may be found in fields after a majority have left. In some cases it has been observed that more than a thousand weevils have been found in fields as late as December 18.

The most favorable places for wintering are those in which there are the most even temperatures and where at the same time the conditions are comparatively dry. Spanish moss probably is the most favorable shelter weevils obtain, but many survive the winter outside of the region in which Spanish moss occurs, in grass, stumps, cracks in the ground and similar places. Very few are ever found in cotton seed.

During the winter the weevils take no food and ordinarily do not move from the place they have hidden but sometimes during very warm spells a few in the exposed places may be seen crawling or flying about.

The weevil passes the winter in the adult stage. When frosts occur immature stages still may be found in the squares or the bolls. If the food supply is sufficient many of these immature stages continue their development at a very slow rate and finally emerge as adult weevils. Thus, there may be a somewhat continuous production of adults during the winter. Ordinarily, however, this is not the case, since the frosts that destroy the cotton generally kill the grubs.

The number of weevils living through the winter varies greatly from year to year as shown by observations made at many localities for a number of years. In one year only one weevil out of a hundred survived, but, in another case, twenty out of each hundred lived through. The latter figure is undoubtedly exceptional and it appears that under average conditions throughout the greater part of the cotton belt not more than five weevils out of a hundred lived over to attack the crop the following year. The largest number lives through where there is heavy timber.

Enough survive any winter to cause heavy damage if the spring and summer favors.

Certainly—It's Bobbed

AGE need not deter any woman from having her hair "bobbed" and "shingled"—as they call it—nowadays. Look at Mrs. J. M. Hawkes of Los Angeles, in the above photograph. Though she's old enough to be the grand-mother of most "flappers"—her hair is bobbed and, what's more, she's mighty proud of it.

"Women should maintain their youthful appearance and one of the best ways is to have their hair bobbed" says Mrs. Hawkes, who is at present so-journing in Europe. We're inclined to agree with Mrs. Hawkes. Her bobbed hair is really becoming to her.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Troy Messenger and the Troy Herald, two daily papers have been combined and will be published hereafter under the name of the older and longer established paper, the Troy Messenger. The Troy Daily Messenger was established in 1892 by W. J. Blan, father of S. H. Blan, secretary of state, and has been in publication since. The Daily Herald began publication last September. The Herald will be published twice a week as formerly and the weekly Messenger will also be published. M. N. Dodson, an experienced newspaper man, will be editor of the Messenger and B. G. McCalman of the Herald.

Building activities in Bridgeport continue. J. Luther Troxell has recently begun the erection of two more business buildings on the lot formerly known as the Hoffman block. When finished this will give almost an entire block of new brick buildings on one of the city's principal streets. All the completed buildings in the block are already occupied. The E. P. Jacobs building, another brick structure, is nearing completion.

Coffee county commissioners have appropriated $1,800 per annum for farm work, beginning July 1. The appropriation means that R. G. Arnold, who has been county agent since Jan. 1, will continue his work. At a recent meeting 75 farmers urged the commissioners to vote the necessary money voicing appreciation of the work Mr. Arnold is doing. Until this year there has been no county agent in Coffee County for several years.

P. W. Wolford, who earned fame in Birmingham by organizing a suit club, is back in the county jail after serving a six-month term at the Trussville convict farm. Wolford, who was convicted on charges of embezzlement in connection with his alleged dealings with Birmingham persons, now faces a charge of failing to refund money which he is said to have taken from local investors.

R. B. Evins, of Greensboro, chairman of the state Democratic executive committee, has certified to Secretary of State S. H Blan names of all party nominees in the Democratic election of May 13 for state, district and circuit offices. These names in due time will be certified by the secretary of state to all probate judges in Alabama to be placed on the ballots for the general election in November.

Hundreds of Sacred Harp singers and music lovers from all over east Alabama assembled at the Cleburne County courthouse on the Fourth for the annual singing program, some of the best leaders in Alabama and Georgia being present for the all-day exercise. A basket dinner of the before-the-war type was served on the lawn at the courthouse at the noon hour.

A citation issued by the Alabama public service commission to the Fairhope Single Tax Corporation some time ago, relative to conditions and maintenance of wharves owned by the corporation at Fairhope, was dismissed, it being shown that the wharves had been voluntarily repaired by the single tax corporation.

A. E. Jackson, superintendent of banking in Alabama, has signed the certificate of merger affecting the Tennessee Valley Bank and the Alabama Bank and Trust Company of Cullman. The latter institution now becomes a part of the Tennessee Valley Bank, made up of 16 branch banks with the parent institution at Decatur.

Any Birmingham police officer who receives 75 demerits in a year will be subjected to trial before the civil service board of inefficiency and untfitness as a police officer, and expulsion from the force, it is shown in the rules of the merit and demerit system, inaugurated in the Birmingham police department.

The number of insurance agents licensed in Alabama to June 30 was 11,685, according to figures furnished by Frank N. Julian, state superintendent of insurance. The total for the present year will probably exceed the number licensed in 1923 by over a thousand.

The lowest temperature ever recorded in Mobile in the month of July was reported July 3 when the thermometer showed a reading of 62 degrees. The mark establishes a new record for the 50-year weather bureau history there.

State Superintendent of Banks A. E. Jackson has issued a call to all state banks for statement of condition at the close of business on June 30. The call is the first to be issued by the state superintendent of banks this year.

Papers of incorporation were filed for an abstract business to be located in Russellville under the name of the Franklin County Abstract and Title company, Inc., and has installed a camergraph which will photograph the real estate records.

George Ragsdale, head of the police training school at Louisville, Ky., visited Birmingham to confer with officials of the civil service board in connection with plans to establish a similar school in the Magic City.

With present unfinished work expected to occupy 60 days more, it is unlikely that further road work will be undertaken in Jefferson county this year, Claude A. Rogers, county highway engineer, said recently.

An active good roads association which has as its object the securing of more state and federal aid for road projects in Madison county, has been formed at Huntsville.

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ACCOMPLISHMENT UNDER THE BUDGET

Washington, July 7.—The success of the Budget System as a factor in keeping down expenses and in establishing harmony between the Executive Branch of the Government and the Legislative Branch, was impressively shown by Congressman Madden of Illinois, Chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations. In an address in the closing days of the recent session of Congress, Mr. Madden reviewed the record of the Republican Congress which came into power in March, 1919, when Wilson was still President, and after showing that the Republicans had saved the nation more than $3,800,000,000 by cutting demands made by the Democratic regime, he took up the Budget matter, saying:

"The new Congress at once realized that the conduct of the finances of the Government according to safe principles could not be accomplished without the inauguration of a systematic procedure. It accordingly prepared and presented to President Wilson the Budget bill. His veto of that legislation postponed until the advent of the present administration the enactment of that important measure. The new law was signed by President Harding on June 10, 1921. Its operation has covered the period of three full fiscal years of expenditure and the preparation of the budget for the next fiscal year.

"The accomplishments under the new system have exceeded the expectation of those who championed its installation. The outstanding principles are, namely: (1) The placing upon the President of the responsibility for the submission of co-ordinated expenditure and revenue proposals to Congress; (2) The business control required to be exercised by him over expenditures after the appropriations have been made; (3) The centralization over the making of appropriations in a single committee in each the Senate and House of Representatives; and (4) the creation of a centralized and independent audit of accounts.

"To the late President Harding and his first Director of the Budget, General Dawes, are due great credit for the successful inauguration of the executive phase of the system. To President Coolidge and the present director, General Lord, who have followed earnestly and courageously the standards set by their predecessors, merited praise should be accorded. The success of the Budget is in direct proportion to the interest taken by the President of the United States in shaping its proposals and the Republican incumbents have begun and carried on a procedure that has not only placed the finances of the country on a sound basis but has given to the Nation a permanent system that will inure to its benefit in the future.

"The change in the procedure in the Senate and House to accord with the changed methods in the executive branch has worked equally well. The wide margin between Executive estimates and congressional appropriations has narrowed. The past year and the year just closed find the appropriations made by Congress not more than $10,000,000, less than the proposals submitted by the President. The co-operation of the executive branch of the Government with the legislative branch under the Budget system has been the chief factor in the success in keeping down the appropriations and expenditures of the Government and making possible the natural sequences of such efforts, namely, tax reduction and diminution of the public debt."

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Thoughts For The Day

Give us, O God, the strength to build
The city that hath stood
Too long a dream, whose laws are love,
Whose ways are brotherhood,
And where the sun that shineth is
God's grace for human good.

Card Club Meets.

A delightful game of bridge was enjoyed on last Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Grady Reynolds was hostess to the members of the Card club. The pretty home was given added touches of beauty by an arrangement of vari-colored garden flowers. Fruit punch was served upon the arrival of the guests and after the game a refreshing ice course was served. The top score was held by Mrs. Hugh Simpson, who was awarded a couple of decks of Congress cards. Enjoying the game were Mesdames John Browder, Frank Callen, Napoleon Johnson, Hance Alred, Willis Lyman, Oscar Jones, Hugh Simpson, and Arthur Johnson. Mrs. Simpson will be the next hostess.

Missionary Society Meets.

The regular social and business session of the Methodist Missionary Society was held at the Church on Monday afternoon. The president, Mrs. J. C. Jones opened with the reading of the 102 Psalm, followed with prayer by Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson. Reports from the Superintendent were heard and favorable reports from chairmen of the circles were heard. The local chairman reported about $5000 made from the Fourth of July Celebration. The Superintendent of Supplies is to have a shower for the Girls Industrial school at Vasbti in the near future. No further business, the meeting adjourned.

Mrs. G. C. Harris and little daughter Elizabeth left Wednesday to visit relatives in Mobile, and Moss Point Miss.

Mrs. Paralee Cook and son and daughter from Mississippi, were the guests of her sisters, Mrs. W. I. and Mrs. M. A. Mullins last week.

Mrs. Marcus Biles is spending some time with Mr. Biles' parents near McMinville, Tenn., on account of the illness of his mother.

Mr. Julius Reynolds from Hardaway is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Sartor, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ross, and Mrs. Barney Roberts and children motored over to Jacksonville Sunday for a visit to Miss Callie Watts.

Mrs. Hughes Kennedy and little son, arrived Tuesday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pipes.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie is spending today in Montgomery.

Miss Willadean Reynolds left Sunday for a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Reynolds in Montgomery.

Miss Prudie Smith from Birmingham spent the week-end with Miss Jewell Minor.

Mrs. Oscar Jones had as her guest last week Miss Mary Fuller.

Raymond Parrish from Deland, Fla., is the guest of Joe and Bob Luckie.

Messrs. Dave Easterling, Tom Taylor and Dr. Eiland left last Saturday for an auto trip to LaFeria, Tex.

Mrs. B. F. Reynolds and son and daughter from Birmingham spent the Fourth with Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald have returned from a visit to relatives in Denver, Colo.

Mr. John T. Morgan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds on the Fourth.

Miss Nell Stubblefield from Tennessee, was the guest of friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Horn from Troy are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald.

Mrs. Etta McElvaine was the guest of Mrs. Caffey in Verbena Sunday.

Mr. Mack Ruffin spent the Fourth among former friends in Clanton.

Mr. Geo. Manning from Birmingham was a visitor to Clanton this week.

Miss Jewell Minor, who is attending summer school at Jacksonville, was home for the week-end.

Miss Kathleen Mullins, who is in summer school at Tuscaloosa, spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Amzi Gowan and children from Brewton are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

Miss Pearl Minor left Tuesday for Thorsby, where she will spend a couple of weeks with relatives.

Mr. Clarence Evans spent several days with his mother, Mrs. Glennie Evans this week.

Mrs. McCrovy from Humbolt, Tenn. is spending this week with Mrs. J. R. Broadhead.

Mrs. Reese Mullins had as her guest for the Fourth, her sister and Mr. John Jackson from Gadsden.

Mrs. G. O. McKee and children, who were guests of friends and relatives in Clanton last week, returned home Sunday at Montgomery.

After a week's visit to relatives and friends here, Mr. and Mrs. Bass Jones returned by motor to their home in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McSwain a couple of days last week.

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SOCIALISTS VOTE PLANK ON KU KLUX KLAN IN CLEVELAND CONVENTION

Order Specifically Condemned In Final Resolution; Intensive Campaign to Be Launched.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 8.—A resolution condemning the Ku Klux Klan by name was adopted by the socialist national convention late today.

The resolution adopted was a substitute for a resolution condemning the klan by name, but which was referred back to the resolutions committee by the convention because it was connected with a declaration on the economic condition of the negro.

The substitute resolution when brought in, said:

"We emphatically condemn the Ku Klux Klan and every other effort to divide the workers on racial or religious lines and to affect political purposes by secret or terroristic methods."

A substitute was offered along the same lines, but omitting specific mention of the klan, the explanation being made that the party was concerned only with economic and not religious issues. A bitter fight broke out over the merits of these two resolutions.

Convention Adjourns.

The convention adjourned sine die at 6:40 p.m.

Eugene V. Debs today was elected national chairman of the socialist party of America, a new office, by the national convention. Too ill to continue his activities with the national executive committee, Debs was given the new place by acclamation after Norris Hillquit, New York, had explained that the federal election laws required the election of such an officer.

A committee was appointed to wait upon Debs at Elmhurst, Ill., and convey to him the affectionate greetings of the convention.

Plan Publicity Plan

An intensive advertising and publicity campaign will be inaugurated by the committee on organization.

The advertising expert would prepare copy for use in announcing meetings and organization plans. His efforts would be supplemented by a publicity manager who would prepare material or use by the campaign managers.

The committee further suggested that "socialists of prominence broadcast by radio" appeals for funds and excerpts from speeches and the platform.

Local organizations were urged to form LaFollette clubs "and other sympathetic organizations."

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WHY IS IT?

99TH BALLOT SHOWS LITTLE CHANGE FROM DEMOCRATS' FIRST

Democratic Convention Votes 99 Times Without Naming Candidate For President.

News from Madison Square Garden in New York City Wednesday morning stated that the 99th ballot had been cast in the Democratic National Convention without a candidate being named yet. The 99th ballot Stood: McAdoo, 335.5; Smith, 353; Davis 210; Meredith, 37. It is not known what will be the ultimate outcome of the Democratic convention. The leading contenders for the nomination seem to be relentless in turning loose what strength they have, consequently a two-thirds majority by any one nominee is impossible.

In regard to the Democratic convention and the Democratic party Mr. Raymond Clapper in the Birmingham Age-Herald has this to say:

"This amazing political drama is moving swiftly toward its climax. Whether the Democratic convention will end in a tragedy for the party, or a happy reconciliation is a matter of doubt at this hour.

"Representatives of the various candidates are in conference now seeking, without much sign of progress, to find some way of breaking the deadlock between William G. McAdoo and Al Smith, which has run through 99 ballots without signs of cracking.

"They believe that the convention is fast becoming disgusted with the spectacle of two candidates who are willing to see the party smashed rather than abandon their ambitions to get the nomination.

"The party is now engaged in an internal conflict, second in intensity only to that which shook it on the eve of the Civil war, when it was trying to go on half slave and half free.

"If McAdoo and Smith hang on as they have been, no one can forsee what disaster will overcome the democrats. If both let go now, they will hold the party together, even if chances of winning the November election are gone.

"Only the most optimistic democrats now believe that the country would entrust its welfare for the next four years to a group of leaders who have made such a bungle of their party convention.

"What a spectacle for the shade of Woodrow Wilson, but five months gone! The party, which, seven years ago, led the nation through the greatest military adventure of all tme, and then came within a hair of reshaping the political structure of the world, has now sunk to such depth that it deserts the League of Nations—not because it is opposed to it, but for reasons of political expediency. It has ignored the economic conditions which have sent one out of four farmers in some sections to the poorhouse, in order to indulge in a barber shop argument over religion. Lastly, it has submitted weakly to the supreme humiliation of seeing its two leading candidates drive the party to the verge of destruction because of their own ambition."

Weak Nervous

"I was weak and nervous and run-down," writes Mrs. Edith Sellers, of 466 N. 21st St., East St. Louis, Ill. "I couldn't sleep nights, I was so restless. I felt tired and not in condition to do my work. I would have such pains in my stomach that I was afraid I would get down in bed. . . My mother came to see me and suggested that I use

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE NAMED FOR ALABAMA COLLEGE CAMPAIGN

Montevallo, Ala.—Prominent men and women from all parts of the state have been appointed by Gov. W. W. Brandon to serve on an advisory committee to give aid to the Alabama College Drive for a Million Dollar expansion fund.

Leaders in every section of the state have signified their willingness to cooperate in this effort of the state college for women to meet the needs of the young womanhood of the state by offering adequate educational advantages at the lowest possible cost.

The aim, according to Governor Brandon, is not only to collect a million dollars but also to secure 50,000 subscribers who are residents of Alabama and who will be more vitally interested than ever in the welfare of the institution by reason of the fact that they have given their money to help build it. Although a million dollars is worth just that much, the Governor says, the good will and active interest of 50,000 citizens of Alabama is worth at least a thousand times more to an institution which has as its main service to the youth of the state.

The following men and women have been asked to serve as members of the advisory committee by the Governor:

Ex-Governor B. B. Comer of Comer, Ex-Governor Charles Henderson of Troy, Ex-Governor Thomas E. Kilby of Anniston, John W. Altman of Birmingham, Mrs. E. D. Brown of Birmingham, A. H. Carmichael of Tuscumbia, Dr. George H. Denney of Tuscaloosa, Dr. Spright Dowell of Auburn, Shelby S. Fletcher of Huntsville, F. P. Folmar of Troy, Mrs. J. M. Hankins of Birmingham, Victor H. Hanson of Birmingham, Mrs. Sidney Hart of Birmingham, Mrs. Brevard Jones of Montgomery, Miss Carrie Knox of Anniston, Hon. Joseph Lyons of Mobile, T. W. Martin of Birmingham, Rev. Dunbar H. Ogden of Mobile, Mrs. Eric Pettus of Birmingham, Harry Moore Rhett of Huntsville, W. V. M. Robertson Jr., of Birmingham, Mrs. C. J. Sharpe of Birmingham, R. E. Steiner of Montgomery, Mrs. John Fate of Selma, Mrs. Angus Taylor of Birmingham, Mrs. Val Taylor of Uniontown, Frederick I. Thompson of Mobile and Mrs. DuPont Thompson of Birmingham.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING OF PROBATE OF WILL OF CORINE C. FOX, DECEASED.

To Nora Anderson, State of Oklahoma, sister of Corine C. Fox, deceased, to the widow and three children of Eli Hicks, deceased, brother of Corine C. Fox, deceased: ,

Take notice and you are hereby notified that on the 24th day of June, 1924, application was made to the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, by G. W. Fox for the probate of the last will and testament of Corine C. Fox, deceased, and that the 19th day of July, 1924, has been fixed by an order of this court, made and entered for the hearing of said application at which time you may appear and contest the same if you see proper.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

L. B. REYNOLDS,
6-26-3tc. Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court, in Equity.
To Mary Curry Jones:

You will take notice that I have this 23rd day of June, 1924, levied upon the following described Real Estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court, in Equity, for the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|100 Dollars, in favor of Court Costs, and that said Real Estate will be advertised and sold according to law, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door 23rd day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-3tc.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|00 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the August Term, 1923, of said Court, against Mary Curry Jones and Roberta Curry, in favor of court costs I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 28th day of July, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary Curry Jones, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, June 24th, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-4tc.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

**Chilton County,
Section "A"
Surfacing**

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, August 6, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the surfacing with one course plain cement concrete pavement 17.455 miles of road in Chilton, County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

Contractors in submitting bids on the concrete paving will include in the price bid per square yard all necessary labor and materials with the exception of Portland Cement which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. The contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense and in addition will be held responsible for the return to the mill of all empty cement sacks.

Contractors in submitting bids for this work will understand that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids are the ones that will govern

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

The successful bidder will probably be required to pave several miles of this project during the fall months. Also he will absorb into the price bid for concrete paving, the cost of the necessary fine grading, within the following limits, six inches above or six inches below sub-grade.

The items of work are approximately as follows:

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.

1,000 Lin. Ft. Blind Drains.

23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4 inch galvanized cable for guard rail.

1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.

102 End post braces for guard rail.

17,455 Miles of shoulder construction.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash certified check or bid Bond for Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) made payable to the Chariman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
7-3-3t-c State Highway Engineer.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity.

R. G. Blewster, Complainant, vs. Cammie Otts Blewster, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of R. G. Blewster, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton. once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Cammie Otts Blewster, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30th day of July, 1824, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 28th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
7-3-4t-c. Register.

ROCKY MOUNT

There will be a working on the cemetary at Rocky Mount Thursday July 17th. Every body that is interested come help clean off the cemetary.

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BOLL WEEVIL FIGHT IS NOW UNDER WAY

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Auburn, Ala., July 7.—The annual boll weevil fight is now on in Alabama—and in the South. It is being waged with more intensity and on a larger scale than in any previous year, because leading farmers thruout the State are convinced that artificial control measures properly applied pay handsome dividends.

In larger numbers than was expected boll weevils have appeared in many counties. Infestations as high as 30 per cent have been reported, while a 10 per cent infestation is sufficient to make poisoning profitable where soil and crop conditions would indicate a yield of one-third bale per acre, or more. Thus the imporaance of poisoning is obvious.

Reposts fnom county agents are that Alabama farmers have bought and are buying calcium arsenate in much larger quantities than usual, and a special effort is being made to apply it at the right time and in the right way. Proper machinery is being used and the general ambition of farmers seems to be to destroy the early appearing weevils because the death of one weevil now is equivalent to several hundred a few weeks later.

Bankers and business men are encouraging poisoning, and are co-operating with farmers in doing so. Another encouraging feature is that fake boll weevil catchers and poisons are meeting poor encouragement in Alabama. Growers are staying close to official information as given them by the county agents. Under their leadership effective and efficient control work will be done.

Mr. W. H. Robinson of Providence was in Clanton a while Monday morning. Mr. Robinson reported that he had a fine rain Sunday which was indeed welcome.

Mr. O. B. Thompson was in Clanton recently. Berney is now living in Ensley, where he is back on the his old job with the T. C. I. He is looking fat and fine, having greatly improved in health since last here.

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STRAYED—Bull puppy, four months old, ears trimmed and tail cut off, brown and white spots, collar with name plate but no name. Any information will be rewarded by L. E. Diefenderfer, Thorsby, Ala. 1t-p.

FOUND—One pocket-book containing some money. Owner may get same by describing it and paying for this adv.—J. A. Maddox, Clanton, Ala. 1t-c

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—281 acres, 9-horse farm, 5 1-2 miles north of Billingsley on Clanton and Billingsley road, about 200 acres clear of stumps, four tenant houses, and big 5-room dwelling, fruit and pecan trees of all descriptions, 100 thousand feet of long-leaf pine timber, located 1 1-2 quarter from church and school. If interested, call or see W. D. Burnett, Billingsley, Ala. 26-4t-pd

FARM FACTS

The next Alabama State Fair will be held in Montgomery, November 3-11. It will be an opportunity for each county in the State to show to the world what it produces and what it can produce.

Better get after Bill Boll Weevil. Give him calcium arsenate in dust form.

Frank Rasch, a very successful Lauderdale county farmer, says that "the way to make money farming is to build your land in the winter and work it in the summer." The best way to build land in the winter is to plant hairy vetch seed in the fall. Now is a good time to see the county agent about ordering vetch seed.

Successful home gardeners say that now is the time to begin work for a fall garden. It is the best time to plant rutabagas. Plant Irish potatoes now for the fall crop, and make successive plantings of snap beans and sweet corn. A statement from Auburn says that the Big Boston variety of lettuce should be planted now.

"Every farmer and farm boy should take at least one farm tour with his neighbors this summer to see what other farmers are doing. County agents will arrange tours."—Prof. L. N. Duncan, Auburn.

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We are going to move in a few days to our new location, the Johnson Building, now occupied by Mr. W. A. Kemp.

RATHER THAN MOVE OUR LARGE STOCK WE ARE GOING TO SELL IT TO THE PUBLIC AT COST AND BELOW COST. DON'T HESITATE—COME AND SEE OUR WONDERFUL VALUES WE ARE OFFERING.

1 lot of young men's white duck Trousers, worth $2.50; our Sale price **$1.89**

50c all Indian Head Linen, in all colors; special at **42c**

50c Mercerized Silk Pongees, in all colors; special at **37c**

We are agents for McCall's Printed Patterns. They are also reduced for this Sale.

All Ladies' Silk Dresses are reduced for this Sale—

1 lot of Silk Dresses, worth anybody's $15; our Sale price **$9.64**

Another lot of Silk Dresses, in Canton crepes and satin-back crepes; your choice, in all new goods **$11.64**

1 lot of Ladies' fine Oxfords, in the newest styles, special at **$2.59**

1 lot of Ladies' $4.50 to $5.95 Oxfords, newest styles and makes; your choice **$3.79**

We are going to close-out our entire stock of Men's Oxfords. Now is your chance to get a new pair cheap. We have them priced from **$2.79** and up to **$4.46**

Remember we guarantee our entire stock of Shoes.

Your choice of all $1.25 Muslin Gowns, Teddies, Chemise, Underskirts, in flesh or white—a whole table filled—pick out your needs, special, only **89c**

1 lot of Ladies' fine lace and one-strap Oxfords, in black and brown, in vici-kid and patent leather; all guaranteed solid leather, all sizes, worth $3.50; our price **$1.98**

1 lot of Ladies' long sleeve Gingham Dresses in all sizes and assorted patterns, at **$1.39**

1 lot of good Suit Cases **$1.19**

Your choice of any Men's Straw Hat in the house at **$1.39**

1 lot of Boys' Caps **23c**

1 lot of Ladies' Bungalow House Dresses, special at **89c**

1 lot of Children's Gingham Dresses, all sizes; special at **98c**

1 lot of Men's Pin-Check Pants, all sizes; for only **$1.24**

7-foot Green Window Shades **69c**

1 lot of Men's Fine Dress Shoes, all sizes, guaranteed solid leather; special **$2.64**

Ladies' 15c Hose **9c**

Ladies' 25c Hose **13c**

Ladies' 39c Silk Lisle Hose **22c**

1 lot of 15c Hand Towels **11c**

1 lot of 35c Bath Towels **21c**

Men's 75c Light Weight Summer Union Suits, all sizes **48c**

Ladies' 20c Gauze Vests **11c**

1 lot of Men's American made army dress Shoes, in all sizes; Sale price **$3.19**

1 lot of Felt House Slippers **85c**

1 lot of Men's Wash Pants **$1.19**

1 lot of Ladies' Waists **89c**

1 lot of Boys' imitation palm beach suits; special at **$2.98**

1 lot of Men's all-wool Serge Suits, all sizes, worth $17.50; Sale price **$12.48**

Men's regular $1.00 heavy grade triple-stitched full face sleeve Work Shirts, all sizes; our Removal Sale price **59c**

1 lot of Men's Dress Shirts, with and without collars, all sizes, worth $1.00; at **79c**

Ladies' 50c Silk Hose, in all colors, slightly imperfect; no exchange or return; while they last, our Removal Sale price **19c**

1 lot of fine dotted Swiss and Voile goods, regular 65c values, Removal Sale price **46c**

1 lot of fine Chambrays, in assorted colors, good for dresses, shirts, or various other things; your choice, per yard **9c**

7 bars Export Borax Laundry Soap; **25c**

1 lot of Ladies' Oxfords and Strap Shoes, all sizes; sepcial at **$1.64**

1 lot of 32-inch fast color Gingham, sells everywhere at 25c; our Sale price, while it lasts, per yard **15c**

1 lot of fine Curtain Scrim, regular 15c value, in ecru and white, per yard **9c**

1 lot of Men's Felt Hats, sell most everywhere at $2.00, in black and brown; our Removal Sale price **$1.39**

1 lot of Men's solid leather Scout Work Shoes, just the thing for comfort and wear; Sale price **$1.69**

Men's 15c Hose **9c**

Men's 20c Hose **13c**

Men's 25c Hose **22c**

1 lot of Men's 75c Silk Hose, in all colors; your choice, while they last **48c**

1 lot of Men's $1.00 Silk Hose, slightly imperfect, all colors, while they last; no exchanges or returns accepted **25c**

1 lot of $25.00 3-piece Young Men's Suits, in the very newest styles **$18.45**

1 lot of Men's Palm Beach Suits **$7.98**

1 lot of fine Silk Mohair Suits, in all sizes; special at **$10.95**

1 lot of $25.00 Young Men's Gaberdine and Tropical Worsted Suits, beautiful patterns; special at **$14.95**

All Arrow Brand $2.25 and $2.50 Dress Shirts, with collar attached, in solid white, the new powder blue and peach, solid colors and beautiful checks and stripes to choose from; your choice **$1.95**

We have a large and complete line of Shirts to choose from at all prices.

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BOOTLEGGERS IN SHELBY FALL OUT AND ONE KILLED

Three Suspects Held After Body of Calera Man is Found In Outhouse.

Columbiana, Ala., July 12.—Fear that he might inform upon them led a gang of moonshiners to kill N. L. McElroy of Calera, officers believed Saturday in investigating the finding of McElroy's body.

McElroy, after being killed, was placed in an outhouse near Calera and the building set on fire.

Three men have been arrested in connection with the case. Will Carden and son are in Shelby County jail here, while Reggie Lucas was taken to Birmingham for safekeeping. They are alleged members of the gang of moonshiners.

The slain man was missed about ten days ago. A search had been made for him and this search finally led to finding the body.

It is believed, however, that the body had first been put in the water, but that the slayers became afraid of detection and attempted to destroy all evidence of the crime by burning the body in the outhouse. The body was identified by means of a ring. The hands and feet were tied with wire.

At the request of Solicitor John J. Haynes, Walter K. McAdory, head of the state law enforcement department, has sent Agent Tom Williamson here to work on the case. Williamson reported Saturday that he was accumulating evidence to show that dissension in a "liquor ring" was brobably back of the killing of McElroy. More arrests might be expected, he intimated.

MORE TO AUTO WRECK

Last week The Union-Banner carried a sketch of the automobile wreck of Claude Reynolds' car, driven by Miss Sara Luckie, which occurred Tuesday afternoon of last week. Since last week we have learned some more of the facts of the wreck.

According to an eye witness to the incident, the Dodge car, driven by Miss Sara Luckie and in which were two more girls, was coming down the Wesson Hill at a very reckless speed. Mr. Frank Massey was coming into town with a two-mule wagon heavily loaded with cinders. Mr. Massey heard the car coming and pulled to the right side of the road. The car ran into the rear of his wagon, breaking his coupling pole, knocking part of the cinders off the wagon and causing the mules to run away. The mules were going at a fast speed with the rear wheels of the wagon out of alignment, the coupling pole being broken. The mules were not stopped until they had crossed the fill at the foot of the Wesson Hill. Mr. Massey, who was still on the wagon, was in a very dangerous predicament, since he had no way to guide the wagon and his brakes were put out of commission. It was only a miracle that the heavily loaded wagon did not run off the fill and probably kill the driver and the mules.

Reports say that after the wreck was over the Dodge car was turned completely around and was headed back up the hill.

REV. EZELL AND FAMILY ON THREE WEEKS VACATION

Rev. S. J. Ezell, wife and son, left the first of this week for a visit of three weeks to Mrs. Ezell's relatives in Virginia and the preacher's folks in North Carolina. Rev. Ezell will be away from his pulpit at the Baptist church for three Sundays.

Rev. G. A. Hornady will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. The following Sunday, two State workers will be in Clanton and take charge of the regular hour's service. On the third Sunday which the pastor is away, Rev. P. G. Carter of Geneva will fill the pulpit. Complete announcements will be made later.

OFFICERS GET 959 WHISKEY STILLS IN STATE SINCE JAN.

Almost Three-Quarters of a Million Gallons of Beer Wiped Out In Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., July 10.—From January 1st to June 30th, 1924, state law enforcement officers have destroyed 959 stills, 617,180 gallons of beer, 6,886 gallons of whiskey, 1,251 gallons of home brew and 863 gallons of gin, according to the semi-annual report of the law enforcement department submitted Thursday to Governor Brandon.

Property confiscated during the same period included 64 automobiles, 15 mules, 5 buggies, 6 wagons and 4 horses. Convictions totaled 1,016 and acquittals, 74. Cases nol prossed, 75; cases abated by death, 3. Sentences imposed where convictions resulted ran from 3 months up.

Arrests aggregated 1,677, including 937 for violating the prohibition law, 207 for operating stills and 64 for possessing stills and 469 for miscellaneous offenses.

Expenses for the six months covered by the report totaled $48,821.35

A report for the month of June submitted at the same time showed 324 arrests, 141 stills, 106,280 gallons of beer, 1,871 gallons of whiskey, 39 gallons of wine and 800 bottles of home brew, destroyed.

ROAD MEETING AT COURT HOUSE SATURDAY, JULY 26TH

The Commissioners Court hereby calls a mass meeting at the Court house July the 26th, for the purpose of discussing the condition of the public Roads in the county.

We request all Road Supervisers to be at said meeting, and we urge all other parties that are interested in good roads to come.

We would appreciate a full statement from each R. R. Mail carrier of the condition of the roads on their routes, and the needs of their roads.

The purpose of this meeting is to arrange to gravel and work the places in the Roads that get bad in winter.

The meeting will be held strictly at ten o'clock A. M. and we hope to have a representative from each community in the county. We urge each community to get together and see how much help they can get on the roads in their community.

Respectfully,
L. H. Reynolds
7- 17-2t Judge Of Probate.

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CLANTON, ALABAMA.

The Spiritual Side Of Co-operation

By John R. Hutcheson, Director Extension Service.

There are many people who profess to believe that co-operative marketing associations are purely business organizations, but those who have thought the matter through know that they have a distinct spiritual side, which must be reckoned with in the final analysis. Co-operation is simply getting rid of little petty jealousies and selfishness and doing unto others as we would have them do unto us. Some of our greatest business men have demonstrated the power of religion in business. The late John Wanamaker is a suitable example.

Secretary Wallace of the Department of Agriculture recently made this statement: "I regard true co-operation as applied Christianity. For almost three years the men and women, boys and girls on the farms have been passing through the most distressing experience in our agricultural history. It has been a time of trial, privation, worry, and discouragement—a time which ought to challenge the sympathy and earnest endeavor of every man who truly wants to serve the best interests of American agriculture, which means the best interests of the nation. Surely in such a time personal ambition, pride of opinion, irritations, growing out of clashing personalities, should be forgotten. Each man should serve where he best can serve and all right-minded men should co-operate in the task of restoring agriculture to a condition of happiness and prosperity."

Co-operative marketing associations are business organizations and every member should play his part in a business-like way. Members must not expect the impossible. They must remember that every organization has to meet and overcome obstacles, especially in the early stages. Co-operative associations are composed of human beings. If every one of these human beings is still so human as to expect to get without giving, the association is doomed to failure, for this is not co-operation. Some one has said that "God is with the co-operatives." This is only true when the co-operative is composed of real co-operators who take a real interest and have real faith.

Up to the present time most of our co-operative associations have met with considerable success. Some of them have failed from lack of intelligent management on the part of members and officers. The largest co-operative association in Virginia at the present time is the Tobacco Growers Association. This association has been in operation about two years and has succeeded not only in maintaining prices in face of a big crop, but has even increased the general price paid to those both in and out of the association. Even the enemies of this organization admits this. Yet, we find a number of selfish members who are dissatisfied because they did not get more. They are sore because "Bill Jones," who is not a member of the association, may have gotten one cent more per pound than they did. They forget that their association made the extra cent for Bill Jones possible. Or, if they remember it, they are so selfish as to be willing to give up the whole thing rather than see some one else get more than they do. Such members are not real co-operators. They are found in every association. They have never learned the spirit of giving as well as taking.

There are quite a number of members in every co-operative association who do not take enough interest to really study their association and who are easily discouraged. They hear of great problems confronting their association, they listen to propaganda put out by its enemies, they magnify difficulties, and lose faith. They are like the children of Israel in the wilderness who wanted to turn back when ever they met with serious difficulties. They do not have faith in themselves, their neighbors nor their God. Let any such think what would have happened to the children of Israel if Moses had listened to the brumblers and weak-kneed instead of having faith. What would have happened to our country in its early history if George Washington had listened to the discouraged ones at Valley Forge? Instead of being discouraged when things do not go exactly right, let us follow the example of Stonewall Jackson, who, when confronted with a particularly difficult task, made this significant statement, "You can do whatever you earnestly undertake," or that of William Cary, who rose from a cobbler's bench to a professor's chair by the practice of his life's motto, "Expect great things from God; attempt great things for God." This is the spirit which has inspired every man who has ever accomplished anything, and this is the spirit which must inspire the leaders and members of our great co-operative associations if they are to continue to succeed.

Let us remember that no great movement was ever put through without great sacrifice and great faith, and let us all join that group of co-operators whose number is daily increasing, who keep in close touch with their association, attend local meetings at least once a month, who criticise their association when criticism is necessary, but never in the presence of a non-member, who go to headquarters for information, reason with their weak brothers and do everything else in their power to make their association a success. When we have done everything humanly possible, we can then have faith and "EXPECT GREAT THINGS."

STATE BUREAU OF MARKETS CHIEF TO VISIT CLANTON

The Farmers Co-operative Association has arranged to have Mr. N. H. Brown, chief of the Bureau of Markets, attend a meeting to be held in the court house in Clanton Saturday, July 26th at 1:30 p.m.

Mr. Brown, in his address at this meeting, will discuss the marketing problems of the farmers of the county and state and give us the benefit of his study and experience in marketing work. As chief of the bureau of markets, he is acquainted with all phases of the marketing situation and his suggestions will be well worth the attention of every farmer in the county.

Strawberry production and marketing will be discussed at this meeting by Mr. J. M. Smith of Thorsby and Mr. W. T. Bean of Clanton. Also some time will be devoted to outlining the purposes, form of organization and plans of operation of the Farmers Co-operative Association.

Everyone is urged to be on hand at the opening hour so as to get the full benefit of the meeting. We are especially fortunate in being able to have Mr. Brown visit us and should make the most of the opportunity given us by his presence.

Remember the date, Saturday, July 26th. Everyone is invited and will be welcome.

Local meetings for the purpose of explaining the plans, purposes and methods of the Farmers Co-operative Association will be held at the following places on the date stated:

Cross Roads, 2 miles south of Thorsby, Friday night, July 18th.

Collins Chapel, Monday night, July 21st.

Enterprise, Friday night, July 25.

All members in these communities as well as all other farmers who are interested in co-operative buying and selling should attend these meetings. It is planned to start these meetings early so it will not be necessary to stay late, therefore, everyone is urged to come early.

FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION.

REVIVAL BEGINS AT FRIENDSHIP NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 20

The annual revival at Friendship church, a mile and a half north of Clanton, begins next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Rev. M. W. Mims of Verbena will assist the pastor, Rev. Robinson, in the preaching. Rev. Mims is now taking a summer course at Howard College, but he will stay away from his work there to preach at this revival.

The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services. Preaching will be held twice daily, the morning services beginning at 11 o'clock and the evening services beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Bro. Mims is a very interesting and instructive preacher, and it is hoped that the people of Friendship Community will join in making the meeting a success.

Prof. Huett is teaching a singing school at this place, it having begun on July 7th. Prof. Huett reports a nice little singing class and that the school is making splendid progress. Prof. Huett will have his class in trim shape to do the singing for the revival.

PREACHING AT MASONIC HALL SUNDAY

Announcement is made that Rev. A. C. Windham of Wetumpka will preach at the Masonic Hall next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock for the Clanton Presbyterian church. Rev. Windham recently graduated from the Theological Seminary, and is a very able preacher. The public has a cordial invitation to attend.

Prof. and Mrs. J. W. Moore left last Friday for a few weeks' visit to their daughter, Mrs. W. P. Crump and Mr. Crump in Jacksonville, Fla. Before returning they expect to visit St. Augustine and other points of interest in the Land of Flowers.

OFFICERS GET NEGRO WITH GALLON AND HALF OF BOOZE

Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee arrested Bob Burden, negro of Lawley last Friday near county line at Shoults School house. The negro had a gallon and a half of corn whiskey, which it is alleged he was bringing into Maplesville. Burden was brought to Clanton and placed in jail. He made bond a day or so later.

The officers found and destroyed two barrels of beer one mile west of Thorsby last Saturday morning. The still had not been placed there up to that time.

ALABAMA FARMERS ARE PREPARING TO TAKE ANNUAL TOUR

Will Go in Parties to See What Other Farmers are Doing and Get Practical Information.

Auburn, Ala., July 14, 1924.—Following several busy months in the fields, Alabama farmers are now beginning to complete cultivation and thinking of a rest period during the hot summer days. Cultivation has been strenuous and a vacation is now in order.

Reports from county agents show that large number of farm tours or excursions will be conducted during the next few weeks. In conducting them the same general plan will be followed over the State. Working with their county agents farmers decide where to go to receive the most information suitable to their conditions. They do so in automobiles, making a complete tour in one day. If they go to distant points a two-day tour is necessary. Arrangements are made in advance with the farmers who they expect to visit, and in this way the best results are obtained from the trips.

Several years ago the Alabama farmers began taking tours of this kind, and reports are available of those who have made very important changes in their farming systems as a result thereof. With a definite purpose in mind, practical information is always obtained and definite improvements follow.

Aside from being an opportunity for study and for learning, such tours have a decided advantage, serving as vacations for farmers and their friends.

PRATTVILLE MAY GET THE STATE HIGHWAY YET

So Chairman Rogers of State Road Board, Back from Washington Says.

Montgomery, Ala., July 7.—There is yet a chance that the Birmingham-Montgomery highway will pass thru Prattville instead of being connected with that city by a spur from the main highway, Chairman John A. Rogers of the State Highway Commission, who returned Saturday from Washington, D. C., says.

Mr. Rogers conferred with T. H. McDonald, chief of the United States Bureau of Public Roads regarding the proposed diversion of the highway through Prattville. He says he did not get a definite decision but that the bureau still has the matter under advisement.

Some time ago the highway commission approved the diversion of the Birmingham - Montgomery highway through Prattville on the condition that the extra cost of construction amounting to around $32,000 be born by Prattville. The condition was met but the proposition was turned down by United States District Engineer R. E. Toms.

Chairman Rogers said he explained to the chief of the federal roads bureau that the diversion of the highway contemplated is vital to the future of Prattville, which is the largest town between Clanton and Montgomery. Eight of Alabama's ten congressmen and both senators are supporting the proposal for diversion of the highway through Prattville, Senator Rogers stated.

OFFICERS GET 2 MEN AND STILL IN COOSA COUNTY

Lonnie Patterson and Dixon Lewis were brought to the county jail in Clanton Tuesday afternoon by Federal Officer Gillespie, State Officers Thompson and Lynch, and Deputy Harvey Foshee. The officers arrested the men while they were operating a 75-gallon copper still just across the River from the mouth of Walnut Creek. The still was destroyed together with 350 gallons of beer and three or four gallons of whiskey.

The officers say that two or three more men were at the still when the bunch was flushed, but all got away except Patterson and Lewis. Both these men are natives of Coosa County.

Charter No. 11,515. Reserve District No. 6.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT CLANTON, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1924.

RESOURCES.

1.(a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$304,928.96	
Total Loans		$304,928.96
2.Overdrafts, secured none, unsecured $90.57		90.57
4.U. S. Government Securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 30,000.00	
Total		30,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		13,000.00
6.Furniture and Fixtures	$ 2,600.78	2,600.78
8.Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		18,699.17
10.Cash in vault and amt. due from National Banks		62,774.50
11.Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, and 10)		7,303.22
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	$ 70,077.72	
15.Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,500.00
16.Other assets, if any		5,504.08
Total		$446,401.28

LIABILITIES.

17.Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
18.Surplus fund		15,000.00
19.Undivided Profits	$ 13,950.77	
(c) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	8,437.86	5,512.91
20.Circulating notes outstanding		28,900.00
23.Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		16,597.63
25.Cashier's check outstanding		382.53
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	$ 16,980.16	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26.Individual deposits subject to check		177,076.44
27.Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		39,931.00
28.State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		10,932.07
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	$227,939.51	
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32.Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		102,068.70
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$102,068.70	
Total		$446.401.28

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF CHILTON, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1924.
DEWEY BRANCH, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
D. I. DERAMUS, Jr.
E. E. UPCHURCH,
G. C. WALKER,
Directors.

ORIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Study Club Meets.

The home of Mrs. A. Johnson was a bower of loveliness on last Friday afternoon when she entertained the members of the Study Club. Lovely baskets of zenias and dahlias were used in profusion.

The president, Mrs. Napoleon Johnson presiding, plans were discussed for new topics for the next year. After the general routine of business, the hostess served a refreshing ice course to Mesdames P. D. Wilson, H. F. Chandler, Hughes Kennedy, Eric Hart, Grady Reynolds, N. S. Johnson, Grady Broadhead, L. F. Gerald, Philip Horn, Earl Gowan, J. P. Hayes, J. A. Hester, Macy Jones, Watts Moore and Amzi Gowan.

Mrs. Simpson Entertains.

Lovely garden flowers were attractively arranged throughout the reception rooms of Mrs. Hugh Simpson on last Wednesday afternoon having as her guests the members of the card club. Grape punch was served upon the arrival of the guests. After an extended series of spirited games the top score was held by Mrs. Lyman who was presented cards. During a social hour a tempting salad plate with iced tea was served. Mrs. Watts Moore and Mrs. L. C. McSwain were guests of the club for the afternoon.

Mrs. Armstrong, Hostess.

Pretty baskets of Zenias and nasturtiums were effectively used in the decoration of Mrs. John Armstrong's apartments on last Wednesday when she entertained her sewing club. Fancy needls work was indulged in until late in the afternoon when a tempting salad course was served. Besides the club members present were Mesdames O. O. Roper, Kate Haynes, R. C. McDavid and John Page.

Announcements

The Superintendent of Supplies, Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, invites all members of the Methodist Church to a shower of hose, handkerchiefs and piece goods for the Girls Industrial School at Vastiti, Ga., on next Monday afternoon at her home at 4:00 o'clock. Everybody is urged to respond to this worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vines of Route 1 are the proud parents of a new baby boy, the stork having arrived with it Tuesday afternoon. The youngster weighed ten pounds.

Mr. John Hester from Atlanta, Ga. left Friday for a visit to his brother in Montgomery enroute home after a stay of several days with Mr. Joe Hester and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Foshee and children from Fort Payne, are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

An Error.

Instead of the 4th of July proceeds netting $5000, we are sorry to say it was only $500.

Mr. Dave Askins from Phoenix, Arizona, is visiting friends and relatives in Clanton.

Mrs. Hance Alred has returned home from a recent visit to friends in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. J. R. Mullins will leave Sunday for Louisville, Ky., to attend a hardware convention.

Mr. Julian Hart from Mobile, was a visitor to his mother and brother, Eric Hart here this week.

Mrs. V. J. Heard and little daughter, Mary, have returned from a delightful visit of several weeks to relatives in Gulport, Miss.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson left Monday for a motor trip to Lake Junalaska, N. C.

Mr. Wallace Jones from Birmingham is spending his vacation in Clanton this week.

Mr. Tom Jones from Montgomery was the week-end guest of relatives here.

Mr. B. E. Jones from Montgomery was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday.

Mr. Oliver McSwain, who is working in Montgomery with the Studebaker Car Company spent the week-end in Clanton.

Miss Sara Luckie will leave Monday for a couple weeks visit to Mrs. Clarke Harper in Columbus, Ga.

Master Bob Roberts from Mobile, is spending some time here as the guest of his grand mother, Mrs. M. A. Mullins.

Messrs. Chas. Moore and Edum Mullins returned home Wednesday, from a delightful visit to Brooksville, Mississippi.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart will be grieved to learn of her being ill at their home, having had a stroke of paralysis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reynolds and Misses McAdams and Ida Harris motored over to Sylacauga Saturday for the ball game.

Mrs. W. K. Mullins and children of Birmingham will arrive this week for a visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wyatt and children are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Retherford.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White have as their guest, Mrs. White's aunt, Mrs. Warrick, from South Ala.

Miss Ruby Armstrong will leave Monday for a week's visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore have as their guest her sister, Miss Gussie Ranier from Elba, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Parrish from Deland, Fla., were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Luckie last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McDavid have returned home from a motor trip to Atlanta, Ga., and Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Macie Jones left Wednesday for a couple of week's visit to her mother in Montgomery.

Mrs. J. M. Curlee has returned home from a visit to relatives in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Splawn and son, William, from Leeds, were recent visitors to friends here.

Misses Mary and Clyde Jones are visiting relatives in Birmingham.

Misses Dela Latham and Mary Upchurch are visiting in Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE FARMERS

We wish to call the attention of all farmers to two features in this week's Union-Banner. One is the article headed: "The Spiritual Side of Co-operation," the other is "State Bureau of Markets Chiefs to Visit Clanton," which is to be at the court house in Clanton Saturday, July 26th.

Be sure to read both of these articles and then be sure to come to hear Mr. Brown and others at the meeting on the 29th.

Yours for a more profitable agriculture,

Executive Comm., F. C. A.

B. IGO GOT AWAY BUT DIDN'T GET FAR

The report goes that, B. Igo, having skipped two $500 bonds for violating the prohibition laws in Chilton County a few months ago, was taken up in Birmingham. Chilton County officers were notified to come after him, so Deputy Bill Culp went up and got Igo, bringing him down on No. 9 Wednesday morning. Culp started on up the street bringing the prisoner to jail, but Igo decided that he preferred going some place else, so he tore out up by Wade's ice plant and on up through the lumber stacks with Bill in after him. The other officers here heard of what had happened and joined in the chase. Thirty minutes search located Igo hiding under Maddox's warehouse. He was dislodged from his temporary hiding place and brought and placed in the county jail. The brazen attempt of Igo to outwit the officers gained him freedom for only a few minutes.

CLANTON PARTY RETURNS FROM VISIT TO TEXAS

Tom Taylor, Dave Easterling, Dr. Eiland, and Perry Mims returned last Monday night from a two-weeks visit to various points in Texas and the Rio Grande Valley. On their visit they went to LaFeria, Texas, where they spent some time with Andrew Easterling who moved from Chilton County down there in the winter. They also visited San Benito, Harlinger, Brownsville, which is right on the Mexican Border. They crossed the Rio Grande River and went over into Malomoros, Mexico, where they tarried for quite a while.

These gentlemen report that they had a most enjoyable outing on this trip. They say that they found some crops good and some not so good. Mississippi has generally good crops, but Louisiana is suffering for rain. They say that the boll weevils are mighty bad in some sections which they passed through.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

An attempt on the part of the state highway commission to have the state of Alabama pay the traveling expenses incurred by W. S. Keller, state highway engineer, on a trip to the Democratic national convention at New York has been formally disapproved by Attorney General Harwell G. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haynes, owners of a cafe at Talladega, owe their lives to the plaintive meows of two pet kittens. It was the crying of the pets that awakened the couple early in the morning when their cafe was destroyed by fire. They escaped through a window, but the kittens were burned to death.

The funeral services of "Aunt Polly" Douthard were held by the Methodist minister at the county almshouse at Jacksonville recently. Aunt Polly was a colored woman, 107 years old. She remembered as far back as 1818 and talked quite frequently of the Indian tribes in Talladega, where she was born.

Mississippi leads the list outside Alabama, with 34. Florida is second, with seven students; Texas, third, with five; Virginia has three; Georgia and Pennsylvania, two each; while Minnesota, Arkansas, Wisconsin, New York and Tennessee each are represented by a single student.

All departments of the repair shops of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, located at Musiter, suspended operations there Monday, with the exception of the coach department, for an indefinite period. An official bulletin closing the shops was posted on the gates.

Lieutenant and Acting Gov. C. S. McDowell, during the absence of Governor Brandon appointed Joe W. Caldwell, Jr., of Huntsville, Ala., judge of the inferior court of Huntsville. Mr. Caldwell, who is the Democratic nominee for the office, succeeds the late Judge J. W. B. Hawkins.

Initial steps have been taken in the organization of an agricultural market bureau of the Chamber of Commerce at Eufaula, by the appointment of Leon Dubois as chairman; R. D. Hays as manager and H. Parkhill, of Kentucky, as field director.

Funds with which to complete the Genery Gap-Helena road, now under construction, will be raised among Bessemer business men, according to plan just announced. A committee from the Chamber of Commerce has been appointed for this purpose.

Public improvement projects costing more than $3,000,000 have been completed or put under way since the present city commission took office less than three years ago, W. E. Dickson, street commissioner at Birmingham, has announced.

News has been received at Auburn of the death, at his home in New Orleans, of Dr. William Carter Stubbs, the sole surviving member of the faculty of the East Alabama Male College and of the first faculty of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

Rev. Turner, an aged and well known citizen of the Southern part of the county, near Good Springs, was accidentally killed in a coal mine near Good Springs recently, when a huge rock fell on his body, crushing it.

The dairy cow and poultry are being stressed in Walker county by G. W. Humphries, livestock development agent. Humphries, of the Southern Railway, was in Jasper recently and discussed the outlook in that county.

The Etowah county Boy Scouts will go into camp at Shinebone Ridge, August 25, and will remain there through September 8.

Paul Cook, Jefferson county convict at the Steiger Prison farm, with other convicts, attacked and felled a guard in an attempt to escape recently.

Fire Chief Pride at Sheffield, was painfully burned about the face and hands when a small building was destroyed on the estate of J. L. Andrews.

THORSBY SECTION

(C. R. HORTON, Manager.)

Misses Bertha and Versie Littleton, are enjoying a well earned vacation this week. They are spending a greater part of it in Birmingham.

Mr. C. R. Foss made a trip to Montgomery, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson spent the week-end in Birmingham. They left Tuesday for a trip to Florida.

Misses Lorena Prim and Bernice Williams, returned last week from Blue Ridge, N. C., where they will give a report of their trip next Sunday night at the Christian Endeavor. Miss Williams spent several days in Georgia, on her way back visiting relatives.

Mr Haber Hanson, visited in Thorsby last week before leaving for a trip to Indiana, where he will visit his mother.

Miss Lena Franklin left the early part of the week for Howard College, where she will attend school.

Miss Ethel Peterson returned Monday night after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Anderson, in Birmingham.

A Saxaphone Quartet has been organized in Thorsby under the auspices of Mr. Clarence Bice.

Miss Hattie Davenport of Birmingham, who has been recently visiting in Washington, D. C., spent Sunday in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport. While at Washington she visited with several of the Thorsby girls.

Mr. Earl Meade spent Sunday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and day with Mr. Peterson's parents in Thorsby.

Mr. Martin Nelson returned last Saturday from Birmingham. We are glad to see that Mr. Nelson is feeling so well, after having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. John Carlson left Thursday for Chicago and Rockford, Ill., to visit his son and daughter, Mr. Raymond Carlson and Miss Pearl. He will be gone several weeks.

Miss Beatrice Johnson returned Wednesday of last week from a trip to New York, Ohio, Illinois and Wisconsin.

Mrs Charles Adams and daughter Elizabeth, spent the week end in Thorsby visiting with relatives.

It is reported that Captain Hutchinson has traded his farm north of town for a beautiful home on South Highlands in Birmingham.

Mr. Arnold Soberg returned Sunday from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Walter Morgan of Birmingham.

Mrs. John Johnson has been visiting in Birmingham for several days with her brother, Mr. Knite Lander.

Rev. Each and family left early Tuesday morning in their automobile for a trip to Florida where they will spend their vacation. They will be gone about a month. Some one will supply the pulpit at the Congregational Church during Rev. Each's absence.

Mr. Tom Robinson visited his parents in Thorsby last week.

Mrs. R. A. Mickesell and children and Mrs. Reagan spent last week in Mobile visiting with Mr. Leo Peterson. Mrs. Mickesell and Mrs. Geagan will start Saturday for their home in Council Bluffs Iowa. Mrs. Mickesell's mother, Mrs. Martin Peterson, will accompany them to Birmingham.

ROSINTON NEWS

(From Baldwin County Times.)

Childrens day exercises went off nicely at the Consolidated School House last Sunday. The singing was fine and the children showed careful training in their parts. After a bountiful dinner under the trees, Judge Reynolds of Chilton County made a strong talk on right living and the influence of bad habits. This talk would have been of benefit to every man, woman, boy or girl in Baldwin County.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Efficient Radio Service

It is not only what we see that gives us information, our ears also perform a very considerable aid in the process. This aid has been wonderfully reinforced in recent years by the great development of Radio service, which obviates the necessity of personal presence in the vicinity of the initiating force of sound, but makes sounds clearly audible at an incredible distance.

The very efficient service rendered by the Bell Telephone and Telegraph company from Station WEAF in New York during the great Democratic National convention at Madison Square Garden, has been a revelation to millions of people who have been permitted to "listen in" to hear the proceedings. Their powerful equipment covers a radius which includes Washington, D. C., Boston, Buffalo, Pittsburg, Atlanta, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, Saint Louis, and Kansas City, and so disitnct was the delivery of messages to these important centers that they could be easily relayed by their less powerful equipment to thousands of cities, small towns and homes within their reach.

At a recent electrical convention it was decided to change the name of this service from "Broadcasting' to "Radiocasting,' as better descriptive of the operation.

For about a month past the writer has had access to a fine Radio receiving set within fifty miles of WEAF Radio Station. Only once within that time has effective service been interrupted and that by a terrific electrical storm. He has distinctly heard all the proceedings of the Democratic convention even to the 103rd ballot with its accompanying landslide which gave John W. Davis the nomination as a candidate for the Democratic party for president. He declined to sit up until 2 a.m. to hear the nomination of Gov. Chas. W. Bryan for vice-president.

Now that the convention is over it will be possible to avail ourselves of this great service, in features of entertainment and instruction that will ble of great benefit to people in millions of homes scattered over a wide area.

For instance, last night the "announcer" informed us that a part of their program would be an hour of dinner music by an orchestra in the Waldorf-Astoria Rose Room. With a little stretch of imigination one finds himself seated at table in this luxurious dining room, amid the fashionables from everywhere, listening, and eating, during an hour to exquisite strains of music which came as real as if he were in the Rose Room itself. One can realize the scene about as much better as he would a base ball game by having a seat in the bleachers instead of reading about it in the newspapers. He becomes a part of of it, there is no separation apparent, one seems to be strictly "in it."

Even the young children are not overlooked in the daily program of the Radio, just before their bedtime a soft voiced lady appears to tell them Fairy stories and legends suited to their age and capacity to absorb things beautiful and wonderful. One must faintly understand child nature who would deprive them of these flights of imagination which stimulates the mind to visualize things that are beyond their little noses.

After the little folks have had theirs, we can often "sit in" comfortably at a concert, in which appear a great variety of artists with a program intended to enable every one in the audience to find something that suits their particular ideas of what is good, in music. Or it may, on occasion, be an opera program that a more limited audience can enjoy. Just here is where the educational feature of Radio is apparent. People will listen, partly because they have nothing else to do, or in hope something of their kind will come along soon, all at once some particular part seems mighty good to them, they "sit up and take notice" before the concert is over there may have come to them two or three beautiful selections, well within their comprehension, which stimulates a desire to hear it again or something of a like nature. A new door has been opened and the path is easy to follow along until one becomes really fond of a higher class of music, than jazz and ragtime which has recently had a big run.

Pardon a little digression to relate a personal incident to illustrate this point. 50 years ago the writer was a young man who lived in Chicago, shortly after the great fire there. As a country boy he had few opportunities to hear anything but church music and that only by untrained singers. In 1876 in a great Exposition building on the Lake shore, The Thomas Orchestra, gave a series of summer night popular concerts, frequently giving a program made up of numbers requested by patrons, few of whom were accustomed to high class music. Theodore Thomas spent his life in educating the common people to enjoy high class music. He was a genius in leading them on to want it. He had one of the best orchestras in the country. One night they played "Midsummer Night's Dream" in illustration of a part of one of Shakespeare's plays. It stuck in my mind and from that time on I was a frequent attendant at Thomas orchestra concerts. On a recent visit to Chicago I attended three concerts given by The Chicago Symphony Orchestra, which was a name given the reorganized and enlarged Thomas Orchestra after Theodore Thomas died. This concert was given in a large and beautiful hall erected at great cost, especially as a home for the organization, which Theodore Thomas founded, and was filled by season ticket holders, many of them who were his first Chicago patrons and more, their children and grand children. I do not remember having heard the particular number mentioned except during those summer night concerts, until recently some one put a record on a phonograph in another room from where I was standing and before more than a few bars were played I was able to name it from memory. Can any one who knows the possibilities of Radio service and its rapid development have doubts that such concerts will soon be available for an audience composed of millions of people instead of 1000 to 1500?

But it is not only in the field of music that Radio service is of practical benefit to the people. Police Radiocast descriptions of persons who are "missing" and almost dailiy they are found. Suspected or escaped criminals, among them auto thieves, are "norated" all over the land and advertising in a limited way is put over.

Lectures on timely subjects of interest educationally, are liberally Radiocast. Among those we have recently heard is a talk to mothers of young children on the care of the teeth, giving explicit directions what to do from babyhood to man and womanhood.

There are people who attempt to educate people by Radio who give evidence of needing more education themselves, for instance, a Mr. Brennan, one of the officials of The Bank of America, one of New York's great banking institutions, was Radiocasting information, for public consumption, about the great opportunity of investors to buy stock, incidentally through their bank, in the Super Power company, an organization which is ultimately to cover all Electrical power producing plants within the United States and Canada, which are to be combined under a working agreement whereby one company which for any reason may be short of power for immediate needs may buy of some other company, that may have a surplus. A very sensible plan intended to stabilize power for the whole country and furnish it cheaper to consumers.

Mr. Brennan started in to tell of the field to be covered under this arrangement, and the progress already made on the Pacific slope where from the Canadian border to Mexico, a distance o over 2000 miles the principal power companies are already working under this plan. He then spoke of the unreliability of flow of water, in our rivers, hence the necessity for steam plants to supplement them, when needed. He then told of plans to have steam plants at the mines in western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, which he said comprised practically all of the bituminous l coa fields of this country, and which could furnish unlimited power.

During his whole talk he never mentioned any hydro-electric power development nor steam power plants, or bituminous coal mines in the Southern States. But he did say that investments in the properties he talked about was probably as much as $10,000,000. He might have had a purpose in ignoring development of this industry in the South, possibly their bank is not interested in selling stock in Southern units of the Super Power company. Possibly also he has never posted himself on what is actually doing in our Southland. In any event it struck the writer that as a public educator this man was decidedly narrow and circumscribed in his views on the subject he was trying to elucidate.

FORMER CHILTON CITIZEN WRITES FROM BALDWIN

Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to say through your paper that we are doing fine down here in Baldwin County. Our crops are fine.

We had a Children's Day here last Sunday. Judge L. H. Reynolds of Clanton was with us and made a great speech on Sunday Schools.

This country here is building up fast. People are moving here from all parts of the world all the time.

To all my friends in Chilton County, you will make no mistake in moving to this county, for it is 50 per cent better farming country than Chilton County. It is developing into a truck farming country; the soil and climate are well suited for this kind of farming.

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ALL DAY SINGING AT MARS HILL JULY 27

Editor Union-Banner:

Please give me space to announce that there will be an all-day singing at Mars Hill church, 4 miles west of Jemison on the Fourth Sunday in this month. Half of the day is to be spent in singing the good old songs in the Christian Harmony books, and the other half in the new books.

Everybody is invited to come and bring your books and a well filled basket of something to eat and spend the day together singing praises to God.

Also everybody who is interested is invited to meet there on Friday before to help clean off the cemetery. So don't forget the days and be sure and come.

Yours truly,
J. N. SCOTT.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

It is very dry here and crops are needing rain very badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruffin Moore are here visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Moore.

Miss Paralee Moore spent Sunday evening with Miss Ida Mae Moore.

A large crowd of the young people from here went to Tabernacle Sunday night to preaching.

Mr. Odie Moore and Miss Farice Green were united in marriage Saturday night.

Mr. Ruffin Moore, Mrs. Catherine Moore, son and daughter, Odie and Ida Mae, were in Clanton Saturday on business.

Mr. Rush Burnett is sick, but is some better now. We hope he will soon be well.

There will be a picnic at Mr. B. S. Hicks' store, better known as Gen' trys Store, the fourth Saturday in this month. Everybody is invited to come. The money derived will go for the benefit of Friendship church.

The remains of Mr. Fate Hamilton were laid to rest here Saturday at 11 o'clock.

UNION GROVE

Everybody is getting ready for the big revival, and hope it will be one of the best we have ever had.

Mr. Willie Warren Atkinson of Birmingham has been visiting his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dorminey have returned home from a short stay in Ohio.

Mr. T. J. Dorminey is on the sick list.

Miss Edna Robinson of this place is attending the singing school at Collins Chapel

Miss Myrtle Dorminey spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Carrie Shaw is visiting her parents' Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dorminey.

The singing at this place was enjoyed highly by everyone Sunday.

Our revival meeting starts next Saturday night. Everybody be sure and come. And all who feel an interest in the place, meet Friday and let's clean off the cemetery and the church yards. Those who live a good way off bring your dinner and stay all day.

MT. PLEASANT

There will be a school meeting at Mt. Pleasant Friday night, July 18th, and all who are interested in the school are urged to come. There is some important business to be attended to. Let all the patrons be present, without fail.

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LIBERTY HILL CEMETERY

All interested in the cemetery at Liberty Hill are asked to meet there on Wednesday, July 23rd for the purpose of cleaning off same. Bring your tools.

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REFUGE REVIVAL TO GEGIN FIRST SUNDAY IN AUGUST

Rev. M. J. Parrish, pastor of the Refuge Church, asks us to announce that the revival at that church will begin the first Sunday in August. Bro. Parrish wishes to have the hearty help of his members in this revival.

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OAK GROVE

There will be a cream supper at Oak Grove next Saturday night, July 19th. Everybody come and bring some one with you.

W. J. NORTHCUTT.

W. M. Wyatt and M. D. Foshee of Fort Payne came down to Clanton Sunday afternoon, driving through the country and bringing their families. Mack and Marion went back to Fort Payne Monday on the train, leaving their families in Clanton to remain with friends and relatives for some weeks.

Bernie L. Cobb of Jemison was in Clanton a while last Saturday on business.

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There is going to be an ice cream supper at this place Saturday night, July 18th for the benefit of the church. The public is invited.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For President of U. S.—
CALVIN COOLIDGE

For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Until one can control oneself it is futile to attempt the control of others. If the Democratic party cannot manage is own affairs better than it did at Madison Square Garden, what could we expect of its management of national affairs?

Alabama poultry club members, warking under direction of the home demonstration agents, produced products worth $596,908 in 1923. This represented $16,583 for each of the 36 counties having a home demonstration agent.

What has become of that law prohibiting children from driving automobiles unless accompanied by an adult? This is a good law with a good intention and would be productive of good results, so why not let's have it looked after and rigidly enforced. A high-powered automobile with the throttle opened and the steering wheel virtually turned lose is liable to result in serious damage and the loss of innocent lives. Such business is very dangerous.

FLOWER O'ER THE PARTY WALL

Commenting upon the "unprecedented surplus" in the U. S. treasury, the New York Times, Dem., says that "none of these considerations obscure the fact that the big theasury surplus represented a high degree of national prosperity in 1923, or the fact that American public finance has been admirably managed."

Splendid! We thank you.

The high degree of national prosperity was enjoyed after two years of full Republican control of both branches of the government and after four years of Republican control of Congress.

The admirable management of the public finance was under the general policies of Harding and Coolidge with expert direct control of the treasury by Secretary Mellon. These officials were aided by Budget Directors Dawes and Lord, and, in Congress, by a House Committee on Appropriations headed by Madden and a Senate Committee on Appropriations headed by Warren.

There we have a team of workers that can't be beat.

Why change?

UNION-BANNER TAKES AGENCY FOR JOHNSON ROWBOAT MOTOR

The Union-Banner has secured the agency in this territory for the Johnson outboard row-boat motor, which is manufactured in South Bend, Indiana. The Union-Banner will serve as distributor of this machine in this section.

The fact that Chilton County has an immense fresh water lake all across the east side of it, opens up a large field for canoe and boat traveling, many people seeking the distinct pleasure of cranking up their little motor and gliding over the smooth water and viewing the many rustic scenes which abound up and down the old Coosa River. This pleasure cannot be fully realized without the use of a Johnson Motor. Several Johnsons are already in use in this county, and ere long there will be many more installed.

All of the attractive features of the Johnson will be brought out in the columns of The Union-Banner within the next few weeks, so if you are a boater and enjoy out-door sports, read up on this famous little machine.

SWEET DREAMS

REPUBLICAN BUDGET SYSTEM BROVES TO BE BIG SUCCESS

Washington, July 14.—The Republican party has kept faith in its promises for retrenchment in government expenditures, declares Congressman Martin B. Madden o Illinois, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, summing up the work of the Republican adminsitration. So far as Congress is concerned, the Republican regime began in March 1919 but not until March, 1921, did the Republicans get control of both branches of the government. Nevertheless, the Republican Congress began wholesale cuts in the demands for appropriations as soon as it came into power. The Democratic requests for funds were slaughtered to the extent of $3,890,000,000 in three sessions to which the Democrats had submitted estimates. In the course of his address quoted above, Mr. Madden said:

"From the assembly of Congress in May, 1919 to the present date, every effort has been made to manage the affairs of the nation according to efficient, economical, and solid business principles. The results speak for themselves. Appropriations have been reduced, expenditures have correspondingly decreased, taxes have been reduced, the public debt and the interest charge have been lowered, the Budget has been balanced each year and has shown a comfortable margin on the surplus side, the number of employees has been cut, and the country has been given a Budget system.

"There is ample cause for approval of these accomplishments. The past few years have been critical in the affairs of the nations of the world. The present favorable situation of the United States is due in no small measure to the sound financial policy which has governed the management of its affairs. While other nations are struggling with overwhelming public debts that in some cases are as great or greater than national wealth and are crying for relief from the taxes caused by deficits in their budget, the people of the United States are enjoying the economic benefits which arise from sound financing on the part of the Federal Government."

This record has been accomplished by cutting necessary appropriations to the lowest limit consistent with service and by avoiding the creation of new sources of demand upon the public treasury. As Mr. Madden said:

"The appropriations made during the session just closed, aside from the adjusted compensation act, do not provide for any unusual new activities of government. The sums granted have been confined almost wholly to existing activities and within limits of amounts which do not permit any marked expansion, with the exception of the provision for a large number of additional vessels and the necessary personnel in the Coast Guard to enable that service to cope with the 'rum-running' fleets operating in violation of the prohibition laws. The record of the session follows that of the preceding sessions under the control of the Republican party and shows, as have several of the previous sessions, a marked decline in the appropriations."

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A PARTY FOR THE COMMON PEOPLE?

The Democrats claim to be a party whose ambition and purpose is the welfare of the laborer and the common man of the nation. But in this case as in many others, we are forced to apply the old straight-edge maxim, "Actions speak louder than words." In their national convention in New York City the Democrats had the chance of nominating a man for president who has placed his whole fight in the interest of labor and the common people. But what did this convention do with him? They snowed him under so deep that he will never see day light again, and substituted in his stead the biggest corporation lawyer in the world, John W. Davis.

But this action of the national convention is no new thing in the Democratic party. Wherever you go, this party is dominated by capital and corporations. The majority of the Democratic executive committee in Alabama are held under the thumb of capital, and the secretary and general manager of the Democratic party in Chilton county is a corporation lawyer. If traced up, this element will be found everywhere the Democratic party is found. The slogan, "A party for the common people," doesn't mean anything so long as that party is controlled by the moneyed men and the big corporations, and the people of the country are beginning to realize that this argument is only a snag on which the Democrats hope to hang a few suckers' votes.

Let's see who is at the head of the Republican party in this country. Calvin Coolidge, although a moderate liver, has never owned a home or an automobile. While governor of Massachusetts he lived in rented rooms. Which would you figure to be on the side of the laborer and the common man, a man who is common himself or a man who is employed by the big corporations of the country?

FARM FACTS

Tent caterpillars or webworms have made their webs on pecan trees. Unless they are destroyed they are certain to do much damage.

If you are feeding hogs, you would like to read "Forage Crops for Hogs and Feeding hogs on Forage Crops," which is a new bulletin published by the Extension Service, Auburn. Each county agent has copies for farmers who request them.

The day of agricultural exploitation has passed. From now on money is not to be made by the increase in farm land values but by hard-handed, intelligent, sound business methods.

No one can deny farmers the right to market their products to best advantage.

The educated farmer is the one who will make progress. College courses in agriculture at State College prepare young men and women to face the big problems which must be worked out.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
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Diseases and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and the fitting of glasses.
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BOLL WEEVIL CONTROL METHODS approved by State & Government Experts

In addition to the use of poison there are numerous other practices which tend to reduce the boll weevil injury to cotton. Even when poisoning is practiced the most thorough attention should be given to the indirect means of control, since they reduce the amount of poisoning which might be necessary and increase the profit which may be obtained.

One of the most important steps toward reducing the weevil infestation is the destruction of the cotton plants in the early fall before the weevils have hibernated. To be of the greatest value, the plants must be plowed under deeply before the firs. killing frost.

It has been pointed out in a previous article that immature stages of the weevils may survive the frosts and cause a continuous development of weevils throughout the winter. This may be checked completely by the destruction of the stalks.

In some districts where it is impossible to practice fall destruction of stalks, somewhat the same results may be obtained by grazing the field with cattle, sheep or goats. Experts declare there is no danger to the stock from poisoning as there very rarely is poison on the plants at that time of the year and the amount on the plants immediately after an application will not injure the stock.

It is often possible to reduce considerably the spring infestation by proper winter clean-up measures around the fields. Since the weevils will hiberante successfully in any trash or rubbish, it is a good practice to burn over or clean up around the cotton field during the winter, especially the fence rows and ditch banks.

Much can be accomplished by the elimination of hibernation quarters. Especially along the more northerly portions of the weevil zone, the most successful hibernation is largely confined to the timbered areas, and as a result serious weevil injury is experienced only in the fields adjoining such timber. Under such conditions it is of the utmost importance to plan all clearing operations so that the open areas for cultivaion are consolidated into as large tracts as possible, thus increasing the amount of land which is sufficiently distant from timber to suffer a minimum amount of weevil injury.

Further information on the subject of boll weevil control may be obtained from the county agent, state college of agriculture or the National Boll Weevil Control Association, Room 220 Whitney building, New Orleans, La.

Take Calotabs TRADE MARK REG
for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

CLEANINGS

Christian Science Monitor.—It is high time that the method by which the nominating power is exercised should be rigidly regulated by statute to the end that nominations shall be made intelligently, with due deliberation, and uninfluenced by the clamors of partisan mobs.

Omaha Bee.—American farmers will see the doughnut where the Democratic politicians see only the hole. Our home trade is worth many times our foreign trade, and it should be and will be preserved through the continuation of the Republican policy of protection.

Boston Transcript.—"I am for economy. After that, I am for more economy." Mr. Coolidge has spoken rightly, and he has courage, that courage which seeks no aid from interest but bases itself on what is right.

St. Louis Times.—Judging by what the Democratic national convention has done and failed to do, no one could have the temerity to suggest that the old donkey be removed as a fitting emblem of the party.

Philadelphia Public Ledger.—No one Democrat being big enough, no one man having risen to the stature of leadership, the delegates created a composite boss.

Omaha Bee.—The Democratic party can not expect to win many votes with their proposel that we tear down our protection walls and fill our own country with bread lines.

Providence Journal. — President Coloidge reminds us at the beginning of a new fiscal year that we must pare government costs or impair the nation.

Klamath Falls, Ore., Herald.—The announcement by Charley Dawes that the demagogue in politics must go will be welcome in this Western part of the country.

Omaha Bee.—When Calvin Coolidge says economy, he means it. Not parsimony, nor cheese paring, but the abandonment of extravagance.

Dallas News.—They say that Calvin has never played a musical instrument, but you just ought to see his band-wagon.

Philadelphia North American.—It is now obvious that the Democratic presidential nominee is nobody's man.

Portland Oregonian.—The nomination of Dawes was the fruit of sound political instinct.

Troy Times.—The Democratic platform builders seemed to have more hammers than nails.

POLK BROS. SPECIAL OFFER

Elsewhere in this paper we carry an ad of Polk Bros., dealers for Studebaker and Chevrolet motor cars, offering to reline brakes on all makes of cars and Ford transmissions free. Only the price of material used will be charged. This means a saving to car owners of $2.50 to $3.50 per car. It is very dangerous to drive cars without good brakes and is a violation of the law in numbers of places. So we advise our readers to take advantage of this exceptional offer and let Polk Bros. reline their brakes and transmissions.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of July 13, 1899.

The people of Billingsley had the privilege of hearing a blind man, Rev. Walker, preach last Sunday night.

H. J. Grooms and family of Sardis left Thursday morning for Coosa, where they will spend a few days.

Turn-Round Topics.

Miss Cora Bell of Clanton, after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. Walter Kendrick, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. F. M. Connell, of Bozeman, returned home last Saturday after spending a while with her mother, Mrs. Kendrick.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Grundy Logan.

New guards are being placed around the trees in the court house square.

A fishing party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foshee, Miss Blanche Foshee, Miss Birtie Johnson of Birmingham, and Messrs. Francis of Birmingham, Ed Bruce and Lonnie Smith, went out to Higgins' Ferry Monday.

Mr. Clyde Davis returned from Ganadarque yesterday. Clyde got over-heated while there and fell, cutting the back of his head, fortunately not serious.

Mr. J. Bice of Thorsby was in town this morning.

Mr. Alonza Harlason, of Verbena, died at his residence Thursday and was buried Friday, Rev. F. M. Woods officiating.

Rev. Gibson preached an interesting sermon at Maddox Chapel Sunday.

W. L. Parnell of Stanton went to Selma Tuesday.

Early July weather was decidedly in favor of boll weevils. Poison should be applied if necessary. The county agent knows when and how to do it.

WRIGLEY'S
Chew it after every meal
It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.
Whitens teeth, sweetens breath and it's the goody that lasts.
SEALED in its Purity Package
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM
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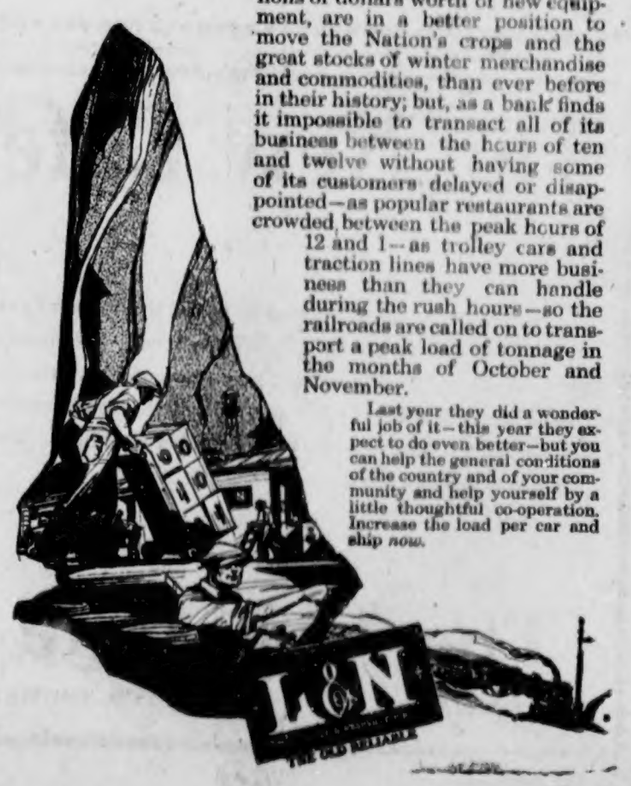
Shipping Now~
Means Lowering the Peak of Fall Tonnage ~

THE RAILROADS, by constant striving for betterment of service and by the addition of millions of dollars worth of new equipment, are in a better position to move the Nation's crops and the great stocks of winter merchandise and commodities, than ever before in their history; but, as a bank finds it impossible to transact all of its business between the hours of ten and twelve without having some of its customers delayed or disappointed—as popular restaurants are crowded between the peak hours of 12 and 1—as trolley cars and traction lines have more business than they can handle during the rush hours—so the railroads are called on to transport a peak load of tonnage in the months of October and November.

Last year they did a wonderful job of it—this year they expect to do even better—but you can help the general conditions of the country and of your community and help yourself by a little thoughtful co-operation. Increase the load per car and ship *now*.



POOR OR

DOWN GO THE PRICES!

FOR THE LOWEST PRICES ON QUALITY MERCHANDISE, YOU WILL FIND THAT WE ARE THE CHEAPEST IN TOWN. FOR THE NEXT 15 OR 20 DAYS WE ARE GOING TO GIVE OUR CUSTOMERS THE BEST PRICES POSSIBLE FOR CASH. LOOK FOR THE SIGN, "BIG SUMMER SALE NOW ON." THE FOLLOWING ARE A FEW OF THE SPECIALS WE OFFER:

PIECE GOODS

50c Indian Head Linen, in all colors 40c
50c Mercerized Silk Pongee 36c
All Dotted Swiss and Voiles, worth 60c 45c
50c Imported Ginghams 40c
50c Tissue or Silk Ginghams 40c
1 lot 30c Crepes, going at 24c
1 lot 50c Mercerized Crepe, fancy 45c
1 lot 35c good quality Crepe 25c
1 lot 30c Romper Cloth 25c
1 lot Jap Crepe 28c
1 lot Krinkle or Seersucker Cloth 25c
25c Bleeching, now 20c
20c Bleeching, now 15c
1 lot 50c Shirt Madras 45c
1 lot 50c Satine, in all colors 40c
1 lot 30c Domestic Ginghams 25c
1 lot 20c Domestic Ginghams, 6 yds. for $1.00
1 lot Curtain Scrim 10c

SHIRTS

1 lot Shirts, worth $2.25 and $2.50, now $1.95
1 lot Shirts, worth $1.75, now $1.50
1 lot Shirts, worth $1.25, now 95c

UNDERWEAR

1 lot $1.25 Men's Union Suits 95c
These are excelent values. They are 88x88 count.
1 lot 65c Men's Union Suits 50c

CLOTHING

1 lot $30.00 Young Men's Blue Serge Suits, special at $22.50
1 lot $25.00 Young Men's Suits $19.95
We have a number of Boys' Knee Pants Suits at REAL BARGAIN PRICES.

LOOK FOR THE SIGN, "BIG SUMMER SALE NOW ON."

SHOES

1 lot Boys' Oxfords, sizes 8½ to 2 ..... $1.90
1 lot Boys' Oxfords, sizes 11½ to 2 ..... $2.35
1 lot Girls' Strap Pumps, 8½ to 2 ..... $1.75
1 lot Ladies' Strap Kid Pumps $2.50
1 lot Men's Oxfords $2.95
1 lot Young Men's Oxfords, worth $5.75 and $6.00, going at $5.00
In this lot will be several pairs of Walk-Overs worth $7.00 to $10.00, going at $5.00
1 lot $1.75 Men's Easy Walkers $1.50
1 lot $1.50 Ladies' Easy Walkers $1.25
1 lot $1.50 Boys' Easy Walkers $1.25
1 lot Men's Work Shoes $1.65

MISCELLANEOUS

We are smashing the prices on all our Pants and Overalls.
1 lot of Rubber Heels, per pair 20c
1 lot of Ladies' House Shoes 95c

W. Z. HODGES DRY GOODS COMPANY, Clanton, Alabama

Semi-Annual Report of Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama.

Statement of Money Received and Money Paid Out From January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

To the Honorable Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama:

The undersigned, as Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama, herewith submits this, his report of the receipts, disbursements and registered claims against Chilton County, from January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.

This, the 30th day of June, 1924.

JESSE BAKER, Treasurer.

Filed in office of Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, June 30th, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

TO CASH RECEIVED, from January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.—General Fund.

Jan. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, license tax $136.50
Jan. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 25.06
Jan. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 35.96
Jan. 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 40,886.65
Jan. 16.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 1,287.99
Feb. 4.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 828.73
Feb. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 26.48
Feb. 4.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 83.60
Feb. 4.—L. H. Reynolds, license tax 86.53
Feb. 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 719.62
Mch. 1.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 398.60
Mch. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, license tax 80.44
Mch. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 70.78
Mch. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 13.81
Mch. 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 710.81
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 53.20
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 14.95
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 15.84
Apr. 3.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 668.84
Apr. 7.—J. Z. Mims, court cost 17.10
Apr. 7.—J. Z. Mims, stnegrapher's fee 38.00
Apr. 7.—J. Z. Mims, solicitor's fee 85.50
Apr. 16.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 408.33
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 13.50
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 50.11
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 25.00
May 1.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 337.70
May 10.—J. Z. Mims, solicitor's fee 75.00
May 10.—J. Z. Mims, stenographer's fee 10.00
May 10.—J. Z. Mims, taxes 3.00
May 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 355.11
June 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 361.63
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, deed tax 10.56
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, mortgage tax 45.65
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, business license 20.12
June 12.—J. Z. Mims, state vs. Shep Knight 55.90
June 20.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 322.61
June 20.—J. T. Rockett, auto escapes 323.90
June 20.—J. T. Rockett, taxes and litigation in 1922 ..... 41.45

BY CASH PAID OUT, From January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.—General Fund.

Jan. 16.—Stationery, Marshall & Bruce Co. 934.94
Jan. 16.—Insurance on Court House, Mrs. Gertrude Calloway 304.00
Jan. 16.—Salary, Solicitor, G. C. Walker 300.00
Jan. 16.—Commissioner service, J. Wiley Littlejohn 18.60
Jan. 16.—Work done at Court House, J. M. Huckabee 10.00
Jan. 16.—Commissioner service, C. T. Walker 46.10
Jan. 16.—Tick Inspector, month of June, J. L. Easterling 90.00
Jan. 16.—Guarding vat, Reuben Popwell 3.00
Jan. 16.—Guarding vat, Walter Driver 3.00
Jan. 16.—Merchandise, Jones Hardware Co. 1675.66
Jan. 16.—Stationery, merchandise, etc., Roberts & Sons 1,172.68
Jan. 16.—Advertising and printing, Union-Banner 660.27
Jan. 16.—Merchandise, Mercantile Paper Co. 249.55
Jan. 16.—Hospital, H. G. Cooper 15.00
Jan. 16.—Election manager, W. T. Herrod 2.00
Jan. 16.—Ties and right-of-way, E. A. Norris 14.60
Feb. 11.—Interest, Edward Miller 28.05
Feb. 11.—Interest, C. N. Boyacki 15.00
Feb. 11.—Blacksmith work, T. E. Carleton 22.40
Feb. 11.—Guarding vat, R. L. Carter, Jr. 42.00
Feb. 11.—Guarding vat, R. L. Carter, Sr., ... 42.00
Feb. 11.—Pauper, Robert Hayes 12.00
Feb. 11.—Guarding vat, E. H. Carroll 12.00
Feb. 11.—Guarding vat, W. B. Foshee 12.00
Feb. 11.—Guarding vat, T. L. Robinson 12.00
Feb. 11.—Merchandise, Shonk M'fg. Co. 72.00
Feb. 11.—Two visits to jail, R. J. Eiland 4.00
Feb. 11.—Loans of Money, N'tl. Bk. Commerce 16,000.00
Feb. 11.—Interest on the above, $16,000.00 ..... 960.00
Feb. 11.—Interest on the above $16,000.00 from Jan. 1, to Jan. 23, 1924 ..... 29.34
Mar. 6.—Hammer, Union Iron Works Co. 74.80
Mar. 6.—Refund of License, E. T. Weldon 73.23
Mar. 6.—Beds for jail, S. W. Dondedson 140.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding dipping vat, J. E. Gulledge 48.00
Mar. 6.—Court cost in J. W. Foshee case, Alex Troy 15.75
Mar. 6.—Machine, Remington Typewriter Co. 105.00
Mar. 6.—Ex-officio fees, etc., L. H. Reynolds 200.00
Mar. 6.—Presiding over Com. Court, L. H. Reynolds 59.00
Mar. 6.—Freight, L. H. Reynolds 7.48
Mar. 6.—Janitor at Court House, Effie Duke 78.00
Mar. 6.—Pine for Court House, Lewis Mims 3.00
Mar. 6.—Pine, W. S. Adams 6.00
Mar. 6.—Jury Com., Will R. Clements 45.00
Mar. 6.—Quarantine Service, T. J. Littlejohn 12.50
Mar. 6.—Central fees, post right, J. Z. Mims 3.70
Mar. 6.—Work at Court House, J. M. Huckabee 9.00
Mar. 6.—Water, Town of Clanton 133.32
Mar. 6.—Pine, J. L. Easterling 2.50
Mar. 6.—Service, T. J. Littlejohn 25.00
Mar. 6.—Ex-officio fees, T. J. Littlejohn 125.00
Mar. 6.—Visits to Poor House, Dr. Sterling C. Wood 56.00
Mar. 6.—Service T. J. Littlejohn 90.00
Mar. 6.—Service, C. T. Walker 82.90
Mar. 6.—Commission Service, J. Wiley Littlejohn 65.80
Mar. 6.—Work on County truck, T. E. Carleton 8.25
Mar. 6.—Freight, etc., C. T. Wlaker 26.33
Mar. 6.—Salary, Dec., Jan., Feb., Jesse Baker, County Treasurer 237.50
Mar. 6.—Painting jail, W. S. Culp 5.00
Mar 6.—Freight, J. W. Franklin 2.00
Mar. 6.—Pauper, Newt Henly 18.00
Mar. 6.—Expenses carrying patient to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 32.25
Mar. 6.—Work at Court House, W. A. Franklin 11.25
Mar. 6.—Work at Court House, J. W. Teel 11.25
Mar. 6.—Pine, T. J. Littlejohn 3.00
Mar. 6.—Merchandise for County, Jones Hdw. Co. 548.05
Mar. 6.—Jury Commission, G. D. Retherford 25.00
Mar. 6.—Merchandise, Baker & Taylor 16.85
Mar. 6.—Jury Commission, J. Mell Martin 48.00
Mar. 6.—Mdse., Printing, etc., Union-Banner 1001.14
Mar. 6.—Ex Officio fees, etc., J. Z. Mims 137.50
Mar. 6.—Guarding Dipping Vat, Ocie Williams 15.00
Mra. 6.—Deputy Sheriff, W. G. Culp 300.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding Dipping Vat, O. C. Blackmon 30.00
Mar. 6.—Stamps, Howard L. Foshee 14.75
Mar. 6.—Merchandise, Howard L. Foshee 5.00
Mar. 6.—Keeping paupers, D. H. Gentry 537.22
Mar. 6.—Pine, J. L. Easterling 2.50
Mar. 6.—Commission Service, J. M. Mims 130.75
Mra. 6.—Pine, J. L. Easterling 2.50
Mar. 6.—Light, Ala. Power Co. 60.19
Mar. 6.—Light in garage from jail, T. L. Williams 5.60
Mar. 6.—Pine, J. J. Headley 4.00
Mar. 6.—Names of persons paying poll tax, 2,730 names, 2 1-2c per name, J. T. Rockett 68.25
Mar. 6.—Pauper, Ida Mae Cox 18.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, J. P. Gore 6.00
Mar. 6.—Merchandise, T. M. Taylor 1.30
Mar. 6.—Telephone central fee on office phone, Howard L. Foshee 2.50
Mar. 6.—Pine for Court House, R. E. Powell 1.25
Mar. 6.—Commissioner Service, C. T. Walker 22.40
Mar. 6.—Freight, J. W. Franklin 2.50
Mar. 6.—Lumber, nails and other materials, F. A. Gulledge 13.77
Mar. 6.—Pauper, Cecilia Smitherman 12.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding Vat Larry Bethel 3.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, D. H. Gentry 6.00
Mar. 6.—Guardinig vat, John Bethel 3.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, E. N. Derhart 54.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, Walter Popwell 9.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, Grover Looney 3.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat Watson Looney 9.00
Mar. 6.—Guarding vat, J. F. Poole 30.00
Mar. 6.—Merchandise, Johnson Drug Co. 4.05
Mar. 6.—Advertisement, B'ham News 11.40
Mar. 6.—Election service, M. A. Pinson 2.00
Mar. 6.—Oil for heater, Clanton Produce Co. 6.53
Mar. 6.—Bailiff service, W. G. Culp 6.00
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, Ralph Calloway 9.00
Mar. 6.—Vital sttistiacs, Z. J. Jones 9.75
Mar. 6.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 71.10
Mar. 6.—Vital Statistics, A. F. Childress 22.00
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, J. H. Gillespie 18.75
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, H. S. Grogan 6.25
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, W. A. Gulledge 21.75
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, V. J. Gragg 90.25
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, J. W. Cleckler 4.00
Mar. 6.—Vital statistics, J. A. Sample 5.50
Mar. 6.—Court Reporter, Porter McKay 21.10
Mar. 18.—Pauper, Duncan Wilson 18.00
Mar. 18.—Merchandise, Foote Davis Co. 37.32
Mar. 18.—Stationery and merchandise, Wilson Printing Co. 15.03
Mar. 18.—Merchandise, Pine O. Pine Co. 10.00
Mar. 18.—Gas pump, Main St. Garage 75.00
Mar. 18.—Work for county, Lawrence Motor Co. 9.90
Mar. 18—Jury Com., H. A. Harris 40.00
Mar. 18.—Commissioner Service, T. J. Dorminey 41.50
Mar. 18.—Stationery, Bernard Stationery Co. 161.59
Mar. 18.—Mdse., used in County, Alred Drug Co. 14.70
Mar. 18.—Lumber, J. C. Jones 12.38
Mar. 18.—Election Clerk, T. J. Derminey 2.00
Mar. 18.—Election manager, T. J. Derminey 2.00
Mar. 18.—Vital statistics, E. G. Caldwell 7.50
Mar. 18—Vital statistics, W. T. White 3.75
Mar. 18—Vital statistics, J. E. Cobb 13.00
Apr. 7.—Expenses carrying prisoner to camp, Robert Bean 10.00
Apr. 7—Election manger, A. F. Mims 2.00
Apr. 7—Pauper, Andrew Wyatt 12.00
Apr. 7—Pauper, Martha Roberts 12.00
Apr. 7.—Pauper, Laura Ann Sims 12.00
Apr. 7—Pauper, Mrs. S. M. Dawson 18.00
Apr. 7—Pauper, K. L. Edwards 12.00
Apr. 7—Vital statistics, W. J. Ruddick 9.75
Apr. 7.—Vital statistics, S. L. Arledge 1.00
Apr. 7—Bailiff's certificate, J. L. Easterling 30.00
Apr. 7—Bailiff's certificate, J. M. Grant 15.00
Apr. 7.—Bailiff's certificate, J. H. Foshee 30.00
Apr. 7.—Bailiff's certificate, J. L. Wilson 15.00
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, S. Durwood Jones 17.00
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury certificate, Will T. White 16.10
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Joe W. Wilson 16.10
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, E. Span Jones 16.30
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Ben F. Edwards 15.20
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Bill Abney 17.30
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, William Y. Keel 15.90
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury certificate, A. Dorcas Maddox 15.00
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Leon A. Dyer 17.30
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Charlie B. Stroud 15.80
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury Cert., Charlie H. Robinson 16.10
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, C. Reese Mullins 15.00
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury Cert., J. M. Langston 16.10
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, T. Coke Sharbutt 15.30
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury certificate, Alonza P. Vinson 15.60
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury Cert., John W. Foshee 16.70
Apr. 7—Grand Jury certificate, Oscar R. Turner 16.90
Apr. 7.—Grand Jury Cert., Arthur T. Headley 15.30
Apr. 7—Petit Jury certicate, Albert K. Barnes 6.50
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, D. T. (Bud) Cole 6.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Will T. Davis 4.50
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Charlie N Shaw 4.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, Eli I. Moates 15.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate Felix Eiland 21.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, A. Hardy Allen 3.80
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, George Trotter 16.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Ocie E. Devaughn 15.60
Apr 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Joe E. Lett 16.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, Floyd J. Littlejohn 18.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, John W. Thornton 3.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Lee Robinson 16.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Will A. Johnson 17.20
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Walter H. Foshee 15.40
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Joe T. Logan 15.30
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, A. M. Attaway 4.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, W. Asbury Blalock 15.30
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, S. Ed Bruce 15.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Albert Neeley 3.90
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, Will Moore 18.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Marion F. Giles 15.70
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, J. Marion Gray 16.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, W. W. Coburn 4.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Jasper P. Cost 3.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, William S. Shaw 5.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Burnie Killingsworth 5.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, James M. Miskelley 16.70
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, William McKnight 5.30
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Robt. M. Smith 15.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Tom P. Parrish 15.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Arthur Chandler 16.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Baldwin B. Scott 16.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, W. G. Carroll 15.50
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Wade H. Friday 16.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, George L. Moore 15.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Tom Billingsley 16.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Tom W. Wilson 15.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Forest Williams 16.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, C. D. Messer, Jr., ... 15.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Flem J. Jones 4.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate John G. Billingsley 15.80
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Ben H. Duke 15.50
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Walter W. Robinson 16.30
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Martin J. Soberg 3.90
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Durwood Broadhead 3.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, Durwood Broadhead 3.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Daniel D. Hand 12.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, J. Pate Parrish 15.30
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, R. Woody Ward 15.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Jim M. Grant 15.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Walter D Taylor 15.80
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Columbus A. Dobbs 15.80
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, T. M. Taylor 75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, W. M. Poole 75
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, G. D. Broadhead 0.75
Apr. 7— Petit Juror's certificate, W. J. Watson 0.75
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, T. S. Johnson 0.75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, J. E. Miner 75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Eric Hart 75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Jim R. Johnson 13.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certicate, Van B. Edwards 12.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, John P. Atchison 14.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, John B. Anderson 13.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Will A. Edwards 12.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Henry T. Daniel 13.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, J. L. Easterling 75
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, J. N. Calloway 75
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Ewell D. Dawson 16.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Chas. D. Foshee 16.40
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Madison J. Hayes 19.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Lafayette McGraw 16.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, D. Emmett Christian 16.60
Apr. 7—Pettit Juror's certificate, Roscoe Rawlinson 17.00
Apr. 7—Pettit Juror's certificate, Pete A. Vance, ... 15.50
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Alex G. Frazier 12.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Arcie H. Parnell 15.30
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate Lee Pate 12.70
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, L. C. Hubbard 14.20
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, John H. Cleckler 13.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Joe M. Bratton 13.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Joseph Little 12.60
Apr. 7—Petit Jurors certificate, Wm. J. Fiquett 12.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, A. B. Culp 13.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, William G. Rasberry 14.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Joe S. Kelley 12.70
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, John Wm. Cagle 14.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, J. Monroe Smith, ... 12.50
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Zack Avery 13.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Napoleon A. Posey 14.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, J. Monroe Nix 12.10
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Jim Cox 13.20
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Enoch H. Culp 4.00
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, Burnie L. Cobb 9.60
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Luther M. Yeargan 4.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Oscar L. Dyer 5.00
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Sam R. Huston 4.60
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, James E. Pate 12.90
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Jim R. Short 16.70
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, S. J. Reynolds 4.10
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, A. Hardy Allen 3.80
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, F. H. Brown 4.70
Apr. 7—Petit Juror's certificate, Wm. M. Coburn 4.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's certificate, John W. Lowery 12.40
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. William Williams 13.60
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's Cert., D. H. Mitchell 17.50
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. W. Foshee 75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's Cert., L. E. Diefenderfer 75
Apr. 7.—Petit Juror's Cert., Jesse A. Davis 15.60
Apr. 7.—Reporter's Cert., Porter McKay 71.10
Apr. 24.—Pine at Court House, C. D. Messer, Jr. 3.00
Apr. 24.—Pine at Court House, J. J. Headley 12.00
Apr. 24.—Visits to County Farm, Dr. S. C. Wood 37.25
Apr. 24.—Service as Com., J. Wiley Littlejohn 74.30
Apr. 24.—Carp. Work at Co. Farm, E. E. Porter 14.00
Apr. 24.—Freight Bill Delivery, J. W. Franklin 3.25
Apr. 24.—Tick Inspector, W. G. Conway 16.00
Apr. 24.—Ex-officio Fees, J. Z. Mims 125.00
Apr. 24.—Making Road Law for Chilton County, Reynolds & Reynolds 75.00
Apr. 24.—Election Manager, M. F. Childress 2.00
Apr. 24.—Pine, J. E. Easterling 4.00
Apr. 24.—Advertisement, Chilton Co. News 58.16
Apr. 24.—Freight Delivery, J. W. Franklin 3.25
Apr. 24.—Service as Com., C. T. Walker 26.00
Apr. 24.—Merchandise, Line-a-Time Mfg. Co. 28.00
Apr. 24.—Labor on Stanton Vat, W. C. Dyer 44.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Brady Cooper 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. W. Howard 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Dave Norris 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., E. E. Bonnett 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. T. Norris 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., D. M. Martin 4.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., W. B. Foshee 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Alfred Moore 12.70
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., R. M. Davis 16.80
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., F. H. (Race) Brown 7.70
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Henry T. Williams 4.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., John Baker, Jr. 15.20
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., G. W. Cobern 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Raymond L. Duffey 16.40
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., R. L. Duffey 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., S. C. Powell 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., A. B. Burton 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., S. R. Hudson 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., G. A. Eiland 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., W. R. Boyd 75
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Robt. W. Heflin 15.50
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., John C. Mitchell 4.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Hosea F. Downs 15.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. M. Robinson, (Dr.) 15.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Benj. C. Gipson 16.40
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., J. Paul Rushing 16.10
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Phil F. Mitchell 16.00
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Fleetwood Rasberry 16.80
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., James P. Barrett 15.80
Apr. 24.—Petit Juror's Cert., Jim L. Scroggins 15.00
Apr. 24.—Bailiff's Cert., W. H. Hayes 18.00
May 22.—Tick Inspector, J. M. Willis 72.66
May 22.—Janitor, Effie Duke 108.00
May 22.—Load of Wood, Amos Moates 1.25
May 22.—Work at Court House, J. M. Huckabee 8.50
May 22.—Making List Qualified Voters, Delene Burnett 221.00
May 22.—Ex-officio Fees, L. H. Reynolds, J. P. 200.00
May 22.—Presiding over Com. Court, L. H. Reynolds, J. P. 74.50
May 22.—Freight, etc., L. H. Reynolds, J. P. 114.08
May 22.—Com. Service, J. Wiley Littlejohn 57.25
May 22.—Pauper, S. B. Adams 12.00
May 22.—First quarter pauper, Robert Hayes 12.00
May 22.—Steel drums, M. C. Smith 3.00
May 22.—Stamps, Howard L. Foshee 19.00
May 22.—Printing, advtg., etc., Union-Banner 632.48
May 22.—Merchandise, Jones Hdwe. Co., ... 90.70
May 22.—Cement, Jones Hdwe. Co. 3.20
May 22.—Making land book, S. M. Pate 250.00
May 22.—Water, Town of Clanton 92.92
May 22.—Lumber, T. M. Taylor 26.90
May 22.—Merchandise for Co., Jones Hdwe. Co. 1,583.13
May 22.—Sal. as Chief Dep. Sheriff, W. G. Culp 300.00
May 22.—Taking care of paupers, D. H. Gentry 515.79
May 22.—Ditching and clean. sewer, Dan McKinnon 5.00
May 22.—Cement for vat, Tessier Hdwe. Co. 51.00
May 22.—Com. freight, cement, etc., C. T. Walker 39.92
May 22.—Carrying McStanford to hospital, W. R. K. Stanford 19.75
May 22.—Tick Inspector, R. J. Downs 6.00
May 22.—2 steel drums, Jno. T. Ellis 5.00
May 22.—4 iron barrells, Jno. T. Ellis 10.75
May 22.—Tick Inspector, S. Y. Dorminey 24.00
May 22.—Paint and varnish, Benson Painting Co. 17.00
May 22.—Guarding vat, R. E. Jones 45.00
May 22.—Visit to Poor Farm, Arthur Johnson 4.00
May 22.—2 iron barrels, Jno. T. Ellis 4.00
May 22.—Returning officer, J. H. Benson 2.80
May 22.—Returning officer, J. E. Smitherman 3.10
May 22.—Returning officer, Hill J. Foshee 3.80
May 22.—Returning officer, J. R. Rucker 4.00
May 22.—Returning officer, J. Mid Mims 2.60
May 22.—Returning officer, T. J. Gulledge 3.40
May 22.—Returning officer, E. L. Jones 3.00
May 22.—Returning officer, J. W. Abbott 3.50
May 22.—Returning officer, L. G. Posey 4.10
May 22.—Returning officer, Sam Shoults 4.60
May 22.—Returning officer, Y. O. Freeman 3.20
May 22.—Returning officer, L. E. Diefenderfer 2.80
May 22.—Returning officer, H. C. Vines 2.60
May 22.—Returning officer, L. T. Littlefield 3.00
May 22.—Returning officer, W. J. Satterwhite 3.80
May 22.—Returning officer, B. T. Edwards 2.00
May 22.—Returning officer, J. W. Foshee 2.00
May 22.—Returning officer, M. L. Milford 3.00
May 22.—Returning officer, C. B. Huett 2.80
May 22.—Reporter, Porter McKay 71.10

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June 25.—Reporter, Porter McKay 71.10
June 25.—Tick inspector, Henry Hicks 72.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, B. M. Killingsworth 90.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, C. G. Strickland 12.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, J. A. Sewell 18.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, T. L. Davis 90.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, J. T. Motley 18.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, J. F. Anderson 27.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, H. M. Marcus 39.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, Pat Lowery 90.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, J. E. Barrett 72.00
June 25.—Lumber, J. H. Martin 33.77
June 25.—Lumber, W. C. Dyer 15.52
June 25.—Cement for vat, etc., B. B. Motley 20.00
June 25.—Visit to Poor Farm, Dr. S. C. Wood 66.00
June 25.—Vat work, W. C. Dyer 19.18
June 25.—Vat work, J. O. Mize 6.00
June 25.—Freight, J. W. Franklin 5.00
June 25.—Merchandise, E. G. Caldwell 65.43
June 25.—Merchandise, Maplesville Hdwe. Co. 2.55
June 25.—Pauper for 2nd quarter, K. L. Edwards 12.00
June 25.—Pauper, Laura Ann Sims 12.00
June 25.—Pauper, Martha Roberts 12.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, T. G. Milling 31.14
June 25.—Tick inspector, W. A. Johnson 72.66
June 25.—Pauper, 1st quarter, Ida Mae Cox 18.00
June 25.—Dipping vat, filling, etc., W. J. Vinzant 10.80
June 25.—Dinner for 12 jurors in case of Jim Armstrong, Mrs. Delene Broadhead 6.50
June 25.—Tick inspector, L. R. Sawyer 36.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, E. L. Sammons 90.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, N. L. Broadhead 15.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, W. N. Watson 90.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, J. N. Willis 90.00
June 25.—Burying stray cow, M. M. Giles 1.00
June 25.—Lumber, W. J. Gentry 23.54
June 25.—Salary, Mch., Apr., May, Jesse Baker 237.50
June 25.—Blacksmith work, T. E. Carleton 15.00
June 25.—Hauling dip to vat, Reuben Willis 3.00
June 25.—Service, filing application to condemn Highway, Reynolds & Reynolds 100.00
June 25.—Vat work, Dalton Giles 2.00
June 25.—Vat work, W. J. Moates 20.79
June 25.—Condemning B'ham-Montg. Highway, L. H. Reynolds, J. P. 1,950.21
June 25.—Tick inspector, Ed Smitherman 45.00
June 25.—Tick inspector, W. N. Watson 55.36
June 25.—Tick inspector, Pat Lowery 72.66
June 25.—Tick inspector, B. M. Killingsworth 55.36
June 25.—Tick inspector, W. H. Harris 72.66
June 25.—Tick inspector, T. L. Davis 72.66
June 25.—Fees in case of Sennie Mae Sims, T. J. Littlejohn 12.00
June 25.—Service in Jno. A. Weldon case, T. J. Littlejohn 12.00
June 25.—Load pine and fruit trees, T. J. Littlejohn 4.10
June 25.—Cattle dip, Wm. Cooper and nephew 1,520.48
June 25.—Damage on car, Garland Foshee 63.80
June 25.—Team and driver, S. J. Sexton 12.00
June 25.—Vat work, W. M. D. O'Neal 25.00
June 25.—Visit to jail, Dr. R. J. Eiland 4.00
June 25.—Lumber for county, W. D. Nix 8.36
June 25.—Com. service, C. T. Walker 28.50
June 25.—Lights, crt, hse. and jail, Jan. 15th to April 15th, Ala. Power Co. 65.96
June 25.—Hauling, etc., B. F. Harris 10.00
June 25.—Lumber, Ed Hayes 18.62
June 25.—Com. service, J. M. Mims 87.05
June 25.—Expense of carrying Henry Pickle to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 20.12
June 25.—Summoning and returning jurors for J. L. Long case, T. J. Littleohn 12.00
June 25.—Com. service, C. T. Walker 91.60
June 25.—Work on West vat, B. M. Killingsworth 5.00
June 25.—Expense carrying Robert McGraw to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 19.64
June 25.—Ex-officio service, T. J. Littlejohn 125.00
June 25.—Expense of carrying George Marcus to Hospital, T. J. Littlejohn 20.70
June 25.—Lumber for Co., Robinson Lbr. Co. 108.61
June 25.—Cement, Ala. Mach. & Supply Co. 7.00
June 25.—Repairing vat, D. M. Apperson 48.33
June 25.—Lights, jail and crt. hse., Ala. Pow. Co. 51.79
June 25.—Pauper, last quarter, Celia Smitherman 12.00
June 25.—Pauper, last quarter, Newt Henley 18.00
June 25.—Merchandise, Roberts & Son 90.40
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., W. J. Moates 3.60
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., W. B. Cooper 3.00
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., D. O. Manning 3.00
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. H. Foshee 2.00
June 25.—Return'g officer's cert., W. J. Satterwhite 3.80
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. H. Anderson 4.00
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. E. Littlejohn 2.40
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., A. L. Robinson 3.50
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. T. Nelson 2.90
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., Ed Hammond 2.40
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., W. W. Klinner 3.50
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., A. L. Culp 2.50
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., G. T. Guy 3.30
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., C. C. Vinson 3.20
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. M. Posey 4.20
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. T. Rockett 2.80
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., C. B. Huett 2.80
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., Jesse Baker 2.30
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., J. P. Dykes 4.00
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., R. J. Downs 2.50
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., Sam Scott 3.00
June 25.—Returning officer's cert., W. H. Robinson 2.60

TO CASH RECEIVED, From January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.—Road Fund.

Jan. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle tax $118.46
Jan. 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 20,380.66
Jan. 16.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 643.99
Feb. 4.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 414.42
Feb. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 35.83
Feb. 6.—L. H. Reynolds, road tax for Chilton Co. 795.00
Feb. 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 359.82
Mch. 1.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 199.31
Mch. 3.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 50.46
Mch. 5.—L. H. Reynolds, road tax for county 5,335.00
Mch. 11.—L. H. Reynolds, tax on road trucks 238.75
Mch. 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 355.40
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 21.94
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, road tax 120.00
Apr. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, county tax on trucks 45.00
Apr. 16.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 204.17
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, motor vehicle license 59.77
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, road tax 30.00
May 1.—L. H. Reynolds, county tax for roads 180.00
May 1.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 168.84
May 15.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 177.55
June 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 180.82
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, county truck license 292.50
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, auto license 57.17
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, road tax 5.00
June 20.—J. T. Rocke't, taxes 155.89
June 20.—J. T. Rockett, taxes and litigation in 1922 ..... 20.73
June 20.—J. T. Rockett, auto escapes 161.95
Apr. 2.—J. T. Rockett, taxes 322.70

BY CASH PAID OUT, From January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.—Road Fund.

Jan. 16.—Int. due on road warrants, F. M. Dobson $72.00
Jan. 16.—Repairing B. & M. Highway, Curry & Norris 344.50
Jan. 16.—Repairing B. & M. Highway, George R. Moore 636.00
Jan. 16.—Lbr. used on bridge, J. N. Dennis 23.92
Jan. 16.—Lumber, W. L. Herrod 14.32
Jan. 16.—Road work, A. B. Jones 221.50
Feb. 11.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 10.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 33.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 68.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, W. A. Littlejohn 44.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Mark Hosey 28.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Irby Popwell 25.50
Feb. 11.—Road work, Bergin Ray 41.25
Feb. 11.—Road work, A. D. Scott 4.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 52.25
Feb. 11.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 103.50
Feb. 11.—Road work, Clifford Popwell 103.50
Feb. 11.—Road work, Walter Jones 45.37
Feb. 11.—Road work, Wilce Scarbrough 4.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Joe Cooper 9.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, R. B. Sterling 12.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, John Lee Jackson 10.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, John T. Kennedy 10.00
Feb. 11.—Road work, Will Gray 2.00
Feb. 11.—Lbr. used on road, David Childress 2.50
Feb. 11.—Hauling Lbr. for County, G. M. Ratliff 2.75
Feb. 11.—Lumber, L. A. Brown 7.32
Feb. 11.—Work on road machine, J. M. Robinson 12.00
Feb. 11.—Board for road hands, Walter Popwell 2.80
Feb. 11.—Road warrants, W. T. Taylor 2,500.00
Feb. 11.—Int. on road warrants, W. T. Taylor 1,020.00
Feb. 11.—Int. on road bonds, Nt'l Park Bank 25.19
Mch. 6.—Work on public road, J. J. Hayes 20.37
Mch. 6.—Making road list, R. J. Downs 5.50
Mch. 6.—Making list road funds, J. L. Easterling 5.50
Mch. 6.—Drafting road law, Thos. A. Curry 75.00
Mch. 6.—Road mach. parts, State Higw'y Dept. 281.05
Mch. 6.—Road work, J. F. Poole 11.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Grady Williamst 5.05
Mch. 6.—Lumber, W. J. Vinzant 18.21
Mch. 6.—Lbr. used on road, W. W. Parnell 45.76
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. H. Wynn 90.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, J. F. Patterson 33.20
Mch. 18.—Road work, Horace Mongong 1.88
Apr. 7.—Oil for county, Standard Oil Co. 1,129.47
Apr. 7.—Road work, Bob Gentry 3.00
Apr. 7.—Bridge work, J. W. Abbott 26.50
Apr. 24.—Tools used on road, Will Lowery 2.75
Apr. 24.—Expense of putting up grader, Clifford Popwell 6.65
Apr. 24.—Oil, month of Feb., Standard Oil Co. 122.88
Apr. 24.—Oil, month of Mch., Standard Oil Co. 441.34
Apr. 24.—Int. on warrant, No. B23, W. T. Taylor 30.00
May 22.—Lbr. and road work, J. R. Scott 57.57
May 22.—Road work, J. T. Abbott 22.37
May 22.—Road work, J. L. Easterling 55.50
May 22.—Road work, Ernest Wilson 10.00
May 22.—Road work, R. E. Atchison 19.20
May 22.—Road work, J. M. Wyatt 18.00
May 22.—Roa[illegible]k, Marvin Hilliard 2.50
May 22.—Road work, Henry Taylor 2.50
May 22.—Road work, Bud Bradley 2.50
May 22.—Road work, W. E. Plier 12.00
May 22.—Road work, Homer Bruce 2.50
May 22.—Road work, T. G. Wyatt 38.00
May 22.—Road work, Floyd Littlejohn 6.00
May 22.—Road work, J. W. Cleckler 5.50
May 22.—Road work, W. B. Foshee 10.00
May 22.—Road work, L. D. Easterling 3.75
May 22.—Road work, H. L. Ratliff 59.00
May 22.—Road work, E. H. Foshee 50.27
May 22.—Road work, M. F. Giles 20.62
May 22.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins 27.50
May 22.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins 20.00
May 22.—Road work, Robert Littlejohn 3.00
May 22.—Road work, Jasper Giles 5.00
May 22.—Road work, Janie Rollins 3.00
May 22.—Road work, S. E. Morris 19.00
May 22.—Road work, Bertie Parrish 32.00
May 22.—Road work, Wallace Watkins 5.00
Ma y22.—Road work, E. P. Littlejohn 26.00
May 22.—Road work, John Cost 11.00
May 22.—Road work, Frank Littlejohn 10.00
May 22.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 127.15
May 22.—Road work, Curtis Giles 1.50
May 22.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 24.75
May 22.—Road work, T. E. Carleton 35.45
May 22.—Road work, L. C. Reynolds 96.50
May 22.—Road work, E. B. Culpepper 63.25
May 22.—Road work, H. L. Ratliff 20.60
May 22.—Road work, Walter Jones 57.75
May 22.—Road work, J. M. Armstrong 11.00
May 22.—Road work, E. H. Carroll 6.00
May 22.—Road work, Birgin Ray 66.00
May 26.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 88.00
May 22.—Road work, Clifford Popwell 108.00
May 22.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 72.00
May 22.—Road work, Mark Hosey 96.00
May 22.—Service in right-of-way, B. & M. Highway, Thos. A. Curry 100.00
May 22.—Road work, Zack Lowery 32.00
May 22.—Road work, W. J. Morris 39.30
May 22.—Road work, W. W. Kendrick ..... .75
May 22.—Road work, Earn Johnson 1.50
May 22.—Road work, W. G. Taylor 11.00
May 22.—Road work, Joe Jones 8.00
May 22.—Roaw work, Rube Peters 4.00
May 22.—Road work, R. J. Downs 29.75
May 22.—Road work, Tom Driver 18.00
May 22.—Road work, Spurgeon Williams 2.50
May 22.—Road work, B. H. Popwell 4.00
May 22.—Road work, L. B. Popwell 11.25
May 22.—Road work, J. W. Langston 35.66
May 22.—Road work, Joe Motley 8.00
May 22.—Road work, T. G. Milling 11.87
May 22.—Road work, J. M. Parrish 8.00
May 22.—Road work, George Tippett 12.75
May 22.—Road work, Arthur Wilkins 8.75
May 22.—Road work, W. J. Watson 55.65
May 22.—Road work, W. A. Littlejohn 77.00
May 22.—Road work, Guy Williams 66.00
May 22.—Road work, C. Hall 3.00
May 22.—Road work, Denson Sewell 2.65
May 22.—Com. service, road work, C. T. Walker 33.00
May 22.—Road work, Arthur Brown 10.50
May 22.—Road work, W. H. Wilson 23.60
May 22.—Road work, L. H. Wright 8.00
May 22.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins 17.00
May 22.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 8.25
May 22.—Making list road hands, J. H. Simmons 6.87
May 28.—Int. on $200,000.00 5% bonds, due June 1st, 1923, National Park Bank 5,012.50
June 25.—Tileing used on roads, O. C. Blackmon 45.00
June 25.—5-ton, Holt Caterpillar, Yancey Bros. 4,037.50
June 25.—Caterpillar, G. C. Philips 3,773.00
June 25.—Parts for truck, Lawrence Motor Co. 19.65
June 25.—Road work, Zack Lowery 3.00
June 25.—Road work and commissioner service, T. J. Dorminey 121.48
June 25.—Road work, E. M. Perry 1.50
June 25.—Road work, J. B. Davis 5.00
June 25.—Road work, D. M. Apperson 16.00
June 25.—Road work, J. W. Langston 28.50
June 25.—Road work, W. J. Morris 3.50
June 25.—Plow for county, G. B. Williams 10.00
June 25.—Puttiing in tile, Will Gore 5.00
June 25.—Road work, C. H. Robinson 4.00
June 25.—Road mach. parts, Russell Grader Co. 830.30
June 25.—Road work, B. B. Cooper 6.15
June 22.—Road work, H. E. Culver 17.75
June 25.—Service and expense in right-of-way for Highway, Grady Reynolds 60.00
June 25.—Road mach. parts, Parts Service Corp. 153.24
June 25.—Road mach. parts, Parts Service Corp. 189.66
June 25.—Road work, W. G. Rasberry 15.75
June 25.—Road work, Herman Rasberry 14.00
June 25.—Bridge work, W. G. Rasberry 1.00
June 25.—Road work, Fleetwood Rasberry 1.00
June 25.—Work on roads, W. W. Spivey 35.40
June 25.—Oil for Co. truck, Standard Oil Co. 361.85
June 25.—Road work, Bill Heard 6.50
June 25.—Loading scrapes, A. E. McClain 1.50
June 25.—Road work, J. R. Lovelady 8.25
June 25.—Road work, W. M. D. O'Neal 12.25
June 25.—Lbr., cement, gravel, Marion Littlejohn 30.25
June 25.—Road and bridge work, Erman Rasberry 1.00
June 25.—Road work, West Griffin 5.00
June 25.—Road work, T. G. Milling 31.50
June 25.—Road work, Redge Bearden 1.00
June 25.—Road work, Will Parker 3.50
June 25.—Iron and road work, Tom Gay 3.25
June 25.—Road work, George Peoples 1.50
June 25.—Road work, Preston Milling 4.50
June 25.—Road work, Bailey Miller 8.50
June 25.—Road work, Silas Parker 5.00
June 25.—Road work, J. T. McMillan 29.80
June 25.—Road work, Clint Kenner 4.50
June 25.—Road work, Ernest Lenoir 4.80
June 25.—Road work, S. J. Carter 5.40
June 25.—Road work, W. P. Lenoir 5.25
June 25.—Road work, Ellie Mitchell 3.25
June 25.—Road work, W. B. Davis 2.50
June 25.—Road work, E. W. Gragg 2.75
June 25.—Road work, S. J. Carter 7.00
June 25.—Road work, W. M. D. O'Neal 6.80
June 25.—Road work, E. N. Tracey 2.00
June 25.—Road work, Pettus Perry 8.00
June 25.—Sills used on bridge, S. M. Edwards 1.00
June 25.—Road work, M. E. Huston 3.00
June 25.—Road work, J. R. Rucker 27.50
June 25.—Road work, Tom Wallace 9.00
June 25.—Road work, Martin Giles 4.00
June 25.—Road work, Russ Ford 6.50
June 25.—Warning road hands, Ellie Mitchell 1.00
June 25.—Road work L. R. Mitchell 10.00
June 25—Road work, John Giles 16.00
June 25.—Road work, L. A. Kelley 4.00
June 25.—Road work, Arthur Roller 1.50
June 25.—Road work, W. L. Garner 4.50
June 25.—Road work, Marion Littlejohn 3.00
June 25.—Road work and gravel, Jno. W. Baker 7.50
June 25.—Road work, E. W. Cooper 2.50
June 25.—Road work, Mood McGee 29.40
June 25.—Road work, Brooks Shoults 9.00
June 25.—Road work, O. O. Calfee 2.50
June 25.Work on grader, J. W. Beasley 1.50
June 25.—Road work, Mood McGee 81.12
June 25.—Road work, Lee Armstrong 1.50
June 25.—Road work, Charlie Mitchell 39.82

TO CASH RECEIVED, from Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924.—Special Gasoline Tax Funds.

Feb. 1.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 1,741.41
March 1.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 1,614.55
April 1.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 1,437.09
May 1.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 1,748.68
June 1.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 2,000.67
June 30.—W. B. Allgood, Gasoline Excise Tax 2,115.17

BY CAST PAID OUT, from Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924.—Special Gasoline Tax Fund.

March 6.—Road and bridge work, T. G. Wyatt 8.35
March 6.—Road work, Coy Kendrick 3.00
March 6.—Road work with team, L. B. Popwell 13.25
March 6.—Road work, hauling gravel, W.H. Dobbs 11.00
March 6.—Road work, Henry Culver 17.20
March 6.—Road and bridge work, M. Robinson 20.50
March 6,—Road work, W. D. Caton 4.00
March 6.—Brodge work, R. A. Williams 8.50
March 6.—Lumber, P. D. Wilson 56.55
March 6.—Road work, Charley Chandler 9.60
March 18.—Lumber, J. B. Hardy 30.91
March 6.—Road work, Walter Jones 44.00
April 7.—Road work, L. R. Sawyer 15.00
March 18.—Road work, W. J. Morris 3.50
March 6.—Road work, Walter Hubbard 6.00
March 6.—Lumber, W. J. Gentry 25.10
March 6.—Road work, W. W. Kend ick 3.00
March 6.—Road work, Quincy Littlejohn 1.50
March 6.—Road work, Alphus Littlejohn 3.75
March 6.—Road work, E. B. Popwell 3.75
March 6.—Road work, N. Hayes 5.50
March 6.—Lumber, F. A. Gray 7.74
March 6.—Road work and gravel, G. W. Melton 7.70
March 6.—Road work, Sam Shoults 6.50
March 6.—Road work, J. R. McAfee 18.00
March 6.—Road work, T. G. Milling 28.95
March 6.—Road work, J. R. Rucker 12.00
March 6.—Road work, Guing Nichols 7.50
March 6.—Road work, Hrrison Hayes 3.00
March 6.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 54.00
March 6.—Road work, O. C. Garner 37.00
March 6.—Road work and lumber, J. W. Langston 84.90
March 18.—Road work, T. W. Wallace 40.00
March 18.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 31.62
March 6.—Road work, Lassie Northcutt 24.00
March 6.—Tools and road work, Paul Littlejohn 5.40
March 18.—Lumber and road work, Lee Pate 7.30
March 6.—Lumber and work, Sam Edwords 13.95
March 6.—Road work, W. A. Littlejohn 30.62
March 6.—Road work, Will Watson 5.00
March 6.—Road work, Clifford Popwell, ... 103.50
March 6.—Road work, E. H. Foshee 12.00
March 6.—Road work, W. A. Littlejohn 13.75
March 6.—Lumber, Thompson Lumber Co. 76.41
March 18.—Lumber, W. C. Dyer 32.51
March 18.—Road work, O. B. Lovelady 28.25
March 18.—Nails for bridge work, F. H. Brown 11.10
March 6.—Road work.—C. B. Owens 9.00
March 6.—Road work, J. L. Burnett 10.00
March 6.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 103.50
March 6.—Road work, Burgin Ray 63.25
March 19.—Road work, Floyd Mahan 7.00
March 6.—Road workMark Hosey 92.00
March 6.—Road work, Elijah Jacks 63.25
March 6.—Road work, Arthur Littlejohn 4.00
March 6.—Road work, Alfus Hubbard 15.00
March 6.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 6.00
March 6.—Road work, Lassie Northcutt 14.00
March 6.—Road work, Ed Miner 19.75
March 6.—Road and bridge work, J. M. Gore 5.00
March 6.—Road work, Poul Littlejohn 24.00
March 6.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 6.00
March 6.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 16.50
March 6.—Road work, W. J. Watson 14.72
March 6.—Road work, W. G. Headley 2.50
March 18.—Road work and lumber, J. J. Headley 14.68
March 18.—Road work, C. M. Foshee 55.00
March 6.—Cement, road work, Tessier Hdwe. Co. 59.50
March 6.—Lumber, Robinson Lumber Co. 1,088.36
March 6.—Road work, T. G. Wyatt 11.75
April 7.—Road work, E. C. Lawrence 17.25
Mch. 6.—Road work, J. L. Burnett 16.50
April 7.—Road work, Moody McGee 27.50
Mch. 18.—Road work and Lbr., C. N. Parnell 356.95
Mch. 18.—Road work, E. B. Owens 2.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Ocie Mims 27.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, R. W. Edwards 12.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, J. R. Edwards 15.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Huston Darby 37.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, R. C. Kennedy 34.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, E. H. Mims 27.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, E. H. Mims 12.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Alton Driver 19.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, E. H. Mims 28.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Arthur Calhoun 25.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Jim Hubbard 32.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Allen Moates 4.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Marion Mims 3.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, R. C. Kennedy 28.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Fonza Cleckler 27.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Billie Cleckler 62.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Eddie Wyatt 38.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. F. Deshazo 6.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. F. Deshazo 7.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Arthur Allison 54.25
Mch. 6.—Road work, Wm. Walker 17.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Sol. Davis 17.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. F. Deshazo 17.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Harlen Peters 17.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, John Davis 10.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Will Johnson 7.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. J. Moates 7.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Jim Brown 7.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Dave Boline 6.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, General Bell 6.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Thomas Bell 6.75
Mch. 6.—Road work, Stanley Davis 4.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, W. F. Deshazo 7.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Odis Heard 15.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Odia Heard 4.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, James Irvin 3.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Math Williams 1.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, Will Jackson 3.00
Mch. 6.—Shovels, Maplesville Hdwe. Co. 4.50
Mch. 6.—Road work, J. R. Rutland 4.50
Mch. 18.—Bridge work, J. T. McMillan 3.12
Mch. 6.—Road work, G. C. Latham 193.17
Mch. 6.—Road work, Charlie Mitchell 33.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, T. M. Gay 42.61
Mch. 6.—Road work, D. M. Apperson 4.50
Mch. 18.—Road work, J. L. Moore 21.75
Mch. 18.—Road work, J. F. Patterson 5.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, W. J. Parnell 18.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, Jerry Crumley 8.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, J. O. Chambers 3.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, E. N. Perry 28.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. H. Harris 3.00
Mch. 18.—Road work, M. E. Houston 11.00
Mch. 6.—Team work, Charlie Mitchell 8.00
Mch. 6.—Road work, Denson Sewell 34.00
March 6.—Road work, Lassie Northcutt 11.60
Mch. 6.—Road work, James Barnett 24.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Burgin Ray 9.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. R. Popwell 93.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Clifford Popwell 153.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, W. C. Burnett 153.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Irby Popwell 17.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Joe Littleton 13.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, Will Gore 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Oliver Smith 9.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Lawrence Hayes 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, H. C. Cox 14.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, L. A. Gore 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. H. Motes 20.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Mark Hosey 8.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, W. E. Jacks 128.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, E. B. Culpepper 88.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Dewey Cotton 63.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn 63.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, Walter Jones 88.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. J. Dubose 68.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, John Ellison 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, John Pearson ..... .79
Apr. 7.—Road work, Arthur Roller 9.38
Apr. 7.—Road work, O. R. Mullins 3.60
Apr. 7.—Road work, P. J. Downs 43.22
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. L. Easterling 33.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, Allie Easterling 33.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. E. Robinson 45.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Arthur Mims 7.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Caldwell Mims 1.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Charley Mims 1.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Ellis Mims 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Walter Vinson 4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Littlefield & Murrah 1.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, W. H. Robinson 44.83
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. M. Robinson 6.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, C. H. Robinson 16.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, C. L. Wilkins 20.00
..... 5.76

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Apr. 7.—Road work, Robert Wright.....16.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. Mid Mims.....12.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, Hollis Vinson.....1.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. J. Downs.....6.75
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Apr. 7.—Road work, C. L. Wilkins.....8.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, Arthur Brown.....12.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins.....8.75
Apr. 7.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins.....19.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, G. M. Moore.....75
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....16.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....42.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....28.88
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....30.25
Apr. 7.—Road work, S. H. Hilyer.....20.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. D. Bean.....31.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, J. D. Bean.....4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....28.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, C. L. Wilkins.....4.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, G. M. Moore.....1.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins.....14.00
Apr. 7.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....27.50
Apr. 7.—Road work, Arthur Brown.....9.00
Apr. 7.—Work on road mach., T. E. Carleton.....16.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, Henry Peterson.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, B. O. Glover.....6.40
Apr. 24.—Tools, etc., T. U. Crumpton.....25.20
Apr. 24.—Lumber, F. A. Gray.....5.90
Apr. 24.—Road work, O. S. Smith.....6.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. J. Watson.....23.12
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. S. Davenport.....12.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. E. Edwards.....8.37
Apr. 24.—Road work, Ivy Huett.....2.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. W. Thornton.....6.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, A. M. Shrader.....8.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. M. Driver.....4.00
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Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Conway.....8.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, O. G. Price.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Charlie Mitchell.....32.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. H. Bailey.....23.60
Apr. 24.—Road work, Preston McGee.....14.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, C. B. Lenoir.....4.25
Apr. 24.—Lumber, J. N. Dennis.....5.36
Apr. 24.—Road work, Arthur J. Maddox.....11.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, Curtis Giles.....7.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....16.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....16.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Arthur Brown.....6.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, C. L. Wilkins.....12.37
Apr. 24.—Road work and team, W. J. Watson.....49.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, C. C. Atchison.....83.41
Apr. 24.—Road work, John Jones.....49.72
Apr. 24.—Repairing machinery, W. E. Culp.....8.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Taylor.....14.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Taylor.....27.45
Apr. 24.—Road work and freight, L. C. Reynolds.....48.65
Apr. 24.—Road work, Arthur Thompson.....39.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn.....36.00
Apr. 24.—Lbr. on Salem bridge, J. C. Jones.....98.88
Apr. 24.—Road work, Amos Moates.....4.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, Walter Jones.....24.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, Mark Hosey.....36.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Elijah Jacks.....24.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, Clifford Popwell.....40.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins.....11.57
Apr. 24.—Road work, R. J. Downs.....6.75
Apr. 24.—Cement for Co., C. T. Walker.....21.25
Apr. 24.—Service, C. T. Walker.....25.90
Apr. 24.—Freight, C. T. Walker.....66.64
Apr. 24.—Road work, C. T. Walker.....26.60
Apr. 24.—Service, C. T. Walker.....25.60
Apr. 24.—Service, Com., C. T. Walker.....25.90
Apr. 24.—Lumber and work, Curtis Moore.....9.35
Apr. 24.—Road work, Harrison Hayes.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, N. Hayes.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. W. Collum.....8.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. E. Easterling.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Conway.....13.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, R. E. Busby.....75
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Glass.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. S. Coshatt.....8.00
Apr. 24.—Lumber and work, C. B. Lenoir.....7.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Clyde Moates.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. S. Davenport.....12.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Walton Davenport.....4.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, H. L. Ratliff.....61.70
Apr. 24.—Road work, Dewey Cotton.....5.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, T. G. Cofer.....7.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. F. Rawlinson.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. L. Abbott.....4.10
Apr. 24.—Road work, Elmer Kendrick.....2.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. T. Abbott.....79.74
Apr. 24.—Road work, G. A. Keen.....6.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. N. Tracey.....6.37
Apr. 24.—Lumber, Alex Maddox.....3.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. W. Kendrick.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Coy Kendrick.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, L. B. Popwell.....16.11
Apr. 24.—Road work, R. H. Popwell.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Lumber and road work, P. M. Cleckler.....46.97
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. F. Deshazo.....10.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, L. D. Easterling.....63.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. A. Green.....10.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. C. Milford.....9.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, G. O. Lenoir.....12.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, H. G. Chandler.....4.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, G. B. Williams.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, M. F. Giles.....38.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Jadie Cleckler.....2.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. H. Harrison.....9.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, M. E. Hutson.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, T. G. Wyatt.....58.10
Apr. 24.—Road work, T. G. Wyatt.....67.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Taylor.....28.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Dewey Cotton.....16.50
Apr. 24.—Lumber, J. C. Jones.....43.71
Apr. 24.—Gravel sold to Co., Jesse Baker.....25.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. R. Scott.....46.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. R. Mitchell.....20.00
Apr. 24.—Lumber and road work, J. A. Sample.....9.54
Apr. 24.—Road work, C. B. Lenoir.....4.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. C. Dyer.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. B. Hardy.....10.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Mood McGee.....107.62
Apr. 24.—Road work, L. B. Popwell.....26.07
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. B. Popwell.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, N. W. Latham.....6.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Taylor.....40.00
Apr. 24.—Lumber, P. D. Wilson.....16.20
Apr. 24.—Lumber, T. M. Taylor.....24.65
Apr. 24.—Road work, D. M. Apperson.....16.90
Apr. 24.—Road work, Charlie Mitchell.....35.74
Apr. 24.—Road work, Clefus Price.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Lonnie Oakes.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Clifton Sewell.....1.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, L. W. Wright.....4.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. R. Lovelady.....28.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. E. Edwards.....24.96
Apr. 24.—Road work, Monroe Benson.....12.37
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. C. Milford.....5.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Tobe Glass.....21.00
Apr. 24.—Parts to road machine, Parts Ser. Cor. 273.45
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. H. Dobbs.....8.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, Joe Motley.....12.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Joe Motley.....16.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, F. T. Atkinson.....6.87
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. G. Taylor.....9.60
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. R. Popwell.....40.50
Apr. 24.—Road work, Burgin Ray.....24.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, J. A. W. Mims.....9.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, Milton Roberts.....2.25
Apr. 24.—Road work, George Tippett.....15.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, George Tippett.....6.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, E. B. Culpepper.....24.75
Apr. 24.—Road work, S. A. Harrell.....4.13
Apr. 24.—Road work, S. A. Harrell.....11.00
Apr. 24.—Road work, W. H. Wilson.....44.60
Apr. 24.—Lumber, Thompson & San.....7.51
May 22.—Road work, Ed Little.....1.50
May 22.—Road work, I. L. Crim.....3.75
May 22.—Road work, H. N. Glass.....1.50
May 22.—Road work, J. A. Raines.....10.09
May 22.—Road work, T. S. Ray.....2.25
May 22.—Road work and lumber, S. M. Edwards.....6.59
May 22.—Road work, Sam Hubbard.....2.25
May 22.—Road work, F. E. Scott.....2.25
May 22.—Straightening road, A. C. Marcus.....1.50
May 22.—Road work, O. B. Lovelady.....4.00

May 22.—Road work, L. D. Popwell.....2.50
May 22.—Road work with team, Tom Mims.....6.00
May 22.—Road work, J. R. Rucker.....8.00
May 22.—Road work, Sam Shoults.....16.23
May 22.—Road work, L. A. Kelley.....30.00
May 22.—Road work with team, Wm. Williams.....5.50
May 22.—Road work, W. J. Parnell.....4.00
May 22.—Road work, A. W. Giles.....10.50
May 22.—Road work, W. M. D. O'Neal.....13.55
May 22.—Road work, Robert Gentry.....4.50
May 22.—Road work, T. W. Miner.....9.37
May 22.—Lumber on public road, I. N. Miner.....20.80
May 22.—Road work, J. Mid Mims.....7.00
May 22.—Lumber, T. N. Miner.....32.22
May 22.—Road work, Dewey Cotton.....19.25
June 25.—Road work, A. B. Jones.....15.00
June 25.—Road work, J. J. Hayes.....8.00
June 25.—Road work, Houston Gentry.....75
June 25.—Road work, J. L. Deloach.....85
June 25.—Road work, John Jones.....4.00
June 25.—Road work, Luck Seals.....1.00
June 25.—Road work, Mood McGee.....71.37
June 25.—Road work, Mood McGee.....20.00
June 25.—Road work, W. C. Dyer.....109.50
June 25.—Road work, S. A. Wagoner.....1.75
June 25.—Road work, Pate Headley.....7.20
June 25.—Road work, R. W. Kendrick.....44.00
June 25.—Road work, W. . Thomas.....2.25
June 25.—Road work, C. H. Robinson.....4.00
June 25.—Road work, J. H. Mims.....4.00
June 25.—Road work, J. L. Lawson.....4.00
June 25.—Road work, C. M. Foshee.....58.00
June 25.—Work on mach., Carter Bros.....16.85
June 25.—Road work, D. C. Littlefield.....7.50
June 25.—Road work, Joe Wright.....1.50
June 25.—Road work, W. M. Oden.....8.00
June 25.—Road work, O. R. Mullins.....7.43
June 25.—Road work, Bill Roller.....75
June 25.—Road work, E. H. Foshee.....12.25
June 25.—Road work, I. G. Wyatt.....35.75
June 25.—Road work, J. M. Wyatt.....10.50
June 25.—Road work, Joe Moore.....2.75
June 25.—Road work, W. J. Watson.....23.95
June 25.—Road work, Jasper Scarbraugh.....1.50
June 25.—Road work, W. H. Wilson.....10.10
June 25.—Road work, W. H. Wilson.....6.75
June 25.—Road work, J. R. Scott.....49.50
June 25.—Road work, Bill Popwell.....3.00
June 25.—Road work, Arthur Brown.....4.50
June 25.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....16.00
June 25.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....33.00
June 25.—Road work, A. J. Wilkins.....26.25
June 25.—Road work, R. N. Wilkins.....19.75
June 25.—Road work, J. E. Hobson.....4.75
June 25.—Road work, J. R. Rucker.....33.75
June 25.—Road work, C. T. Walker.....37.20
June 25.—Road work, Coy Kendrick.....75
June 25.—Road work, R. H. Popwell.....1.50
June 25.—Road work, L. B. Popwell.....29.12
June 25.—Lumber, J. T. Rockett.....14.25
June 25.—Road work, Luther Downs.....3.00
June 25.—Road work, T. F. Patterson.....12.00
June 25.—Road work, Tom Driver.....5.60
June 25.—Road work, Tom Driver.....2.00
June 25.—Road work, R. J. Downs.....33.75
June 25.—Road work, Curtis Giles.....6.00
June 25.—Road work, M. F. Giles.....12.37
June 25.—Road work, E. N. Tracy.....1.75
June 25.—Road work, Renzy Mims.....2.50
June 25.—Road work, J. T. Abbott.....30.24
June 25.—Road work, Kent Abbott.....10.50
June 25.—Road work, H. L. Ratliff.....42.90
June 25.—Road work, Allie Easterling.....21.00
June 25.—Road work, J. L. Easterling.....19.25
June 25.—Road work, Irby Popwell.....34.00
June 25.—Road work, Guy Williams.....66.00
June 25.—Road work, Clifford Popwell.....108.00
June 25.—Road work, J. R. Popwell.....110.50
June 25.—Road work, Bergin Ray.....84.75
June 25.—Road work, Mark Hosey.....96.00
June 25.—Road work, Elijah Jacks.....72.00
June 25.—Road work, Walter Jones.....66.00
June 25.—Road work, E. B. Culpepper.....72.00
June 25.—Road work, L. C. Reynolds.....97.00
June 25.—Road work, Paul Littlejohn.....88.00
June 25.—Road work, W. A. Lottlejohn.....69.00
June 25.—Road work, Dewey Cotton.....63.25

TO CASH RECEIVED, from Jan. 1st, 1924, to June 30, 1924.—Land Redemption Fund.

Jan. 2.—L. H. Reynolds, Land Redemption.....22.63
March 3.—L. H. Reynolds, Land Redemption.....126.58
June 4.—L. H. Reynolds, Land Redemption.....110.73

BY CAST PAID OUT, from Jan. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1924.—Land Redemption Fund.

March 6.—Land Redemption, J. F. Poole.....77.05
April 7.—Land Redemption, T. S. Chandler.....52.78
May 22.—Land Redemption, Jno. T. Ellis.....37.56
May 22.—Land Redemption, Dr. Nix.....126.30
June 25.—Land Redemption, M. A. Gore.....30.36
June 25.—Land Redemption, J. L. Burnett.....45.60
June 25.—Land Redemption, Jno. T. Ellis.....48.79
June 25.—Land Redemption, M. A. Gore.....38.04

TO CASH RECEIVED, from Jan. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1924.—Fine and Forfeiture Fund.

Mch. 24.—J. Z. Mims, fines.....$114.75
Mch. 25.—W. H. Killingsworth, fines.....40.00
Apr. 1.—Ed Smitherman, fines.....2.00
Apr. 7.—J. W. E. Gulledge, fines.....14.75
Apr. 7.—J. Z. Mims, fines.....522.50
May 10.—J. Z. Mims, convict hire, Teel case.....254.35

BY CASH PAID OUT, From January 1st, 1924, to June 30th, 1924.—Fine and Forfeiture Fund.

Jan. 16.—State witness, William R. Baker.....$1.05
Jan. 16.—State witness, Jack Connell.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, Dowdell Ray.....2.60
Jan. 16.—State witness, Bob Garrett.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, S. J. Anderson.....2.50
Jan. 16.—State witness, W. G. Culp.....1.00
Jan. 16.—State witness, J. H. Anderson.....2.50
Jan. 16.—State witness, W. T. Bean.....3.10
Jan. 16.—State witness, Bob Garrett.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, L. P. Carter.....2.60
Jan. 16.—State witness, Lee Garrett.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, Jack Connell.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, Dowdell Ray.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, Ellis Garrett.....2.50
Jan. 16.—State witness, Fred Dennis.....2.60
Jan. 16.—State witness, L. P. Carter.....2.60
Jan. 16.—State witness, Lee Garrett.....2.70
Jan. 16.—State witness, Ellis Garrett.....2.50
Jan. 16.—State witness, Laura Glasscock.....2.40
Jan. 16.—State witness, Mary Glasscock.....2.40
Jan. 16.—State witness, John Cooper.....2.20
Jan. 16.—State witness, J. H. Glasscock.....2.40
Jan. 16.—State witness, Arthur Williams.....2.80
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Frank McCary.....2.30
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, William Spencer.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Wesley Butts.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, McAllen.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Odelia Tartt.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Viola Elliott.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, E. D. Snow.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Frank Hopkins.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, Cleveland Moore.....25
Jan. 16.—Grand Juror, A. M. Attaway.....25
Mar. 6.—Grand Juror, D. J. Rollan.....2.45
Mar. 6.—State witness, W. T. Baggett.....9.80
Mar. 6.—State witness, Ben Varden.....2.50
Mar. 6.—State witness, A. E. Reagan.....1.80
Mar. 6.—State witness, E. F. Conway.....2.25
Mar. 6.—State witness, John Popwell.....1.10
Mar. 6.—State witness, Walter Popwell.....1.10
Mch. 6.—State witness, George Graves.....2.80
Mch. 6.—Clerk's fee, J. Z. Mims.....9.25
Mch. 6.—Clerk's fee, J. Z. Mims.....6.40
Mch. 6.—Clerk's fee, J. Z. Mims.....19.65
Mch. 18.—Grand Juror, Willie Tindal.....2.60
Mch. 18.—Grand Juror, J. D. Williams.....2.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, J. D. Williams.....3.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Elbert Bone.....3.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Dock Bone.....3.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, John Green.....3.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Willie Terrell.....3.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Willie Terrell.....4.60
Mch. 18.—State witness, Elbert Bone.....4.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, J. D. Williams.....4.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Dock Bone.....4.20
Mch. 18.—State witness, Joe Cobb.....2.50
Apr. 7.—Grand Juror, G. W. Baker.....2.00
Apr. 7.—Grand Juror, W. W. Brooks.....2.80
Apr. 7.—Grand Juror, J. P. Hayes.....1.00
Apr. 7.—State witness, Mollie Glenn.....1.90
Apr. 7.—State witness, Christopher Ellison.....2.50
Apr. 7.—State witness, Lennie Northcutt.....2.30
Apr. 7.—State witness, Nellie Martin.....2.50

Apr. 7.—State witness, Charlie Blalock.....1.50
Apr. 7.—State witness, Renzie Blalock.....1.60
Apr. 7.—State witness, Lee Ellison.....1.80
Apr. 7.—State witness, J. P. Hayes.....1.00
Apr. 7.—State witness, R. E. Jones.....1.60
Apr. 7.—State witness, J. B. Littleton.....8.00
Apr. 7.—Sheriff's fees, T. J. Littlejohn.....46.00
Apr. 7.—Sheriff's fees, J. L. Gore.....25.00
Apr. 7.—Clrek's fees, J. Z. Mims.....12.50
Apr. 24.—State witness, P. P. Lewis.....1.00
Apr. 24.—State witness, J. S. Dennis.....1.80
Apr. 24.—State witness, Jewel Atchison.....7.20
Apr. 24.—State witness, Walter Bean.....2.10
Apr. 24.—State witness, Harvey Jones.....1.30
Apr. 24.—State witness, Rev. M. J. Parrish.....1.70
Apr. 24.—State witness, John Sewell.....1.90
Apr. 24.—State witness, Walter Anderson.....2.70
Apr. 24.—State witness, Jack Gentry.....1.70
Apr. 24.—State witness, Jasper Oakes.....1.50
Apr. 24.—State witness, J. M. Grant.....1.20
Apr. 24.—State witness, Wiley Gore.....2.30
Apr. 24.—State witness, Wiley Gore.....1.80
Apr. 24.—State witness, John Sewell.....1.90
Apr. 24.—State witness, Hezzie Booier.....1.60
Apr. 24.—State witness, Lee Cayton.....1.50
Apr. 24.—State witness, Geo. Owens.....2.10
Apr. 24.—Witness Cert., A. A. Culver.....2.90
Apr. 24.—Witness Cert., Sam Dean.....2.90
Apr. 24.—Witness Cert., Cleve Kicker.....2.90
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Claud Dawson.....2.20
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. E. Wallace.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Ed Dawson.....2.20
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mrs. Jewel Atchison.....6.70
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mrs. Bertha Smith.....3.60
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. P. Atchison.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mary Lee Atchison.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Miss Lena Fon.....2.40
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Alva Chandler.....3.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mrs. M. J. McDaniel.....2.20
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Will Evers.....2.20
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mary Kelley.....2.30
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Mrs. Beckie Miner.....2.30
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Walter Kelley.....2.30
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, John T. Sorrell.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, G. W. Grice.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Joyce Sorrell.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. R. Martin.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, E. R. Piper.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. W. G. White.....2.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Frank Collins.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Clyde C. Deloach.....1.70
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Raymond Deloach.....1.70
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Clayton Driver.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Ernest Marcus.....1.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Wiley Glass.....2.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Bob Cofer.....2.60
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. S. Wilson.....2.60
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, H. J. Wilson.....2.60
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Julius Simmons.....2.50
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Bill Mims.....2.40
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, John Tucker.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, John Burton.....2.40
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Jesse Baker.....1.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Archie Harris.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, G. W. Fox.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, H. J. Foshee.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, G. W. Fox.....2.80
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, Jake Wallace.....2.80
Apr. 24—Grand Juror, James Randall (col.).....2.80
Apr. 24—Grand Juror, W. H. Hayes.....1.00
Apr. 24—Grand Juror, W. L. Dunn.....1.00
Apr. 24.—Grand Juror, J. Leonard Hayes.....1.80
Apr. 24—Grand Juror, George Owens.....3.10
Apr. 24—Sheriff's Fees, T. J. Littlejohn.....185.50
Apr. 24—Clerk's Fees, J. Z. Mims.....144.35
May 22—State Witness, A. J. Glasscock.....2.40
May 22—State Witness, Mrs. A. J. Glasscock.....2.40
May 22—State Witness, Guss Glass.....2.50
May 22—State Witness, J. C. Knox.....2.10
May 22—State Witness, Henry Wooley.....4.30
May 22—State Witness, J. S. Vest.....4.30
May 22—State Witness, Jess Smitherman.....2.10
May 22—State Witness, J. A. Pearson.....2.10
May 22—State Witness, Jennie Jones.....1.40
May 22—State Witness, William Owens.....2.20
May 22—State Witness, O. C. Billingsley.....2.10
May 22—State Witness, Curtis McDonald.....4.20
May 22—State Witness, Laura Scott.....2.90
May 22—State Witness, Mrs. Mary Glasscock.....2.90
May 22—State Witness, Wm. R. Baker.....1.50
May 22—State Witness, J. P. Atchinson.....3.20
May 22—State Witness, John Glasscock.....2.90
May 22—State Witness, Kenneth Danforth.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, C. Fenn Jones.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, Ralph Jones.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, R. Cameon.....0.50
May 22.—State Witness, W. C. Wilson.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, Jake Huffman.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, J. P. Gere.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, John Sewell.....0.25
May 22—State Witness, Will Culp.....0.25
Mya 22—State Witness, J. M. Curlee.....0.25

May 22—State Witness, Lewis Perkins.....8.00
May 22—State Witness, Johnnie Parker.....2.75
May 22—State Witness, Henry Smith.....2.75
May 22—State Witness, John Maxwell.....2.75
May 22—State Witness, A. J. Glasscock.....2.30
May 22—State Witness, Laua Glasscock.....2.30
May 22—State Witness, W. M. Willis.....6.60
May 22—State Witness, J. M. Curlee.....1.00
May 22—State Witness, J. M. Grant.....1.20
May 22—Petit Juror Certificate, S. J. Reynolds.....7.10
May 22—Grand Juror, J. W. Littletoh.....1.90
May 22—Grand Juror, William Owens.....3.20
May 22—Grand Juror, O. C. Billingsley.....3.10
May 22—Grand Juror, C. F. Jones.....1.00
May 22—Grand Juror, Kenneth Danforth.....1.00
May 22—Grand Juror, Ralph Jones.....1.00
May 22—Sheriff's Fees, T. J. Littlejohn.....46.00
May 22—Clerk's Fees, J. Z. Mims.....48.00
June 25.—Grand Juror, Fred M. Ouzts.....5.60
June 25.—Grand Juror, J. Matt Mahan.....25
June 25.—Grand Juror, Elinor Robinson.....6.60
June 25.—State Witness Cert's, T. J. Littlejohn.....12.50
June 25.—State witness, J. M. Glasscock.....2.40
June 25.—State witness, J. L. Gore.....25
June 25.—State witness, W. G. Culp.....25
June 25.—State witness, J. M. Grant.....25
June 25.—State witness, Henry Davenport.....2.40
June 25.—State witness, Tom Hand.....2.10
June 25.—State witness, Eddie Little.....2.40
June 25.—State witness, Mary Glasscock.....2.30
June 25.—State witness, Mrs. A. J. Glasscock.....2.30
June 25.—State witness, J. Matt Mahan.....25
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, W. W. Anderson.....3.70
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Lee Caton.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Lee Ellison.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness Jasper Aakes.....2.50
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Miss Rosa Cleckler.....2.00
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, J. A. Cleckler.....2.00
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Johnnie Parker.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Lewis Perkins.....9.60
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, John Maxwell.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Henry Smith.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, W. T. Baggatt.....9.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Mrs. J. M. Stroud.....1.60
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Miss Lillie Stroud.....1.60
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, J. M. Stroud.....1.60
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Laura Glasscock.....2.30
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, J. S. Dennis.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Mrs. Mary Glass.....2.30
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Katie Atcheson.....2.80
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, Harvie Jones.....2.25
June 25.—Grand Jury witness, W. W. Robinson.....1.70

RECAPITULATION

General Fund.

Balance, December 31, 1923.....$7,881.71
Cash rec'd Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....48,744.56
.....$56,626.27
Cash paid out Jan. 1, to June 30, 1924,.....42,298.33
Bal. June 30, 1924,.....**$14,327.94**

Road Funds.

Bal. Dec. 31, 1923.....$1,378.39
Cash rec'd Jan. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1924,.....31,131.14
.....32,509.53
Cash paid out Jan. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1924,.....25,083.03
Bal. June 30, 1924,.....**$7,426.50**

Special Gasoline Tax Fund

Bal. Dec. 31, 1923,.....$3,722.78
Cash rec'd Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....10,697.57
.....14,420.35
Cash paid out Jan. 1, 1924, to July 30, 1924,.....10,959.56
Bal. June 30, 1924,.....**$3,460.79**

Land Redemption Fund

Bal. Dec. 31, 1923,.....$771.30
Cash rec'd from Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....259.94
.....1,031.24
Cash paid our Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....456.48
Bal. June 30, 1924,.....**$574.76**

Fine and Forfeiture Fund.

Bal. Dec. 31, 1923.....$867.72
Cash rec'd Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....948.35
.....1,816.07
Cash paid out Jan. 1, 1924 to June 30, 1924,.....10,051.45
Bal. June 30, 1924,.....**$764.62**

The following is a true and correct list of registered claims against Chilton County, and unless otherwise specified, are due and payable without interest:

The following road warrants bear 6 per cent interest:
Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933..$500.00
Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933....500.00

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Sept. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1933....500.00
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Nov. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1931....500.00
Nov. 3, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1931....500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926....500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926....500.00
Nov. 10, 1915.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1926....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Dec. 6, 1915.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1939....500.00
Jan. 5, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1929....500.00
Mch. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn ,due Jan. 15, 1926....500.00
Mch. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn ,due Jan. 15, 1926....500.00
Mch. 25, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1927....500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
May 3, 1916.—W. H. Wynn, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Sept. 14, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00
Oct. 3, 1916.—W. T. Taylor, due Jan. 15, 1925....500.00

The following warrants bear 6 per cent interest from date:

Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925 .$500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
Aug. 24, 1920.—C. Y. Bogacki, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
Aug. 24, 1920—Educational Ex. due Jan. 1, 1925 1,284.10
Aug. 24, 1920.—Edward Miller & Co., due Jan. 1, 1925 ..... 935.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson, due Jan. 1, 1925....500.00
June 15, 1921.—Funding Road and Bridge Bonds, due June 1, 1947, with interest at 5 per cent per annum 200,000.00

Nov. 5, 1919.—Sims Drug Co. 2.80
Nov. 5, 1919.—Ernest Murphy 2.50
Feb. 9, 1919.—G. A. Coleman 24.04
Feb. 9, 1919.—L. E. Cobern 3.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—J. H. Gore & Son 3.05
Feb. 9, 1920—C B. White 10.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—C. L. Brown 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—H. M. Nix 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—W. M. Price 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—S. A. Curry 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—C. J. Jones 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—J. M. Nix 2.00
Feb. 9, 1920.—H. F. Ratliff 2.00
Feb. 28, 1920.—R. M. Hubbard 2.00
Feb. 28, 1920.—H. M. Nix 2.00
Feb. 28, 1920.—E. W. Honeycutt 2.00
Feb. 28, 1920.—S. A. Curry 2.00
Feb. 28, 1920.—J. P. Dykes 2.00
May 13, 1920.—Jefferson Co. 4.68
May 13, 1920.—G. W. Wilson 29.59
May 13, 1920.—W. D. Horsley 2.00
May 13, 1920.—A. R. Cooper 2.00
May 13, 1920.—G. D. Retherford 2.00
May 13, 1920.—G. W. Campbell 2.00
May 13, 1910.—Rush Curry 2.00
May 13, 1920.—M. M. Ratliff 2.00
July 19, 1920.—T. E. Holsomback 4.91
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson 500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson 500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson 500.00
Aug. 21, 1920.—F. M. Dobson 500.00
Aug. 24, 1920.—C. Y. Bogacki 500.00
Aug. 24, 1920.—Educational Exchange Co. 1,284.10
Aug. 24, 1920.—Edward Miller & Co. 935.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Tom McKee 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—J. M. Langston 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—S. J. Reynolds 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Howard Roper 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Lum Williams 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—J. P. Jones 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Durry O'Neal 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—C. S. Edwards 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—W. E. Martin 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Jim Patterson 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—H. H. Armstrong 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Fonza Williams 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.W. C. McGraw 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Allison Sims 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—J. L. Ruffin 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—W. T. Womble 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—T. G. Milling 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—P. O. West 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Burnie Killingsworth 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—Rush Curry 2.00
Nov. 10, 1920.—J. R. Short 2.00
Nov. 12, 1920.—A. F. Mims 4.55
Nov. 12, 1920.—J. J. Vanderslice 1.35
Nov. 10, 1920.—Geo. D. Barnard 107.26
Jan. 5, 1921.—W. O. Perry 4.97
Jan. 5, 1921.—T. A. Powell 1.65
Jan. 5, 1921.—K. M. McKinney 6.50
Jan. 5, 1921.—Jas. A. Gaylor 2.85
Jan. 5, 1921.—C. J. Butram 8.55
Jan. 5, 1921.—J. E. McDowell 2.85
Jan. 5, 1921.—A. F. Mims 2.20
Jan. 5, 1921.—J. P. Bean 3.47
Jan. 5, 1921.—Clarence Vines 1.20
Jan. 5, 1921.—Maurice Anderson 2.37
Jan. 5, 1921.—W. B. Cooper ..... .79
Jan. 5, 1921.—E. N. Adams 2.92
Jan. 5, 1921.—Grady Burnett 1.97
Jan. 5, 1921.—J. J. Vanderslice ..... .67
Jan. 5, 1921.—Mrs. C. M. Williams 5.15
Jan. 5, 1921.—W. H. Foshee ..... .92
Jan. 5, 1921.G. A. Colley 4.10
Feb. 14, 1921.—Herring-Hall Safe Co. 3.50
Feb. 14, 1921.—B. E. Collum 2.00
Feb. 14, 1921.—Mrs. Pearl Attaway 2.00
Feb. 22, 1921.—Geo. T. Guy 2.00
Feb. 22, 1921.—I. V. Popwell 2.00
Feb. 22, 1921.—W. W. Bishop 2.00
Feb. 22, 1921.—Mae Dorminey 2.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson 500.00
Feb. 23, 1921.—F. M. Dobson 700.00
May 9, 1921.—V. B. Champion 10.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—C. B. Cox 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—O. R. Mullins 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. A. Sims 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—F. R. Woodyard 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—D. C. Alred 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. R. Owen 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—C. M. Foshee 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—G. W. Fox 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—R. E. Fitts 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. J. DuBose 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—M. Robinson 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. N. McKee 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—L. R. Sawyer 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—S. A. Curry, Sr. 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—Rush Curry 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. S. Bone 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—S. E. Waldrop 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—Mrs. A. T. Mitchell 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—S. L. Arledge 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. T. Davis 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—C. A. Curry 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—E. Robinson 2.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—Marshall Lovelady 10.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—E. C. Cox 9.00
Aug. 8, 1921.—J. W. Maddox 9.50
Aug. 8, 1921.—Wright & Ramsey 31.25
Aug. 8, 1921.—Jack Mongouf 1.88
Aug. 8, 1921.—C. R. Ray 1.50
Nov. 14, 1921.—T. L. McKee 10.00
Dec. 12, 1921.—Nivens & Shaw 4.16
Dec. 12, 1921.—J. L. Gore 11.00
Dec. 12, 1921.—J. L. Gore 15.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—J. W. Foshee 6.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—John Jacks ..... .75
Jan. 24, 1922.—J. L. Wilson 3.40
Jan. 24, 1922.—B. G. Jones 2.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—W. H. Conway 2.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—W. R. Clements 2.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—W. H. Cofer 2.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—S. E. Waldrop 2.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—W. T. White 8.00
Jan. 24, 1922.—G. T. Guy 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. H. Green 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. L. Burnett 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. L. Patterson 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—B. L. Glasscock 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—E. F. Conway 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. D. Harrell 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—H. H. Armstrong 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—W. D. Nix 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—W. H. Hayes 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. M. Parrish 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—G. C. Powell 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—M. M. Abrams 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—A. H. Mims 2.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—Will Cooper 4.00
Feb. 13, 1922.—J. B. Easterling 1.50
Mar. 23, 1922.—G. O. Foshee 4.70
Mar. 23, 1922.—J. E. Cobb 17.75
Mar. 23, 1922.—W. T. White 3.00
Mar. 23, 1922.—Mrs. V J. Gragg 73.25
Mar. 23, 1922.—Mrs. W. A. Gulledge 10.25
Mar. 23, 1922.—J. D. Rudd 5.00
Mar. 23, 1922.—Jno. F. Poole 9.25
Mar. 23, 1922.—Ralph Calloway 10.00
Mar. 23, 1922.—J. A. Sample 5.75
May 9, 1922.—A. F. Childress 19.00
May 9, 1922.—J. H. Gillespie 15.50
May 9, 1922.—S. L. Arledge 5.25
May 9, 1922.—J. P. Dykes 5.25
May 9, 1922.—E. G. Caldwell 9.00
May 9, 1922.—J. W. Cleckler 4.75
May 9, 1922.—Chilton Hdwe. Co 5.60
May 9, 1922.—J. B. Crane 5.00
May 8, 1922.—Downs Hdwe. Co. 36.95
May 8, 1922.—J. L. Abbott 6.50
May 8, 1922.—J. A. M. Jacks 1.00
May 8, 1922.—W. D. Lovelady 19.30
May 8, 1922.—Wess Williams 4.00
May 8, 1922.—W. C. Dyer 39.97
May 8, 1922.—T. E. Carleton 2.75
June 14, 1922.—W. C. Dyer 2.00
June 14, 1922.—Miss Eva Foshee 2.00
June 14, 1922.—T. J. Deason 2.00
June 14, 1922.—Eugene Mullins 2.00
June 14, 1922.—G. W. Fox 2.00
June 14, 1922.—J. H. Hodgens 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. A. Mims 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. T. Hand 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. P. Gentry 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—Arthur Martin 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—B. H. Jones 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. L. Wilson 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. W. P. Murphy 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—A. L. Foshee 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—A. L. Williams 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—Walter Jones 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. W. Cobern 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—Joe Moore 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. Y. Williams 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—C. M. Foshee 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—Hill Foshee 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—A. L. Diper 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—H. T. Gregg 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. J. Ruddick 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. H. Foshee 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—A. F. Mims 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. M. Nix 2.00
Aug. 14, 1922.—Bean Bros. 27.83
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. J. Ruddick 9.85
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. C. Jones 9.70
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. C. Jones 9.70
Aug. 14, 1922.—Will R. Clements 4.85
Aug. 14, 1922.—H. A. E. Smith 3.90
Aug. 14, 1922.—W. G. Conway 5.20
Aug. 14, 1922.—E. N. Adams 5.05
Aug. 14, 1922.—O. M. Martin 4.10
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. J. Vanderslice 1.15
Aug. 14, 1922.—J. B. Scott 1.75
Aug. 14, 1922.—C. L. Wilkins 5.25
Aug. 14, 1922.—Vida Lumber Co. 8.78
Aug. 14, 1922.—E. L. McKinney 1.75
Aug. 14, 1922.—Tobe Varden 8.75
Aug. 8, 1922.—Grady Sutley 2.00
Aug. 8, 1922.—W. A. Glass 2.00
Aug. 8, 1922.—W. H. Killingsworth 2.00
Aug. 8, 1922.—R. T. Busby 2.00
Nov. 5, 1922.—Geo. D. Bernard Sta. Co. 216.53
Nov. 5, 1922.—W. J. Armstrong 2.00
Nov. 5, 1922.—Dixie Printing Co. 10.13
Nov. 13, 1922.—Mrs. A. C. Pyron 3.15
Nov. 13, 1922.—R. B. Abernathy 1.90
Nov. 13, 1922.—Allison Soms 1.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—J. M. Robinson 14.25
Nov. 13, 1922.—Jno. Childress 13.20
Nov. 13, 1922.—C. C. Atkinson 27.67
Nov. 13, 1922.—T. G. Milling 14.10
Nov. 13, 1922.—E. E. Edwards 5.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—W. G. Conway 121.50
Nov. 13, 1922.—C. H. Parnell 20.08
Nov. 13, 1922.—C. H. Parnell 20.62
Nov. 13,1922.—Frank Perry 8.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Ben F. Vines 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—S. P. Shaw 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—J. M. Langston 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—S. E. Waldrop 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—J. J. Pickens 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—W. H. Foshee 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—R. M. Sorrell 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—G. T. Guy 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—C. M. Foshee 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—G. A. Coleman 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Ralph Calloway 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—J. H. Green 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—S. M. Yates 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Richard Robinson 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—J. W. Bailey 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—G. C. Veazey 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Grady Culp 2.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Celie Smitherman 18.00
Nov. 13, 1922.—Remington Typewriter Co. 107.50
Jan. 9, 1923.—J. Bice, Treasurer 37.50
Jan. 9, 1923.—J. Bice, Treasurer 82.20
Feb. 12, 1923.—Walter Traywick 16.00
Feb. 12, 1923.—C. W. White 2.00
Feb. 12, 1923.—Miss Dunken Williams 18.00
April 7, 1923.—Sanord Clark 1.05
May 14, 1923.—Sanord Clark 1.00
May 14, 1923.—Synthia Littleton 18.00
May 14, 1923.—Geo. R. Moore 82.50
May 14, 1923.—R. A. McLeod 14.00
June 18, 1923.—H. S. Hicks 12.20
Aug. 13, 1923.—G. D. Retherord 30.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. D. Culp 13.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. E. Gowan 10.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Chilton Hdwe. Co. 13.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Clanton Produce Co. 7.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Johnson Drug Co. 3.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—A. R. Drake 28.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. F. Moms 3.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—T. M. Taylor 79.19
Aug. 13, 1923.—W. T. White 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—T. L. Lecroy 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—A. T. C.Smith 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Geo. Traywick 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—A. Z. Bean 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. W. Mims 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. H. Jackson 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—Charlie Bell 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—J. E. Easterling 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—D. M. Apperson 2.00
Aug. 13, 1923.—W. H. Foshee 2.00
Sept. 2, 1923.—Bertie Parrish 3.00
Sept. 24, 1923.—Calvin Parrish 5.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—R. R. Seals 8.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—F. H. Brown 4.22
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. McMellan 6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mood McGee 14.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. L. Hayes 35.40
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. A. Huett 16.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. J. Headley 75.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. B. Lenoir 6.25
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. Watts Moore 4.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Perry 50.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—S. R. Barnes 5.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Thorsby Hdwe. Co. 4.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—Twin City Co. 33.61
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mullins & Moore 3.20
Nov. 19, 1923.—E. G. Caldwell 78.30
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. C. Jones 2.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Mullins & Moore 17.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—Foote & Davis Co. 37.32
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. Davis 2.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Chilton Hdwe. Co. 37.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. H. Harris 90.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. H. Harris 360.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. C. Mims 6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. E. Deason 126.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. R. Askins 12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. M. Mahan 45.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. R. McAfee 9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. C. Dennis 6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. F. Bearden 18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. E. Hayes 21.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Dowdell Johnson 15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Jones Varner 9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—O. C. Blackmon 30.00
Nov. 19, 1023.—J. E. Bearden 18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. T. Jones 3.00
Nov. 19,—1923.—W. H. Veazey 6.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Downs 3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. M. Parrish 33.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. H. O. Kelley 9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Jno. Sanders 15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. D. Collins 12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Milton Moore 3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—B. F. Dykes 15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. L. McKee 30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—H. N. Smith 3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. L. McKee 18.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. Wiley Foshee 9.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—W. D. Burnett 24.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Patterson 54.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—G. C. Powell 30.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Arthur Willis 12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Dewey Patterson 4.50
Nov. 19, 1923.—Briggs Crumpton 21.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—J. L. Downs 3.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—T. C. Maherg 12.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Jno. Smith 12.00
Nov. 10, 1923.—W. M. D. O'Neal 45.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—A. Z. Bean 15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—C. D. Foshee 15.00
Nov. 19, 1923.—Frank Martin 42.00
Dec. 22, 1923.—Celia Smithehrman 12.00
Feb. 18, 1924.—J. D. Gay 3.50
Feb. 18, 1824.—Chilton Hdwe. Co. 37.50
Feb. 18, 1924.—Woodson Rolin 65.00
Feb. 18, 1924.—Russell Grader Co.; 548.20
Apr. 7, 1924.—Tessier Hdwe. Co. 49.50
Apr. 7, 1924.—Union Iron Works 7.50
Apr. 7, 1924.—H. L. Allen & Co. 18.33
Apr. 7, 1924.—W. W. Stroud 7.50
May 7, 1924.—J. H. Ratliff 1.50
May 7, 1924.—O. O. Calfee 12.25
May 5, 1924.—W. B. Foshee 2.00
May 5, 1924.—Wm. Cleckler 3.75
May 5, 1924.—N. F. Cox 19.25
May 5, 1924.—W. M. Oden 6.00
May 5, 1924.—W. W. Parnell 38.38
May 5, 1924.—J. O. Chambers 5.45
May 5, 1924.—Will Nichols 2.25
May 5, 1924.—Joe Wright 1.50
May 5, 1924.—Clyde Gragg 1.50
May 5, 1924.—Jno. Sexton 1.50
May 5, 1924.—Guy Obrien 1.50
May 12, 1924.—R. E. Atchison 19.20
May 12, 1924.—L. E. Davis 3.00
May 12, 1924.—Auto Electric Service 50.70
May 12, 1924.—Monroe Stewart 1.00
May 12, 1924.—C. N. Henley 18.00
May 12, 1924.—Dunken Wilson 18.00
May 12, 1924.—Geo. D. Barnard 97.18
May 12, 1924.—Toote & Davis Co.; 37.32
May 12, 1924.—J. A. Barnett 27.68
May 12, 1924.—Marshall & Bruce Co. 287.71
June 2, 1924.—E. F. Mead 132.70
June 2, 1924.—Sou. Welding Co. 15.00
June 2, 1924.—W. T. Hilyer 3.00
June 2, 1924.—Fisher Lbr. Co. 18.75

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

**Chilton County,
Section "A"
Surfacing**

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, August 6, 1924, and at that time publicly opened for the surfacing with one course plain cement concrete pavement 17.455 miles of road in Chilton, County, the same being a part of the State Highway between Montgomery and Birmingham.

Contractors in submitting bids on the concrete paving will include in the price bid per square yard all necessary labor and materials with the exception of Portland Cement which will be furnished by the State f. o. b. cars at the various railroad sidings in the vicinity of this project. The contractor will be required to unload and store the cement at his own risk and expense and in addition will be held responsible for the return to the mill of all empty cement sacks.

Contractors in submitting bids for this work will understand that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids are the ones that will govern

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

The successful bidder will probably be required to pave several miles of this project during the fall months. Also he will absorb into the price bid for concrete paving, the cost of the necessary fine grading, within the following limits, six inches above or six inches below sub-grade.

The items of work are approximately as follows:

187,250 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement.

1,000 Lin. Ft. Blind Drains.

23,496 Lin. Ft. 3-4 inch galvanized cable for guard rail.

1,030 Concrete posts for guard rail.

102 End post braces for guard rail.

17,455 Miles of shoulder construction.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Cash certified check or bid Bond for Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.-00) made payable to the Chariman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

W. S. KELLER,
7-3-3t-c State Highway Engineer.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity.

R. G. Blewster, Complainant, vs. Cammie Otts Blewster, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of R. G. Blewster, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Cammie Otts Blewster, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30th day of July, 1824, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 28th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
7-3-4t-c. Register.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, January Term, 1923.

To E. C. Watson:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less five acres in the SE corner and five acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

**The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.**

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of ..... Dollars, principal and interest, and Twelve and 85-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January Term, 1923 of said Court, against E. C. Watson, in favor of officers of the Court, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 11 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named E. C. Watson, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less 5 acres in the SE corner, and 5 acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

This, the 8th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, July 8, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

**The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.**

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of $1,029.29 principal and interest, and $15.35 cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the February Term, 1917 of said court, against P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews and W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in favor of W. C. Robinson I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 18 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NW¼ of the NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼ Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of S E¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2½ acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2½ acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

This, the 14th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at court house door, July 14, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, February Term, 1917.

To P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of W. C. Robinson, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NW¼ of NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼ Sec. 21 Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE ¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2 1-2 acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2 1-2 acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Sixty-Six and 28|00 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the August Term, 1923, of said Court,, against Mary Curry Jones and Roberta Curry, in favor of court costs I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 28th day of July, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary Curry Jones, in and to the followling described real estate, viz:

W½ of the SW¼, Sec. 2, Tp. 21, Range 13, eighty acres, more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

This, the 24th day of June, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, June 24th, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
6-26-4tc.

TEACHERS EXAMINATION

The next regular State Examination for teachers will be held at the court house on July 21, 22 and 23. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified, and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this county or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education if living in some other county to be transerfred to this county.

No one will be permitted to take for second who has not finished at least two years of high school or its equivalent, and no one will be permitted to take for first who has not had the equivalent of a full high school course.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday; except those who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in thirds to take second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m., and those taking for first and submitting valid seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
7-3-3t Co. Supt. Education.

LOST—One large cameo broach pin at high school ground on July 4th. Finder please return to Union-Banner and get reward.

"BUSTED" HOPES

The Ectobia Germanica

Better known as the ordinary house roach is one of the worst germ and disease carriers known to modern science! They infect food with a vile liquid and are a positive menace. For health's sake rid your house of these dangerous pests TODAY! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LISTEN—Spectacle Garner will fill his regular date the fourth Saturday in office of Dr. Hyman in Clanton.

FOR SALE—House and lot near high school in Clanton. Will sell very reasonable. Apply to M. A. Bates, Clanton, Ala. 7-10-3t-p

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—281 acres, 9-horse farm, 1 1-2 miles north of Billingsley on Clanton and Billingsley road, about 200 acres clear of stumps, four tenant houses, and big 5-room dwelling, fruit and pecan trees of all descriptions, 100 thousand feet of long-leaf pine timber, located 1 1-2 quarter from church and school. If interested, call or see W. D. Burnett, Billingsley, Ala. 26-4t-pd

FARM FOR SALE

I have a farm, which I will sell cheap for cash, located in Chilton County. Must sell, for I am going further south. 40 acres land, good 4-room house, good well of water on porch, good barn; 20 acres in cultivation, 10 acres in good permanent pasture, 10 acres in timber, a living stream of water runs right through the center of the 10; rural mail route by door; 3 miles from town, 3 miles from State highway, 3 miles from consolidated school building, fine 2-story rural school on one side of the property. Will sell for $600 cash. If interested, call on A. F. Northcutt, Jemison, Ala., Route 2. Am going south and will sell at some price. 1tc

LOST—One silver bar pin with one white stone; ; finder return and receive reward at The Leader, Clanton, Ala. 7-17-3t-c

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends, Dr. Hayes, and the nurses at the hospital for their kindness and sympathy in the recent illness and death of our beloved wife and mother.

S. J. HEADLEY,
ETTA DURBIN.

Mr. Clyde Lowe of Clanton was a visitor to Birmingham the first of this week.

It's Fun To See Its Victims Die---
Sweet Dreams Spray---Liquid

Mosquitoes Killed While You Look. Same Sort of Death Warrant Passed Right on to Flies, Ants and Bugs.

Double-Strength Liquid.

"While you look"—that's the exact system of Sweet Dreams Spray, the double-strength, liquid wizard.
There is no waiting—no ifs—no ands.

Just pump the misty vapors of Sweet Dreams Spray into the niding places of Mosquitoes or other troublesome insects—they tumble to your feet graveyard dead right while you are looking.

Try just one can of Sweet Dreams Spray—you can see yourself cash in on your purchase—you can see exactly what you have gotten for your money. If you are not entirely pleased with your purchase, your dealer will refund the purchase price without question—no ifs—no ands.

Seeing is believing.
Sold only in red-top cans.
Gallons $3.00; Quarts $1.25; Pints 75c; Half-pints 40c.
At all dealers, everywhere.

J. MELL MARTIN
Undertaker Clanton, Ala.

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Fletcher's CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation — Wind Colic
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Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

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Prompt Courteous Consideration

MULLINS & MOORE
Clanton, Ala.

Specials In Hardware

We are Offering Something Special every week in the Year.
Watch the papers and you will not lose.

OUR SPECIAL BEGINNING SATURDAY, AND RUNNING FOR ONE WEEK ONLY

12-qt. Aluminum Water Pails, regular price $1.35; Sale price 98c

We have a complete line of Building Material. Everything from Foundation to Roof.

SEE US BEFORE BUYING FURNITURE AND RUGS

Farmers Hardware Company
"The Winchester Store"
CLANTON, ALA.

THE BIG REMOVAL SALE

Is Now On In Full Blast at The Leader

WE WILL MOVE IN A FEW DAYS TO OUR NEW STORE, NOW OCCUPIED BY W. A. KEMP IN THE JOHNSON BUILDING. WE ARE OFFERING THE GREATEST BARGAINS IN FIRST-CLASS MERCHANDISE THA T HAS EVER BEEN SOLD IN CLANTON. DON'T WAIT OR HESITATE—SEE THEM AND YOU WILL SURELY BUY.

Notice.—We Are Not Leaving Town, But Moving to a Store Which Is Larger and We Can Give Our Customers Better Service.

MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MR. LANDE SAYS

I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. George Williamson was operated on for appendicitis Monday.

Miss Irene Atkinson came in Sunday with Osteomyelitis.

Mrs. John Davis was operated on Friday.

Mrs. Ruby Dykes was operated on for appendicitis Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Mims went home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Luetta Logan went home last week.

Mrs. L. M Nicholson went home the first of the week.

Mrs. Peyton Robertson is continuing to improve.

Mrs. Milton Roberts and baby will go home this week.

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

HIS COURAGE OOZED QUICKLY!

"One of the funniest things that has ever happened in a long time was the other night out by the Country Club," said Dr. Frank Willis Barnett. "A young fellow I know well, but who is six feet, one inch and weighs close in to 200, was slumped way down in his daddy's car, driving. He was setting on his shoulder blades and looked pretty small at first glance. There was a woman driving a car in front of him, and as usual with the women, was wabbling all over the road and he couldn't pass. A car came up behind and began to blow furiously at him. The boy couldn't do a thing, and as the woman in front poked along, so he poked along and the fellow behind was in a perfect frenzy of rage, blowing the horn every minute. Finnally the woman turned off toward Forest Park and the boy was able to let the chap behind pass him. The fellow behind zipped by, looked in and saw this little fellow in the seat, stopped his car instantly and hopped out as belligerent as a cock sparrow. He was a fat and fussy little bird. "Get out!" he bellowed at the young fellow. The latter saw the little fat guy was furiously mad and apparently wanted to open hostilities. He opened the door and unwound out on the ground. 'What do you want?' he demanded, equally truculent, one fist as big as a ham ready for use. "I-I-just wanted to apologize for honking at you so—I diden't see the road was blocked!' bleated the little fat, fussy guy, all the fight gone in the instant he saw what he had stirred up."—Bham. News.

MRS. SAM HEADLEY DEAD

Mrs. Isabella Headley, wife of S. J. Headley of near Chasteen's Store died at the Central Alabama Hospital last Thursday, July 10th. Mrs. Headley was 57 years old and was the mother of one child. She is survived by her child and husband.

Funeral services were conducted at Mt. Nebo cemetery Friday, Rev. F. A. Gibson officating.

ALL DAY SIGING AT CONCORD CHURCH ON NEXT SUNDAY

There will be an all day singing at Concord Church, 2 miles east of Clanton, next Sunday, July 20th. Prof. J. D. Patton, who is teaching a music school at Collins Chapel, has promised to be there. Also Prof. W. M. Devaughn and other noted singers are expected to attend. Everybody has a cordial invitation.

MRS. EARLE G. McLIN TO APPEAR IN RECITAL

The Philathia Sunday School class of the Clanton M. E. Church will present Mrs. Earle G. McLin, director of the McLin School of Expression of Birmingham, in a recital at the Methodist church at 8 o'clock on the evening of July 22nd, 1924. Mrs. McLin is one of the State's most gifted readers, and her appearance before Clanton people will be a rare treat to those who appreciate really refined entertainment.

The people of Clanton should not miss the opportunity of seeing and hearing this famous artist as well as the chance of doing your bit toward the building of Clanton's new Methodist church.

Mrs. McLin is experienced in Chautaqua and platform work, and is an artist in every sense of the word. She directed the big Methodist pageant put on by the churches of Birmingham this past spring.

The admission will be 35 cents for adults and 20 cents for children.

PROVIDENCE BEAT. 13

Editor Union- Banner—will you be so kind to give us a small space to say a few words in behalf of our community.

First of all we want to say that the health is very good at present, with the exception of Rev. J. B. Price, who has been very sick for the past few days, but is better now. We hope him a speedy recovery.

The farmers of this community are beginning to feel somewhat discouraged, also low spirited, over the crop proposition on account of the long extended drowth.

But we are still in hopes it will rain before it is to late, as we have never seen the righteous forsaken nor his seed begging bread.

Also wish to say that our Sunday School is progressing very nicely under the management of Bro. Wooley, Superintendant.

Also our singing society was a success this past Sunday Evening, under the management of Mr. Berl Martin whom we have just elected President of the society at this place. Mr. Berl Martin, is an intellegent young man, and seemes to be ready at all times to do something that would-be elevating and useful in a community. So we should ever be ready to lend a helping hand and a word of encouragement to Mr. Martin.

Oak Grove, class was welcome visitors at this place Sunday Evening, also rendered some very beautiful quartetts during the song service. We wish to extend to them a cordial and standing invitation.

Rev. Thomas, Pastor at this place is expected to fill his regular appointment the 3rd Saturday and Sunday of this month, also give us an extra Sermon Sunday night July the 20. We hope to have a large turnout as Bro. Thomas, is a good able Preacher full of the spirit and can interest you if you will only come out and listen to what he may have to say. Come where the blood can heal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells and sons, J. B. Jr. and "Snooks" of Selma came over last Saturday to spend a couple of days with relatives and friends.

Mr. Lewis T. Dennis of the Graphite Mines was in Clanton a short while Tuesday. Mr. Dennis says that they are making graphite right along now.

HOW'S THIS?

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus restoring normal conditions.

Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE PEOPLES TELEPHONE CO.

For First Six Months of Year 1924.

Amount received from fees for Central Service and Post Rights,	$1,927.71
Paid out for the following purposes:—	
Operator and Maintainer's salary,	$600.00
Rent for Central office,	60.00
Drawing up Contract,	3.00
Premium for Secretary's bond,	7.50
Receipt Books and Advertising,	9.20
Power and Light bills,	37.90
City Transfer Co., hauling material,	13.00
Material for repairing Lines,	130.55
Extra help for Repairing Lines,	85.68
Coal, for Central Office,	18.50
Material and Equipment for Central Office,	247.99
Parcel post, stamps and Freight bill,	3.11
Total paid out,	$1,216.43
Cash remaining on hand,	$711.28

Without any further trouble or repairs, we will have the following bills to pay for the ramainder of this year:—

Operator's salary for last six months of 1924,	$600.00
Rent, for Central office,	60.00
Power and Lights bill, about	38.00
Total to be paid out,	$698.00

This will leave for general repairs a balance of $13.00. This will not keep up the system.

W. W. FOX, President.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

LOCATED AT CLANTON, ALA.,
At the Close of Business, June 30th, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts,		$214,916.66
2.	Overdrafts,		1,013.55
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and W. S. Stamps,		16,500.00
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants,		900.00
5.	Banking House,		2,700.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures,		2,727.25
7.	Other Real Estate,		(None)
8.	Cash (a) Currency,	$15,091.00	
	(b) Gold,	4,097.50	
	(c) Silver, Nickels and Pennies,	1,885.49	
	Total,		21,073.99
9.	Due from Banks,		61,527.50
10.	Due from Federal Reserve Bank,		(None)
11.	Exchanges for Clearing House,		(None)
12.	Checks and Cash Items,		1,610.64
13.	Cash Items in Transit,		4,579.56
14.	Other Resources,		(None)
	Total,		$327,549.15

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in,		$ 15,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund,		10,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid,		57,884.24
4.	Reserve for Taxes and Interest,		(None)
5.	Demand Deposits (a) Individual Deposits,	$151,706.93	
	(f) Cashier's Checks,	156.72	
	(g) Certified Checks,	61.25	
	Total,		151,924.90
6.	Time Deposits (b) Time Certificates,	92,740.01	
	Total,		92,740.01
	Total,		$327,549.15

The State of Alabama, Chilton County:—

Before me came F. J. Callen, President of The Peoples Savings Bank, Clanton, Alabama, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

F. J. CALLEN, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of July, 1924.
W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

ATTEST:
N. S. JOHNSON,
J. HANCE ALRED,
G. C. HARRIS,
Directors.

VICTORIES *that build* Firestone LEADERSHIP

Firestone Leads on Speedway with Five Record Breakers

When the race driver selects his tires he does so realizing that his life and chances for success depend upon them. It is significant that all of the ten money winners in the Indianapolis race were Firestone shod. Firestone, using gum-dipping and other special processes, has developed tires to such a high degree of efficiency that at Indianapolis, May 30th, the following drivers broke the world's record for 500 miles over this brick track, making many rounds at over 100 miles per hour.

Never before were tires put to such gruelling service, where it was necessary for every ounce of rubber and every fibre of fabric to work in perfect unison with every other part.

Driver	Time	Miles per hour
Joe Boyer—L. L. Corum	5:05:58.61	98.34
Earl Cooper	5:06:47.18	97.99
Jimmy Murphy	5:08:25.29	97.37
Harry Hartz	5:10:44.29	96.85
Bennett Hill	5:11:07.00	96.46

Leadership in Everyday Service

Millions of motorists are profiting by the lengthened service of Firestone tires. Scores of unsolicited testimonials emphasize the long mileage Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords deliver—which builds leadership in service, safety and economy.

Leadership on Cabs, Buses and Trucks

The largest taxicab companies in the five largest cities in the United States use Firestone Gum-Dipped Cords exclusively. One fleet alone, the Yellow Cab Co. of Chicago, uses over one-half million tire miles per day.

Firestone for years has been first to develop tires and rims complete which would meet the heavy trucking loads, great strains and demand for traction. By originating and carrying forward the Ship by Truck movement, and establishing Ship by Truck bureaus in all large cities, Firestone helped to speed up highway transportation and reduce costs.

Balloon Tire Leadership

Firestone's latest contribution to motoring is the low air pressure or Balloon Tire. This, the original full-size Balloon, was made practical by the special Firestone Gum-Dipping process, insulating every fibre of each cord, adding great strength and stamina. Firestone has also simplified the application of full-size Balloon tires to your present car by designing a special unit consisting of tires, tubes, rims and spokes applied by any dealer at a very low cost.

Leadership Against British Rubber Restriction Act

Attacking the unsound and uneconomic character of the British Rubber Restriction Act limiting the exportation of rubber from the Far East, Firestone was the one large tire manufacturer to take up the cause for the car owner. Soon after the agitation was started for America to produce rubber under its own control, the cost of crude rubber was reduced and tire prices brought back to normal.

Dealer Leadership Through Tire Quality and Service

Through Firestone dealers you can obtain organized service and the soundest values on the market, whether you need a Ford 30 x 3½ Fabric, a set of full-size Balloon Gum-Dipped Cords or a 10-inch truck tire.

MOST MILES PER DOLLAR

MAIN STREET GARAGE, Clanton, Ala.

AMERICA SHOULD PRODUCE ITS OWN RUBBER H. S. Firestone

MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic builds up and restores what the malarial fever has taken away. It enriches and purifies the blood, aids the appetite, tones up the system, hastens the return of health and strength.

Taken as you feel Chills and Fever coming on, Wintersmith's Chill Tonic gives prompt and certain relief; and a long siege of Malaria can often be avoided. Its beneficial effects have been proved in thousands of cases, over 56 years of continued use. At your drug store. Popular size, 60c; mammoth size, $1. Made only by the Wintersmith Chemical Co., Inc. Louisville, Ky. —Adv.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

YOUTH IS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR BESSEMER

Machine Overturns When Tire On Rear Wheel Blows Out While Rounding Curve.

Elwood Roy Hand, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hand, of Hueytown, was instantly killed about 6:30 o'clock last Friday night when an automobile in which he was riding was overturned while rounding a curve on the Warrior Road, about four miles from Hueytown.

Elwoo Roy is the son of J. Wesley Hand, former Chilton county man, he having lived on the Garner place across the creek from town, several years ago.

The accident, according to Assistant Coroner J. J. Crowe, of Bessemer, who investigated, occurred when a tire on a rear wheel blew out as the machine was rounding the curve. Though there were no eyewitnesses to the accident, the automobile is said to have been traveling at a high rate of speed.

Hand, together with a young companion, is said to have been en route to Warrior when the accident occurred. The young man who occupied the car with Hand escaped injury.

Hand, according to Coroner Crowe, sustained a fracture of the skull, and was dead before assistance summoned from a nearby house could reach him. The car, a cut-down, is said to have been almost completely demolished.

Funeral services for Hand were held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Hueytown Baptist Church. Burial was in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, with McCollum, of Bessemer, in charge.

COUNTY FARMERS UNION ORGANIZED ON THURSDAY

A meeting of the various locals of the county met at Shoults School House last Thursday for the purpose of perfecting the county organization of the Farmers Union. There are now five locals in the county—Jemison, Mars Hill, Pilgrims Rest, Randolph and Shoults. Four of these locals were represented in this meeting.

The meeting was called to order by Rev. Littlejohn, county lecturer for the Union, at 10 o'clock. Talks on the benefits of the Union were made by Rev. W. S. Cox and G. C. McElderry, the State president.

County officers of the Union were elected as follows: J. T. Holtbrook, president; W. S. Cox, secretary; W. M. Oden, chaplain. After the election of officers was finished, the meeting adjourned for dinner. A sumptuous dinner was spread by the people of Shoults community. After dinner, the business of the Union having been finished, the meeting adjourned.

It used to be a regulation of the Farmers Union that ten locals were necessary before a county organization could be formed, but that number has been reduced to five, which made it possible for the Chilton County Union to be organized.

Rev. W. S. Cox, the county secretary, says that he is going to push the work of the Farmers Union in Chilton County all that he can. It is hoped that in a short time several new members may be enlisted and several other locals organized. All who are interested in joining the Union or who wish information on the subject may take up the matter with Rev. W. S. Cox, Clanton, Ala., R. 3.

MATTRESS FACTORY LOCATED IN CLANTON

A recent addition to the industries of Clanton, a fully-equipped mattress factory. The concern is brought here by Mr. L. E. Moore of Luverne, Ala., who has been operating a similar concern in his home town. The new concern is located in the new building at the rear of Robinson's Garage, and Mr. Moore says that he has the machinery necessary to renovate old mattresses or make new ones according to order. This is a concern which Clanton has been needing for some time. Numbers of car loads of old mattresses have been taken away from here to other cities and worked over, whereas now, this can be done right here at home. We hope that the people of Clanton will co-operate with Mr. Moore in making his new enterprise here a success.

COMMISSION LETS CONTRACT ON OLD MONTGOMERY ROAD

J. W. Gwin of Birmingham is Given Work of Reconditioning the Road from Roy Bridge.

J. W. Gwin of Birmingham was awarded by the State Highway Commission Monday afternoon contract for reconditioning and resurfacing the 29 miles of road between the Roy bridge in Montgomery and Marbury in Elmore county. The price for the ob under the contract is $55,707.60. It is also stipulated in the contract that the road is to be rolled.

Awarding of the contract carries the condition that rights of way necessary for relocation of certain portions of the road are to be provided by the counties of Montgomery, Autauga and Elmore, which the highway serves, also that these counties will arrange to have an adequate supply of gravel available for the work. The road, when reconditioned and opened to traffic, will provide another connection between Montgomery and the state highway, as this road connects with the new highway at Marbury.

H. W. BOLTON DROWNED NEAR LOCK 12 SUNDAY

A very sad and shocking occurrence happened Sunday afternoon when Mr. Hilry Bolton drowned in a lake on the R. F. Bates place a mile above Lock 12 Sunday afternoon. Reports say that a crowd of children were in bathing in the lake, when Mr. Bolton came up and decided to go in with them. He jumped in and swam half way across the lake when he took the cramp and began to call for help. Two or three of Mr. Bolton's boys were in bathing, so they rushed out to help the old man, but their efforts to save him were in vain. The water was about seven or eight feet deep where he drowned. The body was not recovered until about 6 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Bolton was about 60 years old and was well thought of by the people in his community. He has been living in the vicinity of Lock 12 for a number of years. The remains were buried at Blow Graveyard Tuesday of this week.

Gist Estimates Alabama Crop at 880,000 Bales

Production Should be Greatest since 1915 Crop, Says Agricultural Expert.

Montgomery, Ala., July 21.—F. W. Gist, agricultural statistican, in summary of reports on the condition of the cotton crop in Alabama, today stated that Alabama should produce 880,000 bales of cotton this year if there is no set back before harvest. This would be the largest cotton crop produced in Alabama since 1915, according to Mr. Gist, who said that slightly more than one million bales were produced in that year.

The statement of Mr. Gist follows:

"If the cotton chop of Alabama this year continues as good as at present until harvest, the state ought to produce about 880,000 bales of five hundred pounds gross weight each, according to the condition found to exist on July 16, which was 70 per cent of normal. This condition indicates an acre yield of 132 pounds and the acreage now growing is 3,190,000. This would be the largest amount of cotton produced in the State since 1915, when slightly more than a million bales were grown.

Crop Has Improved.

"The condition figure is the same today as on the 2nd instant, but indictates about four pounds more yield per acre, according to the ratios between the average condition and yield of former years. Consequently the crop has really improved in prospect since the 5th of June.

"During the period between the two reports an average of five rainy days has occured, with an average of slightly more than three inches of rainfall. These rains have, however, fallen almost exclusively in the afternoon and following forenoons of intense heat and sunshine. As a consequence, nothing like the number of blooms have fallen as if the rains had come in the forenoon while the blooms were open to catch the fall. Neither has the weevil multiplied as fast as if the remainder of the days had been cloudy and damp, as occurs usually with morning rains.

Few Weevil Complaints

"Only 30 per cent of the reports received for this report mentioned the weevil was present, the usual damage did not seem to be taking place.

"The plant has grown rapidly and fruited heavily; probably the results of more extended and better fertilizing. Fields are fairly clean and in good cultivation. Imperfect stands are still noticeable, this being the only serious drawback to an otherwise bright prospect.

"Midmonth reports also indicate all that other crops are progressing quite satisfactorily, with the possible exception of sugar cane."

Co-operation a Necessary Part of Farming Nowadays

The following significant statement, clipped from the July 12 number of The Union-Banner, deserves the thought of every foresighted farmer: " 'In the beginning when each farmer produced and manufactured at home most of the things that he and his family needed, selling very little, there was no great need for organization. But we are now farming in a different age, and under different conditions. A business organization of farmers managed by capable and constructive leaders is an absolute necessity.'—Prof. Duncan, Director, Alabama Extension Service."

It is now a universally recognized fact that co-operation among the farmers is not only desirable but absolutely necessary if the farmers are to hold their own amidst the highly organized life of today. And in this connection it is an encouraging fact that throughout a greater part of the United States the farmers have established organizations that are sucessfully serving their members.

During 1922 more than one billion dollars worth of farm products was marketed co-operatively. Last year even a larger portion was marketed by the farmers themselves. It can no longer be said that the farmers as a class will not organize and stay organized, though quite naturally the form of the organizations have and will continue to change and farmers in many cases have and will continue to change their membership from one organization to another organization that they are convinced will more nearly fill their need. This is a condition that is found in any field and is not limited to farming alone. When a stage of perfection has been reached in any industry and when conditions bearing on this industry have become fixed then changes in the form and methods of carrying on the business of this industry will be unnecessary. However, growth and development are the laws of life and as long as life continues to exist changes will continue to take place in all fields of human endeavor.

We need not go outside of our own county to find an example of an organization to which its members have "stuck," for the Fruit and Truck Growers Association at Thorsby has been in successful operation for nearly twenty years. This association that is now being established throughout the county is based on the same plan as the Thorsby association and we have equally as much reason to expect it to be successful.

The problem of today and the future is not one of production but of marketing. Farmers have succeeded in producing an abundance of all farm products, many times producing so much that on account of the large amount produced they received in return such small renumeration that they could barely exist.

The farmers are now proceeding to solve the problem of marketing and the first requisite necessary is the establishment of organizations thru which the business may be carried on.

As would naturally be expected under the circumstances, mistakes have been made and failures have occurred. In this respect, however, farmers' organizations have not been alone as can easily be brought home to us by even a casual investigation of the failures of industrial and commercial organizations. In fact, actual statistics show that a larger percentage of private business organizations fail than of farmer organizations. And this, in spite of the fact that the private organizations have been managed by experienced so-called "business men," while the farmers' co-operative organizations were managed by men comparatively inexperienced in business affairs in most cases. Evidently the principle of co-operation is right for otherwise the farmers' organizations would have been unable to overcome the above mentioned handicap with the dedgree of success that they have achieved. Farmers are being forced by necessity to give more attention to the business side of their vocation and their accumulation of knowledge and experience is continually making them more capable of successfully handling their business affairs.

The question then is not, shall the farmers organize, but rather, what plan of organization shall be adopted and what methods shall be followed in conducting the business of the organization? In our letter next week, we will analyze the principles of the Farmers Co-operative Association and will attempt to determine by this analysis whether or not this organization will be able to fill the present needs of the farmers of this county along this line.

At this time we wish to invite everyone to attend the public meeting to be held in the court house at Clanton, Saturday of this week at 1:30 p.m. Mr. N. H. Brown, Chief of the State Bureau of Markets, will be with us and will bring us some information worth obtaining.

Yours for Co-operation,
EXECUTIVE COM., F. C. A.

FINE SERMONS ARE PREACHED AT FRIENDSHIP THIS WEEK

Beginning last Sunday, Rev. Marion W. Mims has been preaching twice daily at Friendship church out a mile and a half north of town. Rev. Mims has been giving the people of that community some real gospel sermons to listen to and think about, which have been received very calmly yet enthusiastically by the congregations. There has been enough pure, sound gospel preached at these meetings to save every sinner in this vicinity, and if it has not fallen upon good ground later to spring up and mature into much good, it will not be the fault of the one who has been doing the preaching.

W. O. W. PICNIC TO BE AT COLLINS CHAPEL JULY 31

Thorsby Camp No. 735 and Collins Chapel Camp No. 636, of the Woodmen of the World, will combine in giving a basket picnic at Collins Chapel School House Thursday, July 31. Everybody come and bring your baskets. L. D. Holloway, State Manager of Montgomery will speak during the day.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE OF GAMES TO BE PLAYED

On Thursday, July 24th, today, Clanton plays Gantt's Quarry team at Clanton. Clanton has won one game and Gantt's Juarry has won one. This will untie the tie.

The game with Columbiana, which was to be played on Friday of this week has been postponed until Tuesday, July 29th. This game will be at Clanton.

On Satuday, July 26th, on the local diamond, Clanton will play the team from Spigner Camp. This team has won one game from Clanton.

On July 31st, Clanton will play Blocton, and on August 2nd Clanton will play Siluria.

These will all be cracking good games. So clip out this schedule so that you may know when the games will be pulled off.

DUSTING COTTON NOW BEING DONE BY THE FARMERS

Should Begin When 10 to 15 Per Ct. of Squares Are Punctured, Says Government Instructions.

Aubunr, Ala., July 21.—Contrary to an opinion which prevails in some sections that it is not necessary to poison boll weevils now if they were poisoned before squares formed, the use of calcium arsenate in dry form is now in order. Frequent rains in many sections of the State since July 1st have helped boll weevils, making poisoning more necessary.

On poisoning the boll weevil a circular published by the Extension Service reads:

"Start poisoning when the weevils have punctured 10 to 15 per cent of the squares. Examine 100 squares and see if you find ten or more with any kind of weevil puncture. Keep your cotton dusted thoroughly until the weevils are under control. This usually means about three applicants at four-day intervals. Discontinue poisoning until the weevils become abundant again. If the weevils become abundant early enough to injure young bolls, make one or two more applicants late in the season. Make another application as soon as possible if you have a heavy rain within 24 hours after dusting. In very rainy seasons continue dusting. It pays best in wet seasons. Even 7 to 8 applications will pay big profits. Use 5 to 7 pounds of calicum arsenate per acre per application."

For best results poising must be done in the right way, at the right time, and with the right kind of machinery, making it necessary to consult the county demostration agent for detailed information.

YOUNG MAN DIES AT HOSPITAL SATURDAY

Ottis, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown of near Liberty Hill, died at the Central Alabama Hospital last Saturday morning, after an operation for appendicitis. It is reported that the patient was brought to the hospital too late to be saved.

The remains were buried Saurday afternoon at Samaria cemetery, Rev. T. J. Deason conducting the funeral.

ROMAN CATHOLICS PLAY PART IN THE DEM. CONVENTION

First Fights and Crazed Rioting Were Familiar Scenes at Democratic Meet.

Washington's wise words were never needed more than now. The chea and disgraceful hippodrome, which the political party convention has become, is a national scandal and byword. No sanction for parties, nor for nominating conventions, is to be found in the Constitution of the United States. The national party organizations, controlled by corrupt bosses, usually representing the lowest elements of the populace in the larger cities, where papal and anti-Christian Jewish immigrants have been colonized, are without legal sanction of any sort.

The Constitution provides that each State, acting independently, shall choose Presidential electors, and these electors, exercising their wisdom and judgment, are to select the President by vote. It was the intention that the highest political office in our land be conferred upon the man best fitted for it; but it would then have been considered an unthinkable breach of decency and propriety for any man to electioneer for the office and attempt to sway public opinion by demagogic oratory and the beating of tom-toms.

Picking the candidates in advance, by boss-controlled party conventions, during which the hand picked politician is "sold" to the electorate with brass bands, fireworks and advertising, like patent medicine or a brand of soap, is a perversion of our fundamental institutions.

This year in Cleveland, owing to the fact that there was but one candidate, the Republican Convention was at least orderly. But at New York the Democratic circus displayed American politics at its lowest ebb. Insincere partisan appeals, sectional sentiment, expediency, jazz bands, galleries full of howling papal hoodlums for Al Smith and booing and hissing the speakers for other candidates, artificial "demonstrations" for nominees, prearranged by stage managers and kept up in intensity with horns, rattles, screaming sirens and confetti, have made a farce out of that which should be a solemn and dignified conclave, governed by reverence, patriotism and devotion to the high ideals of genuine Americanism.

When papist Al Smith's name was put in nomination, as the pope's candidate to govern the United States, the doors of the hall were opened, by a prearranged signal, and hundreds of outsiders, having no right to enter and no business within the convention hall, were admitted by the Roman Catholic sergeants-at-arms and were unhindered by the Tammany Hall policemen. The New York Times reported this scene as follows:

"It was an impressive parade, for if the delegates following the standards might have been more numerous, their places were filled by the thousands of bystanders who had been let into the aisles and beautifully fell in line. Then came an irruption thru the southern door—fifty or sixty

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Now that The National Democratic Convention is past, which took up a lot of my time—life here is void of excitement. I shall have to confine my notes to matters of minor importance, but one does not need sensational stories to interest people who live quietly in country places.

In northern New Jersey, where we are staying at present in a small village surrounded by a farming community and other small villages interspersed, and large cities, several of them within fifty miles, one can always find "Something Doing."

This is the 17th of July. We had New Jersey Strawberries for dinner which we were told would be the last edition of that kind this year. They were much smaller than our Klondikes and deliciously sweet Canteloupes of good quality and at reasonable prices are now plentiful. Last night we had on the table some South New Jersey Celery. I am curious to know how it is grown to such perfection so early in the season. People who are familiar with this succulent vegetable know very well that they are not likely to find it in market much before Thanksgiving time.

This is a native habitat for Cherries, and they are now at their best. And such Cherry trees I never saw, from a foot and a half to two feet in diamater and fifty to sixty feet high with wide spreading tops. Most of them, and they seem to be everywhere around this section, are of the sour red type but some are the deep red luscious ox Heart kind each one a mouthful, sweet and juicy. I saw a "Veteran" of this type that had literally "Been through the war." During 1917 and 1918 The Herclues Powder Co. in whose Experiment Station our son Sereno is now employed, had several thousand employes in their plant near by. They came from far and near, and outside business hours which confined them to the plant, they were a ravaging horde, having no respect for property rights or even decent treatment of people or things they wanted. During two summers this particular tree was an object of vicious attack. Being defenceless, men, women and boys made it a scene of pillage, they not only robbed it of its fruits, but in doing so destroyed its branches, even down to the trunk. Today it stands a bare relic of its former greatness, and yet with its one small limb, all that is left of it, on a decaying trunk it is still valiantly defying fate and bearing that one branch full of its delicious fruit.

What a lesson that tree teaches on propriety in adversity. If we cannot be what we once were or what we wanted to be, let us be the very best of what ever we may be. If with the passing of years come storms and stress that take away much that we prized and leaves us but little of strength and power, let us still bear ruift that will be a blessing to others. Doing what we can to keep abreast of the times without whining or giving up as useless hulks, which is a pretty sure way to become one.

I frequently meet a farmer of this vicinity who is 91 years young. He swings a grass blade or a cradle yet, and I have seen him plowing. This morning I found him in the hayfield, doing such things as he could do to help the work along, and such a hayfield, 11 acres of luscious Timothy grass, all headed out, standing thick 18 inches high, just fit to make the finest kind of hay. I want to take off my coat and get into it myself, but knowing my limitations, I could smile and praise the fellows who were sweating over the job, and tell them what a good job it was.

Wheat harvest is on now here. I have not seen any large fields, but a lot of them which look as if the farmer would have enough to make bread for his family and seed for himself and some to sell to his neighbors.

The trees and grass one sees in this section make one "sit up and take notice." One from Alabama wonders how things can grow here anyway. Two mornings this week the mercury stood at fifty, of course it warmed up some during the day, but to us it seems most always cool. However, vegetation seems to thrive and grow rapidly during the comparatively short growing season.

There is another curious phase of conditions here, although fine farms, hamlets, villages, and cities small and large abound, there is still considerable of wild land, uninhabited, save by wild life, even to deer, which frequently show themselves, especially during the closed season, when they are protected by law. When we were here two years ago, we met a man at a cousin's house where each he and we were visitors. The man was a war veteran who had been desperately wounded, and through long months of convalescence, these people had shown him many kindnesses, making him feel at home among them.

The man was an expert hunter and trapper, whose field of work was in Massachusetts, which like New Jersey, was one of the original thirteen states of the Union. One of the ladies in the family showed us two golden fox pelts which the man had presented to her as a token of his gratitude. He caught the foxes in Massachusetts, which is supposed to be about as thickly settled as any part of the country, and yet has plenty of places that are uninhabitable. These golden foxes are very rare and their skins valuable.

About a mile and a half from our quaters there is a considerable rise of ground called "Mine Hill," which covers quite an extensive Iron Mine which furnishes Iron with which Cannon Balls were made during the Revolutionary war, and still in operation. There are also Sand Pits in the vicinity which afford both sand and gravel, now become of considerable value in building Concrete highways, which have been universally adopted in many states. Highways already built afford a convenient method of transporting the product in great trucks for many miles, cheaper than it can be done in railway car and handled again to get it to destination.

There are many market gardens about there and most of them are looking fine, although their spring was very late. It seemes to be a great country for apples. The trees are very large and where they are properly cared for they seem to be full of good fruit, but many of them are on rented property and have been sadly neglected. If anybody thinks Peaches only grow in the south they are in need of information. The writer saw the first peaches he ever knew anything about, 70 years ago, and they grew within ten miles of this place. Big luscious yellow peaches with a blush on them that rivaled the much quoted "Maidens Blush." They are at their best in August and September, but are so near to a market that they do not need to be picked before they have "Lost their whiskers" and for this reason are more popular for eating than when shipped from long distance. We who have grown peaches, in the south very well know the difference in quality of a peach picked while hard and one from the same tree that has been left to ripen. There are no large peach orchards around here, but over in Connecticut, the Hale orchards were well known long before we commenced to grow them in Georgia.

In my last letter I mentioned something about the limitations allowed advertisers in Radio programs. Having paid more attention to it recently I can tell you more about it. For a consideration, said to be $400 per hour, Mr. Advertiser is permitted to have his name, Business and address announced, and the further fact that the speaker, artist or attraction, whatever it may be that comprises a brief part of the broadcasting program, usually 10 to 20 minutes, is furnished by the Advertiser. For instance, the manufacturer of Gold Dust, a well known Washing Powder, having a pair of Darkey Cherubs for a "trade mark," present for broadcasting, given by a couple of colored artists, named The Gold Dust Twins. One night we heard the Ever-Ready Concert Group, put on by the National Carbon Company, makers of the well known Ever-Ready Electric batteries. Last night it was the Astor Coffee Orchestra, from B. Richards and Company, packers and distributors of Astor brand coffee and rice. In every case the Radio audience are treated to hearing as high quality entertainers as can be heard on any platform or stage. In fact the entertainers in both cases are very likely to be one and the same. In no case is the character and quality or any other mention of the goods, made by the advertiser furnishing the entertainers permitted. They depend wholly on getting their money's worth by announcement of their name and the pleasure they give their audience which will be quite apt to connect up in their mind one with the other.

Sometimes a representative of the company is permitted to make an announcement of a general character that will be apt to be of public interest, as last night, this coffee concern announced that the revolution in Brazil, was assuming such proportions, that it had practically stopped the importation of coffee to the United States, which have been dependent on Brazil for half the coffee they get, hence on account of shortage of supply, prices of coffee were advancing.

It can readily be understood by people who know something of the actual limitations of the possibilities of Radiocasting, that the assertions of national party campaign leaders, that "They will conduct their campaigns by Radio this fall," will have to be considered with many reservations. Long distance Radiocasting is dependent on long distance telephone wires to carry the amplified sounds of speech, to distant Radio stations which transmit it to a Radio audience within the limits of the area, which can be reached from that station. These long distance telephone wires are already burdened with a load of regular telephone business during business hours, hence Radiocasting is chiefly confined to night service. When the great national conventions were being Radiocast there was only the voice of one speaker, the music of one band, or the noise of one multitude to go over the wires at one time, but when you multiply this by all the speakers, all the applause, all the noise, made in fifty or a hundred separate and distinct places at the same hour of the same day, the Radio and telephone facilities of the country are not equal to it, and if they were, it is quite probable that expense of $400 per hour would make managers pause to pick and choose what was really worth while to disseminate in that way.

It is quite certain that Radio will not be used to spread speeches of the ordinary political type by people who understand that a radio audience is made up of people of all sorts of political faith, and for those who do not hear what they like, it is only a matter of a twist of the wrist to cut it out, and find something more agreeable.

Therefore you Radio fans who are hoping to hear the whole show by picking it out of the air, will be doomed to disappointment. You can figure as pretty certain that what you get, in that way, will not be mud-spattered and will be something well worth your consideration, because it will be in no sense cheap.

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NOTICE BABTIST CHURCHES UNITY CHILTON ASS'N

For one week following the fourth Sunday in July the State Board of Missions is giving the services of two young missonary prenchers from the Seminary at Louisville, Ky. to the churches of our associations. These young men are also without cost to the Board giving their services to the churches in the interest of their Kingdom. Their services are of an inspirational and educational nature. It is greatly desired that as many churches as can have large representations at the nearest church to hear these two men on the great problems of the Kingdom. Places and dates as follows:-

Clanton—Both services Sunday, July 27th.
Coopers—Monday night, 8 o'clock.
Mt. Creek—Tuesday morning, 10 o'clock.
Verbena—Tuesday night, 8 o'clock.
Thorsby — Wednesday night, 8 o'clock.
Jemison — Thursday night, 8 o'clock.
Mulberry — Friday morning, 10 o'clock.
Maplesville — Friday night, 8 o'clock.

COLLINS CHAPEL

There will be an all-day singing at this place Sunday, July 27th. All singers and lovers of music are invited to come and bring your latest song books and plenty of good eats. Prof. Patton and other noted singers will be here.

NOTICE

The executive committee of the Chilton County Baptist Association is called to meet at Clanton, Tuesday, Aug. 5th, at 3 o'clock p.m. All pastors and workers who are interested in our association are requested to meet the committee. Some very important business is to be planned for.

Committee—W. J. Billingsley, T. J. Deason, B. Lawrence, W. P. Lowery, B. F. Dykes. 24-2t.

CHESTNUT CREEK CEMETERY

Everybody who has a lot in the Chestnut Creek cemetery at Coopers are requested to meet there Wednesday, July 30th, with necessary tools to clean off same. Everybody come prepared to work.

COTTON CROP PROMISING IN SOUTH ALABAMA

Mr. John T. Ellis went on a trip down around Tuskegee, Wetumpka and Montgomery last Sunday. Mr. Ellis says that the prospects for a bumper cotton crop in that section is good now. He says that especially between Tuskegee and Montgomery there are the finest cotton fields he has ever seen, lots of the cotton being waist high and just as clean as a pin. Mr. Ellis says that there is nothing planted in this section except cotton, there being scarcely any corn, peanuts, peas or anything except the fleecy staple.

OAK HILL

There will be preaching here Sunday morning, July 27, at 11 o'clock, by Bro. Robinson from North Alabama, but the singing in the afternoon is called off on account of the all-day singing at Collins Chapel.

MACEDONIA CEMETERY

Those interested in the cemetery at Macedonia, near Lock 12 in Beat 11, will meet there Friday, July 25, for the purpose of cleaning off same. All are requested to bring sufficient tools to work with.

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"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

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and it relieved me.

"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

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(E. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Manager.

Miss Gladys Flummer returned last Thursday from an extended visit with her sisters in Birmingham.

Rev. J. M. Graham spent the week-end with his family. He occupied the pulpit of the Congregational Church Sunday morning.

Messrs. Roy Robin and Truly Brown of Randolph motored to Thorsby Sunday and visited with friends.

Mr. Eugene Davenport, who is working in Birmingham during the summer, spent the week-end with his parents in Thorsby.

The Ladies Guild will meet this week, Thursday, July 24, at the home of Mrs. R. A. Turner.

Mrs. Robert Davenport visited in Birmingham a few days last week.

Miss Ruth Gerald spent the early part of the week in Clanton visiting her brother, Mr. L. F. Gerald.

A. B. Y. P. U. social was held last Saturday night at the home of Mrs. A. W. Grooms.

The Christian Endeavor Society gave an interesting program on Neighborliness, last Sunday. After the meeting, Misses Lorena Prim and Bernice Williams gave very interesting reports of their trip to Bue Ridge, N. C., where they attended a C. E. conference.

The Misses Gerald gave a party at their home last Saturday evening. Refreshments were served late in the evening to the following guests: Misses Lorena Graham, Pearl and Mae Oma Steiner, Mabel Howard, Ida Mae and Nora Lee Lesley, Olene Mims, Naemi Turnquist, Jennye and Edith Robinson, Rosa Nelson, Lorena and Lois Prim, and Mrs. C. E. Mead and her sister, Miss Jewel Bean; Messrs. George Johnson, Arnold Soberg, Almon Graham, Tom and John Lesley, Joyce Sorrell, Palmer Lefstead, Clyde Mead, Robert and Vernor Carlson, Walter Parnell, Nels Nelson, Arthur Villadsen, Harris Turner, Ronald Lucas, Jesse Smith, Eugene Davenport and Leo Langston.

Mr. Bernard Hubbard visited in Thorsby last week with his sister, Mrs. S. P. Kelley.

The little Misses Katherine and Edith Foas visited in Jemison last Wednesday with Master Herbert Peterson.

Misses Floy and Julia Jackson are visiting in Calera.

Mr. Martin Nelson returned from Birmingham Monday night.

Prof. C. M. Williams and daughter, Bernice, went to Sylacauga Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Junkerman celebrated her eighty-second birthday this month. Several friends and neighbors gave her a pleasant surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Russian Gibbons of Minooka, visited in Thorsby last week with Mr. Gibbon's mother, Mrs. S. P. Kelley.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen returned last Sunday evening after a three weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Christina Christenson, in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dean are spending some time in Thorsby with Mrs. Dean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Johnson. They are thinking something of locating permanently in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Henning and Mrs. S. C. Wood motored to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford spent the day in Montgomery Monday.

Mrs. P. W. Horn and son, Leroy, of Troy, Ala., were visitors at the home of Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald last Wednesday.

Miss Nell Shannon returned to Thorsby Wednesday after spending her vacation with her parents at West Point, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson left last Tuesday for another part of the State, where he will be employed on the highway.

Mrs. S. C. Wood took Mrs. Lem Tracy to the Fraternal Hospital on last Tuesday morning for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Robinson of Birmingham and Mrs. Frank Massey of Clanton visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Goddard Monday.

Mr. Benze, a State architect of Montgomery, was in Thorsby Monday inspecting the work of the new public school building. He found it quite satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady of Birmingham spent the week-end in Thorsby with Mrs. Grady's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Paxon.

A Sunday school training course given at the Baptist Church, closed last Friday evening with a pleasing little play put on by the primary children. Mrs. W. H. Wheeler had charge of the primary children during the week. Miss Minnie McNeel instructed a class in the Sunday school manual. Miss Ethel Gregg taught a class on Winning Souls to Christ. The Pastor, Rev. J. G. Whorton, had a class in the study of the Book of John, which was very interesting. An examination was held on Friday and all passed with good grades, having learned much about the Bible. Rev. W. H. Wheeler of the Baptist Church of Townley spent Thursday night in Thorsby with his wife and enjoyed an evening of the convention. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler were entertained at the home of Mr. W. J. Billingsley.

Miss Jewel Bean of Collins Chapel spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Mead in Thorsby.

A revival will begin at the Baptist Church the second Sunday in August. Rev. J. G. Whorton will have charge of the meetings. Everybody is invited.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Lipscomb police have been searching for Doc Brown, negro, who was taken from the Lipscomb city jail recently by a band of five masked Heeding the warning of a hooded band of eight men who abducted him recently, Martin Zukas, Greek restaurant proprietor, has sold out his business at Guntersville and left.

From Jan. 1 to June 30, state law enforcement officers have destroyed 959 stills, 617,180 gallons of beer, 6,886 gallons of whiskey, 1,251 gallons of home brew and 863 gallons of gin, according to the semi-annual report of the law enforcement department, which has been submitted to Gov. W. W. Brandon.

C. E. Gilbert, assistant adjutant-in-chief and general organizer of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, of Houston, Texas, is organizing a camp of the Sons at Huntsville. He has secured many signatures and believes that organization will be effected with a membership of about 100. He has organized 35 camps in Alabama and Mississippi during the last few weeks.

Pleading for specific enforcement of the pre-nuptial agreement said to have been entered into by the deceased and his wife, Ross Blackmon, attorney for executors of the will of the late Col. William H. Zinn, has filed a bill in probate court at Anniston in answer to the dissent entered by the widow, Mrs. Virginia Clark Zinn, last May.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Gov. W. W. Brandon has received a miniature donkey, about two feet high made entirely of crepe paper, with a card which stated that the token was sent to the Alabama delegation to the democratic convention, which won the pliments of some million radio fans. The donkey will be placed in the department of archives and history, Governor Brandon stated. The gift resulted from the resounding manner in which Governor Brandon cast Alabama's 24 votes for Underwood at the demoratic convention, which won the admiration of radio fans over the country.

A survey of Alabamas' three higher institutions of learning to ascertain their needs, and adequate appropriations to meet these needs, were advocated by Judge W. H. Samford of the court of appeals, president of the Auburn Alumni association, in an address at a recent alumni meeting. He recommended the appointment of a commission by the boards of trustees of Auburn, Alabama college and the University of Alabama, at the call of the governor to make the survey.

Another application of the one mill school tax on all property in Madison county for the purpose of adding to the school funds was recommended at a meeting of trustees and county board of education in the Kiwanis club. Superintendent Butler showed that the funds for schools available now are not quite sufficient and that the reapplication of the one mill tax would furnish enough money to add an additional month to the school term.

The social service workers of Jasper have united in an effort to take care of the needy in that town. At a meeting in the Metnodist church building the community chest organization was perfected and working committees were appointed to carry on the work. The county commissioners are discussing the advisability of appointing a county probation officer and the community chest has appointed a committee to confer with the commission in reference to the matter.

Investigations have been made by the state mining inspectors into the death of Robert Stewart, pumper employed by the Republic Iron & Steel company, who met death by a gas explosion in the Palos mines. Stewart went into the mines at 8 o'clock of the morning of the fatal day, it was learned and evidently his open lamp came in contact with a little pocket of gas and he was killed in the explosion. His body was taken out during the afternoon. He leaves a family.

Announcement has been made by Capt. W. A. Jeffery, commander of the Andalusia units of the Alabama National Guard, that the War department has authorized the formation of a medical detachment of the Fifty-Fifth Machine Gun Detachment. In this connection it was officially announced that Dr. L. B. Underwood will be in command of this new unit with the rank of captain.

Arthur Tubbs, a Walker county truck grower, has just finished selling 6,000 cabbage heads, which were grown off of a half acre plot of land near the Frisco depot. Mr. Tubbs says he sold his cabbage crop at an average of seven and one-half cents a head. At that price he realized $450 on the half acre of land, or $900 per acre.

Smith Batchelor, convicted in Montgomery county, Nov. 27, 1923, of grand larceny and sentenced to a year and a month in prison, was granted a parole by Governor Brandon. Clemency in the case was recommended by the state board of pardons, 10 members of the jury, the solicitor, the trial judge and many others.

The contract has been let for the construction of the John H. Bankhead High school at Cordova. The building is to be of brick and hollow tile, modern in every respect. It will cost $40,000.

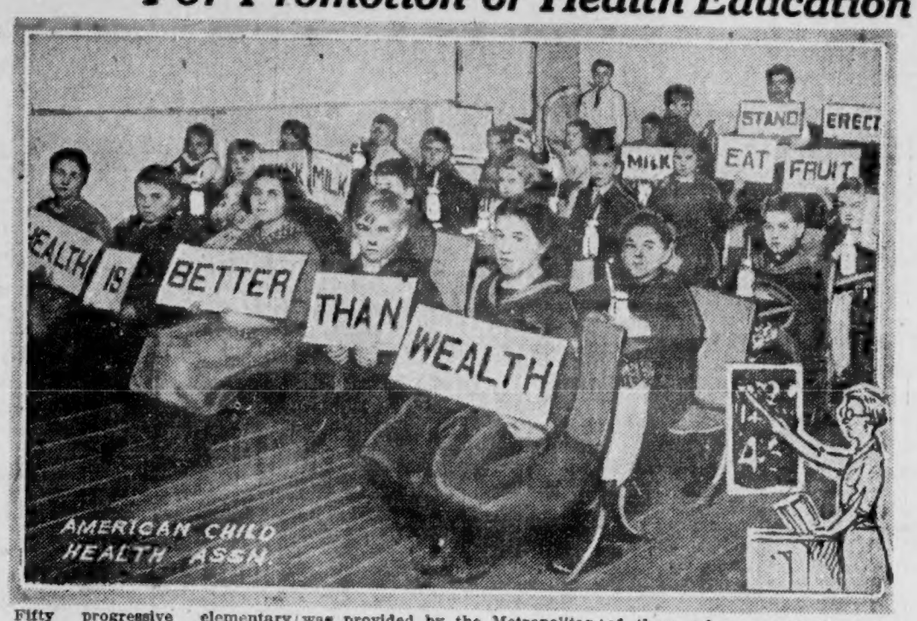
A small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bozeman, who live near Long View in Shelby county, drank a quantity of kerosine from a can. A physician was called in time to prevent serious consequences.

Jody Barton, age 21 years, of Cordova was very painfully injured while working on a car. A sharp piece of steel flew off and hit him in the left eye. The steel pierced the eyeball.

John A. Gallant of Gadsden has been appointed coroner of Etowah county by the governor.

B. L. Cobb of Jemison was in Clanton Monday for a while.

Fifty Teachers Win Scholarships Offered In National Competition For Promotion of Health Education



Fifty progressive elementary school teachers from as many cities will spend the summer or the next school year in studying health instruction for school children, each aided by a scholarship of $500 won in the health teaching contest conducted by the American Child Health Association.

These teachers were awarded the scholarships in competition with more than sixteen hundred elementary teachers who were judged on the health instruction and correctional work they accomplished with their classes from December 1, 1923 to May 15, 1924.

The $25,000 for the scholarships was provided by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Dr. Lee K. Frankel, head of the company's welfare work, pointed out that it was of vital importance to teach proper health habits to children. He said the best methods for doing this were being developed by individual teachers but still remained virtually hidden away from the great mass of teachers. The purpose of the contest is to reveal these methods as well as to give those who are doing the best work an opportunity for special study at accredited universities to make them even more effective.

Educational authorities, who have reviewed the reports of the work of the winning teachers and of those who received honorable mention, expressed great enthusiasm for their high quality. Many of the reports, they declared, were equal in value to a thesis earning a Ph. D. degree.

The effectiveness of the competing teachers work was measured by the following standards:

1. Healthier children as judged by improvement in growth attested by height-weight records; and by removal of physical handicaps.
2. Healthier children, as judged by right attitudes, and sound knowledge, as evidenced in good health habits and practices.
3. Sound teaching methods as evidenced in teacher's plans illustrated by children's work.

OLD-TIME SINGING AT CEDAR GROVE LAST SUNDAY

The old-time Sacred Harp singing at Cedar Grove last Sunday was a grand success, according to the report on that occasion given The Union-Banner by Uncle Dock Wells. Uncle Dock says that the singing was just splendid, being this old-time fe-so-la kind that carries with it a rhythm that will just make one shed tears whether one wants to cry or not.

The dinner was one of the best parts of the day's program, says Uncle Dock. There were all kinds of chicken there, making it a mighty appropriate time and place for a good old Methodist preacher to do his stuff. Uncle Dock said they didn't have the sore head either.

UNCLE DOCK JONES OF VERBENA DIED TUESDAY

News was received in Clanton Tuesday of the death of Uncle Dock Jones, an old resident of Verbena, Ala. It is reported that death came as a result of tuberculosis, the old man having been very low for some time.

CHILTON COTTON CROP IN FINE CONDITION

The cotton crop of Chilton county indicates that a heavy yield will be made this fall. Slight droughts in some sections seem not to have injured the plant much, but have had a decided effect against the damages of the boll weevils.

J. D. Collins, of near Clanton, reports that his cotton is exceptoinally fine and that he has found but very little signs of the boll weevils. A. F. Childress, of Thorsby, says that the cotton crop in his section of the county is showing up well. People generally have conquered the weeds and grass and where boll weevils have been found they have been kept down by the use of poison. Reports from illingsley, Maplesville and Verbena are favorable in regard to a prosperous cotton crop.

There will not be a great deal of corn made this year. Due to the late rains in the spring, the farmers were forced to give most of their time to their cotton, and for this reason corn was somewhat neglected.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Of Application For Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Middle District of Alabama; In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of D. H. Wolfe, postoffice Clanton, County of Chilton, Alabama.

This bankrupt claimed his small assets as exempt and it appears likely that there will be no distribution.

The above named party, who was on the 5th day of May, 1924, duly adjudged a Bankrupt, having filed his petition praying a discharge, the same will be heard before the Judge of said Court at Chambers in the City of Montgomery, on the 28th day of August, 1924, at which time and place creditors or other interested parties may appear and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and unless appearance in oposition thereto is filed on or before the 25th day of August, 1924, the same will be granted as of course, and at the same time action will be had before me upon the reports of the Trustee now on file.

M. S. CARMICHAEL, Referee.
Montgomery, Ala., July 22, 1924.

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For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

The fact that the Democrats in their national convention rejected the League of Nations a place in their platform this year shows that either the League is a poor piece of business or else the Democrats haven't guts enough to stand out for what they believe to be right. They fought for it in 1920 and failed to make a fight for it in 1924.

The first exercise in which students to the citizens military training camps are called to take part is the ceremony of enrollment. In it they make a declaration of allegiance to the United States. The advantages of the camps is not confined to military instructions, physicial exercise, and discipline, but include a course in practical patriotism that is bound to remain with the student all his life.

The Madison Square Garden Convention seems to have been epidemic. After it had been warring for a fortnight a revolt broke out in Brazil and another in Bolivia. "The Democratic party sends to these republics its cordial greetings," says the platform, speaking of Latin Americas. "God has made us neighbors—justice shall keep us friends." After reading of the Democratic delirium in New York it would not be surprising if the Latin American republics established a quarantine.

The Roman Catholics and other aliens have tested their strength in national affairs. And it might be interesting to notice when and where these hyphenated American aliens tried to burst through the stronghold of Americanism and gain power over the "Land of the Free." They selected the Democratic National Convention. Why did they try to enter by the Democratic way? It was because it was here that they had their best and only chance of getting anywhere. The Republican party stands for America first, last and all the time.

LOYAL TO COOLIDGE

The surest proof of successful leadership is the hearty co-operation of subordinates. Never has a chief executive commanded more respect and loyalty among government officials than President Coolidge. The marvelous co-ordination that has featured the Coolidge regime is responsible for the economies that have cut billions of dollars from the cost of government. Mr. Coolidge himself gives full credit to the members of the Government Business Organization for what they have done. "The Business of government," said he in addressing them, "has been estabilished on an efficient basis. You have done this, and for doing it you are entitled to the thanks of the American people. This has been and is their fight." Later in his remarks he said, "I have a firm faith in your ability to maintain this position, and in the will of the American people to support you in that determination."

It is characteristic of President Coolidge to recognize so generously the part played by his hundreds of executive assistants in putting business in government. But discerning citizens will know that co-operation of so many individuals toward the common end could never been attained without consummate ability in pointing the way and commading personality in leading his aids in that direction.

WHY IS IT?

WHY JOHN W. DAVIS WILL BE DEFEATED FOR PRESIDENT

The first and natural reaction on the nomination of John W. Davis by the Democrats in convention in New York is one of relief and satisfaction that after the un-American, riotous and at times thoroughly disreputable proceedings, it finally became possible to hominate a man for the Presidency who rises high above the cunning and the unconscionableness of McAdoo and the appeal to the inordinate appetites of men which, after all, was the big card of Al Smith.

Mr. Davis made no bid for the wet vote of the convention but it will remain of record that he got it. He has wet sentiments; how deep they are and how far he will carry them remains to be seen. If he attempts to carry them at all, or if he allows it to pass without further comment by him that he is a wet, he will never even be in the running. William Randolph Hearst, in his New York American, two days ago said with great truth and percipiency: "A consistant, conscientious dry candidate is what the country demands, and the only kind of a candidate which the country will vote for." Mr. Davis is not that kind of a candidate.

Mr. Davis will not be defeated entirely because of himself. He is a man who has much to commend him. But his party does not have anything to commend it. He must answer for the thing of which it was guilty in convention assembled. The dragging in of the religious question is something that shocked and disgusted the American people because it was, above everything else, un-American. They are going to rebuke that act. They cannot get at the convention next November so they will register their rebuke against that which the convention finally produced—John W. Davis, its candidate for the Presidency.

Mr. Davis cannot rise above the Democratic platform. There it stands with all its hokum, with all its appeal to passion and prejudice and with all its platitudes and heresies. As a candidate Davis must subscribe to the platform. It must be his Alpha and Omega, his commandments, more than ten. He dare not break the tablet upon which they were written for they represented the will of the convention before his nomination represented the will of the convention. In other words the platform takes precedence over him and stands above him.

President Coolidge inspired and shaped the platform upon which he was nominated. He made sure it comported to his views so that it can be truthfully said Coolidge is the platform and the platform is Coolidge. The Republican party stepped back and let Mr. Coolidge have his way. The Democratic platform was brought into being by the Democratic bosses. They nailed the plank in it. Having done this they fought and haggled a few weeks and then, in alarm, put up Mr. Davis to lend the color of respectability to their besotted proceedings. Why did they do this? Because they had to do something to save their own faces and the battered face of their party. At first they would have none of John W. Davis. He represented Wall street and a certain amount of decency and they did not want any decency at all. As for Wall street it is part of their stock in trade to heap anathema on it when ever the public gives them a chance. But this time they were in sore straits and they had to swallow Wall street in public—as they have swallowed it in private almost since the birth of the party. The Democratic crowd curse Wall street until Wall street needs them badly and invite them to come around to dinner to clean linen and go around to see what they can get.

Davis' Wall street connection would not necessarily damn him with the country. The people are getting over looking upon Wall street as a den of thieves. As a woman delegate to the convention said "If there was no Wall street there would be no Main streets." Incidentally it might be said that frequently worse things are found on some Main streets than on Wall street.

John W. Davis will be defeated by possibly ten million majority because he represents a Democratic party that is no longer worthy of being called the Democratic party, as was demonstrated before it had been in convention a week.—Pottsville (Pa.) Journal.

PAYING THE PENALTY OF THE ONE-PARTY SYSTEM

Southern Democratic leaders pay the penalty for the maintenance of the one party system in the Solid South by exclusion from consideration as persidential candidates men of their own party.

No man has been nominated for President or Vice President by either of the great political parties, since the birth of the Republican party, who sails from a sail in which there is not a vigorous party of opposition. Indeed, every presidential nominee of both the great parties since 1856 has been from a state politically doubtful.

The Solid South presents to the Democratic party, without the necsity of making a contest, more than a hundred electoral votes at each national election. It is well known that no matter what the issue or who the candidates the Democratic party can depend upon these votes. Why, then, go to one of these states for a presidential candidate? It has not been done in 70 years, and the South will not have a major party presidential candidate until it permits the party of opposition to have at least a Chinaman's chance, until public questions are debated there upon their merits, until election and primary laws intended to make the success of an opposition party impossible regardless of public opinion, are repealed.

In these states taken for granted by the national Democracy the one party system results in factional differences as a substitute for party controversies, of personalities for principles. With no opposition party to hold the dominant party in check, public educational and institutional progress is halted and popular comprehension of public questions is made unnecessary and therefore nonexistent because only one side of any issue at stake is presented.

As a result of this system the several Southern Democrats who were proposed for the Presidency made a negligible showing in the balloting. This condition will continue so long as the one party system continues in the South. Isn't it about time for Southern politicians who have aspirations to national leadership to abandon the injurious policy responsible for this situation?

If the total cost does not exceed the value of 100 pounds of seed cotton at current prices it will pay to poison boll weevils. Use only dusting machinery constructed especially for dusting cotton.

ROGERS LAW BOOSTS FOREIGN SERVICE

The enactment of the so-callled Rogers bill by the last sesson of Congress has resulted in an immediate improvement in our foreign service. A general shake-up has been announced whereby 32 of our foreign representives are retired for the reason that they have reached the age limit of 65 years, 21 others are demoted because they have failed to reach the required standard of efficiency, and various others are transfered for the good of the service. In all 60 men are affected by the new orders. Are classification of the personnel of the entire foreign service has been mode under the terms of the new law by a special personnel Board. It is announced that hereafter our foreign representatives will hold their positions solely through merit. The Rogers law makes of our foreign service a profession, and the increased salaries which now apply to it are expected to attract a high class of applicants desirous of making it their life work. The reorganization of this department of government is an accomplishment to which the Republican administration can point with justifiable pride.

FARM FACTS

"After a hen has past her second laying season she should be placed on the market."—John E. Ivey, Auburn.

"Orders for 10,000 pounds of hairy vetch seed to be planted this fall have been placed by DeKalb County farmers."—Glenn E. Riddell, County Agent.

Hope is one of man's greatest assets; but hope without honest effort toward a realization of that hope resolves itself into little more than common ordinary worry.

Sodium Fluoride means death to chicken lice if it is properly applied. It may be dusted on or a solution may be made by mixing one tablesspoonful of Sodium Fluoride in a gallon of water and pulling chickens through it backwards. Mix almost enough to fill a tub.

Apple trees at Auburn are now being sprayed with a solution containing both Bordeaux mixture and arsenate of lead. These trees have been sprayed several times this year and the outlook for a crop of apples is very fine. Late peach trees are being sprayed with a solution containing self-boiled lime sulphur and arsenate of lead, because peach trees will not stand Bordeaux mixture.

Take Calotabs TRADE MARK REG for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

Press Clippings

Kingston, (N. Y.) Freeman.—The Republican ticket is the choice of the party. The convention's duties were merely ministerial and the delegates dare not do otherwise than they did. They were bossed—by the people. The other ticket has a good man in it by accident and compromise after bitter fighting over spoils, not principles. Davis was evolved by a condition in the convention. Coolidge was evolved by a demand from the voters.

Doylestown, (Pa.) Intelligencer.—The opinion appears to prevail that, handicapped by the spectacle and the feuds and bitterness engendered at the convention, as well as by the criticisms voiced by members of his own party, Mr. Davis will be a very badly defeated candidate. Democrats freely expressed the opinion in the last moments of the convention that the nomination would be worthless, whoever received it.

Bristol Herald-Courier, (Dem.)—President Coolidge in his budget speech the other day served notice upon government heads that he proposes to protect the integrity of the budget. He declared he was for economy, and after that he was for more economy. That is the kind of talk the taxpayers like to hear.

New York Herald-Tribune.—The American common sense that President Coolidge expressed in his Fourth of July speech holds more truth than all the theories of the doubters. No wonder the voters turn to Mr. Coolidge with relief and admiration and trust.

Columbia Record.—If Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson should return to life and meet some of the gentlemen now parading around as Jeffersonian and Jacksonian Democrats, they'd organize a third party.

Baltimore Sun, (Dem.)—When the delegates get back home they will tell the home papers all about it, and then, for the first time, New York will know what a mess it made of things.

Beaver, (Pa.) Times.—The masses of Americans like the democracy of a Coolidge who lived in a $35 a month half of a New England double house, and is one of the folks.

Lynchburg News, (Dem.)—Under government control, the railroad system would be run by politicians, and it is a sure thing that they would run it into the ground.

Torrington, Conn., Register.—John W. Davis was nominated for President only after the delegates discovered that they couldn't nominate somebody else.

Providence Journal.—The Democratic convention has furnished a splendid illustration of how not to do it.

St. Louis Times.—Trade balance favors U. S. A. $692,000,000 for past ten months. Bad year for Democrats.

Boston Transcript.—Was it a stampede for Davis or a stampede for home?

Mrs. Calister Giles and daughter, Mrs. John T. Kelly and her husband are visiting relatives and friends in Clanton this week.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of July 20, 1898.

The new dwelling house being erected by L. H. Reynolds in Jemison is nearing completion and presents quite an attractive appearance.

Turn-Round Topics.

Miss Lottie Bell, a pretty lady of Clanton, returned home last Saturday after a week's visit to Mrs. Kendrick here.

Prof. J. B. Jones' school is progressing right along, something near 40 pupils enrolled.

Sidney Hardy is over in Coosa County building a gin and mill.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson of Coopers were visitors to Clanton on Monday.

Mr. Osmond Middleton, who has been studying law at Austin, Texas, is at home on a vacation.

Commissioner Moses Robinson of Providence was in town Monday.

Tax Assessor A. C. Mims was among the visitors here Tuesday.

Misses Della and Florence Headley of Mulberry are in town today.

Camp meeting commences at Durbin school house, ten miles west of Clanton, next Saturday.

Mr. J. P. Gore has returned from a pleasant visit to his old place at Lily.

Mr. Bill Wilson is painting his new house in Clanton.

Married this week—Lee Edwards and Miss Ella Connell; Green D. Retherford and Miss Maggie A. Robinson.

Verbena.

Hon. Jno. W. Abercrombie, Superintendent of Education, spent Sunday with his family at the Clayton house.

Mr. W. F. Claughton of Montgomery spent Sunday with relatives in Verbena.

Miss Aiken, a winning young lady of Georgia, is visiting Miss Mary Car Gibson this week.

WRIGLEY'S After Every Meal

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If you're undecided as to where to go, let an L. & N. Passenger Agent help you with information as to accommodations, costs, etc. Mountains, lakes, sea shores, inland watering places—are all reached by the superior train service of "The Old Reliable"—and remember that one of the many points of the superiority of this great railroad system is its excellent dining-car service.

POOR OR

ROMAN CATHOLICS AND FOREIGNERS PLAY PART IN DEM. CONVENTION

(Continued from page 1, column 6).

standards, each with a huge picture of Al Smith. Behind them came hundreds of men who had broken thru the cordon at the door—the shock troops of Tammany, there to demonstrate as long as the higher powers decided that demonstration was in order. Bands were with them—three bands—and the march went round and round.

"Accompanying it was such a din as the Garden probably had never heard before. Up in the galleries the faithful Smith rooters had massed more bands. Bands and drum corps. Above all they had a battery of fire engine sirens that made everything else inaudible. The brass bands marching around the hall could not be heard fifty feet away. Fire sirens shrieked from every gallery; horns blared from the floor. Thousands of rattles, whistles and buzzers had been distributed to add to the noise."

Fist fights and other rioting are a familiar element in these proceedings. The whole business is the fruitage of Roman Catholicism in the country. Decency, propriety, dignity and intelligence are words not in the vocabulary of popery, nor of popery's fanatical hoodlum subjects here. Americans cry out for a broom to sweep this trash off the face of the American continent. The degraded and brutalized outpourings of the parochial schools were on display in Madison Square Garden in behalf of Al Smith, a man not fit to vote in America, much less to hold public office, because of the alien allegiance which every Roman Catholic pays to his master in Italy. Even the commercial newspapers of New York, in some instances, rebelled. The New York Evening Post said:

"Nine times out of ten these demonstrations are arranged down to the last detail. They are directed and organized like a play or a pageant. The side best equipped with noise-making devices lasts longest. Collarless delegates fight around State standards and drag each other over the chairs. Bathing girls pose on the platform. Some disheveled maiden is carried around the floor on men's shoulders. Jungle stuff! It is a cheapening of the world's greatest office."

Even the New York World, rank partisan of Al Smith, contained a protest in Heywood Broun's column of comment:

"All this might be funny, if the Presidency were not an important office and democratic government a scheme essential for the dignity and welfare of humanity. It isn't funny; it's shameful."

During the Democratic Convention popery has been brought out in the open, labeled and marked for identification, for Americans to look at and to ponder. The spectacle has shocked and disgusted the country. Millions who have been asleep have awakened, and when Americans are aroused to a real issue nothing on earth can stop them from putting their righteous decision into effect. Ponery in the United States, with its allies; anti-Christian Jewry and the ignorant immigrants and lower racial stocks—has got to go. It has no right to be here. It is a mentality that must get out of America. Christ demands this consummation.—American Standard.

CENTER HILL NEWS

Crops are looking good after the refreshing rain Friday p.m.

Some boll weevils reported in this community.

Rev. J. T. Martin, of Centerville, preached an interesting sermon here Sunday to an attentive congregation.

The Sunday school picnic here Saturday was a grand success. The crowd was not so large but oh, how the people did enjoy it.

The day was spent in singing, playing ball, marbles and other games.

The most enjoyable feature of the day was the good dinner that was prepared by the good ladies of the community.

Mr. Willie Johnson of Ensley was buried at Mars Hill Friday, Rev. B. Lawrence conducting the service. It seems that Mr. Johnson was accidentally killed. Particulars unknown to writer. Mr. Johnson leaves a host of friends in this county as he was reared here.

Mr. Foshee, road supervisor for this precinct, is certainly doing some good work on the public roads. The people, as a rule, are well pleased with the road law.

Some of the people of this community attended the singing convention at Cedar Grove Sunday. They reported good singing and a large crowd.

POPLAR SPRINGS CEMETERY

There will be a cemetery cleaning at Poplar Springs on Thursday, Aug. 7th, 1924. All interested in the grave yard at this place are urged to come and bring sufficient tools to clean off same.

J. L. McDOWELL,
W. F. GILLILAND.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS:

I will be out of my office during the month of August, in Chicago taking a special course in the diseases of children at the Children's Memorial Hospital.

Dr. N. S. JOHNSON.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

State Superintendent of Education John W. Abercrombie has announced the establishment by the state board of education for the fiscal year, beginning July 1, of departments of vocational agriculture in the following schools, for whites: Tanner-Williams Mobile county; Flat Rock, Jackson county; Cedar Bluff, Cherokee county; Arley, Winston county; Elmore County High School at Eclectic, Elmore county; State Secondary Agricultural school at Cuba, Sumter county; and has approved the organization of a department at Falkville in Morgan county, effective January 1, 1925. Departments have been recognized for negroes in the county training schools at Coosa and Dallas counties.

With the word "God" on his lips but refusing to the last to join a church, Gordon Fincher went praying to his death at Talladega for the killing of Maybelle McCullough, a 16 year-old friend, on February 23, 1923. A crowd of 2,600 people surrounded the Talladega county jail for two blocks and heard Fincher in a final speech declare his innocence and then turn again into the jail and mount unaided to the death cell where only a few saw the execution. Fincher was the first white man ever to be hanged in Talladega county.

The population of Alabama was increased in April by 4,599 births, the birth rate per 1,000 of population being 22.9. During the same month 2,336 deaths occurred, the rate per 1,000 of population being 11.6. Births in May totaled 4,634, or 22.3 per 1,000 of population. Deaths in the same month aggregated 2,346, or a rate per 1,000 of population of 11.3. These figures compare with 4,620 births in May, 1923, and 2,210 deaths have been compiled by Dr. W. T. Fales, director of the state bureau of vital statistics of the Alabama health department.

Forces of Sheriff Paul Cazalas have seized 90 cases of fine liquor in the hold of the American steamer Sacarappa, in drydock at Mobile for repairs. Robert B. Botts, deck officer and John C. Thompson, seaman, were placed under arrest in connection with the case. The liquor comprised whisky, champagne, sherry and other fine wines. They were brought to the county jail by Deputies Rudoff, Ernest and Rasher, who made the arrest, and stored there. The steamer came here from Antwerp.

Bail has been allowed to Robert M. Chambless, young man charged with the killing of Alonzo H. Graves. Chambless was denied bond at the time of the preliminary but in a habeas corpus hearing before the circuit court evidence was brought out to show that Chambless stabbed Graves in self defense and the court decided that the youth was entitled to freedom under bond. Chambless had no difficulty in making the $7,500 bond.

The semi-annual report of Walter K. McAdory, chief of the state law enforcement department, which has been submitted to the governor, showed a total of 1,077 arrests during the first six months of 1924, with destruction of nearly a thousand stills. Cash fines assessed from cases made by the state officer exceeded expenses of the department over $41,000.

Suit for $100,000 each has been filed by Melvin Hollis against Deputy United States Marshals J. W. Adkins and W. W. Hudson, in the circuit court at Pell City. According to the allegations of the complaint, the plaintiff claims that he was sevrely assaulted and beaten, and was made sick and sore, and his automobile searched without process of law.

Grapes used to trim his mother's hat proved fatal when they were eaten by 9-months-old Huey Fulmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fulmer, of Morris, Route 1, according to report made to the health department.

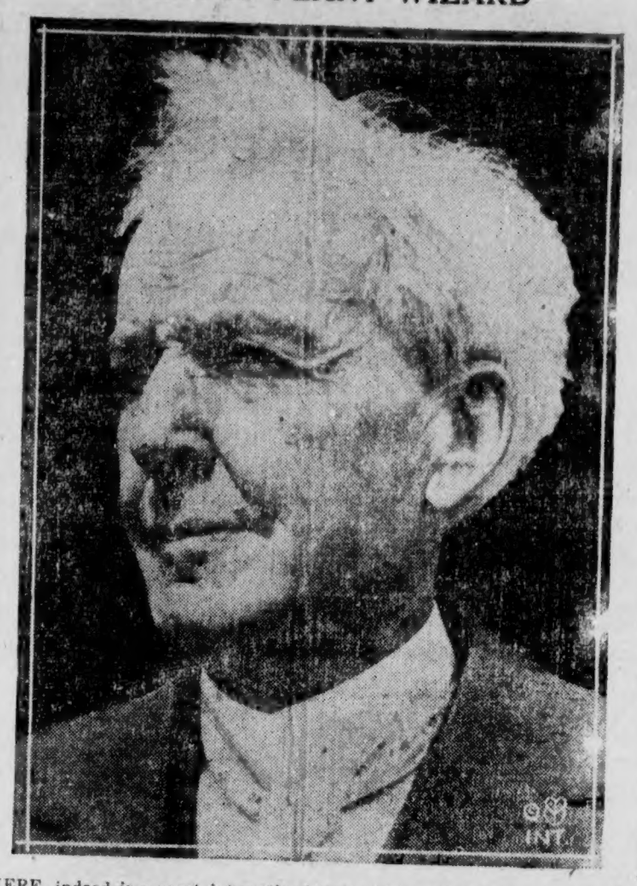
The Civitan club of Florence has announced that a contract has been let for the building of a tourist camp at Jackson Park on Royal Avenue.

Thirteen states are represented in the register of the Summer School students at the University of Alabama.

Walker county farmers are harvesting more oats this year than usual according to reports from various points in the county.

A kiddies camp, for the benefit of the under privileged boys of Gadsden, Alabama City and Attlas is to be held at the fresh air camp of the Etowah County Tuberculosis Association.

A CHARACTER STUDY OF WORLD FAMOUS PLANT WIZARD



HERE, indeed is a most interesting photograph of the world famous plant wizard and horticulturist, Luther Burbank. It was taken at his home at Santa Rosa, Calif. and is the first he's posed for in many years.

The excellent likeness shows Mr. Burbank as he is today, in his 76th year. This picture was made shortly after he had recovered from a serious illness and which, fortunately, left no marked effects on his kindly, characteristic countenance. His great outdoor life amongst his plants and flowers very likely had much to do with his quick return to health.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Claiming to have been tortured for 22 years with the memory of a slaying Oliver Cameron, now 51 years of age, former resident of Jefferson County, tried to drown himself in the Williamette River, near Portland, Ore., recently, and was rescued by police to whom he told a tale of killing, during a quarrel, one U. J. Gay, near Birmingham, in 1902, according to a dispatch.

Considerable development of iron ore properties along the Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia railroad is being planned. The mines at Estelle have already resumed operations and are now shipping five cars daily to the Holt furnace. The Bronco mines will soon be producing 50 cars a week, the output to go to furnaces in Tennessee. It is said mines at Cipco and other places along the line are to resume when the iron market improves.

Miss Virginia B. Handley, director of the state child welfare department, has written employers of child labor over the state, calling attention to amendments to the child labor law, enacted in 1923. The amendments include the raising of the educational requirements necessary for an employment certificate to the fifth grade, effective September 1, 1924.

Asserting that the undertaker who buried her husband put his body in a coffin too small for it and nailed the deceased feet to the bottom, thereby disfiguring his body and transforming it into a gruesome sight, Leona Lawrence filed suit in the Jefferson County circuit court recently against the E. A. Bradford Undertaking Company for $20,000 damages.

A bond issue totaling $485,000 will be voted on by the electors of the city of Mobile September 8 under terms of an ordinance prepared by the city attorney, Frank Yerger, and presented to the commission. The bonds will go for improvements of the city hospital, city docks, fire alarm and police alarm systems and a centralized fire department.

Erskine Ramsay, Birmingham capitalist, industrial leader and philanthropist, whose gift of $100,000 to the Auburn drive two years ago made possible the erection of the Erskine Ramsay Engineering Hall at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, has subscribed $100,000 to the million-dollar fund now being raised for Alabama College at Montevallo.

Gov. W. W. Brandon has issued a proclamation designating August 17 as the date upon which the new Alabama code is to become effective. Ten thousand sets of the code, each containing four volumes, have been printed, more than three carloads of paper having been used for the printing of the 40,000 volumes.

Two hundred members of the Girls and Women's clubs of Lee county were entertained by the chamber of commerce, the Kiwanis club and other residents of Opelika and Lake Caudy. The communities represented were Beauregard, Farmville, Gold Hill, Smith Station, Marshall Lee, Bee Hive, Beulah, Pine Grove and Salem.

Reduced freight rates on fertilizer, prescribed in the order of the Alabama Public Service Commission, issued May 26, will become effective on all Alabama railroads, July 25. Copies of tariffs embodying the new rates have been filed with the commission by the Alabama carriers.

At a meeting of the Sheffield Rotary club a resolution was adopted petitioning the state highway commission to build two lines of highways and a bridge over Bear creek to connect the highway running west from Tuscumbia with the highway at the Mississippi state line.

Harold Blake, 22, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and J. A. Wolford, 25, of Cumberland, walked up to police headquarters in Mobile and surrendered, announcing that they had deserted from Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The men said they had been absent for more than a month.

The Davis-Alcott hosiery mills at Gadsden, which have been idle for two months have resumed operations.

Material is being assembled by Etowah county officials for the erection of a $20,000 alms house at Hoke's Bluff.

With an attendance of approximately 8,000 spectators and perfect weather prevailing the Anniston army horse show which was held at Camp McClellan was acclaimed one of the most outstanding successes of the season.

MULLINS CEMETERY

All parties interested in the cemetery at Oil Mullins' are requested to meet there the first Monday in August for the purpose of cleaning off the cemetery. Bring tools to work with.

MARION MARCUS.

REVIVAL AT TEMPLE CHURCH

The regular annual revival at Temple church will begin at that place, three miles east of Clanton, on Friday July 25th. Rev. L. P. Adams and others will preach at the services, which will last for about a week.

PLEASANT GROVE

Editor Union-Banner:

Please state through your paper that Prof. Dewey Huett will teach a singing school at this place, beginning next Monday, July 28th and continue 20 days. Everybody come who possibly can, and we especially invite all parents to attend the first day.

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Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Who seeks for heavens alone to save his soul,
May keep the path, but will not reach the goal
While he who walks in love may wander far
Yet God will bring him where the blessed are.

Pretty Children's Party.

On Monday afternoon the home of Mrs. L. F. Gerald was the scene of a merry gathering of the little folks, when little Miss Celia celebrated her sixth birthday.

Juvenile games of various kinds were played and a fish pond enjoyed where favors—warbler whistles for the boys and baby dolls were used for the girls.

In the dining room a color note of pink and white was carried out and the cutting of the birthday cake offered lots of fun when only the thimble was found by Miss Sanland Richards. On the cake twinkled six pink tapers.

A refreshing ice course was served to about 40 of the happy little tots.

Card Club Meets.

The regular meeting of the Card club was held at the home of Mrs. Victor Heard on last Wednesday afternoon. The reception rooms were given an added touch of beauty by an attractive arrangement of garden flowers. After a series of rubbers the score prize, cards, was won by Mrs. N. S. Johnson. Afterwards a refreshing ice course was served. Besides the club members, Mesdames Hughes Kennedy, Amzi Gowan and Hugh Jones enjoyed the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Richards and children were visitors here last week from Jackson Tennessee.

Mr. Johnnie Vines from Birmingham spent a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Erwin of Jemison and Mr. Luther Culpepper of Clanton visited Mr. Erwin's parents at Hartselle, Ala., last week.

Mr. P. C. Dennis of Montgomery, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mallie White a couple of days last week.

Miss Lessie Reynolds returned Sunday evening after being at summer school for several weeks at Peabody.

Mrs. Toy Pearson from Mobile arrived Tuesday for a visit to her sister Mrs. Grady Reynolds.

Miss Francis Luckie from Pine Apple, Ala., was the week-end guest of Miss Sara Luckie.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gulledge from Verbena were visitors to Clanton, Sunday.

Mr. Fiquette went to Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Kathleen Mullins, who has been at the University summer school, is at home.

Mr. McDonald a former merchant of Clanton now residing at Clear Water, Fla., was among the visitors here this week.

Mr. G. O. McKee was in Clanton on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Askins and son, Ernest, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Culver.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie and sons, Joe and Bob spent a couple of days with her mother, Mrs. S. A. Goodwyn in Montgomery last week.

Miss Louise Seier from Birmingham was a recent visitor to Mrs. Latham Ellis.

Miss Daisy Gillis was the guest of Mrs. F. E. Upchurch last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Ray and children from Helena spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. Clarence Evans was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Glennie Evans Sunday.

After several days visit to her grand mother, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, Miss Evelyn Duncan returned home Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilkerson have returned from a week's visit to Columbia, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Jones and Dr. Amzi Gowan left Sunday for a visit to their parents at Kosciusko, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Armstrong and Mrs. O. O. Roper enjoyed a week-end motor trip to Boothton as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Roper.

Mr. Leon Kemp left Monday for a visit to Mobile.

Mr. Wallace Jones spent Monday in the Capital City.

Messrs. Burton and Reese Mullins and Chas. Moore spent Tuesday in Marion.

Miss Lurline Minor is spending this week with friends and relatives in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ross, Mrs. Barney Roberts and Helen and Jane Roberts returned Friday from a motor trip to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Holmes' in Dothan.

Mr. J. E. Robinson arrived Sunday from Havana, Fla., where he is in the saw mill business.

Dr. Amzi Gowan from Brewton spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrsh. Macy Jones will return home today after a couple of weeks visit to her mother in Montgomery.

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RUBEN PRICE DIED AT HOME SUDDENLY TUESDAY NIGHT

Mr. Ruben Price, better known as Uncle Joe Price, farmer of near Lomax, died suddenly Tuesday night about 8 o'clock. The old man was 77 years old, and had been in declining health for some weeks, however, his death was not expected.

Funeral services will be held at New Salem today, Thursday, the Masonic order conducting the burial rites. Mr. Price was a member of the Clanton Masonic Lodge, being one of the oldest members in this lodge.

Mr. Price is the father of Jess and Huston Price, and Mrs. Ike Hicks.

MR. I. W. BICE WRITES ABOUT LETTER IN CHILTON CO. NEWS

Clanton, Ala., July 23, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to reply to the letter I notice in the last issue of the Chilton County News concerning the obligation of people who join secret orders, which I heartily endorse. But my experience in some seems as some fraud or some one or ones practicing fraud for his special benefit destroys more orders than anything else.

One among all orders I ever experienced was the United Farmers, and it was defrauded aud deceived by the leaders worse than any order I ever knew or heard of, and it seems that the other people think so too, from the way they have scattered.

Now, we have a County Union, and want all good, honest people to come up and be with us, for it is a thing we can tell what we are doing. We know where every penny of our money goes, and if some one goes crooked, we have a right to get rid of him it is a strict and honest thing. We mean to run it straight.

Well, as I am in some hurry to go fishing, I will close, and write more about our County Union next week.

I. W. BICE.

TAILOR MAKES VALUABLE FIND

After spending $900 for medicine and doctors in four years without getting any benefit for my stomach trouble and bloating I was induced by druggist to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and must say that a $1.25 bottle has done me $500 worth of good." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Aired Drug Company and druggists everywhere.

MONTEVALLO WORKERS URGED TO WAGE EXTENSIVE CAMPAIGN IN LAST TWO WEEKS OF JULY

Preliminary Work for Alabama College Ends—Enthusiasm Runs High.

Montevallo, Ala.—An intensive campaign for the million dollar equipment fund for Alabama College at Montevallo will be carried on throughout the state during the two weeks between the fifteenth of July and August first. Plans for this drive have been made by the Board of Trustees of the college and the executive and advisory committees of the drive.

During the two weeks of that intensive campaign every active worker in all of the districts of the state will be hard at work canvassing the residents in his particular territory. Even with the careful preliminary work that has been done, however, there will be some people who will not be solicited, and these are urged to make their contributions without being asked, sending them directly to headquarters in their territory.

"Some of the people may miss the canvassers who come to see them, others may miss being included on the list of any canvasser by mistake," said Dean Carmichael. "We want to take this opportunity to urge those who are not solicited for subscriptions to make them anyway, mailing them to the campaign headquarters in their town or district, or handing them to some worker in their particular town. We want the money but we want still more the approval and co-operation of every citizen in the state of Alabama."

Reports from district campaign headquarters throughout the state indicate that the work is going forward satisfactorily. No figures have been tabulated so far and therefore no actual amounts can be given out, but there is every reason to believe, according to the Dean that the full amount asked for will be subscribed by the first of August and that one fifth of the amount will be in the hands of the Board of Trustees, who will have charge of spending it according to the plans for the enlargement and equipment of the college.

Members of the Board of Trustees are: Governor W. W. Brandon, Dr. T. W. Palmer, president, Judge W. H. Taylor, of Uniontown, M. V. Joseph, of Birmingham, A. V. Lee, of Gadsden, W. T. Sheehan, of Montgomery, Dr. J. W. Abercrombie, of Montgomery, Dean O. C. Carmichael, L. M. Moseley, of Union Springs, W. J. Dansby, of Butler, Judge R. B. Evins, of Birmingham, J. B. Ellis, of Selma, Virgil Bouldin, of Huntsville and Landers W. Sevier, of Birmingham.

Mr. T. E. Williams and wife of Albany spent a few days last week with relatives and friends in Clanton. Mr. Williams is still prominently connected with the Bank of Albany and states that he is mighty well pleased with general condition up there. Ernest still enjoys coming down to Clanton and making a friendly social visit with his many old friends here.

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Beginning the 7th of August and lasting ten days, the Seventh-day Adventists will hold their annual Conference in connection with their camp meeting, in a beautiful grove in Clanton.

Work has already begun on the camp ground.

Delegates from the different churches in the state are expected to attend, and they will live in tents during the meetings. The meals will be served cafeteria style in the dining tent, which will be in charge of Mrs. J. C. Mitchell of Mobile.

Besides the large pavalion there will be a tent in which meetings will be held twice daily for the young people, the juniors will have a special tent for their meetings, as will also the children in the primary and kindergarten divisions.

The meetings for the children will be in charge of Mrs. K. R. Haughey, state Y. P. M. V. Secretary, assisted by Miss Kathleen Myers, of Mobile.

Rev. Meade MacGuire, who is General Secretary of the Y. P. M. V. Department, with head-quarters at Washington, D. C., will be one of the principal speakers, and Rev. W. W. Eastman, head of the publishing work who has recently made a world tour, will also be in attendance and do much of the speaking.

Rev. G. W. Wells, president of the Southern Union Conference, of Nashville, Tenn., and Rev. C. B. Stephenson, president of the Alabama Conference, will be in direct charge of the meetings.

Other Union workers to be present are F. L. Harrison, secretary-treasurer, Prof. J. C. Thompson, Y. P. M. V. Secretary, and W. R. White, circulation manager of the Southern Publishing Association.

From the local conference Chas. O. Franz, secretary-treasurer, K. R. Haughey, Home Mission Secretary and F. W. Schmehl, Field Mission Secretary, besides the local pastors of the different churches will also be in attendance. Mr. J. G. Mitchell, pastor of Mobile church, will be in charge of the music.

You are all invited. Come!

NOTED WOMAN DIES IN MONTGOMERY TUESDAY

Letitia C. Tyler, Who Hoisted First Confederate Flag Over Confederate Capitol Succumbs.

Montgomery, Ala., July 23.—Letitia Christian Tyler, grand daughter of the tenth president of the United States, who was born in the White House, Washington, D. C., April 3, 1842, died at the home of Mrs. W. A. Johnson, 606 South Perry Street, at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

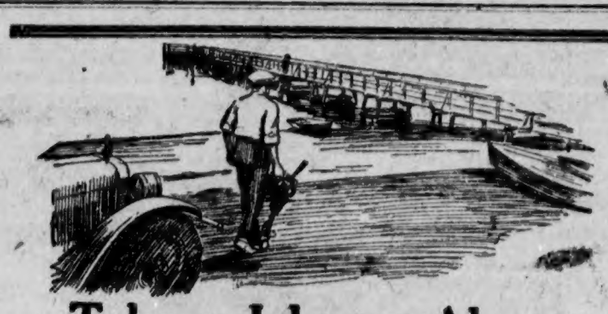
The funeral services took place at the home of Dr. F. C. Stephenson Wednesday.

Letitia Christian Tyler was the daughter of Robert Tyler, a native of Virginia, lawyer, soldier and journalist, who died in Montgomery in 1877. Owing to the death of his mother, Robert Tyler and his wife took residence in the White House with his father, President John Tyler. The grand child of the president of the United States, who was afterwards to take a large part in the social life of Alabama and the South was thus born in the national White House.

Robert Tyler, her father, was first a private in Colonel Custic Lee's brigade at the opening of the Civil War and afterwards register of the Confederate treasury. He came to Montgomery to practice law after the war and became chief editor of the Montgomery Advertiser through his publication, "The White Man's Issue," which made a strong and successful fight on political conditions crushing southern people. This contest against the federal power controlling the southern elections and politics was continued in The Advertiser until the white men of the State wrested control from the political invaders. In this period Robert Tyler was looked upon as the leading democrat of Alabama and was chairman of the most important political committee organized by the white man's party.

Two of his poems were published by Harper rothers and the romantic and sentimental side of his nature was shown in his sympathy for the cause of Ireland and correspondence with Daniel O'Connell, Thomas Frances Meagher and other Irish patriots during the "repeal" movement in that country. It is worthy of note that the reform in the government of Ireland advocated in correspondence and published writings by Robert Tyler was put into effect by the English government nearly half a century later.

Robert Tyler's wife was of distinguished birth, a native of Pennsylvania and great grand daughter of a supreme court justice of the state of New York, while on her mother's side she came from a north of Ireland family noted for patriotism, wit and artistic ability.



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POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity.

R. G. Blewster, Complainant, vs. Cammie Otts Blewster, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of R. G. Blewster, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and postoffice address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Cammie Otts Blewster, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30th day of July, 1824, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 28th day of June, 1924.

W. D. SPIGENER,
7-3-4t-c. Register.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, January Term, 1923.

To E. C. Watson:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less five acres in the SE corner and five acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of ..... Dollars, principal and interest, and Twelve and 85-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January Term, 1923 of said Court, against E. C. Watson, in favor of officers of the Court, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 11 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named E. C. Watson, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less 5 acres in the SE corner, and 5 acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

This, the 8th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, July 8, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of $1,029.29 principal and interest, and $15.35 cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the February Term, 1917 of said court, against P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews and W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in favor of W. C. Robinson, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 18 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NW¼ of the NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼ Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of S E¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2½ acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2½ acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

This, the 14th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at court house door, July 14, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, February Term, 1917.

To P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of W. C. Robinson, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NW¼ of NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼, Sec. 21 Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2 1-2 acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2 1-2 acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

ROAD MEETING AT COURT HOUSE SATURDAY, JULY 26TH

The Commissioners Court hereby calls a mass meeting at the Court house July the 26th, for the purpose of discussing the condition of the public Roads in the county.

We request all Road Supervisers to be at said meeting, and we urge all other parties that are interested in good roads to come.

We would appreciate a full statement from each R. R. Mail carrier of the condition of the roads on their routes, and the needs of their roads.

The purpose of this meeting is to arrange to gravel and work the places in the Roads that get bad in winter.

The meeting will be held strictly at ten o'clock A. M. and we hope to have a representative from each community in the county. We urge each community to get together and see how much help they can get on the roads in their community.

Respectfully,
L. H. Reynolds
7- 17-2t Judge Of Probate.

NOTICE

The Commissioners Court will continue the Road meeting Saturday the 26th until 2 p.m., in order to give all mail carriers a chance to be present and report the condition of their routes.

Remember we will have the Road meeting at 10 o'clock for all other parties.

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
1t. Judge of Probate.

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WHY IS IT?

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"Th' feller who never talks unless he has something worth saying usually has time to think between talks-"

NEW OVERLAND COUPE AROUSES ENTHUSIASM OF FEMININE MOTORISTS

Unusual interest among feminine motorists has greeted Willys—Overland's announcement of its new two-passenger Overland Coupe. Not only is it a light car embodying the manifold advantages of the entire Overland line, but it combines with these a driving comfort and convenience almost incredible in a car of these dimensions.

Nowadays, with the male members of the family requiring the use of the car during the day, there is a definite need for a second car in a good many homes, a car that can be used for shopping and visiting the women folks of the home.

The new coupe has proved itself to be ideally adapted for this purpose. Ventilating Windshields, Dura window regulators, rear window curtains are little touches that appeal to feminine taste. Coupled with these features in the ease of parking, and the unusual riding comfort due to the 136-inch spring base. Its ease of handling in congested traffic areas because of the exceptionally large steering spindles and bearing are decided factors in this new car intended for feminine use.

The new Coupe is equipped with doors that are over 31 inches wide, thus providing easy entrance. The body of exceptionally heavy metal, is sturdily reinforced. Unusual pains are taken with the painting operations, fourteen coats being applied to give the car its lasting durable finish.

The interior of the body is finished in durable, long grain Spanish leather upholstery. The seat cushion is over 45 inches wide, being ample to accommodate three medium-sized people. There are 15 inches between steering wheel and cushion, rendering it convenient for the car to be entered easly from either side.

A roomy rear deck provides ample space for packages, which is an additional convenience for milady's shopping. Its hinged caver is provided with a lock and is protected against dust an leaks.

Bob Vail, the famous news slinger of Bay Minette, and Mr. Jim Carney of Carney, Ala., Baldwin county, were in Clanton a few minutes last Friday afternoon en route to Birmingham. We doubt if they ever reached their destination since they left here in a Ford car just after that big rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Jones left Monday for Kosciusko, Miss., where they will visit the parents of the latter for a couple of weeks. Mr. Amzi Gowan of Brewton came up and accompanied them on the trip.

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Better known as the ordinary house roach is one of the worst germ and disease carriers known to modern science! They infect food with a vile liquid and are a positive menace. For health's sake rid your house of these dangerous pests TODAY! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

CLASSIFIED ADS

LISTEN—Spectacle Garner will fill his regular date the fourth Saturday in office of Dr. Hyman in Clanton.

FOR SALE—House and lot near high school in Clanton. Will sell very reasonable. Apply to M. A. Bates, Clanton, Ala. 7-10-3t-p

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

LOST—One silver bar pin with one white stone; ; finder return and receive reward at The Leader, Clanton, Ala. 7-17-3t-c

LOST—One large cameo brooch pin at high school ground on July 4th. Finder please return to Union-Banner and get reward.

LAND FOR SALE—120 acres, near New Cedron Church in Beat 15, on Cooper and Dixie Road; 55 acres in cultivation, 21 acres fresh land, one cow pasture, some timber, two dwelling houses, plenty out-buildings, will sell at bargain for cash. If interested see or write A. J. Deavers, Billingsley, Route 1. 7-24-3tp

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"With my first two children I had a doctor and a nurse and then they had to use instruments, but with my last two children I used 'Mother's Friend' and had only a nurse; we had no time to get a doctor because I wasn't very sick—only about ten or fifteen minutes." Use "Mother's Friend" as our mothers and grandmothers did. Don't wait, start today, and meanwhile write to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-75, Atlanta, Ga., for a free illustrated book containing information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all drug stores—everywhere.

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THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MR. LANDE SAYS

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ACREAGE ADDED TO NATIONAL FOREST IN EAST AND SOUTH

The National Forest Reservation Commission at a meeting held July 7 authorized the purchase of 102,236 acres of forest land, offered by 77 different owners in nine States, at an average price of $4.16 per acre. In addition, the commission approved the extension of the Alabama National Forest so as to embrace 171,140 acres lying to the southward of the present boundary of that forest area, this acreage to be purchased in the future.

The purchases approved at the July 7 meeting of the commission bring the total area which is being acquired for National Forest purposes in the East up to 2,403,553. These purchases are made under authority of the Weeks Law passed by Congress in 1911, which provides for the United States Department of Agriculture to acquire forest land in the East and South mainly for the protection of watersheds of navigable rivers. The provisions of the Weeks Law were greatly extended by the Clarke-McNary Law passed by Congress last June.

Largest Purchase In Tennessee

The largest purchase approved by the commission is in Tennessee. It consists of 47,867 acres of which 41,970 acres are in Monroe County, 4,000 in Unicoi County, and 1,224 acres in Cooke County.

In Pennsylvania the purchase of 2,445 acres was approved. This acreage lies in McKean, Forest and Warren Counties which are located within the boundaries of the newly created Allegheny National Forest designed to protect the headquarters of the Allegheny Rivers, the most important tributary of the Ohio River from the north.

Southern Forests Extended

In West Virginia the purchase of 580 acres on the watershed of the Monongahela River and within the Monongahela Forest was approved. In Virginia 5,454 acres within Rockingham and Augusta Counties are to be purchased. In North Carolina 11,098 acres, consisting largely of a single tract in Transylvania County will be purchased and will become a part of the Pisgah National Forest.

In South Carolina 18,921 acres of timberland in Oconee County will be acquired. This acreage is situated in such a manner that its acquisition will materially promote the solidification of the Natahala National Forest.

In Arkansas 11,501 acres in Franklin, Stone, Pope, Newton, and Crawford Counties were approved for purchase, the largest tract being 9,140 acres of cut-over forest land in Franklin County. In Georgia a small tract in Union County was approved, and in Alabama 4,001 acres in Lawrence and Winston Counties will be purchased which will materially aid in protecting the Alabama National Forest from fire.

"HO—HUM! BUT THE WORLD LOOKS SMALL TO THIS FELLOW"

NO, kind readers, this is not a picture of an over-grown boy with a toy automobile. It's Glenn L. Hyder of Chicago, the tallest taxicab starter in the world.

Mind you—he's only 7 ft., 4-in tall and the way he leans on the top of that "full-grown" taxicab you would think it was a baby buggy. It's a pose one does not often see—even in these days of many unusual happenings. What say?

T. S. PEAVEY ARRESTED IN CLANTON FOR V. P. L.

Deputies Foshee and Culp and Police Curlee located and arrested T. S. Peavey, negro, in Clanton Saturday night for violating the prohibition laws. The officers were going up through the lumber yard at the rear of McCain's Stables when they ousted the negro, who ran out from between some lumber piles with a gallon jug in his hand. Peavey held on to the jug until he ran twenty or thirty yards, when he threw the jug down and burst it. The negro was chased around through the alleys for a few minutes and was arrested near Mullins and Moore's warehouse.

Peavey was carried and placed in jail, his bond being fixed at $1,000 and which he has failed to make. This is the third time this negro has been arrested on whiskey charges during the past few months.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF W.M.S.

And Young Peoples Organizations of Unity Association July 30th

The quarterly meeting of the W. M. S. and all young peoples organizations will be held at the Mt. Carmel (Clanton Ford or Adams) July 30th, 1924.

Miss Hannah Reynolds, State young peoples leader, and Miss Lottie Wallace from the training school of Louisville, Ky., will be on the program. You are invited and especially urged to be present.

MRS. J. H. HESTER,
Publicity Chairman.

ICE CREAM SUPPER

There will be an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. D. O. Manning on Saturday night, August 2nd; benefit of the Baptist Church of Mulberry.

REVIVAL GONG ON AT CLANTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Beginning last Sunday, Elder S. Huston Proffitt of Chattanooga, Tenn., is preaching at the Christian Church of Clanton. Services are being held twice daily—at 5:45 and 8 p.m. Services have been announced for the remainder of this week, and it is probable that the meeting will continue longer.

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We have on hand one 1921 model DODGE touring car in excellent condition both mechanically and as to its looks, which we can give you a real bargain in.

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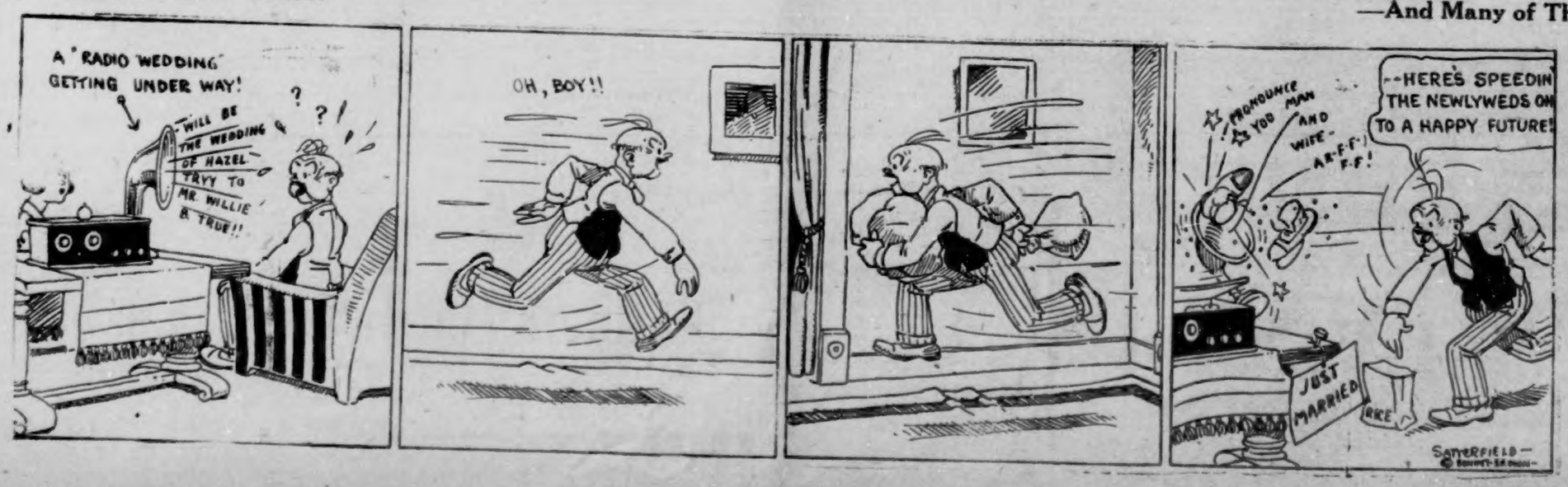

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CLANTON LAWYER IS APPOINTED AS U. S. ATTORNEY

Grady Reynolds Named As Successor To Samford In Middle District.

Washington, July 24.—Grady Reynolds, of Clanton, Ala., was appointed by President Coolidge today as United States attorney for the middle dist of Alabama.

Serves Six Years

Thomas D. Samford, the present United States attorney for the middle district of Alabama, a resident of Opelika, was appointed by the late President Woodrow Wilson on January 8, 1918. With the inauguration of President Harding Mr. Samford resigned on March 5, the day following the inauguration as is customary in the office. He heard nothing from his request for removal and again in November, 1921, he insisted that his resignation be accepted. He was informed that he would be relieved as soon as possible but the matter rested there for almost three years, making a record in Alabama for a Democrat to hold office practically throughout an entire Republican adminstration.

Mr. Samford in a statement to The Journal, Thursday noon, declared that he was glad the successor had been appointed because he had for some years desired to re-enter the private practice of law at Opelika, a lucrative profession he practically gave up when appointed to the United States service here.

The retiring attorney is one of the foremost Democrats of Alabama and has been prominently mentioned as a candidate for governor on several occasions. He has, however, consistently refused to run for the nomination. He is known as one of the ablest lawyers, active prosecutors and universally admired men of his section.

His successor, Grady Reynolds, of Clanton, is a prominent attorney of that place. He is a graduate of the University of Alabama and has been practicing his profession in Clanton for the past several years.

The appointment by which Mr. Reynolds comes to Montgomery is a recess appointment of the president and must be confirmed by the senate at its next session beginning December 4. It is thought that the appointment will take effect immediately.

MRS. W. A. LITTLEJOHN DIED SUDDENLY WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday morning of last week occurred the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Littlejohn, wife of W. A. Littlejohn of Clanton. Although Mrs. Littlejohn had been sick with pellegra for some time, her death was very unexpected. She got up Wednesday morning and attended to the things around the house, after which she died suddenly.

Mrs. Littlejohn was about 47 years old and was the mother of three children—one boy and two girls—all of whom survive her. Her husband is also living.

The remains were buried at Liberty Hill Cemetery Thursday morning, Rev. J. D. Hughes preaching the funeral. Mrs. Littlejohn was a faithful member of the Liberty Baptist Church.

CLANTON STILL BUILDING CONCRETE SIDE-WALKS

The first of this week the Town of Clanton's side-walk crew went to work and built a side-walk across the county's property in front of the sheriff's house on Sixth Street. The side-walk was completed from The Union-Banner office on south to First Avenue.

During the past two months, under the supervision of Engineer B. J. Penter of Birmingham, Clanton has built right around two miles of concrete side-walks in different parts of Clanton. The first work to be done was between the business part of town and the high school. After this was completed, the crew moved on the west side and constructed walks between town and the Grammar school. Now they are working on some small unfinished places in the business section.

It is the intention of the town to put in about two more miles of side-walks under the present program.

POULTRY CULLING POINTERS GIVEN BY J. D. SYKES

How To Distinguish Poor Layers From Good layers Is Explained. Culling Is Now Timely.

Auburn, Ala., July 28.—July, August, and September are the best months for culling farm poultry flocks, according to J. D. Sykes, Poultry Specialist for the Alabama Extension Service.

On culling for high egg production Mr. Sykes says: "To lay heavily a fowl must have a round body. All specimens that are scrawny, weak on the legs, light in weight, excessively fat, or which have deformities should be eliminated. It is well to dispose of birds with long toe nails, over-hanging eye lids, or any defect which handicaps them in their search for food. Long, slender head, or spindling shanks indicates lack of thrift and vigor. Such individuals cannot be profitable producers."

The following are named as distinct characteristics of good layers: Comb: Red, large, silky, full. Vent: White, large, moist. Eyes: Prominent, set well apart. Eyering: White. Ear lobe and beak: White. Face: Lean, from yellow colors. Shanks: White, thin and flat. Pelvic bone: Wide apart, soft and pliable. Pelvic to breast bone: Deep, full across abdomen. Skin: Thin, loose, absence of fat. Back: Broad, carried well back. Body: Deep, both front and rear. Plumage: Ragged, worn, late molt.

Low producers are identified as follows: Comb: Plate, shriveled. Vent: Yellow, small, dry. Eyes: Sunken, turned in toward beak. Eyerings: Yellow. Ear lobe and beak: Yellow. Face: Fleshy, yellow. Shanks: Yellow, round and full. Pelvic bone: Close together, hard and rigid. Pelvic to breast bone: Shallow or full of hard fat. Skin: Thick, underlaid with fat. Back: Narrow. Body: Shallow, round.

A number of people from Clanton attended the musicial concert given by Prof. Patton at Collins Chapel Tuesday night. The rest of the folks went to the Temple.

COMMISSIONERS OF COUNTY MEET AND DISCUSS OUR ROADS

Supervisors From All Beats And Other Citizens Here To Discuss Better Roads.

In connection with a meeting of the commissioners Court of Chilton County, a road meeting consisting of the road supervisors from all the different Beats of the county and the citizens of the county in general was held at the court house in Clanton Saturday. The whole county was represented, and the matter of road building was discussed both as to what has been done and what is the future program.

All the supervisors from the sixteen Beats of the county reported to the meeting what work had been done this year in their respective Beats, and several other prominent citizens spoke regarding the work in their communities. About a dozen of the mail carriers of the county were present and made very favorable reports of the condition of the roads on their routes.

The Commissioners court passed a new law the first of this year whereby the road of the county are being worked by taxation instead of the old system of the men putting in their time on the roads. The people as a whole are mighty well pleased with the new system, and so far it has proved to be a mighty good law.

Mr. J. P. Parrish of Clanton, who probably travels over the roads of the county more than any other one citizen expressed himself in the meeting saying the roads in general were 100 per cent better than they had been for the past thirteen years. Several other citizens said that more work had been done on the roads of their communities this year than ever been done before.

It is hoped by the road management of the county to have all the bad places in the roads graveled before the winter rains begin this fall. Each road supervisor gave the court an estimate of what it would take to finish putting his roads in shape to stand the winter rains, and the Commissioners hope, as much so as possible, to furnish the finincial aid to do this work.

This being a season of the year when the farmers are not busy with their crops, a number of citizens in almost every section of the county have agreed to furnish their labor as well as that of their teams on the roads in their communities at just half price to the county. The Commissioners passed a resolution authorizing the road supervisors to hire work on this basis. By this means lots of work will be done and the expense to the county will not be very heavy.

There are over 1,000 miles of road in Chilton County, and over half of this is now in very good shape. It is hoped that before winter practically all of the places which becomes muddy during rains will be graveled so that they will stand up under the wet weather and heavy traffic.

The people of the county are determined to have better roads. The new law has already proved to be successful and the people of the county are going to help the probate judge and Commissioners Court in making the roads still better. Chilton County is for good roads and they are going to build them.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. D. S. Wingard, who has been in the hospital for several days is much improved.

Mrs. Peyton Robertson is improving.

Mrs. Lum Tracy, who was operated on last week, is much better.

Miss Irene Atkinson went home Sunday morning.

Mrs. Oscar Giles and baby went home this week.

Mrs. Sy Watley, who was crushed under an automobile Sunday morning, died at the hospital Sunday night.

Mrs. G. W. Williamson went home Sunday morning.

Mrs. John Davis was well enough to go home Saturday.

Mrs. Ruby Dykes was discharged from the hospital Friday.

Mr. Leonard Sandlin came to the hospital Tuesday.

Bessie Speigner, colored, went to her home Sunday.

The ladies auxiliary met at the hospital Tuesday afternoon.

AN ALA. DEMOCRAT PANS THE TARIFF PLANK IN LETTER

He Flays Platform Committee of Democrats Selected at Their National Convention.

Washington, July 29.—If there was a statesman worthy of the name at New York certainly it was not placed on the platform committee, declares G. T. McElderry of Birmingham, Ala., a Democrat and president of the Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union, Alabama Division. Mr. McElderry was particulary displeased with the tariff Plank of the New York Platform, and in a telegram to the Manufacturers Record, of Baltimore, in answer to a request for his views, did not mince words in telling what a poor opinion he had of the Democratic convention. He said, in part:

"It has been truly said that donkeys and fools never change." The Underwood low tariff permitted vegetable oils to come into this Country almost free, resulting in the impoverishment of farmers, bankrupting merchants, destroying the cottonseed oil industry and solidifying bank credits. Hundreds of millions of pounds of peanuts, peanut oil, soy bean oil was imported from Manchuria, absolutely destroying our market for cottonseed, peanuts and fats. There was practically no demand, and farms were sold for taxes and the doors of merchants were closed because the farmers could not cash their products to meet their obligations.

"The Fordney Emergency Tariff raised the price of cottonseed to $60 per ton and the price of peanuts to $140 per ton, with practically an unlimited demand, and yet the Democrats at New York were foolish enough to denounce the Fordney tariff, which had saved the South from bankruptcy.

"All credit to the Republican leaders for having patriotism enough to save the South from Democratic bungling and asinine theorists who pretend to represent the South in Congress. All farm tools, farm machinery, shoes, leather goods and harness used on the farm are on the free list, and 64 per cent in value of the commodities imported come in free under the Fordney-McCumber tariff, and yet our Democratic, so-called, statemen would bankrupt our syrup and sugar makers as in 1913, when 40,000 laborers in Louisiana were put up against starvation because of a theory, at a time when sugar could be bought for 4 cents per pound. They would put the rice and tobacco growers out of business, the poultry and hay raisers, the citrus-fruit growers and our entire Southern agricultural population would be placed on a competitive basis with cheap Chinese coolie labor that receives 8 cents to 10 cents as a daily wage. Our laborers in the factories and shops would be placed on a competitive basis with the pauper labor of Europe and forced to live on their low standard, with a wage so low that we farmers could not sell our products at even the present low price, which price is driving hundreds of thousands of farmers annually to the cities to congest the population and raise still higher the cost of living.

"The platform committee, instead of deciding on some definite policy and suggesting a constructive plan to rehabilitate agriculture, contented itself with denouncing the Republican party for its failure to enact a law, and think the farmers will be content to support the Democratic party as in the past on promises. The farmers have decided to look out for statesmen and give the machine politicians, owned by corporations, a little vacation to enable them to study economics.

"The policy of the Eastern Democrats is to have free trade as far as is practicable, so as to get our gold back to Europe, that European nations may pay the loans made by Wall Street banks to European countries."

HOWARD L. FOSHEE PASSES STATE BAR EXAMINATION

Mr. Howard L. Foshee of Clanton received notice last week that he had successfully passed the State Bar Examination which he stood a few weeks ago. Mr. Foshee is now a lawyer with the credentials to practice in the courts of the State.

NON-JURY TERM CIRCUIT COURT CONVENES AUG. 19.

Tuesday, August 19th is the date set for the regular non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County. At this term the minor cases which have accumulated for the past few months will be disposed of by Judge Geo. F. Smoot.

Dr. N. S. Johnson and Miss Jean Johnson will leave Saturday for a month's stay in Chicago. Dr. Johnson will take a special study course during his stay.

LAST WEEK'S SUBSCRIPTION LIST TO THE UNION-BANNER

This is a rather dull season of the year. There is not much money in circulation and business generally is dull. Nevertheless, the dear old Banner has to keep coming. During the past week, the following have either subscribed or renewed up their subscriptions to The Union-Banner:

Carl C. Peterson, Thorsby.
J. H. Owens, Clanton, Route 3.
Robert Edwards, Clanton, Route 3.
W. P. Mims, Clanton, Route 2.
W. E. Thompson, Clanton, Route 5.
J. M. Thompson, Clanton, Route 5.
J. M. Miner, Clanton, Route 5.
B. C. Thomas, Clanton, Route 4.
J. P. Thomas, Clanton, Route 4.
Mrs. S. E. Foshee, Thorsby, R. 1.
R. W. Kendrick, Plantersville.
C. H. Cooper, Clanton, Route 7.
W. A. Glass, Jemison, Route 3.
A. F. Mims, Thorsby, Route 1.
C. Williams, Plantersville.
R. N. Roebuck, Maplesville, R. 1.
James Randall, Maplesville.
J. C. Hagans, Deatsville.

FIRST MAIL PLANE REACHES CHICAGO FROM SOUTHLAND

Banks Arrange Test Trip From North to South—May be Made Permanent.

Chicago, July 29.—The first air mail from Nashville Tenn., arrived this morning at 8:30 a. m., Chicago daylight siving-time, after a fight of 400 miles by Lieutenants Pincent Meloy and Herbery Fox in 3 hours and 29 minutes.

The experimental flight which Nashville postal authorities and bankers hope to make a regular service between the Tennessee city and Chicago, was made in excellent flying weather and without the slightest mishap and in fast time, Lieutenant Fox said.

The aviators carried $530,000 in banking items on which much time is saved by air mail. The federal reserve bank and the American National bank of Nashville arranged the experimental flight in co-operation with Postmaster O'Callaghan of Nashville and the One Hundred and Third Observation Squadron, Tennessee national guard, to which Lieutenant Fox is attached. Lieutenant Meloy is a regular army aviator.

The plane brought 150 pounds of mail. Postal officials now are obtaining data on the volume of mail between Chicago and Nashville, which normaly is heavy and working out details to be laid bafore the department at Washington in connection with the proposal for a regular service.

Colonel Paul Henderson, second assistant postmaster general, in inaugurating the trans-continental air mail a month ago, indicated that he expected a network of air mail routes radiating from Chicago over a radius of not more than 1,000 miles to be established eventually. Lieutenants Meloy and Fox took off at 3 p. m., daylight saving time for Nashville on the return trip.

With better lights in the farm home, the city's bright won't seem half so attractive.

MRS. SY WATLEY DEAD AS RESULT AUTO ACCIDENT

Big Car Smashes Into Ford Occupied By Mr. and Mrs. Watley and Baby Near Jemison.

Mrs. Wreatha Watley died in the Central Alabama Hospital Sunday night at 10 o'clock as a result of an automobile wreck which occurred near Jemison Sunday. Mrs. Watley's baby, four months old, is not expected to live, having also sustained injuries in the accident.

It is reported that Mr. Sy Watley with his wife and baby were on the road between Mars Hill and Jemison traveling in a Ford car, when a large car came up behind them and blew the horn for the road. Mr. Watley steered his car to one side of the road. The large car, coming at a fast speed, ran into the rear of the Ford, turning the latter over and pinning the three occupants underneath. Mr. Watley succeeded in getting out, and with the help of some pedestrians lifted the car from his wife and baby. Both Mrs. Watley and the baby were rushed to Clanton to the hospital for attention. Mrs. Watley later died, and the baby is in a very precarious condition.

Reports say that the large automobile never as much as checked up after knocking the Ford out of the road and turning it over. The people in the large car were said to have been headed toward Centerville.

The remains of Mrs. Watley, under the charge of Martin, undertaker of Clanton, were buried at Pates Chapel cemetery near Jemison Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Watley was 20 years old and was the daughter of Mr. J. M. Robinson of Jemison. She was the mother of only the one child which was hurt with her in the accident Mr. Watley was only slightly injured, reports say.

FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

The protracted meeting at Friendship church closed last Friday when four additions to the shurch were baptized. The preaching for the revival was done by Rev. M. W. Mims, who delivered some very fine sermons during the series of meetings.

The Sunday School was reorganized at this church last Sunday. Mr. J. D. Collins was elected Superintendent of the Sunday School.

Prof. Dewey Huett's singing school closed at this place last Saturday. Although not as largely attended as some, Prof. Huett's school was good and served quite an advancement in the singing ability of the young people of the community.

FORMER PASTOR SUPPLIES BAPTIST PULPIT

Rev. P. G. Carter, former pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church, will speak at both services at the Baptist church next Sunday, Aug. 3rd. He is supplying for the pastor, Rev. S. J. Ezell, who is away visiting his parents and his wife's people. Pastor Carter and his newly wed wife will arrive in Clanton Aug. 2nd, and be in Clanton a few days with their many friends.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Since our last letter we had a fine motor trip to and through Berkshire Valley, one of the beauty spots of northern New Jersey. Many people have heard of the Berkshire Hills in western Massachusetts, which we visited two years ago this summer and some of our Alabama friends will remember our description of the beauties of that section. Where there are hills there is quite apt to be valleys, but the Massachusetts hills are much larger than New Jersey hills and they are more attractive because of their cultivation and the greater range of vision over mountain and plain.

The New Jersey hills are smaller, more wooded and so filled with cabble stone and boulders as to make them of little value for farming, but they do furnish dandy sites for camp-Scouts, Girl Scouts, Child welfare organizations, and tourists occupy many of the desirable places on the hill tops or sides overlooking the valley with its picturesque stream and many small lakes.

A large section of the valley has been evidently under the hand of a landscape gardener, who has used his art just enough to emphasize the natural beauty of the scenery asd make it correspond with the rugged style of architecture employed in all the buildings located on the great estate of one of the Ringling Brothers, who are known all over the country to old and young as "The Circus Men."

The large house with its out-buildings, the garages, the great barns, the fences and whatever else has been built on the estate, are made of Cobble stones and boulders taken from the adjacent hills. So perfectly have these assorted and vari colored stones been laid in the walls that their exterior surfaces present an even surface, and the structures are liable to stand 1000 years.

We were told that once a year, in winter, the Ringling family, who reside here, keep open house for a season, when everybody is invited to make them a visit . This being off season for receptions, we were not invited in for refreshments.

We were told that the huge barns and other buildings were used in winter to house many animals which are used in the menagerie which always compose a very interesting part of the great shows.

We have a very lively recollection of a visit to this aggregation made to Chicago about 25 years ago, when Prof. Lockhart who then had charge of the several elephants, invited the writer to attend a private rehersal and make photographs of these unique creatures as he put them through their daily stunts in preparation for the afternoon and evening performances, as we were anxious to secure something attractive to be used in advertising. Having secured about a dozen pictures showing one or more in various poses we concluded we had enough, such as they were. We made our prints and laid them before our prospective customer, Mr. John Hamlin, proprietor of Hamlins Wizard Oil Company. Mr. Hamlin had given us a circular containing a picture of an elephant seated on his haunches holding a bottle of Wizard Oil in his trunk and ostensibly drinking from it. He said it was their trademark which had been in use 40 years, and he would like something as near like it as a live elephant could be made to assume. Prof. Lockhart laughed at it and said it was an anatomical impossibility for an elephant to get himself into any such position. When I showed my picture to Mr. Hamlin he did not like any of them —they were so different from what he had expected. We told him what the man who knew elephants had said. He replied "That cannot be so —I paid a Boston artist $500 to make the original of that picture for me."

We suggested: "If your elephant has been taking Hamlins Wizard Oil for forty years and the stuff is any good he ought to be able to get up and walk."

All right, he said, "See what you do." Next morning when they came out for their street parade with the biggest one at the head of the procession, with a man astride his neck, the elephant swinging along at a good gait with every fiber of his bulky form alive, we snapped a picture of him and got something really good. This we took to an artist, asked him to make an artist's proof in colors, putting a gold bordered red blanket on the beast, and dressing the man up in the garb of a native of India. Then put a Hoodah on the animal's back and pile on something less than a carload of boxes of Hamlins Wizard Oil, addressed to Singapore, Bombay, Calcutta & Co. The artist carried out instructions to the letter.

When we showed Mr. Hamlin the results of our efforts, he was more than pleased and gave $500 immediately, and duplicated it before the first was finished.

He also ordered Electrotypes of it and adopted it as their "Trademark" and in addition used it as a model from which to have a great number of Papier Machie, elephants standabout three feet high, to be displayed in the window of any customer who ordered a certain number of cases of Wizard Oil. Their advertising man told us later it was the biggest hit they ever struck in advertising, sold more goods than any plan they ever had. Do you wonder that we are interested in Ringlings Circus.

Today, we had another ride and a visit to the New Jersey Hospital for Mental Defectives. When I told them we represented Alabama Newspapers, we were most cordially received and shown all the courtesies possible in the limited time we had to stay. This great institution now has 3,300 patients under treatment, 106 of them being ex-service men. In addition to this there are a small army of nurses and attendants. Both male and female patients are received and given the best of care so far as can be done in very crowded quarters. New buildings costing $2,000,000 are now in process of erection, and plans are under way for the expenditure of another million in the near future.

This Hospital is located at Morris Plains, a suburb of Morristown, New Jersey. The grounds comprise several hundred acres of hills and valleys, very picturesque and laid out with extensive lawns, flower beds, driveways and walks amid an abundance of shade trees in great variety. In fact it is a beautiful park, besides an extensive farm and gardens. At the back part of the premises we saw a high and very substantial wire fence, evidently designed as much to keep people out as in, at the front or park side we saw no fences whatever. A small number of guards, in civillian clothes, were in evidence.

We were told that the policy of government in the institution was to employ as little restaint on the patients as was compatible with the safety of themselves and the community. The nurses and attendants always speak to them with a soft voice and in a cheerful manner, that inspires self respect among the patients. Work is provided for every one who is willing to work but there is no compulsion in the matter not even as to the kind of work they shall do. For those who prefer outside work there is the farm, the various gardens, a large dairy besides the new building operations which afford employment for most of the men under competent supervision. Inside working, under a master painter, others were working re-decorating the entire interior of one of the great buildings.

Mental sickness may or may not affect the physical condition of the patient. Most of the people in this hospital are capable of doing some kind of work and congenial employment is considered one of the elements of successful treatment provided the patient is willing to do anything. Forcible employment creates resentment, anger, and reacts unfavorably on the mental condition of the patient, while voluntary work at something they like to do keeps the mind employed and has soothing and healing effect. When a patient becomes so refractory as to require restraint they have a novel treatment that seldom fails to be effective. They have a large room fitted up with a dozen or more of good bath tubs for which the water, at about 90 degrees, just comfortably warm, is supplied from a single station in the room, having an attachment for each tub, and all under the supervision of one attendant, who keeps the water in the tubs at the required temperature.

In each tub there is a large and heavy canvass blanket so arranged that it can be fastened around the patient like a bag leaving only the head sticking out. The warm bath has a very soothing effect and the patient soon quiets down and often falls asleep. So it can be seen that the forcible bath is not a punishment, but a treatment that is good for the patient. One might wonder what kind of work they can furnish that such people can do with credit to themselves or the institution. We were shown a part of their department of "Occupational Therapeutics" in the male section, here were men engaged in making Rugs of various material and sizes, and good ones too. Others made brooms and scrub brushes, still others Cocoa Mats for porch doors, Chair work was in evidence, Cane seats and brick chairs gathered up from homes and furniture stores sent in to be repaired. Split bottom chairs and large rockers with bottom and back neatly renewed. Toys in great variety are turned out at the season when there in likely to be a market for them. Many of them are devised by the patients and show remarkable ingeneuity.

Another interesting feature of their work is woven willow ware in great variety and all of a very substatial character. They make baskets of many kinds, chairs and tables of intricate pattern. The guide we had told us that the patients grow the willows, about six tons annually, cure and peel them, and some of them are split on an ingenious little machine made by one of the patients.

Next comes carpentery and machine work; we saw a very pretentious childs play house made by one of the men who had modeled it from a picture and drawings of a Bungalow he had seen in a book. A marvelous piece of work shown us was a complete working model of a steam yacht, about four feet long and 18 in. wide, made by a patient from scraps of material he had picked up about the premises. The little boiler and engine were all in place, ready for business, the deck was made of two or more kinds of wood inlaid, neately finished and varnished. A neat and tidy little craft that would run all right. Whatever is made is sent to the sales room, if not made on orders. State furnish what is called a revolving fund of $2000 for supplies for this department. Sales are applied to repayment of this fund annually, whatever is received over and above that amount goes to pay for entertainments for the patients.

They have a large hall with a band platform and once a week they have dancing, when men and women are premitted to mingle and enjoy themselves, under the eyes of unobtrusive attendants. At other times they have Moving Picture entertainments, sometimes lectures. Every Sunday afternoon there is a meeting in the large chapel where some minister, priest or rabbi conducts religious service. These meetings are intended to give every one an opportunity to have some religions service conducted under the guidance of one of their own faith. This is as it should be in an institution supported by tax payers.

The ex-service men live in a ward by themselves. They have a Piano, Phonograph and a fine Radio set. The ward consists of long corridors with rooms on either side. The rooms are comfortably furnished, most of them are bedrooms occupied by two or three men each having a cot bed. Each ward has its own dining room. but in the new buildings, prevision is made for congregate, dining rooms. We have said little about the women in the institution. We spent all of the time we had in the men's ward, but were told that the women were similarily cared for.

CLANTON LOSES HARD GAME

The Clanton baseball team met defeat at the hands of the Gantt's Quarry outfit Monday on the latter's ground at Sylacauga, by the score of 3 to 2. Clanton scored first, but a succession of errors soon gave Sylacauga the lead which was never recovered. Lewis, on the mound for Clanton, was brilliant, getting one three-base hit and hitting another which he tried to stretch into a homer and was out at the plate by inches, while allowing the enemy only two hits and striking out eleven men. Clanton had men on bases in almost every inning, getting eight hits, but could not come across when a hit meant a score. The Quarry team did not earn a run, and are not in our class, as we trampled them last Thursday 14 to 1, against their close decision Monday.

Cooperative marketing obtains results not by any magical power but by good business methods through united effort to common problems. This fact points to the importance of observing carefully the requirements for success.

SILURIA WOMAN KILLED BY TRAIN NEAR SILURIA

Teacher Struck By Engine After Seeing Brother Off

Miss Ellen Wooten, age 25, school teacher at Siluria, Ala., was instantly killed at 10 o'clock Sunday morning when she was struck by No. 1, Louisville & Nashville passenger train at a crossing, two blocks above the Siluria railroad station.

Miss Wooten, who lives three miles from town, had come to Siluria with a young brother, who was going to Montgomery. After leaving the boy at the station, she started home and drove across the track in a buggy and directly in front of the fast passenger train. The buggy was carried about 80 feet down the track.

The body was turned over to Walker & Sons, undertakers, at Siluria, and funeral services were held Monday. She is survived by her parents and several brothers and sisters.

TO MY FRIENDS AND PATRONS:

I will be out of my office during the month of August, in Chicago taking a special course in the diseases of children at the Children's Memorial Hospital.

Dr. N. S. JOHNSON.

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"I am 62 years old and I have been a practical nurse for more than 20 years, taking mostly maternity cases. One of my daughters suffered from cramping at . . . She would just bend double and have to go to bed.

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was recommended to her and she only had to take about two bottles, when she hardly knew that it was . . . she suffered so little pain.

"My youngest daughter was run-down, weak and nervous, and looked like she didn't have a bit of blood left—just a walking skeleton, no appetite and tired all the time. I gave her two bottles of Cardui. It built her up and she began eating and soon gained in weight and has been so well since."

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NOTICE

The executive committee of the Chilton County Baptist Association is called to meet at Clanton, Tuesday, Aug. 5th, at 3 o'clock p.m. All pastors and workers who are interested in our association are requested to meet the committee. Some very important business is to be planned for.

Committee—W. J. Billingsley, T. J. Deason, B. Lawrence, W. P. Lowery, B. F. Dykes. 24-2t.

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1 lot of Men's low cut Shoes, the very best styles of the season; not full range of sizes but may have yours; Remnant Sale price, the pair $3.98

1 lot of 40-inch Voile in 4-yd. patterns; just the right amount for a dress; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 79c

1 lot of stripe 32-in. Tissue Cloth, just the cloth for cool summer dresses, in 4-yd. dress patterns; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 69c

1 lot of 27-in. Percale or Calico in light and medium dark patterns, in 5-yd. patterns; make nice cool aprons and dresses for summer; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 49c

1 lot of Men's Work Shirts; good grade, cut full and roomy, in blue color, only in sizes 15 1-2 to 17; Remnant Sale price, the shirt 59c

1 lot of little girls' panty dresses, 1 lot of little boys' wash suits and rompers, your choice, Remnant Sale price, the garment 98c

1 lot of Men's Straw Dress Hats, mostly small sizes and only about two dozen left; the first 24 men or boys here Saturday morning gets them, each 59c

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1 lot of Ladies' Bungalow House Dresses, values up to $3.00; your choice, Remnant Sale price $1.49

1 lot of high grade figured Voile, worth 50c yard, in all the very newest summer patterns; Remnant Sale price ,the yard 39c

1 lot of Men's Heavy Grade Overalls, most all sizes, will cost more this fall; Remnant Sale price, the pair $1.49

1 lot of Tub Silk just arrived from New York, in stripes and checks, should bring $2.00 yd.; Remnant Sale price $1.49

1 lot of Dotted Voile, big range of patterns to select from; the most popular cloth of the season; Remnant Sale price, the yard 49c

1 lot of Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords, also in the strap trimmed in black, only a few left; Remnant Sale price, the pair $1.98

1 lot of 1-strap Slippers in patent leather and in tan or chocolate color, vici kid in all sizes; Remnana Sale price, the pair $2.39

1 lot of the very popular patent Sandles; not the cheap kind but the good kind, white kid lined; Remnant Sale price, the pr. $3.98

1 lot of Lace Remnants in 1 to 3 and 4 yards, ecrue and white; sold up to 10c yard; Remnant Sale price, the yard 4c

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

Mrs. T. M. Robinson is spending this week at Elmore, where her husband is engaged in railway construction work.

Mr. Nels Peterson has been taking a few days vacation the past week.

Mr. A. B. Baltzer took his place in the depot.

Miss Sue Simpson of Jemison visited in Thorsby last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Regan, Mr. M. J. Soberg, Mrs. J. M. Bosworth and little son, Leonard and Miss Naemi Turnquist motored to Montgomery last Thursday.

Mr. T. A. Shannon of West Point, Ga. visited in Thorsby last week with his daughter, Mrs. Nels Peterson and Miss Nell Shannon. Mr. Nels Peterson accomponied Mr. Shannon to Anniston for a short visit.

The young ladies of Mrs. Ed Piper's Sunday School class of the Baptist church entertained the young Men's class last Wednesday evening at a lawn social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Miss Annie Werness is enjoying a two-weeks vacation with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothey of Thorsby.

Mr. Magne Anderson returned to Thorsby Sunday after spending several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ivey Horn, in Birmingham.

The Berean Sunday School class of the Baptist church entertained the Fidelis class on the church lawn last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Thompson of Birmingham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Paxon.

Mr. Aaron Vines is spending his vacation with his parents in Thorsby.

Miss Louise Morris of Oakman is visiting in Thorsby with her aunt, Mrs. Reno Villadsen.

Miss Jenneye Robinson left Monday to visit friends in Birmingham, Trafford and Helena.

Miss May Caton of Siluria is visiting with the Misses Littlejohns.

Mr. and Mrs. Russian Gibbons of Minooka spent Sunday with Mr. Gibbon's mother Mrs. S. P. Kelley.

Mr. Willie Scott spent Sunday at home with his parents. Mr. Scott is working in Montgomery.

Mrs. Martin Peterson returned Wednesday from a visit in Birmingham.

The Congregational Ladies' Aid will meet next Thursday, August 7, at the home of Mrs. R. L. Prim.

Mrs. Burdett and baby left Monday of Senoia, Ga., to visit with her parents and sisters.

Miss Bernice Williams left Sunday for Sylacauga, where she will spend the rest of the summer canvassing for the American Product Co.

The people of Thorsby are sorry to learn that Mr. Steiner is ill with Typhoid fever. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Martha Martin is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Moore, at Bethsalem this week.

Mr. W. M. Billingsley and son, Curtis expect to go to Bethsalem this week to attend Protracted Meeting.

Mrs. Orville Mastin and her sister, Miss Boggan, made a trip to Georgiana last week.

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CHILTON COUNTY TRAINING SCHOOL BUILDING (COLORED)

THE above is a likeness of the new building erected for the Chilton County Training School by the negroes of Chilton County, with the help of the white people, together with State aid. It is a six-room frame building, cost of building and equipment amounting to around $7,000. It is located on the Ben Brown place, near Highland school house, 4 1-2 miles south-west of Clanton.

The principal of the schiol is I. B. Bryant, graduate of Fiske University and the University of Chicago. To begin with there will be four teachers this year, and it is expected that another will be added. The buidling will accommodate 300 pupils.

The equipment is up-to-date in every respect. The school opens this year on September 29th. A catalog and course of study is being prepared which will be mailed out within a short time.

CLANTON WINS ANOTHER

The Clanton baseball team swamped the Columbiana aggregation to the tune of 12 to 3 last Tuesday on the former's ground. It looked as it were going to be a good game until the third inning when Fulton, pitching for Columbiana, weakened, letting in enough runs to tie. After that the Columbiana pitchers seemed afraid to put 'em across the platter, while the Clanton players got dizzy running in circles. Watkins worked well all thru the game, never weakening. Several Clanton men received free passes to first, five of them coming in succession. These, with several errors and timely hitting accounted for the heavy scoring.

Snuff boxes, as far as one locality in Walker county is concerned, have come back into favor. A rattlesnake, one of the largest ever found in that county, struck at J. D. Riddlesperger, a prominent farmer living near Sipsey river. It hit a snuff box in the farmer's hip pocket.

City manager government for Birmingham is proposed by William M. Lindsay, a well-known figure in city and county politics, as a substitute for the modified mayor-aldermanic type advocated by the forces led by Hunter Armstrong and Judge Horace Wilkinson.

STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Charging that he lost his job with the Louisville & Nashville Railroad company as the result of a garnishment run on his wages by the defendants, B. F. Roberts filed suit in the Jefferson circuit court to recover $25,000 as damages from W. C. McCarty and R. E. McCarty, trading under the name of McCarty Brokerage company. Roberts set out in his petition that he borrowed $25 from the defendants; that he paid back $60, and that they claimed he still owed $25, for which the garnishment was secured. He asks for judgment for an additional sum of $75 with interest for money he alleges defendants received from him in 1923 and 1924.

In a liquor raid made in the vicinity of Bull's Gap, near Talladega Deputy Berry Campbell and Enforcement Officer John H. Draper and H. G. Garrett discovered a double distilling outfit, the only one of its kind ever seized in Talladega county. It was in operation when the officers captured it. DeWitt Harding and Lee Bryant were placed under arrest and four gallons of liquor seized. Mr. Campbell, who has been connected with the Talladega sheriff's office for five years, said that this outfit was the first one making pure doubled distilled corn liquor he has ever seen raided. Harding and Bryant were released under a $500 bond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Farley and son, Berber, have just returned from Qubec, La., where they visited their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Thimas. They motored through in their car, visiting Meridian, Jackson, and Vicksburg, Miss., and other points of interest. Mr. Farley states the roads are in fairly good condition and lots of miprovements being made. The crops are very giod but need rain badly. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Thimts, who will make them an extended visit.

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For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Watermelons are fine this year. It looks as though some good farmer would take mercy on a one-gallassed editor and present him with a good sample. We have not got a free watermelon this year. Who will start the ball to rolling?

The season for protracted meetings has come. But the season for religious revivals seem to have come and gone. It has been going for several years. People used to hitch up old Jerry and Mike to the wagon and drive miles to big meetings for the purpose of listening to the sermons and getting religion. Now they crank up the Lizzie and drive tens of miles to big meetings just to see the folks and be seen. Men and women used to shout for joy when sinners repented and joined the church. Now it would be a shame to shout even if those steeped in sin should melt to tears and repentance. What has really become of that good, old-time shouting religion?

GREAT SWING TO COOLIDGE AND DAWES

Washington, July 28. — Reports received in Washington from Republican editors throughout the country giving a review of the political situation in their several localities are extremely favorable auguries of a splendid Republican victory in November. The reviews of the political outlook were not given for political effect but as an accurate statement of conditions soon after the three tickets were named. Local public opinion as gathered by editors shows the line of reasoning voters adopt. The fact that Republican editors do not underestimate the possible effect of the Third Party ticket shows that their statements have been made with an effort to picture the situation accurately rather than for the purpose of building up a spirit of optimism.

Briefly summed up, the concensus of opinion gathered from hundreds of letters from editors is that Republicans generally are not only satisfied but highly pleased with the nominees of their party; that there are many Democrats who are dissatisfied with one or the other of their party nominees; that there are many Democrats who will vote for Coolidge and Dawes but no Republican will vote for Davis and Bryan; that there are both Republicans and Democrats who will vote for LaFollette, but that LaFollette will draw far more from the Democrats than from the Republicans; and that the November election will result either in a majority in the electoral college for Coolidge or in no election at all, thus throwing the election into the House of Representatives or the Senate.

The only States in which there is a belief that the third party ticket may prevail are Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, and Montana. But even in these it is not considered at all certain that such will be the outcome. Not in any Western State is the opinion expressed that there is a possibility of the Democratic ticket winning.

Here are a few excerpts from letters from various sections of the country showing the feelings of voters and the reasons why they take the position they do.

From Missouri. "There is an unusually strong feeling among the common people that Coolidge believes he is right and so believing he has and exercises the courage of his convictions. The rank and file admire that kind of a man though they may at times disagree with him. Such a man can be trusted and officials who do command the public confidence are now in demand."

From Michigan: "I have talked with several Democrats here—men who are not active politicians but have been voting and supporting the Democratic ticket consistenly. They like Davis but they like Coolidge and his reputation better and they like the Republican record at Cleveland better than the Democratic record at New York, therefore, they are going to vote for Coolidge. I take it this trend is quite general and I think the disaffection on the farm has been considerably exaggerated."

From Oklahoma: "The results of the late Democratic National Convention will be a distinct aid to the success of the Republican ticket. The spineless and platitudinous platform, the tumultuous and tedious convention, developing bitterness of a nature which will rankle and will not readily be healed; the nomination of Davis as a result of desperation, and coupling him with a man who is the very antithesis of all Mr. Davis stands for; the palpable and puerile effort to placate the erstwhile 'Peerless Leader' by the nomination of his obscure brother—all must have their effect upon the thinking voters of the country, and we still believe there are enough such to have a considerable effect upon the ultimate result. The Republican ticket represents the spirit of the best elements in this country today who are anxious for a business-like, honest, economical government. Economy is the watchword, and the purpose and administration of Calvin Coolidge in that regard are beyond criticism. Dawes undoubtedly adds strength to the ticket. Predictions of the effect of the LaFollette Third Party candidacy are mainly based on wild guesses."

From Kansas: "The fearless stand of President Coolidge on all public questions has banished all doubt with the people of this country regardless of political affiliation to the extent that I do not believe there is the least question that he will poll an exceedingly heavy vote among the Democrats at the fall election. I have had many life-long Democrats tell me they are going to vote for him in November."

From Nebraska: "Nonimating Governor Bryan on the Democratic ticket will not detract from President Coolidge. It means a split in the pink vote."

From South Dakota: "If public sentiment can be judged by the talk on the streets, Davis will run third in the race. The Democrats can not stomach Davis."

From North Dakota: "The fight in North Dakota will be between Coolidge and LaFollette. The radical element of the Republican Party is strong for the Wisconsin Senator but at that I think Coolidge will have a chance to win. People are beginning to realize that our President is a man of works instead of words and that he is consistant in his efforts at tax reduction."

From Texas: "Within the last thirty days I have traveled in many parts of Texas and everywhere I have heard leading Democrats declare the purpose to vote for Coolidge. I have never known such universal faith bestowed on any national character as seemes to be reposed in Mr. Coolidge by the masses of the people of this State, without regard to party affiliations."

From Nevada: "So far as Nevada is concerned McAdoo was the favorite of the Democracy. The nomination of Davis will I believe, send a considerable vote, mostly from the Democratic ranks to the LaFollette ticket making the prospect of winning the State for Coolidge very good."

From Colorado: "I have been noting in the editorial tone of my Democratic exchanges as they came in the past few days and find very little spontaneous commendation of the result of the New York convention. I have yet to find a conscientious Democrat who believes that their candidate has a chance to win in the coming election. The country seemes to be perfectly satisfied with Coolidge and the success attained by the Republican Administration and I believe Coolidge will poll the normal Republican votes as well as a great many Democrats. The LaFollette movement will draw more from the strength of the Democratic candidates than from the Republicans. Republicans generally are contented. Democrats are disconted and will refuse to get solidly and enthusiastically behind their ticket."

From Arkansas: "Political lines are so plainly drawn that even he with half a mind may easily find natural affiliation, and the coterie of parties and isms make all the more resplendent the candidacy of Coolidge and Dawes as safe and sane leaders of patriotic Americans. In Arkansas there is a surprising sentiment for Coolidge and his policies."

From Pennsylvania: "On the whole we hear that the nomination of Davis and Bryan will throw a goodly percentage of Democrats into the Third Party movement but will not take away a single Republican from Coolidge and Dewes. Unless time produces change now unseen Coolidge and Dawes will be elected by a larger vote than that with which Harding won over Cox, and I believe the stressing of what would happen if the election were forced to Congress would add hundreds of thousands of votes to our party by voters who want to make sure that such chaos can not occur."

From up-State New York: "The feeling unmistakably prevalent is that the Democrats have completely shattered the confidence of the people. There is little loyalty to the party expressed in this community. On the other hand there is a wonderfully composed confidence in the character and ability of Calvin Coolidge. The local Democratic town committeeman thinks Davis is a good man, but that everyone has confidence in Coolidge and that he can not be beaten. I agree with him."

From New Jersey: "There are many Democrats here who are going to vote the Coolidge ticket and many are saying that the party has been all shot to b—. Here in this section of New Jersey the voters are nearly all talking Coolidge and that is a strong and convincing indication that his leadership will carry the Republican party to victory."

From Ohio: "In this section Mr. Coolidge seems to be quite popular, even among the Democrats. The LaFollette-Bryan combination will have the effect of solidifying the vote of the sensible people of the country in favor of the Republican ticket as the possibilities expressed that LaFollette will cary enough States to throw the election into the House of Representatives and place the country at the mercy of the insurgent—Democrats will have a deterrent effect as against both the other parties."

From Ohio: "There is admiration more than party-wide for the silent man who shoots straight and plays fair. I personally know a dozen men who fought the President bitterly in the pre-bonus days who declare they will vote for him because he says what he thinks and thinks what he says. And there is something almost Rooseveltian in the personality of General Dawes that attracts and holds the younger men of all parties. This is an agricultural district, peopled with old New England stock, and they have more faith in a structure built brick by brick than by rubbing any Aladdin's lamp. There is little sympathy here for LaFollette and his principles."

From Iowa: "President Coolidge stands high in the estimation of all the people. They like his honesty and thriftness and his determination to save the people's money. Davis is of good Presidential timber but there is nothing about him to appeal to a Republican above Coolidge."

From Iowa: "Davis is a strong man personally but will not appeal to Western Democrats who will turn to LaFollette in large numbers in the cities and towns. Most Republicans will stay with their ticket as they admire Coolidge for his stand for economy and his courage of conviction. Democrats are not satisfied. Republicans are."

From Wyoming: "The situation could not be better so far as Republicans ae concerned. The Democratic Party is defeated before it starts in. LaFollette has no construtive appeal to anybody that would be with us at election time. The people gennerally are much pleased with Coolidge and Dawes, have every confidence in them, and desire them to be the President and Vice President."

From New Hampshire: "I have had a number of dyed-in-the-wool Democrats tell me they are for Coolidge first, last and all the time, and I think a big majority of the people will be found in line for him on election day in November."

From Connecticut: "In attempting to satisfy all of their widely separated factions, the Democrats seem to have satisfied none. The people want a continuation of the sort of administration that Calvin Coolidge has given them thus far."

From Illinois: "The people feel that both the Republican candidates are honest, capable, loyal American citizens. What more could the vote ask for? The rank and file over the country have a deep-seated conviction that Coolidge is safe and that he will not spend two dollars where one will do the work. I have talked with many Democrats in this section who are going to vote for Coolidge."

Form Montana: "Democrats in number have stated their intention to vote for Coolidge because they consider him a level-headed, conscientious President. Even the ex-service men give him credit for having the courage of his convictions."

From California: "Unless there is a tremendous and totally unexpected reversal of public opinion 'twixt now and election, California will go overwhelmingly for Coolidge and Dawes. Democrats are disgusted. Nothing to worry about in the Pacific Coast States. I hear a world of Collidge and Dawes talk and much favorable comment upon them, whereas I hear nothing but condemnation for the other ticket. Do not think I am basing this on my conversation with my friends who are Republicans, but, on the contrary, have talked with many Democrats, and have based my opinion on this."

From Oregon: "Have yet to hear a Democrat say Davis has a chance."

DEAD BRAINS

FARM FACTS

When silver has become scratched rub it with a piece of chamois dipped in oil.

Farm boys and girls grew over $1,988,000 worth of crops in 1923 in their 4-H club demostrations under the supervision of their county demonstration agents.

"I culled 20 hens out of my flock of 63 without a reduction in egg production."—H. H. Williamson, County Agent, Escambia County.

The per capita consumption of fluid milk in the United States in 1923 was 53 gallons or 1.16 pints daily per person. In 1922 the per capita was 50 gallons, and 49 gallons in 1921.

Our cotton average in Alabama this year is the same as last 3,190,000 acres. Acres in corn is 3,056,000 compared with 2,967,000 in 1923.

The present peach crop in Georgia is officially estimated at 7,568,000 bushels, which is 1,000,000 above the pevious high record for that State.

ATTENDS CHEVROLET MEET IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Mr. Sie Foshee, salesman for Polk Brothers, went over to Atlanta last Friday an attended the Convention of Chevrolet Salesmen held in that city. The convention was given by the Atlanta branch of Chevrolet sales to the salesmen and dealers of Alabama and Georgia.

The program consisted of speeches by men of ability on the methods of salesmanship for Chevrolet cars. At the noon hour lunch was served to 86 salesmen and dealers.

Mr. Foshee reports that he had a very enjoyable and instructive trip. He says that he can sell more Chevrolets now, after having attended this convention.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of July 27, 1898.

Rain, rain, we are having more than plenty of rain.

Numbers of hogs run at large on the streets of Clanton, and they won't even go home to die. Twenty-six dead hogs have been hauled off the streets within the last sixteen days.

Judge Horne is in Chilton County with Louis Pearsons and General Shelley. They are investigating our kaolin deposits in the eastern part of the county.

Passed teachers examination:—Life certificates—R. E. R. Hicks, J. W. Moore; First Grade—Connor Wilson, H. A. Harris; Third Grade—W. S. Wilson, V. J. Gragg, R. O. Headley, P. M. McKee, J. B. Jones, St. Clair Thornton.

Mr. Forest Potts was home in Clanton Sunday.

At a ball game here Tuesday Jemison walloped Clanton 21 to 4.

Married this week—J. H. Wright and Miss Ellen Bradley; W. H. Wilson and Miss A. L. Devaughn; B. F. Boyd and Miss Alice Gray; Rubert Hughes and Miss Rebecca Bradley; Jooh Campbell and Miss Emma Lee McGraw

SPENDING THE WEEK ON COOSA RIVER FISHING

Mr. W. M. Wyatt came down to Clanton from Fort Payne last Friday. This week he, together with K. M. Vinson, T. G. Wyatt, J. M. Wyatt and others are spending the week at their camp near the mouth of Walnut Creek fishing. At this writing, we had not heard what luck they were having, but we venture to say that they are having a nice time on the outing, whether they are catching many fish or not. Among their paraphernalia they have a Johnson Detachable motor with them to take them from hook to hook and to glide around up an down the river at leisure times. We are sure that they are having some fun. The editor of The Union - Banner hopes to join them the last of the week.

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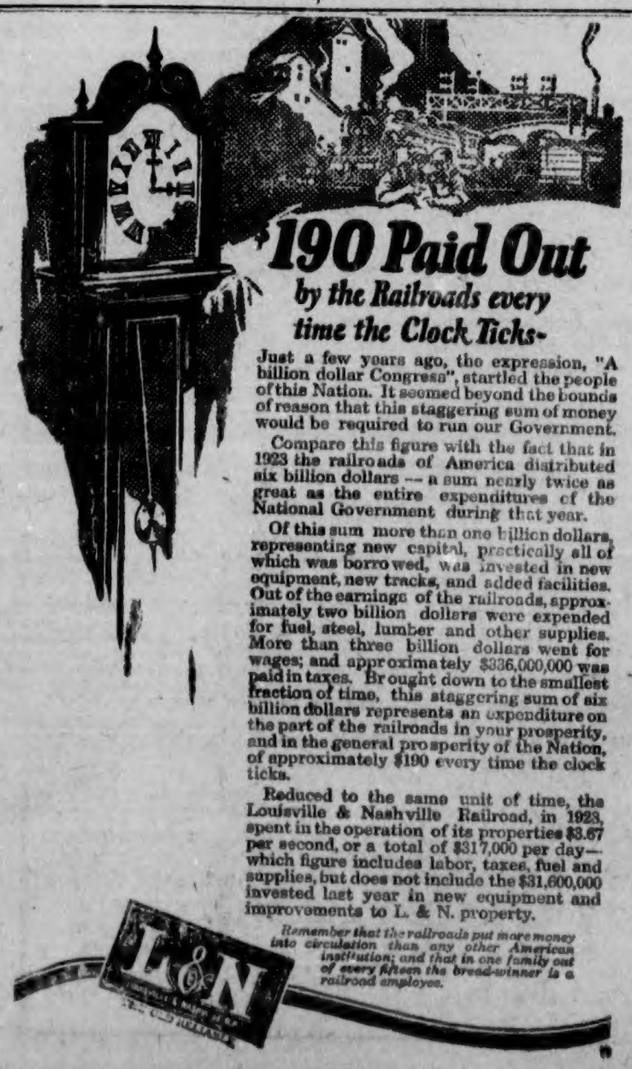

190 Paid Out by the Railroads every time the Clock Ticks-

Just a few years ago, the expression, "A billion dollar Congress", startled the people of this Nation. It seemed beyond the bounds of reason that this staggering sum of money would be required to run our Government.

Compare this figure with the fact that in 1923 the railroads of America distributed six billion dollars — a sum nearly twice as great as the entire expenditures of the National Government during that year.

Of this sum more than one billion dollars, representing new capital, practically all of which was borrowed, was invested in new equipment, new tracks, and added facilities. Out of the earnings of the railroads, approximately two billion dollars were expended for fuel, steel, lumber and other supplies. More than three billion dollars went for wages; and approximately $336,000,000 was paid in taxes. Brought down to the smallest fraction of time, this staggering sum of six billion dollars represents an expenditure on the part of the railroads in your prosperity, and in the general prosperity of the Nation, of approximately $190 every time the clock ticks.

Reduced to the same unit of time, the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, in 1923, spent in the operation of its properties $3.67 per second, or a total of $317,000 per day—which figure includes labor, taxes, fuel and supplies, but does not include the $31,600,000 invested last year in new equipment and improvements to L. & N. property.

Remember that the railroads put more money into circulation than any other American institution; and that in one family out of every fifteen the bread-winner is a railroad employee.

POOR OR

MISSES CROWSON GIVE LAWN PARTY AT JEMISON

The lawn party given by Misses Bertha and Iowa Crowson on Saturday evening was enjoyed by a number of friends. Those who took part in the games were Misses Clara Hayes, Frelon Marcus, Idomae and Nora Lee Leslie, Sudie Crowson, Rosa Nelson, Ruth and Elsa Turner, Ruby Merchant, Bertha and Iowa Crowson, Messrs. Martin Nelson, Tom Leslie, Ted Hayes, Hershell Hayes, Jesse Smith, Dock Sims, Ruffus Childress, William Satterwhite, Leonard Pierce, Marvin Merchant, Bernie Martin, Ruben Crowson.

After playing games, watermelon was served. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowson and others whose names the writer does not know.

FREE SPRINGS

Crops are looking much better as we have had several good rains recently.

Messrs. Roy and Phares Raybon, Randolph Cox, Daniel Prim and Truly Brown had a most enjoyable time on their fishing trip last Saturday, they having caught 39 fish. They had fish for their dinner and then brought the largest string of fish home that we have seen in a long time.

Mrs. Bessie Dow of Selma is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sam Watson.

Mrs. T. J. Headley and children are spending several days with her mother and father.

J. W. Prim and family from Weogufka spent several days lately with home folks.

Randolph Cox of Plantersville and Daniel Prim of Randolph are spending several days with Roy Raybon.

Virdie Brown has moved back from Perry County and is sawing lumber for Mr. Tobe Posey.

J. C. Prim and W. H. Raybon motored to Clanton Saturday.

We are looking forward to a good meeting next week; so let's don't forget the time and place.

MR. LANDE GONE TO MARKET TO PURCHASE NEW GOODS

Mr. Maurice Lande of the Leader has gone to eastern markets to buy goods for his new store. Before leaving Mr. Lande stated that he was going to buy goods for the cash and will sell them to the people of Chilton county at prices that make you stop, look and listen.

He said that he was going to scour the market for new, first-class dry goods and ready-to-wear, and will assure you that styles and prices will be the best. Wait and see the values he has up his sleeve when he returns from the market.

FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N MOVES TO NEW OFFICES

The office of the Farmers Co-operative Association was moved this week from the second floor of the New Hayes Building, Clanton, to the room recently occupied by Dr. Hayes on the ground floor of the Exchange Hotel building next to Mr. Hugh Jones' store.

This office will be open for business every day from now on and every farmer is invited to come around and get acquainted with us if he is not already acquainted. We will be glad to tell you just how we can help you.

We aim to make this office the business center for the farmers of this county and in the course of time we hope to do practically all of our buying and selling through this office at a very small expense.

Look for our letters in future issues of this paper telling the principles of this our own organization. Then join with your neighbors in the handling of our own business by and for ourselves.

Yours for more profitable farming,
Farmers Co-operative Assn.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

The meeting that had been announced for last Saturday afternoon has been postponed to Saturday of next week, August 9th, at 1:30, p.m. The meeting will be held in the court house in Clanton.

At this meeting Mr. N. H. Brown, chief of the Alabama State Bureau of Markets, will speak on our marketing problems as well as our other farm problems. Also Mr. J. M. Smith of Thorsby and Mr. W. T. Bean of Clanton will speak on strawberry production and marketing.

Remember the date, Saturday, August 9, at 1:30, p.m. Everyone is invited to come.

CONCERT AT WALNUT CREEK CHURCH SATURDAY NIGHT

On next Saturday night, August 2, the music class of Prof. W. M. Devaughn will present for the public's approval a concert at Walnut Creek Church, three miles north-east of Clanton. The program will consist of solos, duets, quartets and choruses. An admission of 25c and 35c will be charged, the proceeds from which will go to the church.

Prof. Devaughn has been teaching a very successful singing school at Walnut for the past few weeks. His enrollment was close to one hundred, and according to reports, the school has been a decided success. The public has a cordial invitation to come out and get a sample of the work that has been done in this school.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

A great family reunion was held last week at Union Chapel, six miles east of Jasper, when the Black family held their annual reunion. This reunion was well attended by hundreds of visitors from every section of the county and some visitors from other counties were present. A feature of the reunion was the picnic lunch served. Several prominent speakers made short addresses.

The Walker County Creamery, one of Walker county's most thriving enterprises, begun making creamery butter last week. This new butter making plant is one of the best equipped in North Alabama. The creamery started with making 75 pounds a day and the business is growing rapidly. According to the officials it will be only a short time before they will be making 250 or 300 pounds daily.

Recent seizure by Sheriff Cazalas of Mobile and his deputies of the liquor amounting to 100 cases aboard the United States Shipping Board boat "Saccarappi" has raised an interesting legal problem. Solicitor Bart Chamberlain announced that he is investigating the matter with a view to finding out whether the state can issue condemnation proceedings against the vessel.

Travel over the Roy bridge on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway can be resumed in about two weeks, according to announcement of Thomas S. Edwards, county engineer. The bridge has been closed to traffic since repairs were started more than two months ago. The bridge will be a free one in the future, it having been taken over by the state and Montgomery county.

The Staples & Cunningham lime works at Limrock have begun operations. The raw material is there in abundance, and this new industry for Jackson county promises to be prosperous and successful. A number of years ago lime was manufactured at that place by F. O. Hurt and this lime was greatly in demand all over the country.

Dr. G. B. Stewart, who owns an apple orchard on Manchester Star Route, near Clar Creek Falls, in Walker county, stated that the outlook for a bumper apple crop this year was bright. Dr. Stewart expects to harvest not less than 4,000 bushels of apples this season, on which he expects to realize upwards of $2 a bushel on an average.

S. V. Bacon and Miss Lillian Held of New York have leased Rahe's lake near Attalla and will convert it into one of the largest pleasure resorts in the state, it is announced. The lake will be enlarged to cover 10 acres and improvements calling for expenditures of $15,0000 will be made.

A petition was docketed with the Public Service commission by the Silver Hill garage, C. N. Anderson, proprietor, seeking permission to establish an electric generating and distribution system in the town of Silver Hill. The petition was set for hearing at Montgomery August 5.

The board of trustees of the Alabama school of trades left Gadsden without having selected a site but will hold another meeting within 10 days to finish the work. It is understood the trustees eliminated all the sites offered except two and one of these will be purchased shortly.

The Chopin club of Mobile, has been busy during the Summer months organizing a symphony orchestra. This orchestra consists of about 30 of Mobile's best musicians. Rehearsals are being held regularly and quite an attractive program will be given the early part of September.

A flag raising ceremony at which Congressman Lamar Jeffers will be the chief speaker, will feature the opening of the annual encampment of the boys and girls 4-H clubs of Cleburne county, which will be held on the Tallapoosa river on August 7, 8 and 9.

The last of the brick kilns ordered built at a meeting of the stockholders of the Alabama Brick and Tile company some months ago at Albany-Decatur, is now completed, bringing the possible production of the plant of the company to twice what it was this time last year.

The Madison county wheel tax, on which something like $11,000 has been collected for the county road fund, has been declared unconstitutional by Judge O. Kyle, in the circuit court, by reason of the fact that it exempts wagons and other vehicles engaged in hauling for the county.

Engineers of the River Falls Power company have been in and around Andalusia this week making a tour of inspection with a view to establishing a substation there.

The Country club, of Centerville gave an elaborate barbecue at Lightsey's lake. This is an annual occasion and was greatly enjoyed by those who were present.

Reports from conservative planters state that the depredation of the boll weevil during the past week is greater than the past five years, in Lowndes

Mr. John C. Hagans of Deatsville was in Clanton Monday. John is a former Chiltonian and he loves to come back home once in a while. While here he subscribed for the Banner so that he can keep up with the happenings back home.

Mr R. N. Roebuck of Maplesville was in Clanton Saturday attending to business.

A "NOBLY" HANDLED CALF

THIS calf, folks, is being "nobly" handled. "Nobly," we said. Not roughly. You see, it's this way. The two fair young maidens pictured with the calf—they had just captured it after a runaway chase—are none other than the Hon. Meriel Catherine Lyttleton and the Hon. Viola Maud Lyttleton, whose mother, the Viscountess Cobham, has just opened a real poultry and live stock business in Kent, England.

It seemes the nobility in England nowadays is shattering tradition after tradition. Some of the ladies of title take their place with the commoners in the House of Parliament while others break loose and try to make a mark for themselves in the commercial world. The action of Viscountess Cobham along the latter line is soon to be emulated by other titled personages it is said.

COUNTY AGENTS ARE IN ANNUAL MEETING

Will Be In Auburn Two Days And Then Go To Farmers Meeting In Montgomery.

Auburn, Ala., July 28.—The county farm and home demonstration agents of Alabama will hold their annual meeting here July 29-30. Heretofore they have spent a week at Auburn at each annual meeting, but this year they will spend two days in Auburn and then go to Montgomery to take part in the annual State Farm Bureau meeting, July 31-August 1.

A special program is being arranged for the county agents while in Auburn. They will make a careful study of experimental work in progress to obtain the latest available information for the farmers in their respective counties. Farmers will accompany the county agents to Auburn to take part in their program, and also to attend the twenty-second annual farmers' summer school which will be in session here during the week.

FIRST '24 BALE SOLD

Season Opener In Cotton Brings 40 Cents A Pound in New York.

New York, July 28.—The first bale of cotton of the 1924 season reached the New York market for sale at auction Monday. It was purchased for the firm of J. S. Bache & Co. at 40 cents a pound. The bale will be shipped to Liverpool and sold there for the benefit of charity.

Patric Harten, Graham Paper Company salesman of Montgomery, was in Clanton selling his line of goods last Friday. Pat is a hustling salesman and he has lots of friends in Clanton.

A. F. Mims of Thorsby was among the visitors to Clanton last week-end

TO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FARM FOR SALE—I have the best 20-acre tract of land in Chilton County, one-half mile from Thorsby depot, and if you want a place like it, see it and the place will tell its own story much better than any adv. in a newspaper, and if you are honest and industrious you can have all the time you want. S. M. ADAMS,
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PRIZES AWARDED BY THE LEADER LAST WEEK

The prizes given away by the Leader, Clanton, M. Lande, Manager, were won by the following parties: One 9 x 12 Rug, Mrs. M. C. Henley, Clanton, Ala.; One 32-piece set of dishes, Mrs. J. T. Ellis, Clanton, Ala.

WALNUT CREEK CEMETERY

All those interested in the cemetery at Walnut Creek are asked to meet there Wednesday, August 6th for the purpose of cleaning off same. Everybody come early and bring tools.

C. D. DUKE
G. N. EASTERLING

CHILDRESS' GRAVEYARD

Those interested in the Childress' Graveyard, also known as Mt. Carmel, are asked to meet there Thursday, Aug. 7, for the purpose of cleaning off same. Bring tools.

M. F. CHILDRESS.

MULLINS CEMETERY

All parties interested in the cemetery at Oll Mullins' are requested to meet there the first Monday in August for the purpose of cleaning off the cemetery. Bring tools to work with.

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He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

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AUCTION SALES

Auction Sales conducted Anywhere, Anytime, Any Place in the State. I will buy anything you have to sell, and sell you anything you want to buy.

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The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

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to tone and strengthen the organs of digestion and elimination, improve appetite, stop sick headaches, relieve biliousness, correct constipation. They act promptly, pleasantly, mildly, yet thoroughly.
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Special $1 and $2 Bargains on Saturday
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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Mrs. Gerald Entertains.

As a special courtesy to her sister Mrs. Horn of Troy, Mrs. L. F. Gerald entertained at a pretty bridge party, on Friday afternoon.

The Gerald Hospitable home was never more attractive than on this bright afternoon. Flowers in a color tone of lavender and yellow gladdened the eye at every turn and an air of cordiality and welcome greeted the guests upon their arrival.

Punch was served by Misses Francis Higgins, and Catheryn Hayes.

Several tables were arranged for Bridge and at the conclusion of the game, Miss Bettie Mullins holding the high score was awarded a Japanese tray, while the honoree was presented a hand-painted salt and pepper stand.

Later in the afternoon a lovely salad plate with iced tea was served.

Party For Visitor.

One of the loveliest bridge parties of this season was the one given by Mrs. Watts Moore and Miss Kathleen Mullins last Thursday morning complimenting Mrs. Amzi Gowan of Brewton. The Mullins home presented a scene of beauty on this occasion with decorations of summer flowers. The living room was attractive with red roses while the other rooms had an attractive arrangement of zenias. Six tables were arranged for the game and the high score prize, score pads, went to Mrs. N. S. Johnson. The guest prize, score pads and talley to match, was given Mrs. Gowan.

At noon a lovely luncheon plate with grape juice was served.

Mr. Arden Allen and Mr. Bootwright from Birmingham were visitors to Clanton last week.

Mrs. Victor Heard and daughter, Mary, are visiting in Opelika this week.

Mr. Joe Maddox made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds are spending this week with relatives in Montgomery.

Jack Hayes left this week for Roanoke, where he will spend the rest of the ball season with that team.

Miss Ruth Splawn from Leeds arrived Wednesday for a few days visit to Miss Jean Johnson.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins has as her guest this week her niece, Mrs. Hudson, from East Point, Ga.

Miss Ruby Armstrong returned home Monday from a week's visit to Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Horn have returned to their home in Troy, after several weeks visit to the latter's mother and sister in Clanton.

Mr. M. M. Biles was called to McMinville, Tenn., Sunday on account of serious illness of his mother.

William Hester is spending this week in the Magic City.

Mr. M. Lande is away this week in Chicago buying fall goods.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Misses Lessie and Willodean Reynolds, have returned from a delightful motor trip to Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mr. Grady Heflin spent the week end with relatives in Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reynolds motored to Montgomery Wednesday for a couple of days.

Mrs. Amzi Gowan and children returned home in Brewton Friday, after a visit of several weeks to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

Joe Luckie made a visit to the Capital City Wednesday.

Sam Upchurch and Earle Ellis left Wednesday for a visit to relatives in Dothan.

Card Club Meets.

A very delightful affair of last Wednesday was the meeting of the card blub at the home of Mrs. Hance Alred. Tables were arranged on the spaceous porch, which was given an added touch of beauty by an arrangement of pot plants, wall vases and other cut flowers. During the game the hostess served a refreshing beverage, and afterwards served a tempting salad plate with tea. The club prize, congress cards, was won by Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Besides the club members, the favored friends were Mesdames Amzi Gowan, Watts Moore, John VanDerveer, Alex Richards, Philip Horn, Toy Parsons, Clifford Mullins and Miss Lurline Harper.

Mrs. Hubert Gardner from Birmingham arrived Tuesday for a visit to her mother, Mrs. Prince.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Robinson were visitors to the Capital city Thursday.

Miss Lurline Minor returned home Monday from a week's visit to the Magic City.

After spending his vacation with his mother and grand mother here, Mr. Wallace Jones returned to Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. Asbury Sandlin from Birmingham was the guest of relatives here several days last week.

Mrs. Guy Roberts spent Sunday with relatives in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Toy Parsons of Mobile left Friday after a few days visit to Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds.

Miss Erin Danforth returned home Sunday from a visit to relatives in Attalla.

Mrs. Wilbert Hayes left last week for a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Floyd in Clayton.

Mrs. P. I. Hopkins and son, Percy, Jr., from Dothan, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. W. Z. Hodges and Bill Hodges were visitors to Montgomery on last Thursday.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"Th' cheerful guy is a popular bloke whether he amounts to anything or not"

TAILOR MAKES VALUABLE FIND

After spending $900 for medicine and doctors in four years without getting any benefit for my stomach trouble and bloating I was induced by druggist to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and must say that a $1.25 bottle has done me $500 worth of good." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by Alred Drug Company and druggists everywhere.

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

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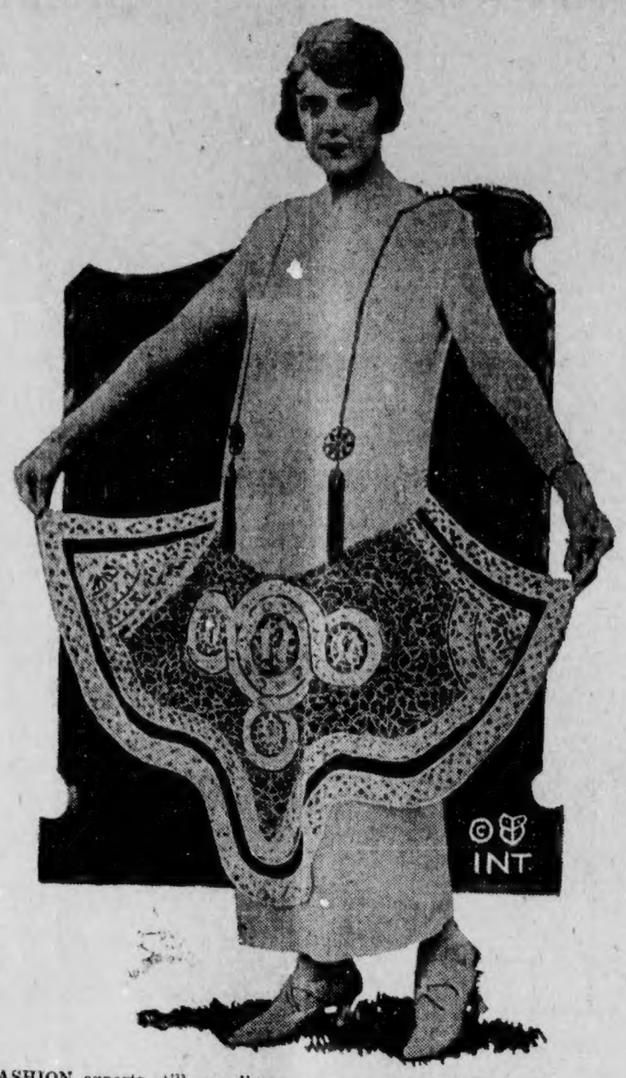
No one need suffer the seasonal recurrence of Chills and Fever, with its terribly weakening effect. Wintersmith's Chill Tonic will kill your Chills and take all the Malaria out of your system. If you are subject to Malaria the best plan is to take Wintersmith's Chill Tonic beforehand. It will often prevent development of the disease. It puts rich, red blood into your veins, giving you the strength necessary to ward off Malaria.

Fifty six years of continued success have made this the standard tonic in thousands of homes throughout the malarial districts of the United States, Central and South America and elsewhere.

The system easily assimilates Wintersmith's Chill Tonic and there are no bad effects on the stomach or nerves. You should have a bottle in your home. Popular size, 60 cents; mammoth size, $1.00. All drug stores. Wintersmith Chemical Company, Inc. Louisville, Ky. ----Adv.

SHOWN AT BRITISH STYLE SHOW



FASHION experts still are discussing the many unsual and novel creations that were shown at the recent Fashion Promenade in London arranged by Princess Galitzine and the Baroness De Stoekl. Photographs of the many charming exhibits have just reached this country.

Amongst them was the one reproduced above. It depicts one of the many gowns which created quite a stir amongst the visitors to the promenade. It's a black and white crepe de chine creation on which red beads were employed as embroidery down the sides. And attached, was the unusual flare skirt of exquisite rich lace—which you see the model gracefully holding.

Quite attractive, dont you think!

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

An educational program for care of children is being carried out in the rural communities by the Jefferson county health department that is proving of great value to the mothers of the various sections. The nurses provided under the Shepherd-Towner bill appropriation makes the educational program possible, and instructive talks are given once every month in each of the populous sections in the county.

After a recent survey the J. B. McCrary Co. has submitted to the town council estimates and plans for a system of water works for Columbiana. One estimate, which includes well, steel tank and pipe lines, places the cost at $29,902.75; while the other, with the well more centrally located, would cost $22,483.19.

The Alabama Public Service commission granted the petition of the Demopolis Telephone company for permission to discontinue its Linden-Old Spring Hill line.

After serving several years as county solicitor of Cleburne county Joe C. Nichols has resigned that post, his resignation having been forwarded to Solicitor James B. Sanford at Talladega.

Grady Reynolds of Clanton, Ala., was appointed by President Coolidge as United States attorney for the middle district of Alabama.

Through the efforts of the Alabama Public Service commission a modification of the decision of the interstate commerce commission in the famous Meridian case affecting rates on cotton, clay, concrete and shale products and gravel, has been recommended in the report of the examiner of the interstate commerce commission who heard the evidence on the request for modification of the original order.

A number of prominent citizens of Columbia, Tenn., visited Decatur to inspect the streets that were put down a dozen or more years ago and which were successfully resurfaced two years ago as well as the construction of the new streets now under way. Members of the party included Mayor Fred Latta, Alderman H. A. Porter and F. M. Chaffin of Columbia.

A good night's rest

There's nothing like it to put you in shape for the day's duties or pleasures.

There's nothing like **Dr. Miles' Nervine** to bring refreshing, restful slumber.

Buy a bottle. If it does not help you, we'll give your money back.

Your druggist sells it at pre-war prices—$1.00 per bottle.

BETHSALEM

We have this week Mr. Goldstein of Prattville, Ala., who is conducting a training course in the Sunday School manual, which we are very glad to have and hope every one will attend that possibly can as we feel and realize we need something like this as it will be a great benefit to the community.

Mr. R. N. Wilkins attended the Road meeting at Clanton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphus Moore visited relatives at Big Springs Saturday and Sunday, and reported a nice time.

Mrs. Docia Vinson and children visited relatives in Montgomery last week.

Mr. Ernest Moore spent Thursday and Friday on business in Montgomery,, while Mrs. Moore visited home folks in Thorsby, Mrs. J. R. Martin, and her sister, Miss Martha Martin returned home with them for a week's visit.

Mr. Robert William's and children visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wilkins Sunday P. M.

Mr. Arthur Wilkins and family and Mr. Goldstein attended the revival meeting at New Cedron Sunday night and reported a large attendance and a splendid sermon.

Mr. Alvin Billingsley and Miss Josephine Vinson motored to Billingsley Sunday.

Mr. Otis and Henry Gilmore and families of Prattville visited their aunt Mrs. Jim Moore Sunday P. M.

Mr and Mrs. Harrison Owens had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Bob Deason of Sardis.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"When th' fish *don't* bite its th' bait or th' weather--when they *do* its th' fisherman---"

Take a Johnson Along and Enjoy the Water

No need to row the boat. Motor boat pleasures are now yours to enjoy at small cost. Everybody who enjoys the water should own a Johnson Outboard Motor. Take one along on your motoring trips and double the pleasure of your outing. No noise. No gasoline fumes. No traffic laws to bother you. The lakes and rivers of the country are yours to enjoy.

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The 35-pound Johnson packs into a suitcase that will slip under a Pullman berth. Yet it has more speed and endurance than any outboard motor made. Quickly attachable to any style boat or canoe. Come in and let us show you the Johnson Motor or, better still, let us demonstrate. Get into the boat and see for yourself.

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Men's Summer Suits

Here it's Mid-Summer—the season's logical buying time for Summer Suits and Haberdashery—the time when we can best afford to let you men in on scores of the season's greatest values.

And those promised values are spread here for your selection NOW! We've sent prices tumbling on everything in the store—yes, everything from Neckwear to Palm Beach Suits and Straw Hats. All marked at figures you can not and will not be offered elsewhere this season.

WE SELL GOOD GOODS—WE PRICE THEM RIGHT.

Clanton Mercantile Company

Clanton, Alabama.

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, January Term, 1923.

To E. C. Watson:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less five acres in the SE corner and five acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of ..... Dollars, principal and interest, and Twelve and 85-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January Term, 1923 of said Court, against E. C. Watson, in favor of officers of the Court, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 11 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named E. C. Watson, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less 5 acres in the SE corner, and 5 acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

This, the 8th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, July 8, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of $1,029.29 principal and interest, and $15.35 cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the February Term, 1917 of said court, against P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews and W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in favor of W. C. Robinson, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 18 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NW¼ of the NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼ Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2 1-2 acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2 1-2 acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

This, the 14th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at court house door, July 14, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court, February Term, 1917.

To P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, in favor of W. C. Robinson, and that said property will be advertised according to law:

The NW¼ of NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼, Sec. 21 Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2 1-2 acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2 1-2 acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-3t Sheriff.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FERRY

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given that I, Harvey Mims, will apply to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to establish a ferry at a point about one mile above Lock 12 across the Coosa River, touching the Chilton bank about the point of R. F. Bates' house and the Coosa bank about the Littleton place. Said ferry will be conducted and managed in the manner and under the laws as provided by the laws of this State governing ferries. Said application will be presented to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County at the session of said court to be held for the first Monday in September, 1924.

This the 28th day of July, 1924.

HARVEY MIMS.

7-31-4t-c. m.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their help and kindness extended to us during the recent illness and death of our dear wife and mother. May God bless you all is our earnest prayer.

W. A. Littlejohn and Children.

Uncle Bob Grant of Coopers was in Clanton a while Tuesday trading.

The Ectobia Germanica

Better known as the ordinary house roach is one of the worst germ and disease carriers known to modern science! They infect food with a vile liquid and are a positive menace. For health's sake rid your house of these dangerous pests TODAY! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

PRESERVING TIME

NOTICE TO THE PEOPLE OF BEAT TWO

All parties having lumber lying along the right-of-way of the public roads in Beat 2, are hereby notified to remove same so that it may not longer continue to interfere with and obstruct work on said roads. Those who fail to comply with this order will be prosecuted.

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County has authorized me to say to the people of Beat 2 that if any parties or groups of people are interested in graveling and fixing up any of the bad places on the roads in Beat 2, that the county will aid them by paying half the expense of such necessary work to put these places in good shape.

In this connection, I wish to reassert what I have often tried to impress upon the people of Beat 2, that I am ready and willing to co-operate with the public in any way, and at any time, for the betterment of our roads.

E. H. FOSHEE,
Road Supervisor Beat 2.

MULBERRY W. M. U.

The ladies of the Mulberry W. M. U. will give an ice cream and chicken supper Saturday night, August 2nd, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Manning, Near Isabella School. The proceeds will go to the Baptist Church of Mulberry. Everybody is invited to come.

The W. M. U. Ladies.

MUSIC SCHOOL AT COOPERS

The undersigned teachers will begin a music school at Coopers, Chestnut Creek, on August 11th, and will continue for a term of 20 days. Those interested in music will have a hearty welcome with us.

Branches of study:—Rudiments, Sight Singing, Ear Training, Voice Culture in class Experimental Directing, Harmony and Composition; Quartet singing a specialty.

L. T. GRANT, Prin.
2c-ch. W. M. DeVAUGHN, Asst.

COMMENTS ON ARTICLE APPEARING LAST WEEK

Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to say that I read with much interest what The Union-Banner said in last week's issue, in regard to Roman Catholics playing a part in the Democratic convention in New York.

I endorse every word in the article. I want to say further that every informed person knows that the Democratic administration from 1912 to 1920 was practically run by Roman Catholics. Woodrow Wilson, in his presidential campaign had a Roman Catholic for his campaign manager; and when elected president, he appointed Joseph Tumulty, a Roman Catholic Jesuit, as his private secretary, and to all appearance delegated to him the privilege of making practically all appointments to official positions under his administration, and as a consequence more than seventy-five percent of all presidential appointees were Roman Catholics and a majority of them were Knights of Columbus, the most ardent band of traitors this country has ever had.

The Roman Catholics dominate the Democratic party nationally; hence it is the duty of every true American to rally to the support of the Republican patry, which has built the greatest nation in the world—the party that will perpetuate the principles of liberty and the maintenance of free speech, and all that pertains to the welfare, pride and honor of this Nation.

Lafayette's warning was this: "If ever the liberties of this country are destroyed, it will be by the Roman Catholic priest."

Beware of the Democratic party, since it has bestowed such honor upon a Roman Catholic as to make him chairman of its national convention, and which also tried to make a Roman Catholic its nominee to be the ruler of this great Nation.

Shame on such principles!

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON.

Subscribe for The Union-Banner.

UNCLE DOCK WELLS AT UNDERWOOD, ALABAMA

Underwood, Ala., July 21, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to write a letter through the Banner to let all the readers know where I am at this time. I am now at Underwood, Ala., where I have some children, Mr. F. M. Eiland and family. I will visit here the week end and will be at Minooka next Sunday, the first.

I am well and having a fine time. I will be back to Clanton some time next week.

Much success to the Banner and all its readers.

As ever, your Brother in Christ,
A. C. WELLS.

ICE CREAM SUPPER AT SHOULTS

There will be an ice cream supper at Shoults School House Saturday night, August 30, 1024. Everybody is invited to come and help us out. Proceeds will be used for the benefit of the church.

Miss Opal Gibson of Birmingham is visiting Miss Lena Mims of Clanton this week.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE OR TRADE for small farm, house and lot in Clanton on Fourth Avenue.—See J .A. M. Jacks. 31-2t-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—112 acres, 45 in cultivation, three dwelling houses and barns, located at Adams Station on M. & O. R. R. Will sell reasonable or exchange for Clanton property.—R. N. Roebuck, Maplesville, Ala., Route 1. 31-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Dry oak stove wood and kindling. Truck load for $4.00, either wood or kindling.—J. J. Headley, Clanton, Ala., Route 6. Peoples phone. 6-1-2m-pd.

LOST—One silver bar pin with one white stone; ; finder return and receive reward at The Leader, Clanton, Ala. 7-17-3t-c

LAND FOR SALE—120 acres, near New Cedron Church in Beat 15, on Cooper and Dixie Road; 55 acres in cultivation, 21 acres fresh land, one cow pasture, some timber, two dwelling houses, plenty out-buildings, will sell at bargain for cash. If interested see or write A. J. Deavers, Billingsley, Route 1. 7-24-3tp

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THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MR. LANDE SAYS

I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

Reducing The High Cost of—"Stockings"

EVERY time Europe springs some new fad you can bet "your sweet life" that if it isn't copied anywhere else in this country, it will be—in Los Angeles, Calif. That is—er—er—by the movie actress there.

Here you see Leatrice Joy, the screen star, having her le-le-lower extremeties all painted up with daffydils or whatever kind of flowers they are that that artist is applying with her nimble brush. And will you look at those movie directors, giving instructions as to how it should be done? 'Tis a hard life, those fellows have —lykell.

One thing about this new European fad, however, is that it's an economical one. The painted decorations take the place of stockings. If it ever becomes universally popular--not that we think it will—husbands will be spending their nights in art schools rather than at the club.

THE TWO EXTREMES

It will be interesting to compare the campaign speeches of Messers. Davis and Bryan. The two men look on many public questions from wholly different viewpoints, and contradictions are likely to be frequent. But, at that, the campaign will be perfectly consistent with the spirit in which the two men were selected. Never was a more complete political somersault turned than when William J. Bryan switched from a denunciation of Mr. Davis to praise of the Davis-Bryan ticket. The reasons that inspired the Commoner to indict Davis and eulogize his brother the day before the nomination was made will move many thousands of other Democrats. Candidate Davis is not likely to stultify himself by altering his principles or habits to accommodate W. J. Bryan, and Candidate Bryan is not likely to depart from the stand that has made him popular with Nebraska Democrats. A lot of intelligent Democrats in the East and in the West are not so facile in their political loyalty as W. J. Bryan has proved himself to be, and will find it impossible to swallow Governor Bryan or Mr. Davis, as the case may be. They are more likely to turn from the whole ticket in disgust and vote for Coolidge and Dawes, whose record they know and whose min s run along together.

CLEANING OFF CLANTON CEMETERY THIS WEEK AND NEXT

We have been requested to announce to the people who own lots in the Clanton Cemetery that this week and next have been set apart for the purpose of cleaning off such lots. The town officials are co-operating with the people in this move, and everybody is urged to do their part. If you have a lot in the cemetery, you will be expected to clean it off.

ATTENDING FARMERS MEETING AT AUBURN THIS WEEK

A card from Mr. J. N. Dennis says that he arrived in Auburn Tuesday to attend a farmers meeting at that place. Mr. Dennis' card reads:

"I found Calvin Parrish and the son of Mrs. M. J. Robinson and Dr. Caldwell of Chilton County at Auburn. J. M. Grant and myself came today. J. N. DENNIS."

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Allen from Centreville were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. McSwain.

WHAT TEN MILLION FORDS MEAN TO THE SOUTHLAND

Close on the heels of the Ford Motor Company's recent announcement of the production of the ten millionth Ford, comes the information that during the first six months of 1924 over a million Fords were built and sold.

Just what this means to the South is strickingly shown by the fact that during the past year the Ford Motor Company purchased in the South materials totaling over $41,300,000.00 while the local plant on Ponce de Leon Avenue buys in Atlanta alone over a quarter of a million dollars worth of merchandise annually.

Cotton, the staple product of the South, runs second only to steel in value, five million dollars worth of woven cotton, and three million dollars worth of raw, waste cotton being purchased during the period mentioned.

Steel tops the list with a figure well over twenty-three million dollars, and other contributions of the Sunny South to this monumental industry range from sulphuric acid to sponges and fire brick.

These figures take into consideration only materials purchased direct by the Ford Motor Company and does not include raw materials purchased by the Company's supplies to be fabricated and put into assemblies prior to the Ford Motor Company.

Another item of interest is the fact that each working day in the year an average of forty-two freight cars are loaded and unloaded at the Atlanta plant, keeping one entire train crew busy practically all the time. In keeping with the high standard of efficiency in other departments, the cars are unloaded on one side and immediately loaded on the other, thus elimating switching and obviating the possibility of delay due to lack of rolling equipment.

PROVIDENCE, BEAT 13

There will be an all day singing at Providence, in Beat 13, Sunday, August 10th. The 1924 new books are to be used. We cordially invite all directors and lovers of music to come that day and lets make this a real enjoyable day in singing praises to God. Thanking The Union-Banner for this space.

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SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS READY FOR CAMP MEETING

Half a Hundred Tents Have Been Pitched in Clanton for big Camp Meeting of Ala. Conference.

The big camp meeting of the Seventh-Day Adventists begins in Clanton today. About an acre of ground in the Gulledge Grove in the north edge of town has been cleaned off as clean as a pin, and about fifty tents have been erected. The tents are systematically set up in rows with sufficient passage way between them, and the arrangement presents a very neat and attractive appearance.

Thirty-five or forty of the tents are just large enough to accommodate four or five people, and will be used by the different families to live in during the meeting. The lay-out very strikingly resembles an army camp both in size and arrangement—only it is much nicer than amy army camp we have ever visited. The nicest tents available are used throughout. The large tent where the services will be held is in front, being on the corner of the Gulledge lot. One good sized tent is being used to house the books and tracts of the Conference, which will be open certain hours of the day for the benefit of the attendants.

About the most attractive place on the ground is the cafeteria, where meals will be served to those attending the meeting. This place is very beautiful and sanitary in every respect. There are three or four other large tents which will be used for various purposes. In fact, every possible need of those attending the meeting has been amply cared for by those in charge of the arrangement.

The meeting begins on August 7th and will continue for ten days, until the 17th. Some of the best speakers of the Conference will be present to do the preaching and speaking. People of the Adventist faith from all over the South will bring their families here and stay for the camp meeting. Singing and music for the services will be an attractive feature during the ten days.

Following is the daily program:

Rising Bell,	5:30 a.m.
Devotional meeting,	6:00-7:00 a.m.
Young peoples meet,	6:00-7:00 a.m.
Breakfast,	7:15-8:00 a.m.
Family worship,	8:15-9:00 a.m.
Workers' meeting	8:15-9:00 a.m.
Childrens' meeting,	9:15-10:30 a.m.
Bible Study,	9:15-10:30 a.m.
Preaching,	11:00-12:15, a.m.
Dinner,	12:30 p.m.
Special,	1:45-2:30 p.m.
Conference,	2:30-4:30 p.m.
Childrens' meeting,	4:30-5:30 p.m.
Poung peoples meet,	4:30-5:30 p.m.
Lunch,	6:00 p.m.
Song servic,	7:30, p.m.
Preaching,	8:00 p.m.
Retiring Bell,	10:00 p.m.

The first preaching service will be held at 8:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

PASTOR TO OCCUPY PULPIT

We are requested to announce that Rev. S. J. Ezell will be back in Clanton and preach at the Baptist Church Suaday and Sunday night. Rev. Ezell and wife and children have been visiting relatives in Virginia and North Carolina for the past three weeks.

GRADY REYNOLDS FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Last week Col. Grady Reynolds of Clanton was appointed by President Coolidge as District Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama, this appointment, however, being subject to the confirmation of the Senate.

In selecting Mr. Reynolds for this position, the President acted very wisely. The ability of Grady Reynolds so far as law is concerned is unquestioned, he having made an enviable record here as an attorney since graduating from the University school of law ten or twelve years ago.

Also the record of the appointee as a Republican is clear-cut and distinct. He has always stood strictly in line with the party and has worked hard for its success. Mr. Reynolds had the backing of the Republican orginization of Chilton County as well as that of Alabama in the appointment as District Attorney, and the leaders of the party are highly elated over the fact that President Coolidge has seen fit to make this appointment.

Grady Reynolds is the son of Judge L. H. Reynolds, one of the pioneer and leading Republicans of Alabama, and a man who has fought the battle of the party to a fine finish. It is gratifying news and only a just reward to the Judge that his son receive this appointment at the hands of the Republican party in recognition of the loyal and continued support which the party has received from this, its most faithful servant. Judge Reynolds is a true Republican and so is his son, Grady.

THREE IN A ROW

On last Thursday afternoon Clanton baseball fans saw one of the finest exhibitions of the art when Clanton defeated Blocton 5 to 4. The game was hotly contested throughout. In what would have been the last inning Lewis came to bat with two out and needing one score to tie. After letting three balls go by and takifg two strikes he met a fast straight one for a home run. In Blocton's next inning they scored one more. Clanton came in and with the aid of two errors, a hit and a nice sacrifice by Thompson, tallied twice to win a good game.

The second game was a farce, Clanton winning 11 to 2.

On Saturday afternoon the heavy hitting Siulria team came to Clanton, to be trimmed 14 to 3. Walker worked well, although he lived up to his name, passing men in almost every inning. However, a fine strike-out record offset this. Only four safe hits were registered by the Siluria outfit.

Clanton plays Kellerman here today (Thursday). Come and see a good game.

SOLDIERS BONUS PAPERS

The Union-Banner has on hand a limited number of application blanks for Adjusted Compensation for ex-soldiers. If you wish to make application for this adjusted compensation you may obtain the blanks at The Banner office. Mr. Omar Reynolds will assist you in filling out the blank without charge to you.

Mrs. Tom Jones of Birmingham is the charming guest of Mrs. Bob Farley and Mrs. Climma Sorrell this week. She will be accompanied home by her little niece, Miss Myrtle Farley.

DEVAUGHN'S MUSIC SCHOOL CLOSED LAST SATURDAY

A twenty-four days session of Prof. Devaughn's school of music, W. M. Devaughn, principal, was held at Walnut Creek Church, 3 miles east of Clanton, beginning July 7th and ending August 2nd.

Throughout the school, "Work and do Right' was the fundamental law which governed everyone who made up the school.

Prof. W. M. Devaughn is a competent teacher of musical science, who has a store of knowledge which is never exhausted, and a teacher whom we are proud of and are pleased with having had him as our teacher.

At the beginning of the school Prof. Devaughn had no real good singers, but by his unfailing efforts he made the best class in Chilton County. The above fact will be vouched for by everyone who was present at his closing day exercises. Everybody seemed pleased and expressed themselves as being more than pleased with his work in the community.

At the closing Prof. Devaughn was given a unanimous vote to teach for us again next year. He accepted and we welcome his coming.

We, the pupils, desire to take this means of expressing unto Prof. Devaughn our many thanks for his good efforts to make us fit subjects to serve God and humanity musically. We have paid him in dollars and cents but we feel that money cannot pay him, so it behooves us who were subjects of his teaching of the principles of right and musical science to render such service as he has given us to others. Then and not until then will he be paid in full, for words can't express everything he has done for us.

Again, we thank you, Prof. Devaughn, and pray the blessings of God to be with you. We welcome you at any and all times.

HIS PUPILS.

ALBERT ADAMS WRITES REGARDING ROAD WORK

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 5, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to state to the road tax payers of this county, that I think it is time for us to wake up to the discharge of our duties. It looks like to me if our county officers could take your money and hold it till after laying-by time and then hire men and boys who are disabled to work at home, that they could wait with you all till you could bay by and put in your own time when you was not doing anything else. Stop throwing what you have worked for away.

I am not accusing every place of being just like this, for there was men who were able to work and needed to work for the support of their children and could not get a job. I guess it was because they were not any kin to the man who was looking after the road work.

So gentlemen, I think under such conditions as this, we had better get busy and make some change some way or another. There are some little short roads in this country that have not had anything done to them by boys, men nor kin-folks, so please wake up in your minds and let's get rid of such things and get our rights.

A. R. ADAMS.
Clanton, Ala., R.F.D. No. 2.

PLETCHER NEWS

Mrs. R. B. Kennedy of Tuscaloosa spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Caldwell.

Miss Gracie Abbott returned home Monday afternoon, after a visit of two weeks with relatives at Eutaw and Tuscaloosa. She met a host of friends and reports a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Abbott and family of Autaugaville spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rainwater and children of Montgomery spent a few days here last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rainwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tippett and son, Jay, of Clanton spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Pounds.

Miss Jewell Abbott is now spending a few days in Autaugaville visiting her cousin, Miss Kate Abbott.

Little Miss Laverne Garner, who has been visiting her grand mother, Mrs. J. A. Poole, left Sunday for her home in Eutaw.

Miss Bertha Rainwater spent Sunday afternoon with her devoted friend, Miss Gracie Abbott.

Mrs. J. A. Poole left Sunday to spend a few days with her son, Mr. E. J. Poole of Tuscaloosa.
home Sunday from Montgomery, he having been working down there.

Mrs. Eunice Hines of Maplesville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Georgie Jones.

Miss Willie Poole spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Abbott.

Mr. Kent Abbott left Sunday for Autaugaville, where he will work.

WYATT-ROBINSON WEDDING

Last Sunday at the court house Mr. Elijah B. Wyatt was married to Mrs. Callie Robinson. The ceremony was performed by Judge L. H. Reynolds. Both parties are well-known residents of Clanton.

MR. BICE WRITES ABOUT THE FARMERS UNION

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 4, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words more. I promised to write some more about our County Farmers Union last week but I was so busy I could not get to it.

I want to say to the farmers of Chilton county that they should attend our meeting next Saturday. There will be some talks made that will give you the full details of our principles and plans. There won't be any trade cards sold and no fraud practiced like there was in the U. F. of A., and especially the canning factory, and don't let that fraud back you out, for we mean business. There are enough honest people in Chilton County to run an honest business. I am doing all I can to build up our Union but not rob and defraud anyone. I believe everyone who has taken hold has a full intention to be straight and honest in dealing with his fellowman.

We know that the leaders of the United Farmers was fraud from head to foot, but when we see that a man is fraud in our business we should have the power to put him out at once.

There are many people who have asked me what has been done with the canning factory. I want to state to them through your good paper that the plot of land where the house sits has been paid for, but the balance from the back street south is all owned by Dr. Gowan.

If this escapes the waste basket, I will write again, maybe.

I. W. BICE.

IDEAS ON FARMING

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 5, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please let me have space to write a few words as to my ideas about farming. You have noticed in every farm paper articles advising people to stay on the farm. The farm is good for the man who owns his farm and does not have to depend on some one else to help, but if he has to rent and then has to depend on the land owner for help and then live in something that is not fit for a barn, you would be better off at a very small price per day than you would on the farm, for what time you are working your crop you have to live mighty scant, and then after laying by you have got to hunt work and work until gathering time or starve, and then after all have nothing. The man who owns the land gets all the profit if there is any.

A man has to be worth something to prosper on a farm. Men, lets let the man that owns the land farm it himself or sell it, one or the other, or fix it to where renters can live comfortably and give them the chance of having something to live from.

A. R. ADAMS.
Clanton, Ala., R.F.D. No. 2.

PROVIDENCE, BEAT 13

The farmers are looking and feeling much better after the refreshing showers for the past few days. The corn crop now promises to be much better than was once expected. Also cotton bids fair for a good crop, with little sign of the boll weevil. Also other crops are looking well.

Mr. Leonard Melton of Bessemer was a pleasant visitor to friends and relatives in this community the past few days.

Mrs. Iona Watson of North Birmingham is visiting her parents this week.

Mr. Kermitt Woolley and Misses Ida and Fay Woolley had the pleasure of entertaining the following friends at a chicken fry last Thursday evening: Misses Jewell Martin, Margaret Blewster, Alene McCain, Messrs. Berl Martin, Leonard Melton, Clarence McCain, John Gothard and Verl Samons. The fry was held at the home of Mr. H. L. Woolley.

All the people of this community are looking forward to a great day at the all day singing the second Sunday in August, the 10th. Quite a large crowd is expected that day, and some very noted singers and directors. We especially invite the Thorsby quartet class to be with us; also all other singers come and bring your 1924 song books. Come one and all and lets make this a really enjoyable day singing praises to God. Don't forget to bring a well filled basket.

With much success to the Union-Banner and its many readers.

JULY MARRIAGES

J. C. McAfee and Miss Stella McGee.

Tavie Giles and Miss Delila Sanders.

O. W. Giles and Miss Pearl Ella Robinson.

Odie Moore and Miss Farris Greene.

Reid L. Rothell and Miss Noda Avery.

Rener V. James and Miss Hallie Cleckler.

Alvin Driver and Miss Rena Allen.

Ehrman Price and Mrs. Effie Price.

Ollie Powell and Miss Minnie Tracy.

E. B. Wyatt and Mrs. Callie Smith.

REV. P. G. CARTER PREACHES AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. P. G. Carter of Geneva filled the pulpit of the Clanton Baptist Church last Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Carter having formerly been pastor of the Baptist Church, and having been largely responsible for the building of the magnificent church building which Clanton now has, the people here received him very enthusiastically. Rev. Carter preached very interestingly at both the morning and evening services. Very good crowds were out to hear him at both services.

Mrs. Carter was here with the pastor. They came up to Clanton last Friday afternoon, and during their stay here were guests of Dr. and Mrs. V. J. Gragg. They remained over Monday and went with Dr. and Mrs. Gragg down to Mitchell Dam, where they enjoyed a very pleasent outing on the River as well as looking over the excellent workmanship and engineering of Mitchell Dam. Rev. and Mrs. Carter returned to their home in Geneva Tuesday morning.

ISAAC BICE OF BEAT 16 BRINGS IN FIRST OPEN COTTON BOLL

Mr. Isaac Lee Bice of Beat 16 takes the prize this year for having brought in the first open cotton boll. He brought into the Banner office Wednesday morning the first one we have seen this year. The boll was well matured and was of a standard variety.

Mr. Bice states that he has about thirteen acres of cotton this year, and it promises to produce him a good crop. He expects to get six or eight bales from the thirteen acres. He says that he has several bolls in his patch which are cracking open right along. He hopes to get out his first bale within two or three weeks, if the weather remains favorable.

Mr. Bce says that his cotton has not been bothered much by the boll weevils this year, however, a few have been found. No poison has been used to extinguish them.

Isaac lives on the Buddie Robinson place four and a half miles east of Clanton on the Providence road.

George Lett of Route 3 brought in an open boll only a few minutes after Mr. Bice brought his. George said he got his boll the evening before.

UNITED FARMERS MEETING

Next Monday, August 11th will be Farmers Day in Clanton. Two sessions. At 11 a.m. all business and professional men as well as all farmers are especially invited to attend. After dinner, every man and woman that has even been a United Farmer is invited to come, whether you have your dues paid up now or not.

M. W. Lamb and other national officials of the U. F. of A. will be the speakers. This will be the greatest meeting of the season. Don't miss it!

A. B. BAXLEY.

MAN ARRESTED WITH PINT OF WHISKEY

The Sheriff's force last Sunday arrested Percy Crumpton, near Ervin School House, in the north-eastern part of the county. Crumpton had a pint of wildcat booze in his possession when the officers took charge of him. He was arrested and brought to Clanton, but was released on bond.

VOTE IS HEAVY IN PRIMARIES BEING HELD IN 3 STATES

Commanding Lead Reported for Senator Capper, Republican, In Kansas.

Kansas City, Aug. 5.—Voters in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma today nominated their party standard-bearers for the fall elections.

The polls closed late in all the states and indications were that the balloting had been heavy. Long ballots were expected to slow up the gathering and tabulating of returns.

Fair weather greeted the voters and the day passed off quietly despite the heat of the campaigns. The Ku Klux Klan bobbed up in all the states and to observers was regarded as the big factor in Oklahoma, where J. C. Walton, deposed governor and Klan foe, sought the democratic nomination for United States senator against a strong field.

A few scattered returns from Kansas gave Senator Arthur Capper, Republican seeking renomination, a two-to one vote over his two opponents.

A heavy vote was reported in St. Louis, which political observers have predicted would be the pivotal factor in the Missouri primary. The gubernatorial race held the spotlight in Missouri with a heated contest in each party.

A SPORTSMAN'S PARADISE

The Coosa River, with its many islands, lagoons, etc., now affords a veritable sportman's paradise. While going down any of the many creeks and branches emptying into the river one may see many kinds of wild birds, game, etc. These tributaries afford the very finest of fishing places.

To enjoy this wonderful spot of nature to the fullest extent, one must have a boat equipped with a motor. This enables one to reach the particular spot he wants quickly and easily. No tiresome rowing or paddling to mar the day's pleasure. With one of these wonderful little machines, one may hunt or fish anywhere from Gadsden to Mitchell Dam, and by going up all the small waterways leading into the river, he has an almost unlimited hunting and fishing ground.

Then, on Sunday afternoon one may take his family or a bunch of his friends to the most pleasant rides. Motor-boating surpasses by far the easiest riding automobile, and with a good boat on the smooth surface of the Coosa, danger is reduced to the minimum.

REVIAL MEETING AT THORSBY BAPTIST CHURCH AUGUST 10

Beginning Sunday, August 10th, Pastor John L. Whorton will preach at the Thorsby Baptist Church. Jimmy Gorman, the boy soloist, will sing each evening. Music will be in the charge of a special director. The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

Mrs. Ed Goodgame, Mrs. Bob Farley and Miss Mary Lowe motored to Coopers Sunday afternoon, and report a good rain there. The reason they knew, they were in it all.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Our people do most of their trading in Denver, a city of about 10,000 population, four miles from our home. Seated in their auto at the street curb we saw three young and lively girles flittering about a childs' express wagon. Presently a small boy emerged from the adjacent store bearing a small snare drum which he manifetly knew how to play. This smallest member of the group between exhibitions of his skill as a drummer, assumed charge of the wagon and monitored a lively discussion as who should ride and who should pull.

It soon became evident that both he and the drum were to have prominent seats in the vehicle and others were privileged to bestow themselves as best as they could. There was semblance of quarreling, but an abundance of chatter interspersed with beating of the drum. Finally one of the girls seated herself in the end of high school age, fine specimens out, another took a likewise position on one side, while the boy and his drum settled themselves in the front and one small girl played horse, when all was ready they started off to the lively music of the loudly beating drum, and the enjoyment of "Happy childhoods hour".

We have mentioned at times some places where wild life abounds, one day last week in one of our rides we were passing through a wooded gulch with a narrow road at the bottom. Just ahead of our car we noticed a commotion in the road which proved to be a hawk trying to get away with a rabbit he had just caught, the approach of the car spoiled his plans and he was compelled to leave his quarry and get out of the road to save his life.

Another pretty picture we saw in Dover was two girls, evidently twins, of high school age, fine specimens of vigorous young life, dessed exactly alike in some shimmering white material which flutterd in the wind accenting their rapid walk. Each carried a book in their hands and they were evidently bound for the nearby public library, for they soon came back, apparantly unconscious of the attention which they attracted, so unlike two other girls we once saw in the same place, who were costumed, bewigged and painted, evidently out for no other purpose than to attract attentoin. The one a beautiful picture to be remembered, the other anything but pleasing to lovers of the pure and good.

One of the recently established institutions of New York is the Sunday afternoon Church Services by Radio, under the auspices of the Greater New York Federatoin of Churches, a co-operative undenominational, or rather inter-denominational, organization of Christain people.

Each Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock representives of one or more of the churches comprising the organization conduct church services at the studio of WEAF Radio station, which means the Western Union Telegraph and quarters in New York.

We do not know to what extent they use the Telephone wires to carry the Radiocasting to a greater distance than other Radio stations, which do not have such equipment can do, but since the whole object of the undertaking is to reach as large a radio audience as possible, and the fact that these services are held at an hour when their Telephone lines are least apt to be busy, we may believe they seek to cover as large an area as possible.

Last Sunday afternoon the preacher was Rev. Eugene C. Carter, associate Pastor of the Park Ave. Babtist Church New York, assisted by the Radio Quartette Choir, Two Tenor Soloist and a Harpist.

All singing was accompanied by the Harp. First the Choir sang "Let The Savior In" and "Shall We Meet". Next there was a trio played by three Trumpeters, the name of this we did not get and the selection was not familiar to us, a Tenor voice sang "Jesus Savior Pilot Me" and was accompanied by Harp and Choir. After the sermon and Bendiction, another Tenor sang "O That I Knew Where I Might Find Him" and the Choir sang "He that Watcheth the Sparrows; I know is watching o'er me."

The portion of Scripture read was taken as a whole by Rev. Carter for a text Phillipians 4-8. "Finally, brethren, Whatsoever things are True, whatsoever things are honorable, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virture, and if there be any praise, think on these things." Without being a stenographer it will not be possible to give a verbatim report of the sermon.

The speaker pointed out how necessary it is to make an effort to find the truth by choosing for our companions thoughts that have Christ like qualities. We cannot contemplate God or anything good if mind is filled with evil thoughts and desires. If we "Give Place to the devil" he is pretty sure to occupy it, to the exclusion of anything good.

When Zaccheus found he was to small to see Jesus amid the curious throng he found a vantage point in the Sycamore tree, where he could have an unobstructed view. He made an effort to see Jesus and put consideration of all other matters aside, and yet he was probably a very much surprised man when jesus stopped and called to him to come down, because he wanted to go home with him.

The trouble with people is that their religion is more theory than practice. No one can take this text as the guiding principle of their life and long remain in doubt as to the reality of the presence of the spirit of Jesus Christ among men.

From beginning to end the sermon was a rational appeal to people to seek the truth by establishing the precepts contained in the text gathered by the ripened experience of one who had tested them, for many years under stress and storm, such as falls to the lot of but few in these days.

This service was unique in that, there was no visible audience save those only who served. And yet it is safe to assume that no church service ever carried the Gospel message in song and story to so many hearers. The conception of the whole affair is something sublime, reminding one of the words of Jesus when he said "There is nothing hid that shall not be revealed, and that which is spoken in the ear shall be shouted from the housetop." Another feature of the service is that very many in the audience are not church goers. All classes and kinds of people are Radio fans, and this hitherto unheard of manner of "Sowing The Seed" will no doubt produce a harvest in unlooked for fields. There is still another feature that no doubt would be pleasing to some, It is a free Gospel. There is no opportunity for a collection. The Preachers, The musicians, the singers and the Radio service are all contributed for the good of the cause. Let us hope their labor is not in vain.

Monday night we were treated to a splended Concert program by the United States Marine Band, located at the Sylvan (outdoor) Threatre, in a grove near the Washington Monument at Washington D. C. This is one of the very finest Bands in this country, and the music came to us perfectly. The program was of a varied character caluçated to be satisfying to a mixed audience. One never ceases to wonder at the marvelous attainments already obtained and we read almost daily of improvement devised.

But with al we are having a lot of real enjoyment with the two babies in Sereno's family, Jean Louise 3½ years old and Robert Goodwin, about 8 months old. There is something in the touch of baby fingers and the feel of their soft bodies. One never tires of watching their development of body and mind. To those long deprived of these pleasures it is indeed a joy to get hold of them.

We heard an interesting account of how some New York babies are cared for. These little ones who come in to the homes of "Cliff Dwellers," as occupants of the great ten to twenty story apartment houses are called. Many of them are welcome to both parents and landlords, but they come and take possession of whatever spaces they need. For many of them there is no place provided in or about these homes, where the little ones can touch the ground or enjoy the beauties of nature. Their only refuge is the city parks, to which they are bundled by the hundreds in baby cabs, carriages, go-carts and express wagons, in charge of young mothers and nurse maids. Here they sleep in the open air or roll on the grass and get close to mother nature.

For many years it has been a practice of several large uptown Department stores to provide a cafetaker, for the babies while their mothers attend the Bargain sales. In order to prevent getting the babies mixed, as they are left outside in whatever conveyance they may be brought in small brass checks are given the mothers and a dublicate attached to the carriage or cart, just as baggage is checked for indentification. This scheme seems to work entirely satisfactory and much trade is secured in this way. Some mothers are timid at first about trusting their little ones to a stranger among a throng of other kiddies, but necessity or the lure of the bargain counter soon overcome their scruples.

"COME VISIT US" SAYS CANADA TO CAL

MAILS are not always reliable, aeroplanes none too safe and you're apt to run out of gas on a deserted country road in an automobile—so Miss Gwendolyn Lazier of Belltesville, Canada, chose a horse to accomplish her mission. You see, kind readers, she was delegated to extend an invitation to Presldent Coolidge asking his attendance at the one hundred and fortieth anniversary of the settling of upper Canada.

In bringing the bid to our president Miss Lazier made the longest horseback ride attempted in more than 50 years. Although only eighteen years of age, she rode the 700 miles from her home to Washington, D. C., alone and in remarkably good time. And people everywhere have been congratulating her since on her daring and adventuresome feat.

In the above photograph, you see Miss Lazier delivering the invitation to President Coolidge Whether or not he will accept, has not been stated.

NEGRO MIGRATION TO NORTH DETRIMENTAL TO ALL LABOR

East St. Louis City Council Passes Resolution Touching on Exodus of Negros From South to North.

The matter of the negros leaving the South and going north hunting high wages and better employment is becoming detrimental not only to the laboror of the South but is stagnating employment in the North as well. The northern cities are becoming aware of the conditions brought about by this exodus and are using their influence to diminish it. Following is a resolution recently passed and adopted by the City Council of East St. Louis, Ill., touching on negro migration:

Resolution

Whereas, It is reported that in the Southern States, especially in the large negro settlements, that statements have been made and circulated to the effect that there is a demand for labor in the North, at high wages, and in some cases inducements of different kinds have been presented to the negro population, which has caused a large immigration of negoes from the South to the North; and,

Whereas, The City of East St. Louis has and is receiving many of these negroes, and a large number of laborers are now out of employment and appealing for work, with no demand for labor of any kind in this vicinity; and,

whearas, if the exodus of the negro population of the South continues it will cause great suffering and want during the remainder of this year, especially during the winter months; therefore,

Be it Resolved by the Council of the City of East St. Louis:

That efforts be made to advise the people of the South the true conditions as exist in reference to labor demands, and use consistent efforts to offset and prevent any further misrepresentations that induce the negroes to seek the North for employment.

Be it Furtiher Resolved, That copies of this resolution be printed and distributed through the Southern States to advise and offset the former misrepresentations that have been made to its people that has caused the large exodus of negroes.

Signed: July 14th, 1924.

M. M. STEPHENS, Mayor.

Passed and recorded July 14, 1924.

Attest: John J. Hallihan, City Clerk.

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

Whereas, the President has approved the holding of a defense test in the continental limits of the United States on September 12, 1924, the sixth anniversary of our great victory at the battle of St. Mihiel, and believing thaf the defense of a country in time of war depends upon its volunteer or citizen soldiery who should be properly organized and equipped, and that our country should be prepared to defend itself, and believing in the plan suggested by General Pershing in time of peace to have an organization composed of the Regular Army, the National Guard and the Reserve, properly organized and equipped for defense, and believing that such organization would be less exptnsive to the national Government than a large standing army, and believing that the only way in which to build up this organization is to know from what source we could draw our strength, I heartily concur in the sentiments expressed by Major General David C. Shanks on this subject, and in order to bring this about and have an organization for defense I concur in the plans being prepared and disseminated by the Adjutant-General's Office of Alabama. This movement is not to be of a militaristic character but is merely to represent the requirements of our National Defense policy. The defense test should inform the public of the plans and methods by which American armies will be raised in the event of a national emergency, and it is not intended to encourage war but to prevent war.

Now, Therefore, I, William W. Brandon, Governor of the State of Alabama, do call upon every young man of military age (18 to 45), every religious or patriotic organization, and all true Americans, whether male or female, to lend every effort and assistance in every way possible to make this occasion, our first National Defense Test, a marked success, and I call upon the people of this State on September 12, 1924, at such hour in the afternoon as is convenient in their respective communities where there is established a national Guard or an Organized Reserve Organization, to participate in this patriotic demonstration. The Adjutant General of Alabama will promulgate information as to the ceremonies attendant upon such occasions and I suggest, as indicated by General Shanks, as a part of the ceremonies, to include patriotic music and an invocation for the continued peace and prosperity of the Nation, and a patriotic address by a selected speaker whose theme will be along the lines of the clause of the preamble to the constitution of the United States for the common defense.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the Great State of Alabama, this the 30th day of July, 1924.

Wm. W. BRADON, Governor.

By the Governor:

S. H. BLAN, Secretary of State.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Children's Party Enjoyed.

About forty hand-painted cards were distributed last week urging the host of little friends to attend the birthday party of Cameron McDavid, Jr., when he celebrated his fifth birthday at his home on Saturday afternoon. The little guests were first invited to punch table presided over by Miss Jane Roberts. The punch bowl, placed on the attractive veranda, was prettily embedded in red and yellow zenias. Baskets and vases of the same were attractively arranged on the porch. Numerous juvenile indoor and out-door games were enjoyed. Later in the afternoon the guests were invited into the dining room, which was pretty with a color tone of white and yellow. The central table ornament was the birthday cake holding the lighted tapers and a dainty yellow umbrella suspended from ceiling was caught with crepe papers fastened to the edges of the table, each guest drawing a ribbon that held miniature rakes, hoes and shovels.

The cutting of the birthday cake created much laughter when Miss Ruth Gowan cut the dime, Miss Elizabeth McSwain the button, and Miss Resa Wilson cut the thimble. Favors for the girls were yellow umbrellas, and for the boys come-back balls were used. Cake and cream were served later by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Barney Roberts, Mrs. V. J. Elmore, and Mrs. L. C. Ross. The happy little host was the recipient of numerous gifts and accompanying one was the following:

If wishing and hoping will make things
come true,
There's sure lots of blessings
A - coming to you.

Missionary Society Meets.

The Woman's Missionary Society held its regular social and business meeting at the church on Monday afternoon. Mrs. J. C. Jones presided over the meeting, conducting the devotional exercises. The general routine of business was attended to and reports from outstanding committees were heard. Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, superintendent of supplies, reports that the box to be sent was not sufficient and is being held open for future response. No new business, the meeting adjourned and Circle No. 2 served sandwiches and grape juice.

Card Club Meets.

A lovely meeting of the card club was held at the home of Mrs. John Browder on last Wednesday afternoon. The apartments were made bright with garden flowers. After a series of rubbers, the top score was held by Miss Kathleen Mullins, who was given a couple of decks of Congress cards. Late in the afternoon refreshments in two courses were served.

Rev. and Mrs. P. G. Carter from Geneva have returned home after Rev. Carter filled an appointment in the absence of Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of th Baptist church.

Lecroy - Smith Wedding.

A wedding of interest and one that came as a surprise to their friends was that of Miss Lina Belle Lecroy of Longview to Mr. Kenneth Smith of Mitchell Dam, which occurred at Columbiana Sunday evening, July 15. The bride is a pretty young girl of decided blonde coloring and has a number of friends here where she attended school several winters. Mr. Smith is a promising young man and holds a responsible position with the Alabama Power Company at Mitchell Dam, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins and Miss Marzelle Mullins are spending this week with relatives here.

Mr. Franklin Sartor from Birmingham is the guest of Mr. W. H. Sartor and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lanier from Tallassee were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Hart.

Mrs. Ella McElvaine returned home Monday from a visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. Jake Shepard and daughter, Ruth, from Birmingham, arrived on Monday for a visit to Mrs. J. C. Jones.

Miss Bocalvia Stephens from Greenville is visiting her father, Prof. Stephens here.

Misses Sophia Mullins and Willie Higgins spent Friday shopping in the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wagoner and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Miner spent Sunday and Monday with their daughters at Jacksonville, Ala.

Mrs. T. C. McSwain was a visitor to Montgomery Wednesday.

The many friends of Miss Mary Bess Sims and Rucker Sims will be delighted to learn that they are back home after an operation for appendicitis at St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery.

Miss Frances Fulton of Bessemer is the guest of her aunt, Miss Martha Pyron.

Mrs. John Armstrong returned home Friday from a week's visit to Dr. and Mrs. Roper at Boothton.

Mrs. George Polk and children returned home Thursday from a visit to relatives in Bessemer .

Mr. Grover Rasberry from Birmingham was the guest of Mr. Jim Rasberry Sunday, and they were visitors to Mulberry at a family reunion.

Miss Callie Watts from Jacksonville, Ala., was the guest of Mrs. Sartor and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith from Mitchell Dam were the week end guests of Mrs. Mamie Smith.

Mrs. Dick Hayes returned home Friday from a visit to her parents in Clayton.

Miss Sarah Luckie returned home Friday from a two-weeks visit to Mrs. Clark Harper in Columbus, Ga.

Mr. R. C. McDavid left Tuesday for a business trip to various Florida and east-coast cities, and was accompanied to Tallahassee by his wife and son.

Mrs. Paul Smith and children of Birmingham returned to their home Tuesday afternoon after a visit to Mrs. Mamie Smith.

Misses Gladys Mae and Evelyn Nix from Wilton arrived Tuesday for a visit to friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foshee, Chas. Moore and John Durwood Mullins are spending this week at their camp on Yellow Leaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Biles have returned home from McMinville, Tennessee, accompanied by Mr. Biles' mother.

Miss Mamie Smith, who spent last week with relatives in Montgomery and Fitzpatrick returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Brownie Hudson and children left Sunday for their home in East Point, Ga., after a couple of weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

Mrs. P. T. Hinkle left Tuesday for a visit to friends in Birmingham.

Mr. V. J. Elmore left Tuesday for New York, where he will buy fall goods for Elmore's and the Chicago Sales Company.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade is spending a few days with relatives in Columbiana.

Mrs. Reese Mullins has been away for several days at the St. Louus markets.

Mrs. V. J. Elmore and little daughter are spending this week in the Magic City.

Mr. Ingram Davis of Montgomery is stopping over for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis, enroute to Pittsburg, Pa., where he will complete a course in architecture.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ruffin have returned from a week's visit to relatives in Elmore County.

Mr. John L. Gore from Columbus, Ga., is spending this week with his family in Clanton.

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For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

THE GET-OUT-THE-VOTE CLUB

In order to assure organized effort to get out the "stay-at-home vote" next November, there has been organized at Washington a "National Get-Out-The-Vote Club". This organization will assist in the formation of local clubs throughout the country, without regard to party lines, all working to the one end of inducing all voters to register and to vote. Many voters do not go to the polls on election day because they have failed to register and it is either impossible or very difficult to qualify on election day unless previously registered. In order to make its work most effective, this new club will begin its work early and induce citizens to register, thus removing all reason for failing to go to the polls when the ballots are to be marked.

In the statement of its purposes, the National Get-Out-The-Vote Club says: "The purpose of this organization is to aid by all practicable and efficient means a full registration and vote of all qualified American citizens throughout the United States. It is our purpose to enroll members and enlist active workers in state, congressional district, county and local organizations, regardless of political affiliations and to secure the patriotic servic and cooperation of both individual citezins and all classes if social, civic,political and business organizations; to arouse public sentiment by the distribution of data and literature, to secure the service of public speakers and the public press, to cooperate with public officials and civic and political committees, to promote a campaign of national and state education; and, likewise, to engage in an active and direct measures to secure the registration of voters, to get voters out to the polls," etc.

Quoting from a review compiled by Collier's Weekly, the new organization calls attention to the fact that the stay-at-home habit is increasing. In 1896, 80 per cent of the qualified voters cast ballots; in 1900, 73 per cent; in 1908, 66 per cent; in 1912, 62 per cent; in 1920, less than 50 per cent.

In a recent statement on the subject, Mr. Simon Michelet, of Washington, D. C., who is leading the movement said: "The fact stands, that the enormous stay-at-home vote of today is sufficient to change the result of the presidential election in a vast majority of states. The stay-at-home army of 25,000,000 can elect or defeat any candidate. Upon the ability and efficiency of national and state committees in mobilizing the stay-at-homes and converting tnem to active electors hangs many an election." Concluding another statement on the same subject, he says:

"It is the hope of those behind the present campaign that a large number of men and women of all political parties prominent in public life, and of organizations which have taken up the problem in localities, will shortly be affiliated with the movement for the formation of a nation-wide organization. Until organization plans mature the general office of the National Get-Out-the-Vote Club will be at room 719 Albee Building, Washington, D. C."

Tucson Citizen.—A good thing to use in conjunction with self-government is self-control.

Let's Put It Up On a Pedestal Where The Whole World Can See It

NO TIME TO CHANGE PARTY CONTROL

Washington, July 31.—During the fiscal year ended June 30, under a Republican tariff law, our imports and exports were about double those of 1914, nine months of which was under a Democratic tariff. This record disproves the pessimistic predictions of Democratic leaders when the Republican law was framed. In plain figures our imports increased from $1,894,000,000 in 1914 to $3,557,000,000 in 1924, while our exports increased from $2,365,000,000 to $4,312,000,000. The effort to ascribe this to value increases is futile. Volume increases are marked all along the line. Remember that an American dollar has a larger purchasing power abroad than it had in 1914.

The Democratic tariff law of 1913 was framed with a view to "competitive imports." That was frankly asserted by Representative (now Senator) Oscar Underwood, the father of the measure, who declared "there is not a line of protection in this bill." He erred a trifle in that statement. They took care of certain Southern agricultural products, but put Northern and Western agricultural products on the free list. The Democratic platform framed in New York also declares for "competitive imports." They didn't receive lesson enough in 1913-14, and they imagine the people, because of the huge war sales, have forgotten what happened.

During the fiscal year 1924 the balance in our favor in the exchange of merchandise with the world totaled 755,000,000. In the fiscal year 1913, with a Republican tariff in force (the Payne-Aldrich law) our favorable balance was $653,000,000, so th 1924 record was more than $100,000,000 greater than in 1913. The law framed by Mr. Underwood and his colleagues began to show its caliber in April of the following year, when the balance turned against us. In fact, it started sooner than that. The Underwood law was passed October 3, 1913. In November our favorable balance was $97,000,000; in December, $49,000,000; in January the same; in February, $26,000,000; in March it sank to $5,000,000; and for the next five months the balance was against us, aggregating $39,000,000, or an average of nearly $8,000,000. War orders then began to make themselves manifest, and from then up to and including 1920 our balance sheet showed up strong. There was a great deal of buying all over the world for two years after the war, Europe seeking rehabilitation materials, and Asia and the Latin Americas coming here to buy products unavailable in Europe.

It is beyond credence that the American people will deliberately invite repetition of the experiences of 1914, when 4,000,000 men were out of employment and industry and agriculture were paralyzed. Yet 1914 was but a repetition of 1894-97 under the so-called Wilson law. The situation today is aggravated by the fact that the disparity in wage-scales in the United States and abroad is much greater than in pre-war days; depreciated currencies abroad give the American dollar an enhanced purchasing power; our agricultural sections are but just recovering from the slump due to Democratic deflation and can ill afford to encounter the stiff competition in store for them should a Democratic tariff law be adopted; and industry has only recently been getting back to anything like a normal state of affairs. To disturb that would be to curtail the purchasing power of our working men and render confusion worse confounded.

The Republican party has achieved a great deal for the reconstruction of the country—more in the first two years of its control than in the last two, when the majority in Congress was more nominal than real. We are just about getting down to running heat with fine prospects for a long period of prosperity, if it is not interrupted by a complete change of party and policy. The farmers are getting better prices, and industry is accommodating itself to the economic situation. In the face of all this, "Why Change?"

CAMDEN MAN WRITES ABOUT WOMEN BOBBING HAIR

Gentleman With a Duster Admired Her, But Seemes to Be Afraid Of Her.

(From Montgomery Advertiser)

It is not certain where this up-to-date bob-haired fashion originated. Some say in the slums of Paris, some say in New York, but all seem to agree that it was brought into existence by lazy, frivolous women. A woman with beautiful hair who in too indolent to brush it and keep it in the condition the poets raved about, does not derserve to be pretty—and she is not. With some women the hair is the only feature of which they can boast. The Bible says long hair is a woman's glory. There are many references in the Bible indicating that woman should remain as God made her—the most beautiful creature on earth. But women are rebelious and cause more trouble in the world than all the rest of creation.

The bobbed haired woman dates back to the times of Lycurgus, the old Spartan lawgiver, when the hair of the young bride was cut close about her head.

Mother Eve may or may not have had her hair bobbed. At any rate she was the cause of Adam losing his Eden, and Abraham's wife was the cause of his telling his first lie, also his son, Isaac's wife, was the cause of that dutiful son's departure from the truth. All bobbed-haired women, no doubt! Who was it caused Jacob to act the lie to deceive his old blind father? A woman! And the bobbed-haired Rebekah was the cause of Jacob swindling his uncle out of a number of cows besides robbing his brother of his inheritance by profiteering in a mess of hash. And man has not quite robbed his brother until this day.

Did you ever read the distruction of Tyre? Open the Bible at the book of Isaiah and read what that old man has to say of the bobbed-haired women of his day. If the women of that day did not bob their hair, they had the same spirit of the present day women who bob their hair. Tyre was destroyed by this same bob haired spirit—the spirit of pleasure. This same spirit has destroyed more cities and nations than anything in this world.

Take history at the present day and go back as far as it reaches and you will see that the idolators of pleasure and fashion have brought destruction to themselves. The bobbed-haired spirit.

It is said bobbed hair is so much cooler and much less trouble. It is so easy to render an excuse for self. Is it less trouble to smear your face with paint and powder and cold cream, and ruin your lips with the lip-stick than to leave that complexion as God made it? Oh, the bobbed-haired spirit is an abomination. Read First Timothy, fifth chapter and sixth verse.

Oh, shucks! Get your Bible and read the laws, regulations and commandements. All the wealth of information you need is there, and the spirit of the bobbed-haired woman is condemned from "kiver to kiver."

But after all, it may be all right. The old folks of today are but the relics of another generation—like stumps of a once lived forest, and the youth of today seemes to be putting on too much life, going too fast for the older set. They ridicule everything that is of the past. They are enjoying their youth of today, not giving a thought of tomorrow when they will become the stumps of a past civilization. They will condemn as the older set of today are condemning.

All of which cannot be changed except the Divine Power steps in and rules against it. The old heads see danger in the spirit of the bobbed-haired woman, or they believe they do. For they say the bobbed-haired woman is a sister of the flapper, and bobbed-haired bandit, who are slackers in homebuilding and are therefore responsible for race suicide if such a disaster ever comes to pass. Apartment houses are full of these painted flappers and bobbed-haired bandits while there are few homes than ever before, compared to population.

Women Prettier, However.

Women are prettier today than ever before when they leave off the paint, powder and cream, and, oh, mercy; when they leave alone that wonderful glory the Bible speaks about, the golden tresses and raven locks, the prettiest feature that woman can possess. They are trying to be woman and man at the same time. They cannot do it. Just as well try to be pretty and ugly at the same time. Then, too, women dress more becomingly today than in any other age, when they do not go to the extreme. Ye Gods, and little fishes! Give us women with a balance wheel in the upstairs of their heads that they may steer clear of all extremes in the styles of today. Real beauty is soul deep and no paint or powder or dress will ever improve it, and time or wrinkles cannot deface it.

But to return to the bobbed-haired woman. Do you really believe bobbing the hair improves the looks of every woman? Is it more comfortable or more sanitary where it is kept in proper condition? How much time and work does it take to brush it and put it in a becomming shape? Would not Solomon have had a motley crew with the hair bobbed from the heads of his seven hundred wives? No doubt he said their heads were gloriously beautiful.

Did you ever see a pony with its maine bobbed? The pony does not look like a horse or a mule. Neither does a woman look like a woman or a man. Then, what does she look like? Do you think she is some pretty creature hard to name? But probably she does not need a name. Men will love her regardless of how she looks or what she does. Let it go at that.

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Press Clippings

Forbes Magazine.—A country that can close its year with a treasury balance of more than $400,000,000, that can collect $1,185,000,000 income taxes in one year, and that can reduce its public debt by $5,250,000,000 in five years is not fertile soil for the growth of pessimism. The U. S. A. is O. K.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—The greatest strides in the perfection of American prosperity have come under Republican administrations — naturally so, for only Republican administrations have adopted policies of tariff protection which is indispensable in the maintenance of American standards of living.

Minneapolis Tribune.—If President Coolidge can not convince the people with a frank presentation of the national case as he sees it, he will at least have maintained his self-respect and kept square with his conscience, and that is a victory for any man.

Omaha Bee.—The New York Times is worried for fear some of the Republican papers will withdraw compliments paid to John W. Davis. No need to. Let them ride, but remember the Republicans offer a man just as good and on a platform that is a good deal better.

Los Angeles Times.—The United States Shipping Board says that there is a British movement on foot to "force" the repeal of the coastwise laws of this country. It is evidently on the wrong foot. That thing was tried in 1812.

Springfield Union.—Hereafter, the Moscow reds inform the world, the official name for Russia is to be Ussr. What they've done to the name is astonishingly like that they've done to the country itself.

Boston Transcript.—Chairman Butler says the Republicans will make it a nation-wide campaign. In other words, there will be no hesitation in arguing a just cause both in the solid South and the radical West.

Marion Star.—Considering the case of Candidate Alton B. Parker, it might be fine political judgment on the part of Candidate Davis to ask Colonel Bryan to support the other fellow.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—A nearby Democratic organ refers to the Davis-Bryan ticket as well balanced. Yes, just as a minus and a plus quantity are balanced—to the point of cancellation.

Macon Telegraph.—It's too bad that Mr. Bryan lost his watch, still it might have been worse. For why should he want to know what time it is? He's not going anywhere.

Providence Journal.—A presidential campaign based on nothing but fault-finding does not deserve to succeed.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of Aug. 3, 1899

Mr. P. E. Wistrand of Thorsby is packing his bag and baggage to go north, by george.

Chilton County Institute met at Maple Springs July 28—29.

A meeting of the stockholders of the South Calera, Minooka and Stumps Hills Railroad Company was held last Saturday at the office of the the Minooka Lumber Company, for the purpose of getting ready for business.

Dr. J. S. Johnson, Jr., died last Friday morning, the 4th, at 9:15.

Mr. E. B. Deason visited Birmingham Monday.

Mr. T. J. Teel brought us in the first cotton boll last Monday.

Mrs. Heath of Jemison spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Judge Adams.

Married this week:—Ellis Rhodes and Miss Sarah Cleckler, J. C. Coggins and Miss Mary Wyatt, I. A. Patrick and Miss Velma Grimes, J. W. Collum and Miss Lizzie Honeycutt, D. R. Garner and Miss Elma Blalock.

Dr. V. J. Gragg and Mack Wyatt went up to Clay Creek last Tuesday fishing. They report fair luck, they having caught about twenty fish in all, including crappies, trout and bream. They did their fishing in Clay Creek, in the mouth of Ray Branch and in the mouth of McSwain Branch. They say they might have caught more fish, but they had a nice time just the same.

Small—But a Positive Menace!

The ordinary house roach is small in size—but a positive menace to your health! They breed with startling rapidity—deposit a vile liquid on everything—destroy food and spread terrible disease. Wipe them out and KEEP them out! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

Main Street *not* Wall Street *~owns the Railroads*

Fifty million Americans---nearly one half of our total population, and more than twice the number that have ever voted in a presidential election---are *directly* interested in railroad securities. Read this statement again, and consider the enormous responsibility that rests with the managements of the carriers in handling such a trust fund.

About two million citizens are owners of railroad stocks and railroad bonds; their names appearing on the record books. The remaining 48 million people are no less owners of these securities, tho somewhat less directly.

Two billion dollars worth of railroad securities are owned by the forty million people who compose the life insurance companies; for 25% of the reserve of these companies has been invested in railroad stocks and bonds.

One out of every four Americans has a savings account, and more than one *billion* dollars of savings-bank funds are invested in railroad securities. The great fire insurance companies, with thirty million policies protecting the property in the United States, are heavy investors in railroad securities.

Remember these things when you hear the railroads attacked by poorly-posted and in some instances vicious people. The welfare of American railroads is your welfare. Help them to continue the splendid work that they are now doing, and remember also that you and your neighbors are the real owners of the railroads.

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ALL REMNANTS AND ODDS AND ENDS MUST GO IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR FALL GOODS. COME EARLY AND GET BEST SELECTIONS.

FREE!
With Every purchase amountiing to $10.00, choice of 1 1 set of plates or 1 set of cups and saucers.

1 lot of Men's low cut Shoes, the very best styles of the season; not full range of sizes but may have yours; Remnant Sale price, the pair $3.98

1 lot of 40-inch Voile in 4-yd. patterns; just the right amount for a dress; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 79c

1 lot of stripe 32-in. Tissue Cloth, just the cloth for cool summer dresses, in 4-yd. dress patterns; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 69c

1 lot of 27-in. Percale or Calico in light and medium dark patterns, in 5-yd. patterns; make nice cool aprons and dresses for summer; Remnant Sale price, the pattern 49c

1 lot of Men's Work Shirts; good grade, cut full and roomy, in blue color, only in sizes 15 1-2 to 17; Remnant Sale price, the shirt 59c

1 lot of little girls' panty dresses, 1 lot of little boys' wash suits and rompers, your choice, Remnant Sale price, the garment 98c

1 lot of Men's Straw Dress Hats, mostly small sizes and only about two dozen left; the first 24 men or boys here Saturday morning gets them, each 59c

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With Every purchase amountiing to $10.00, choice of 1 1 set of plates or 1 set of cups and saucers.

1 lot of Ladies' Bungalow House Dresses, values up to $3.00; your choice, Remnant Sale price $1.49

1 lot of high grade figured Voile, worth 50c yard, in all the very newest summer patterns; Remnant Sale price ,the yard 39c

1 lot of Men's Heavy Grade Overalls, most all sizes, will cost more this fall; Remnant Sale price, the pair $1.49

1 lot of Tub Silk just arrived from New York, in stripes and checks, should bring $2.00 yd.; Remnant Sale price $1.49

1 lot of Dotted Voile, big range of patterns to select from; the most popular cloth of the season; Remnant Sale price, the yard 49c

1 lot of Ladies' White Canvas Oxfords, also in the strap trimmed in black, only a few left; Remnant Sale price, the pair $1.98

1 lot of 1-strap Slippers in patent leather and in tan or chocolate color, vici kid in all sizes; Remnana Sale price, the pair $2.39

1 lot of the very popular patent Sandles; not the cheap kind but the good kind, white kid lined; Remnant Sale price, the pr. $3.98

1 lot of Lace Remnants in 1 to 3 and 4 yards, ecrue and white; sold up to 10c yard; Remnant Sale price, the yard 4c

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CENTER HILL NEWS

Our Sunday School at Center Hill is progressing nicely.

Mr. Florence Retherford, who is track-walker for the L. & N. on this section was painfully injured last Saturday morning. He was standing beside the railroad track when a motor car came by. A large wrench flew from the fast-moving car and struck Mr. Retherford's leg, nearly breaking it.

Quite a number of our people attended the old-time singing at Centerville last Thursday. They reported a nice time.

Miss Franklin Cobb entertained quite a number of her friends at a birthday party given at her home last Saturday night.

The old-time singing at Center Hill Sunday afternoon was good. Fair attendance and fine singing.

Something ought to be done to keep automobiles from running so fast over the highways. There should be a law regulating the speed not to exceed 20 miles per hour. If the cars of those caught violating this law were taken and confiscated, so much dangerous speeding would soon be cut out.

MR. ELMORE LEAVES FOR MARKET

Mr. V. J. Elmore, who is connected with the firms of Chicago Sales Co. and Elmore's, has gone east to buy Fall goods. Mr. Elmore has been making this trip regularly for the past ten years, and has become very familiar with all the eastern and northern markets, which is a big advantage to him in buying goods. These firms are strong believers in having one price, selling for cash and paying cash. With cash you can always find bargains; of course, this accounts for the big values offered by these stores.

ANCIENT METHOD OF PUNISHMENT

CIVILIZATOIN, as many know from reading newspapers accounts, has not made very rapid progress in China. The Oriental country of milliins still adhere to many ancient forms of punishment for its prisoners.

Witness the wooden yoke or "Cangue," as they call it, in which the three Chinese women, pictured above, are "serving their time." This method of dealing out a penalty to women is reminiscent of the manner in which supposed witches were punished here in this country in colonial days.

Three-Fourths Foreign Born!

Noted scientist states that three-fourths of all roaches in this country are of foreign origin. They all carry germs, spread disease and are a serious menace to your health! They must be wiped out NOW! Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder toray. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL CLOSED AT NEW CEDRON THURSDAY

The revival service at New Cedron closed last Thursday night. Rev. Marion W. Mims, the pastor, did the preaching, and the meeting was a grand success from every standpoint. Good crowds attended all the services, and a fine spirit was manifest throughout the meeting. Four members were added to the church, two of whom were for Baptism. The ordinance of Baptism will be administered by the pastor the fourth Sunday in this month.

During the protracted meeting three deacons were ordained. They were Mr. Ed. Edwards, Mr. Dock Owens and Mr. Marion Wagoner.

CORINTH CEMETERY

Those interested in the cemetery at Corinth will meet there Thursday, Aug. 14th, 1924, for the purpose of cleaning off same. All are requested to bring sufficient tools to work with.

W. B. Jones, P. M. Jones, Com.

Mrs. V. J. Elmore and little daughter, Olive Rainer, will spend several days with friends in Birmingham, while Mr. Elmore is gone to market.

WOMAN THINKS SHE CAN'T TALK ENOUGH

"I had gall stones for 14 years and suffered severely from gas, colic and indigestion. Doctors wanted me to go to the hospital, but I took Mayr's Wonderful Remedy instead, and am now feeling fine and better than I ever did. I can't talk enough about this remedy." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

TWO GOOD SAMARITANS

It pays to advertise. It even pays a newspaper to advertise. The good Samaritan was Mr. J. Levi Dennis of Clanton, Route 6. The watermelon was small but sweet, oh gee. The Dear Old Banner still has hosts of friends; all they need is just to be reminded a little.

Mr. Charley Cooper of Route 7 greeted us with two nice melons Saturday. He said that he could not eat all those nice, juicy melons which he had without sharing them with the one-gallassed editor of The Union-Banner. It is a mighty fine thing to have friends to call upon in times of need. We thank you both Mr. Dennis and Mr. Cooper.

SINGING AT NEW HARMONY

There will be an all-day Sacred Harp singing at New Harmony church, near Lomax, the third Sunday in August. Everybody invited. Bring well filled baskets.

THE SECRETARY.

Rev. Marion W. Mims of Verbena was in Clanton Monday morning attending to business matters.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. R. NORTON, Manager.)

(Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Mgr.)

Mr. Aken Mims and his sister, Mrs. Sarah Murray, spent Tuesday at the home of W. H. Goodgame. Mr. Mims, whose home is near Mobile, is spending some time visiting relatives.

Mrs. Louis Robinson and son, Sylvester, visited in Thorsby Sunday. Mrs. Pete Franklin accompanied Mrs. Robinson home for a week's visit.

The United Singing Society met with the Thorsby Society at the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon. A nice crowd was present. The directors for the afternoon were E. L. Glasscock, Gresham Lowery, Akins Cillins, E. H. Foshee and A. H. Glasscock. The Thorsby quartet favored the society with special music, which was highly enjoyed by all. The society will not meet with the Union Grove society the second Sunday, as all the society has been invited to an all-day singing at Providence on the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Littleton of Wylam visited in Thorsby last Sunday with Mr. Littleton's mother, Mrs. Mary Littleton.

Dr. S. C. Wood returned from Birmingham last Saturday, after taking a 3-weeks surgical course at the Fraternal Hospital.

Miss Eva Mae Parnell returned to her home at Selma Wednesday after spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Miss Jean Moss, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Henning, will return to her home in New York Friday.

Miss Edna Alexander of Enterprise is a visitor at the home of Miss Lorene Graham. Miss Graham entertained a few friends at a rook party Saturday in honor of Miss Alexander.

Mr. Sumner Gerald returned home from Demorest, Ga., Friday. He was accompanied by his sister Miss Agnes Gerald from Birmingham. She returned to Birmingham Monday.

Miss Marie Flummer, who is attending Birmingham Southern College, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Flummer.

Miss Lena Franklin, who is attending Howard College, visited with her parents Sunday.

Rev. S. B. Heath, former pastor of the Baptist church of Thorsby, spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. W. J. Billingsley. Mr. Heath went to Selma Sunday to have charge of the revival meetings which are being held there this week.

Mr. Sumner Gerald entertained a few friends at a rook party Wednesday evening.

Mr. Frank Mastin made a trip to Selma last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald and children spent Sunday with Mr. Gerald's mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. Eugene Davenport of Birmingham is spending a couple of weeks with his mother, Mrs. Robert Davenport.

Mrs. Minor, mother of Mrs. Wm. Billingsley, spent Saturday and Sunday with her.

Mrs. Paul Smith and children are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carter.

Mr. Clifford Peterson and wife and little daughter, accompanied by Mrs. Peterson's sister, Miss Louise George, of Detroit, Mich., motored through last week to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson.

Mr. Frank Nelson came home from Birmingham last week, Tuesday, and spent several days with his family.

Mrs. Heath sister of Mrs. S. M. Adams, spent last Tuesday in Thorsby.

Mr. Herbert Peterson and family are spending the week in Thorsby visiting with relatives.

Mr. Albert Anderson arrived Wednesday morning from North Carolina to visit with his parents for a few weeks.

Miss Christine Bosworth left Sunday to spend a week with her cousins in Birmingham.

Mr. Robert Davenport spent a few days in Thorsby last week.

Miss Anna Werness returned to Birmingham Sunday, after spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Judge S. M. Adams has sold his place south of town to Mr. Prim, father of Mr. R. L. Prim.

Mr. and Mrs. Magne Anderson returned to Thorsby last week after spending several weeks in Birmingham with their daughter, Mrs. Ivey Harn. Mrs. Horn arrived the latter part of the week to spend a month with her parents.

Mrs. Lucile Adams and sister, Louise, and Miss Agnes Leary were the week-end visitors in Thorsby.

Miss Gladys Houghton, a student volunteer worker, spent Sunday in Thorsby taking charge of the services at the Congregational church.

Mrs. Olga Pruitt of Coalmont is spending the week with her father, Mr. A. A. Dahl.

Mrs. Luther Saxon of Columbiana visited with Mrs. Ed Piper last week.

"MEE-OW!"

IF a person were to walk out in the rain or sunshine with a trick umbrella like the one pictured above, somebody would be apt to call the "nut" wagon. But they get away with it over in London where parasols and sunshades, decorated and fabricated in designs similiar to the above, are considered the latest style.

All sorts of fantistic patterns for this purpose, we are told, are being introduced. Tops of umbrellars are being covered with tigers' heads, cat faces, feathers of Pheasants and artistic floral designs. Some are trimmed with ostrich feathers and ermine.

The umbrella shown here was covered with white and black fur—cat, formed and sewed into a cat's face. The eyes were made of painted glass.

"Mee-ow!"

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Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run-down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.

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A WANDERING JAZZ BAND

MEXICO, too, has its surplus jazz bands. Here's a wandering outfit that dispense the young-simply-gotta- keep-moving' musical squaks and groans for what alms it can pick up in towns and cities about the state of San Luis Potosi.

These peons are not much on looks but, they tell us, they sure could teach blase Broadway a thing or two about enlivening, shimmying notes. It reminds one of the "hungry six" of pre-Volstead days. People used to give them what coins they could spare just so they would keep moving and loose them selves and their "sour" notes down the street.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Through July 28, 1924, and since Sept. 30, 1923, the office of State Auditor W. B. Allgood has issued 30,592 state warrants totaling $20,505,200.85. There are still two months remaining of the present fiscal year of the state which will end with the close of business Sept. 30. Through July 28, 1923, the auditor's office issued 28,796 state warrants totaling $17,328,445.32. The total amount of money received by the state through July 28 1924, was $20,786,901.73. This was from Sept. 30 last year. The total amount received for the same period in the last fiscal year was $16,522,933.87. The state started its new fiscal year Oct. 1, 1923, with outstanding and unpaid warrants amounting to $1,034,239.77. Through July 28, 1924 outstanding and unpaid warrants have decreased to $507,393.25 with a total of $372,323.86 actually on hand to pay them.

Twenty applicants who stood examinations before the Alabama Bar association early in July were passed. Those who passed the bar examination were: Harold Price, Tuscaloosa; George Mack Oliver, Montgomery; Joel W. Woodruff, Montgomery; Howard L. Foshee, Clanton; Victor H. Carmichael, Dora; Richard M. Smith, Jr., Birmingham; James Turner Gibson, Jr., Pinson; Coral Wood, Birmingham; Benton L. Britnell, Albany; J. A. Huey, Enterprise; Joseph B. Davis, Ensley; William D. Lavender, Centerville; Thomas T. Twitty, Pelham, Ga.; J. Perry Orr, Hartselle; Lucien D. Gardner, Jr., Montgomery; P. C. Gratix, Mobile; W. Gregory Smith, Birmingham; Bolling Craig Stanley, Birmingham; J. A. Posey, Tuscaloosa, and Claude D. Pepper, Alexander City.

That Jasper is growing rapidly is proven by the 1924 school census as well as an actual census of the town taken in connection with the school census. While not official the census of the entire population of Jasper, taken by the school census enumerators on separate books is accurate. While taking the school census Prof. Jones and his assistant have enumerated the number of people in each house visited within the city limits of Jasper, and have found that the present population of Jasper is 4,483 as compared with 3,246, as reported by the United States census of 1920, a gain of 1,237 since 1920.

NO MORE NIGT SESSIONS OF CIRCUIT COURTS IN ALABAMA

There will be no more night sessions in the circuit courts of Alabama in trial of jury cases, except by agreement of counsel. The new Alabama Code of 1923, makes this provision in section 6672. In the former code it was provided that the courts of the several judicial circuits of the state should not be opened before 11 a. m. of the first Monday set for the trial of jury cases, but there was no provision as to what hour the court should ajourn. The section of the new code, already referred to, retains the provision as to the hour of opening court, but specifies in addition that in any event the court shall not engage in the trial of cases later than 7 p. m. each day except by agreement of counsel. This addition was made by the commission, in revision of the code.

The sweet potato, Baldwin county's most promising and consistent crop, is again proving a winner this year. During a season when cucumbers, Irish potatoes and other staple money producers in the county have failed to materialize owing to seasonal conditions and bad markets, the sweet potato has come through again and is proving a very profitable winner. Prices at the various loading platforms in Baldwin county have been one rise followed by another until now an average prevailing price of around $2.50 a bushel is being paid.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Many plans for the agricultural development of Talladega county are being made by the agricultural committee of the Chamber of Commerce, with P. S. Williams as chairman. In an effort to develop the poultry industry, the board of directors will be asked to send a committee to Morristown, Tenn., to investigate the large poultry markets there and the system with which they are operated. The same committee will also be asked to investigate the hog and dairy industries while on the same mission.

Gadsden has done wonders in stamping out the mosquito menace and Attalla is making rapid strides in that direction, according to E. B. Johnson, malaria control expert of the state health department, who has just completed a thorough inspection in the two cities.

A mass meeting of nearly 300 Butler county citizens unanimously endorsed a proposition calling for an election to levy a three mill tax for general school purposes.

Richard Berry Coleman was found dead in Troy. He had reached the age of 90 years. He was a native of Georgia, but had lived in Pike county for a number of years.

At a meeting of the Tri-Cities Central Labor union at Florence, tentative plans were outlined for an all-day celebration to be staged September 1, Labor Day.

Mr. J. A. Baker left for Birmingham Tusdey morning, where he will remain for a few days.

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POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of ..... Dollars, principal and interest, and Twelve and 85-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January Term, 1923 of said Court, against E. C. Watson, in favor of officers of the Court, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 11 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named E. C. Watson, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NE¼ of the SE¼, less 5 acres in the SE corner, and 5 acres in the SE corner of the SE¼ of the NE¼, all in Sec. 32, Township 24, Range 13.

This, the 8th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, July 8, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said county, was commanded to make the sum of $1,029.29 principal and interest, and $15.35 cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the February Term, 1917 of said court, against P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews and W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in favor of W. C. Robinson, I have levied up and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on **Monday, the 18 day of August, 1924,** all the right, title and interest of the above named P. D. Wilson, E. A. Matthews, W. H. Sartor, Moses Robinson and J. E. Robinson, Sr., in and to the following described real estate, viz:

The NW¼ of the NE¼ and all of SW¼ of NE¼ lying north of Walnut Creek, in Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; the SW¼ of NE¼, Sec. 15, Township 22, Range 14; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; E½ of NW¼, Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of SW¼ Sec. 21, Township 22, Range 15; W½ of NE¼, Sec. 20, Township 22, Range 15; N½ of SE¼, Sec. 24, Township 22, Range 13; SE¼ of SE¼, Sec. 2, Township 23, Range 15; 2½ acres in NE corner of SW¼ of SW¼, 2½ acres in NW corner of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 30, Township 22, Range 16.

This, the 14th day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at court house door, July 14, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
7-17-4t Sheriff.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FERRY

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given that I, Harvey Mims, will apply to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to establish a ferry at a point about one mile above Lock 12 across the Coosa River, touching the Chilton bank about the point of R. F. Bates' house and the Coosa bank about the Littleton place. Said ferry will be conducted and managed in the manner and under the laws as provided by the laws of this State governing ferries. Said application will be presented to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County at the session of said court to be held for the first Monday in September, 1924.

This the 28th day of July, 1924.

HARVEY MIMS.

7-31-4t-c. m.

SHERIFF'S SALE—PERSONALTY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of $221.13, principal and interest, and $19.25, costs of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the August Term, 1921, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of Ross Meehan Foundry Co., against H. M. Mahan, J. A. Mahan, Z. R. Mahan and J. W. Stanfield, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at Clanton, Alabama,

On the 12th day of August, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named H. M. Mahan, J. A. Mahan, Z. R. Mahan and J. W. Stanfield, in and to the following described property, viz:

One Stamping Machine, One Power Drill Press, One International Gasoline Engine, Pullies and Shaftings.

This 31st day of July, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door, July 31, 1924.

1t. T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

LEVY ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court.

To H. M. Mahan, J. A. Mahan, Z. R. Mahan, J. W. Stanfeild, and the Mahan Wagon Brake Co., a Partnership:

You will take notice that I have this 21st day of July, 1924, levied upon the following described property, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for the sum of $240.38, in favor of Ross Meehan Foundry Co., Plaintiff, against H. M. Mahan, J. A. Mahan, Z. R. Mahan and J. W. Stanfield, Defendant, to-wit:

One Power Drill Press, One Stamping Machine, One International Gasoline Engine, two-horse power, Pullies and Shaftings.

1t. T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

FARMERS NOTICE!

Mr. N. H. Brown, Chief of the Bureau of Markets, Ala. Dept. of Agriculture, will be in Clanton next Saturday and will speak at the Court House in Clanton at 1:30 p.m. In addition to Mr. Brown there will be other speakers, including Mr. J. M. Smith of Thorsby and W. T. Bean of Clanton, both of whom will speak on strawberry production and marketing. The other speakers will speak on subjects of interest to all farmers in the county.

Everyone is invited to come. Remember, Saturday, Aug. 9, at 1:30 p.m.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUCCESSFUL ORGANIZATION

All farmers realize that they need to be organized but they are not quite so certain as to just what kind of an organization they should have. In forming the Farmers Co-operative Association the needs and conditions of the farmers of this county were fully considered. This association is founded on the conviction that to fill the present need of the farmers in this county an organization is needed that embodies the features listed below.

We need an organization that:

1. Will market the products of the members and purchase the needs of its members to a better advantage than they could do individually without an organization.

2. Will benefit the members to a larger amount than it will cost them to support the organization.

3. Will be in full control of members at all times.

4. Will be in charge of honest and conscientious men in whom the members have confidence, with all officers handling money under bond.

5. Will keep members informed on all matters connected with the association.

6. Is composed of members who want an organization and will do their individual part in making it successful.

Think these things over. Our only purpose is to have a business establishment of our own for our own mutual benefit and not for the benefit of any individual. If it will help some of us, it will help you and therefore we invite you to think seriously about the six requirements for a successful organization as stated above. Read them several times until you thoroughly understand them. See if you do not think they are the things that are necessary for a successful organization in this county at this time. Compare these requirements to the organizations we have had in the past and you will have at least a partial answer to the question of why they did not measure up to expectations. Of course our organization as at present arranged is not claimed to be perfect but it is under our own control and we can make any changes we find necessary at any time. This is one of its big advantages.

In future letters in this paper we will show how our organization will fulfill the requirements as above outlined.

Elsewhere in this paper you will find an announcement of a meeting to be held in the court house in Clanton Saturday afternoon at 130. The entrance will be free and open to all and everyone will be welcome. Come and bring your neighbors.

Yours for success,

Farmers Co-operative Association.

Destroying Grain Crops!

Terrific damage is being done to your crops by rats! They rob farmers of millions of dollars annually! Don't let them collect money from you! Wipe them out. Exterminate them. Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake DESTROYS all rats! Positive results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

D. W. Ward and wife left Tuesday for Montgomery and Tallassee, where they will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE OR TRADE for small farm, house and lot in Clanton on Fourth Avenue.—See J .A. M. Jacks. 31-2t-pd.

MULE STRAYED—Dark bay horse mule, age about 10 or 12 years, long ears, and mane about 6 inches long, white spot on back where saddle works. Been left about three weeks. Anybody who knows of him please notify Payton Headley, Jemison, Ala., Route 4, Box 38. 7-2t-p

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres, 75 or 80 in cultivation, balance in pasture, well watered; two dwelling houses, one 3-room, one 4-room; outhouse; near Mars Hill Church and school, 5 miles west of Jemison, Ala. See J. D. Holdsomback, Jemison, Ala., R. 3. 8-7-4t-c.

FARM FOR SALE—112 acres, 45 in cultivation, three dwelling houses and barns, located at Adams Station on M. & O. R. R. Will sell reasonable or exchange for Clanton property.—R. N. Roebuck, Maplesville, Ala., Route 1. 31-3t-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—I have the best 20-acre tract of land in Chilton County, one-half mile from Thorsby depot, and if you want a place like it, see it and the place will tell its own story much better than any adv. in a newspaper, and if you are honest and industrious you can have all the time you want. S. M. ADAMS,
7-31-2t-ch Thorsby, Ala.

LAND FOR SALE—120 acres, near New Cedron Church in Beat 15, on Cooper and Dixie Road; 55 acres in cultivation, 21 acres fresh land, one cow pasture, some timber, two dwelling houses, plenty out-buildings, will sell at bargain for cash. If interested see or write A. J. Deavers, Billingsley, Route 1. 7-24-3tp

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Set a New Sales Record

July business of this new and enterprising company set a new sales record for the month of July, which far exceeds that of any past month.

July sales of Woco Pep Motor fuel, Woco Motor Oils and Sunlight Kerosene set a record in July over any past months that is almost alarming. Continuing the enormous increase that has been recorded in the past, the July sales set a new and unexpected peak figure.

According to a statement of John T. Ellis of the Woco Pep Co., they intend to break this July record during the month of August as they will have several new pumps to supply this month over July.

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ONE LOT of blue Work Shirts, special at **48c**
ONE LOT of Bungalow Aprons, $1.25 values, special at **89c**
ONE LOT of Felt House Slippers, $1.25 values, special at **85c**
ONE LOT of Suit Cases, $1.69 values, Saturday only **$1.19**
SPECIAL—7 Bars Export Soap for **25c**
SPECIAL—7 Boxes Grandma Washing Powders for **25c**

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TO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST STEER—Left in May from my place near Mt. Zion, about 2 1-2 yrs. old, black sided with white back and belly, black legs with white stripe around every leg; smooth crop off right ear; has medium horns. Will pay reasonable charges for his return.—E. L. Bolton, Clanton R. 5. 8-7-2t-pd.

MULE STRAYED. — Dark red mare mule, small white spot on back where saddle works, flopped ears, age about 12 years; left my place at Mineral Springs Thursday night, July 31. Any information will be appreciated by Willis Martin, Jemison R. 4. 1tpd

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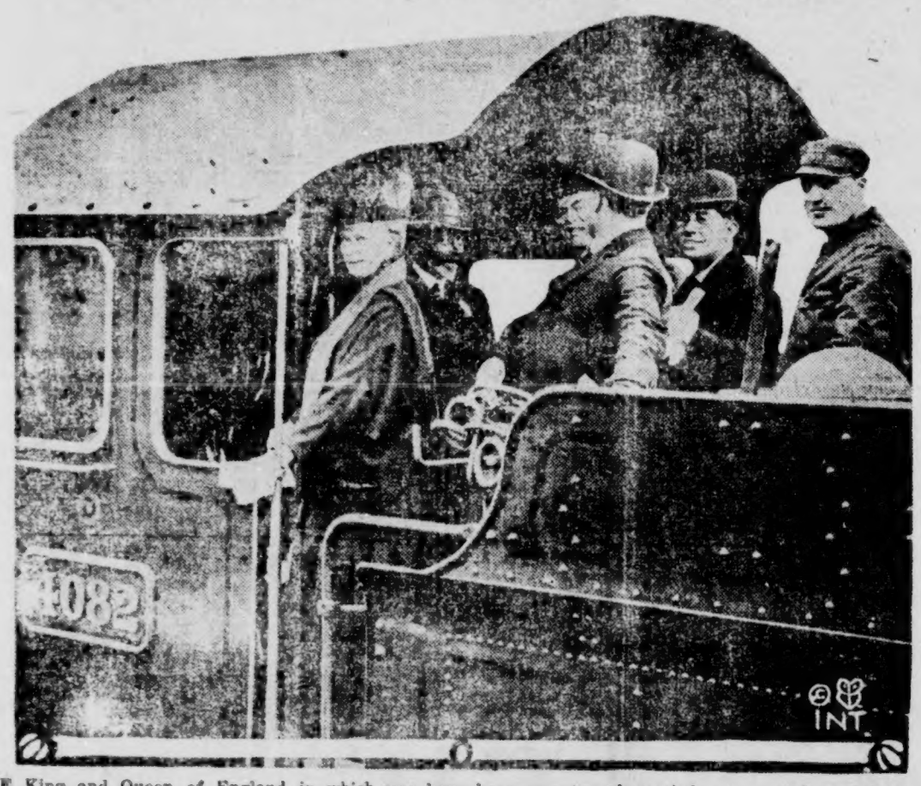

THE King and Queen of England are quite democratic people, we assure you. Glimpse them above, pictured behind the throttle and the rest of the intricate mechanism in the cab of a modern locomotive. Somewhat different from the type of cabs in which you have been accustomed to seeing this popular royal couple photographed, isn't it?

At the time this scene was made, the king and queen were paying a visit, for the first time, to the Great Western Railway Works. There they carried out a number of interesting ceremonies, including an inspection of the locomotive that pulls the Royal Special. And, mind you, King George himself drove the big iron monster into the nearby town of Swindon.

MONTEVALLO CAMPAIGN MAKING VERY GOOD PROGRESS IN CHILTON

Mr. Omar Reynolds, local chairman of the committee in Chilton County for raising funds for the Montevallo Million-Dollar Campaign, has been assisted during the past week in the work here by Mr. M. L. Orr, of the Alabama Colledge. Mr. Orr reports that he has met with gratifying success with the campaign in this county.

Chilton County as a whole has donated $2.100 dollars, $1,300 of which has been donated by citizens of Clanton. Of course all of this amount has not been paid chash, but some of it has been pledged to be paid at certain future dates.

Clanton has responded nobly in the Montevallo campaign, in view of the fact that the people have been considerably drained in the building of the two nice church buildings. But Clanton is always willing to come across with her part in any worthy undertaking.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Sandlin went home Sunday.

Mrs. Bevie Mims was operated on for appendicitis Friday.

Mrs. Annie Paschal was operated on for appendicitis Thursday.

Mr. D. S. Wingard was discharged Wednesday.

Master Tommie Mahan, son of Mr. Ross Mahan, was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday.

Mrs. L. A. Tracy will be able to return home this week.

Mr. Carson Boockholdt is improving nicely since an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Emma Lee Wright was operated on Monday for appendicitis.

Miss Essie Mae Brown was operated on for appendicitis Wednesday morning.

Every patient's room being full, one of the nurses had to give up her room to a patient Wednesday.

Mr. Marvin Sorrell of Clanton and Mr. Jasper Askins of Calera left on Monday for Lakeland, Fla., to take up a job through the winter.

SOUTH CALERA

The Nazarene Tent meeting which has been runnng in Calera for the past two weeks closed Sunday night. A number of new members were added to the church and the community in general was benefitted. Bro. Ellis, an evangelist, has been in Calera during the two weeks.

Mrs. Edna Creel has been the guest of her brother, Mr. W. N. Jones and family for the past few days. She returned home Sunday night.

Miss Nan Rogers who has been in the Birmingham infirmary returned home Sunday afternoon accompanied by her brother, Mr. Roy Rogers. We are very glad she is able to be back home again.

Mr. E. D. Crim after spending the week at home returned to Cherokee Bluffs Saturday to again take up a position.

Mr. Rufus Rogers was home last week from Cherokee Bluffs visiting home folks.

Mrs. Joe Foote of Birmingham was the week-end guest of Miss Lutie Jones.

Mrs. Jessie Cox returned home Saturday after spending a week with relatives at Cox, Ala.

Mr. Tom Walker of Anniston was in South Calera Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Robertson and two children of Pelham were visiting relatives here last week-end.

Little Miss Crowder of Birmingham is the guest of Little Miss Olene Chapel for a few weeks.

Miss Hazel Cox enjoyed a week's vacation visiting relatives and friends at Cox' and Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts of Pelham were visitors to relatives in South Calera Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbelle spent the week end at home visiting her mother.

Mrs. Coheley and daughter Ruth left last week for Piedmont to spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgess motored to Tallassee Saturday returning Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Burgess of Tallassee is the guest of her son, Mr. J. W. Burgess of South Calera this week.

How Many Shares Have You?

B. C. Forbes, one of the country's great financial writers, says:

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

900,000 BALES OF COTTON IS STATE'S PROSPECT IN 1924

Cotton Outlook Fine Expert Declares; Corn Promise Not So Bright In Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Auugst 9, 1924. —Certain conclusions are clearly apparent from the report of crop conditions in Alabama as of August 1st which are of interest to the public in the judgement of F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician. These conclusions are presented herewith:

The cotton report, issued on Aug. 8, indicates a crop of around 900,000 bales. The two weeks intervening since the last report have been on the whole favorable for this crop. Rain has fallen on an average of two and one-half days during the period, and has continued its record of falling in the afternoon and preceded by high temperature and bright sunshine. It is reported that the weevil is only about 65 per cent as numerous as a year ago, and only 75 per cent of the crop seemes to have caught up and now stands about equal to the usual so far as dates are concerned. A fair propotion of the prospective crop is reported as safe in the form of mature bolls; the remainder has a fair chance against the present and probable infestation of weevils to materialize after this date. Of course the prospects are not uniform over the state, the Tennessee valley and the black belt counties showing a somewhat poorer condition than the rest of the State. Some individual counties here and there do not present an entirely favorable situation. On the whole, however, the prospects are perhaps at this time better than at any equivalent date since the weevil infested the state.

On the other hand, the corn crop is not in so promising prospect. Some parts of the state have suffered materially from lack of rain during the month of July and these promise a rather poor yield. The south half of the State has a good corn crop but the north runs from fair to very poor. It is evident at present that many farmers will find their corn supply quite insufficient, while others will have a surplus. The question of distribution of the surplus and the purchase of needed corn becomes very important. Pigs are scarcer in that portion where serplus corn is in prospect, and farmers will naturally be thinking about the advisability of either purchasing feeder pigs or getting ready to sell their corn. In the latter case they will have to decide whether to sell on the open market or to supply lacal demands later in the season. The latter might be more profitable if the individual desires and is in position to hold for the local demand.

Hay crop has also fallen off with the approach of droughty weather, and with little more than the usual acreage available for cutting there will be a demand for hay which the local production cannot furnish. Consequently some of the same questions of distribution will be presented with respect to hay.

The peanut crop looks good for fair to heavy yields. Pig shortage in the peanut belt also emphasizes the importance of distribution of that crop. Harvesting Spanish nuts will begin in a few weeks and farmers will be vitally interested in the market price.

COMMISSIONERS COURT IN SESSION HERE THIS WEEK

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County was in session at the court house in Clanton the first of this week. This was the regular quarterly meeting of the Court, and the general business of the county was attended to at this meeting. The regular monthly meeting for disposing of road matters was not held last week but was postponed to this week so that the quarterly and monthly business might be attended to at one meeting. The board met Monday and their business was not finished until Tuesday afternoon.

CIRCUIT COURT BEGINS TUESDAY OF NEXT WEEK

The regular non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County Convenes at the court house in Clanton next Tuesday, August 19th. Those having cases in this court are requested to be on hand Tuesday morning for the purpose of instituting your case.

OFFICERS GET PINT OF MOONSHINE

Last Saturday the Sheriff's force from Clanton searched the home of Sam Paul Mims, near Refuge and took from his kitchen safe one pint of moonshine whiskey. Mims was arrested and brought to Clanton, where he made bond and was released.

REPUBLICAN IS OUT FOR JUDICIAL PLACE

A Republican aspirant has entered the arena for the office of judge of the eighteenth judicial circuit, comprising the counties of Coosa, Clay and Shelby. Charles W. McKay of Ashland qualified with the Secretary of State Wednesday for this office, as a candidate on the Republican ticket.

Mr. J. E. Ray and family of Dadeville were here the first of the week visiting relatives and attending the revival at Shiloh. Their daughter, Misses Ruby and Deara, will remain here for a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Later when the runners are ready for harvest or consumption in the field growers will find themselves in need of animals to consume the supply. Hog prices have already advanced, and it might be much cheaper to buy feeders now than to wait until they are needed.

Pastures have kept up fairly well, for the reason that most of the heavy pasture sections have received sufficient rainfall.

Peas, soy beans and velvet beans are in good yielding condition and will furnish additional feedstuffs for farm animals. It is doubtful if large quantities of the seed of these crops will be harvested unless the price is very tempting. Labor is not plentiful enough after cotton picking is provided for.

Syrup crops promise quite sufficient supply for local needs in most sections.

Home gardens have been severely hit by drought and are furnishing very little for the table at the present time.

The cash crops of this state promise good volumes. Farmers are now interested in the price. Food crops are in a spotted condition. The real concern now is the lack of feeders in some sections and the question of buying feeds in others.

FARMERS MEETING AT COURT HOUSE LAST SATURDAY

Meeting Fairly Well Attended and Much Interest is Shown in The Work.

The Farmers Co-operative Ass'n had its first general business meeting at the court house in Clanton last Saturday. Sickness, protracted meetings, etc., prevented quite a few from attending the meeting. However, the meeting was well attended in spite of these facts and a decided interest and enthusiasm was shown in the work.

The events leading up to the formation of the organization were reviewd as well as the co-operativemarketing work in this county during the past two years. It was shown here that this county has been unassisted in this work and that all that has been acomplished has been the result of its own efforts and ability. It was brought out that in view of this fact we have every reason to believe that we will have as much success in the future as in the past. In fact the experience and knowledge gained during the past two years will enable us to do this work even more successfully in the future than in the past.

From the report of the progress made by this, the first "home grown" organization of its kind Chilton County has ever seen, it was shown that during the short time in which it has had to grow, more than 160 farmers have joined, with nearly every section of the county represented in its membership. In many communities there has as yet been no special effort to secure membership on account of the fact that no one has been able to take the time this would require. However these communities will receive attention as soon as possible and the membership roll of the organization will receive numerous additions from them.

The methods to be followed in conducting the business of the organization were outlined and the attention of the members present was called to the fact that orders for fall seed especially vetch, should be placed as soon as possible. Buying fruit trees, seed, feed, fertilizer, windows and doors, flour, salt and other articles was discussed as well as selling cotton, cotton seed, chickens and eggs, sweet potatoes, etc. Members were urged to see what they could do thru the association before doing business elsewhere.

The Executive Committee suggested that every member make it his purpose to get at least one member within the next month. This suggestion was endorsed by several members. The committee has decided to offer a prize to the member who takes most applications between now and September 15, providing this member gets at least three members.

At the afternoon meeting several very instructive talks were heard. Mr. N. H. Brown, who was to have been here was prevented from coming by litigations with some Birmingham Commission House with which his time was occupied. However the meeting was filled with good talks by several others. Messers H. R. Oden and J. N. Dennis reported some of their observatations at Auburn during their visit there week before last. Both parties were very enthusiastic over a demonstration they saw showing the effect of vetch as a soil builder.

Following these talks, Mr Wyatt, formely of Clanton but now of Fort Payne, Ala., reported some of the doings of the farmers of DeKalb County. He spoke very highly of the benefit these farmers are receiving from their County Demonstration Agent that was put on in that county during the past year. Mr. Wyatt stated that he was quite sure that the farmers would never be willing to be without a county agent from now on. He also stated that demdnstration agents are doing much more effective work in recent years than they formerly did.

Following Mr. Wyatt's talk, several people spoke of the need for a County Demonstration Agent in this county and voiced the hope that it would not be long before we have one here.

The talk by Mr. J. M. Smith on strawberry production and marketing was listened to with interest and several questions were asked him, showing that there is a demand for information on this subject. Mr. Smith expressed the opinion that there was every reason to believe that Clanton could do as well with strawberries as Thornby is doing and has been doing for a number of years.

The meeting closed with everyone well pleased with the results of the day's meeting and feeling that it had really been the greatest meeting of the season.

Mrs. J. C. Harris and daughter, Pearl, are visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mr. Russell Brown of Gorgas was a visitor to friends here Sunday.

DEFENDS NAME OF FAIR SEX QUESTION OF BOBBING HAIR

Thinks Article in Last Week's Paper By Mr. Holt is Unfair to Fairer Sex.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 10, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space to say a few words in regard to an article in last week's Union-Banner from the Montgomery Advertiser by H. A. Holt on women bobbing their hair.

I think the article as a whole is very degrading to the fairer sex. As to bobbing the hair, I think our women are making a mistake; I do not approve of the style at all.

The article says that Eve was the cause of Adam losing his Eden. Read the second chapter of Genisis and you will find that the law was given to Adam direct from God before Eve was made. We fail to find where Eve ever received the law of the forbidden fruit direct from God; yet she is blamed for Adam's lost state.

The article also says that Abraham's wife was the cause of him telling his first lie. Now, let's see if this is true. The 12th chapter of Genesis says: "And Abraham journeyed from thence toward the south country and dwelled between Kadesh and Shur and sojourned in Gerar, and Abraham said of Sarah his wife, she is my sister. And Abimelech, king of Gerar sent and took Sarah and God came to the king in a dream and told him she was a man's wife, and Sarah was restored back to Abraham." We find also in the same chapter that Abraham and Sarah were brother and sister; and there was no lie told.

The article further states that women are rebelious and cause more trouble in the world than all the rest of creation. If this is true I think we should do them like we have whiskey—vote them out of our country. If they cause more trouble than all other creation combined that makes them the greatest evil on earth. My past experience with the two sexes has taught me that the women are superior to the men when it comes to honor, refinement and virtue. God made Adam from the dust of the earth and put him in the Garden of Eden to keep and dress it; and it appears that he was a failure, when God said it was not good for him to be alone. So He made Eve, but did not make her out of the dust of the earth, but took a rib from Adam's side and made a woman, which appears to be an improvement on the human being.

In the way of refining of humanity, the woman is much fiher featured than the man. Her refinement in home and society excels the man. She preserves home and society. Mother, the noblest creature on earth, takes the babe from its birth and emplants true principles in its early childhood that it never forgets. I have often heard wicked men with tears in their eyes say what good deeds mother did, and how they wished they had taken mother's advice.

Let us not degrade our good women for what a few bobbed haired flappers are doing. I have been riding the street cars in Birmingham almost daily for more than fifteen years, also come in contact with large crowds of men and women on the streets of the city. I never have seen a woman puffing smoke or cursing or under the influence of strong drink, or insulting men. We have some good women and girls who bob their hair. I think it has come just like styles and fashions. The womens dresses of today are far from what they were twenty years ago; so styles and fashions come and go regardless of what men think or say about them.

What are we men going to do when the women begin denouncing, degrading and placing us with the slums of the earth on account of the way we wear our hair?

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON,
301 Bank St., B'ham, Ala.

METHODIST S. S. CONFERENCE TO MEET IN GREENVILLE

Plans are rapidly being perfected for the third annual session of the Methodist Sunday School Conference which has been announced to meet in Greenville, Ala., during September 2, 3, and 4 with expected attendance of over 1,000 workers from central and southern Alabama and west Florida.

Hon. R. H. Mangum of Selma is President of the Conference and Chairman of the Program Committee. Frank T. Herlong of Greenville is Chairman of the General Entertainment Committee.

Clarence M. Dannelly, Superintendent of Sunday School Work in the Alabama Conference (south Alabama and west Florida), announces that the program will shortly be complete for publication and that all evidence appoints to an extraordinarily large attendance.

PLENTY OF SOLDIER BONUS BLANKS AT CLANTON P. O.

Mr. W. M. Bean, postmaster at Clanton tells us that he has at the Clanton post office a full supply of Adjusted Compensation blanks for ex-soldiers. If you were in the army over sixty days you are due adjutsed compensation under this ruling and should call at the post office and get a blank. Bring your discharge along and Mr. Omar Reynolds will assist you in filling out your blank free of charge, and you can get your finger prints taken at the Banner office. There are enough blanks here now to take care of every ex-soldier in the county, so come and get yours fixed up as early as possible.

MR. I. W. BICE WRITES OF FARMERS ORGANIZATIONS

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 11, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Please give me space in your good paper to write a few words concerning the U. F. of A. I wish every farmer could have been where I was ast Saturday and learned what I did plum up to the head of the concerns. Now boys, when I first began blotting out fraud that was practiced in the United Farmers and so much fraud in the canning factory, that some of my best friends came to me and said they thought I was mistaken and I ought not say so much. Now I see a piece in your paper where it seems that they were trying to call the farmers together again, great and wonderful things to be done and so many great speakers. They are like wolves in sheep's clothing, devouring whom they may, and now the same ones who said that I was saying too much have confessed to me that I was right.

I want to say to you boys, that they just want to get another swipe at you, and now if you go ahead and let them gobble you up you will see that I am right again. There is a widow woman in our community who lost $100 in the canning factory, who raised a good sized family and she is a perfect lady. A good portion of the time she had to go on crutches to work and toil to make a living, and if I were guilty of fixing up tricks to fraud such people I would not want my name to appear in the paper or anywhere else where I was known.

Well, I want to say something regarding our Farmers Co-operative Association. Boys, I think I see a bright side to our organization. If you will all come and help us we will be winner yet. I will close with good wishes to the Banner and its many readers.

I. W. BICE.

REVIVAL MEETING AT PROVIDENCE

We have been requested to announce that the revival meeting at Providence, Beat 16, will begin the fifth Sunday in August. The public has a cordal invitation to attend the sevices.

Some of those who are posing as "liberals" would be liberal in using public money to venture in socialistic schemes if they had the chance.

Mrs. M. C. Rutherford and Miss Minnie Rutherford from Montgomery are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. Jim Lowe of Selma visited friends in Clanton, Saturday night and Sunday.

LONG HIGHWAY IS PROPOSED FROM ILLINOIS - FLORIDA

New Chicago-Florida Route Would Pass Through Birmingham And Chilton County

Greenville, Ala., August 9.—J. E. Crump, a representative of the new Chicago-Florida Highway, is in Greenville soliciting the highway.

The new highway leads out from Chicago south to Nashville, to Birmingham, Montgomery, Greenville, Evergreen, Brewton, Pensacola and St. Petersburg.

Chicago, St. Petersburg and Pensacola interests are fostering the association which is log, mark and advertise the route. Communities through which the road passes are asked for financial and moral support of the project and this is the purpose of Mr. Crump's visit to Greenville.

It is said that 400,000 automobiles with an average passenger list of three went into Florida last year. Of this number, 92.8 per cent went through Georgia, Jacksonville and Lake City. This association is endeavoring to induce at least 100,000 cars to come over this Chicogo-Florida Highway the comming Fall.

According to estimation furnished it will cost $100,000 to put the project over and of this amount $50,000 has already been pledged. The remainder is asked from the people along the route.

Promoters of the project will conduct motorcades from two to four times a month over the highway, according to present plans.

W. H. WILSON WRITES IN ANSWER TO ADAMS' LETTER

Editor Union-Banner:

In last week's issue of the Banner I notice that Mr. Albert Adams scems to be very much surprised at the way the road money is being spent and as to who is working the roads. He says the hands are not able to work and that the money is just given to kins-folk, and that he cannot get a job. I will ask him to please answer these questions in the paper next week: Have my kins-folk drawn more money than others have? Have I worked many hands who have not given a day on the road? Who have you tried to get a job with, and how many hands did he have? How many were akin to him? Have you either paid road tax or worked the road? Have you given any time on the road so as to have a good road? Who is it that is trying to work hands who are not able to work and how much time have they put in?

W. H. WILSON.

MRS. CLARA MULLINS GONE TO BUY GOODS FOR FIRM

Mrs. Clara Mullins left Saturday, August 2nd for northern and eastern markets to buy goods for the Clanton Mercantile Company, for which firm she works. Mrs. Mullins is an experienced buyer, and when she returns she will have something of interest to tell the many customers of the Clanton Mercantile Company. Watch the papers for further notice.

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THE JEMISON CONSOLIDATED CSHOOL EXPECTS TO OPEN SEPT. 1, 1924

Editor of the Union Banner.
Clanton Alabama.
Dear Sir:

I wish to ask for a short space through your colums to say a word in regard to the schools of Chilton county and particularly that of Jemison. I am interested in the schools of the county because I have spent one very pleasant year of teaching in the County High School and because I believe there is as good blood in this county as any in the state. I Therefore, I am interested is the success of its boys and girls. And since I am principal of the Jemison school this year it is my ambition to pave the way to success for the boys and girls under its care.

The course of study arranged and selected for the emison Consolidated School this year shall be taught so far as possible to be of maxium value to the extent pursued. This aim is being pushed forward: because of the uncertainty of the time that pupils are in school; because it will serve as an incentive for good work; and because it will aid the pupils in understanding values they are going to do anyway; reveal higher activities and make them both desired and to an entent possible; and make them realize what is worth learning is worth retaining. The duty of the school has been to a large extent fulfilled, then, the "Getting by" attitude will be cast aside and the seriousness of the job realized.

The school is expecting a large enrollment this year. And since the whole policy of compulsory education rises or falls with the ability to make school life an interesting and absorbing experience to the child, we hope to make a great deal of work off the attendance officer. To do this, we must know: what the child has been internally occupied with; what the predominating direction of this intention is; his feelings and disposition. Through the co-operation of teachers, parents, and pupils this can most easily be accomplished. With such hearty cooperation as the Jemison people have thus far given, and with the new addition to the school building, it is to be hoped that this will be the banner year in the history of the school.

Respectfully,
J. A. PETERSON.

Old Folks' Ailments

"I began taking Black-Draught over fifty years ago and my experience with it stretches over a good long time," says Mr. Joe A. Blakemore, a Civil War veteran and former Virginian, who is now a prominent citizen of Floyd, Texas. "It is the best laxative I know of for old people. . . A good many years ago, in Virginia, I used to get bilious and I found that

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CONSERVATION OF WILD LIFE IN ALABAMA

The Conservation, Protection and Propagation of the State's wild life resources are being emphasized more today than ever before.

The sortsman is not alone in his desire to see all forms of protected wild life conserved and increased for his pleasure and benefit.

The State of Alabama takes cognizance of the fact that the wild life resources within its borders have a tremendous economic value, not alone the game birds and animals but the insectivorous birds as well.

Farmers everywhere are begining to realize the economic value of insectivorous birds, and they are ready to co-operate in any reasonable way to secure better protection of those kind that are of proven economic value to agriculture.

In order, therefore, to bring about a more cordial relationship and common understanding among the citizens of Alabama in setting up a conservation program for the future, and assistance in the determination of policeis which should be pursued, I am calling a convention of the citizens of the State to meet in Montgomery September the eleventh to continue in session two days.

It is hoped that every county in the State will be represented at this conference. Each organization should select delegates, and those counties in which game and fish protective associations or conservation clubs have not been organized should organize at once, and select their delegates to attend the convention.

The program for the meeting will be announced later.

I. T. QUINN,
Com. of Game and Fisheries.

WOOD PULP INDUSTRY FOR SOUTHERN STATES

The wood pulp industry is anxious to eztend into the southern states, according to information received by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. Heretofore this industry has been centered chiefly in the northeast because of early accessible supplies of pulp wood and nearness to the center of population. However, the population has extended westward and the requirements for pulp for the manufactue of paper have become spread over a much greater geographical area. The pulp wood of the future must be grown under care and protection. The rapidity of growth is an extremely important factor. Accessibility to market is another. No region in the United States is so admirably adapted to the rapid growth or a large supply of pine pulp wood as the central gulf region, including the state of Alabama. This region also occupies a commanding position from the standpoint of transportation. The only thing needed for an extensive development of the pulp manufacturing industry in this section is assurance that the young timber will be allowed to grow as nature intended. The chief obstacle to its growth is fire. As soon as fire protection is assured, the central gulf region will grow pulp wood at a rate that will supply hundreds if mills. A pulp mill can be operated very economically in connection with a sawmill. The small timber can be thinned out and used for pulp wood while the remaining trees are growing to saw log size. The saw timber grows much more rapidly under such conditions; meanwhile the pulp mill is using what otherwise would be a waste. The State Commission of Forestry regards the pulp industry as one of the greatest fields for development in the entire south.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

A tract of 112 acres in East Gadsden, two miles from the city, has been acquired as a site for the Alabama School of Trades and Industry, according to announcement. It is part of the Paden farm and fronts on the main highway between Gadsden and Anniston. Members of the board of trustees are highly pleased with the location. Dr. John W. Abercrombie state superintendent of education, announced while here that his assistant and engineers of the T. C. I. Co. and of the Alabama Power company would shortly begin work on plans for the building and equipment. The board has $60,000 which is to be put into the main building. It is stated that much of the equipment will be donated by large industrial concerns over the country. It is the intention to get the school started as early as possible.

The full demand of the Southern Underwriters association, necessary to keep Albany and Decatur property as high-class insurance risks, met some months ago by agreement, are now met in fact, with every new water main, every new force pump and all other fire-fighting equipment, including additional fireman, in place and functioning. This news was given out by T. B. Hale, local manager of the Alabama Water company, which furnishes the entire water supply for the Twin Cities, and Mr. Hale's statement was verified by officials of both cities.

Several hundred shopmen of the Central of Georgia Railway company and of the Illinois Central Railroad, of Birmingham and Columbus, held their picnic at Grime's Lake. The families of many of the trainmen attended. The Boys' Industrial School, of Birmingham furnished part of the music. Four extra coaches from Columbus and six from Birmingham furnished transportation for the visitors. In the afternoon Birmingham and Columbus played a baseball game, the Magic City shopment winning easily.

Restoration of depleted oyster areas under provisions of an act of the 1923 legislature, through planting of seed oysters, will be pushed as fast as available funds accrue to the credit of the sea food division of the department of game and fisheries, according to Commissioner I. T. Quinn.

A petition was filed with Alabama Public Service Commission by C. T. Davidson seeking authority to sell his light plant at Helena to the Alabama Power company. The petition was set for hearing September 8.

The Montgomery Chamber of Commerce, through its board of directors called upon the city commission to adopt a traffic ordinance that will relieve the congestion in the down town section. The statement was made that the city had outgrown old ordinances and that one must be adopted that will limit the time for the parking of automobiles in the business section.

Frank A. Vernon, a prominent merchant and farmer of Cusseta, while walking in his sleep stumbled out of the open window of his bedroom and fell to the ground below. In the fall Mr. Vernon landed on his head and shoulders, dislocating one shoulder and sustaining other painful injuries. Fortunately, the injuries are not of a serious injury.

The Birmingham-Montgomery highway, one of the most important roads which will be constructed with state and federal funds, will be ready for use in two years, according to estimates made by W. S. Keller, state highway engineer. Thirty-nine miles are now under construction and contracts for twenty-five miles are yet to be let.

A skilled instructor for the Boy Scout troops of Huntsville and Albany-Decatur has been secured by the Huntsville Rotary club. The instructor, who will report about August 15 will divide his time between Huntsville and the Twin Cities.

The B. and M. Lumber company has closed down its plant at Bay Minette for repairs and enlargement. A new dry kiln, doubling the capacity of the plant, will be erected.

The first bale of new cotton grown in Montgomery county during the present season was sold at 30 cents a pound. It was graded above middling by the warehouse purchasing it.

Engineers of the state highway department are surveying for the Brandon highway between Greenville and Pineapple.

The state gasoline tax for June amounted to $141,036.82. This gives each of the 67 counties $2 1052.62 to be used for road purposes.

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LIBERTY HILL

As I haven't seen any news from this place in quite a while, thought I would write a few words.

Our revival meting began Saturday. We have heard some mighty good sermons and expecting more.

The many friends of Mr. Leonard Culp are glad indeed to see him back at Liberty again, as he has been away for some few weeks.

Misses Mattie and Ernest Sansom returned home Saturday after a week's visit to Maplesville, Route 2.

Mrs. John Minor and children were the guests of Mrs. G. W. Sansom Saturday night.

Miss Senora and Mr. Leonard Culp were the guests of Mr. Duncan Wells Sunday.

Misses Frances Lowery and Maggie Rollins visited Misses Meadie and Mae Sansom Sunday.

Miss Mary Gray from Verbena is spending a few days this week with her cousin, Miss Verbie Dee Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones from Mulberry dined with Mr. J. W. Chambers and family Sunday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Everybody interested in the Mulberry and Isabella Cemeteries will meet us on Thursday, August 21st, for the purpose of cleaning them off; Mulberry in the morning and Isabella in the afternoon.

H. B. ODEN,
T. L. LECROY.

PLEASANT GROVE

My singing school at Pleasant Grove will close next Tuesday, August 19, with an all day singing. All singers and lovers of music are invited. Begins promptly at 9:30 o'clock.

A. D. HUETT.

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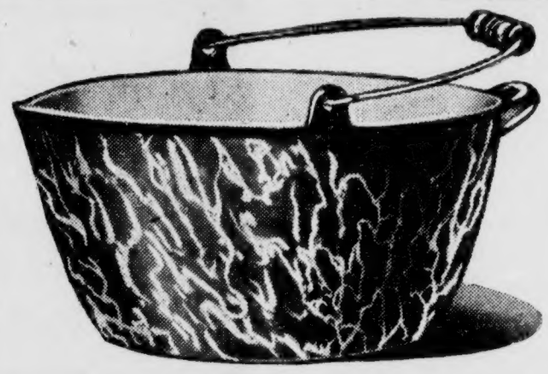

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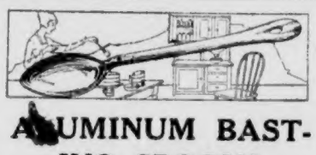

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REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For President of U. S.—
CALVIN COOLIDGE

For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

There are said to be some politicans who were sorry to see the price of wheat go up. It causes their stock to go down.

When Bryan and Davis begin to make speeches we shall see a real tug of war. Here's betting that Bryan can pull Davis over to his side.

The difficulty of adjusting railroad rates according to the value of the commodity is illustrated by the recent rapid advance in the market value of wheat. No transportation system could adjust its rates as rapid as that.

To the farmer the increase in the price of grain is of chief interest because of its return to his bank account. But it ought to be of interest, also, because it demonstrates the falsity of the assertion that low prices of wheat were due to Republican policies. Those policies are still in effect.

In the midst of conditions that the Democratic campaigners tell us are something awful, about 500,000 immigrants came into this country by legal methods last year and another hundred thousand were smuggled in. Strange how some folks want to get into trouble.

Several big meetings are going on in the vicinity of Clanton this week—Methodist meeting at Walnut Creek, Baptist meeting at Liberty Hill, Adventist meeting in Clanton, Holiness meeting two miles north-east of Clanton, and negro Baptist meeting in Clanton. Everybody ought to find a meeting of their particular liking to attend this week.

The public roads of Chilton County are in better shape today than they ever have been before, and most of the people of the county appreciate this fact. Of course, there are a few natural-born knockers who are never pleased with anything and are now found kicking against some phase of the road law or against some particular overseer, but by far the vast majority of the populace of the county is mighty well pleased, and justly so, with the work that is being and has been done on the roads of the county.

The question of bobbed hair is commanding quite a bit of newspaper and pulpit space now-a-days pro and con. Some condemn the custom as being ungodly while others hold that it is a woman's privilege. The style which a woman wears her hair is no index to the condition of her inward soul. She can be straight and wear short hair and she can be crooked and wear long hair. A lady will be a lady regardless of the style of her hair. What we need to worry about is the spiritual condition of our women—and men—and not devte too much discussion to the style of their hair.

President Wilson put the League of Nations into politics by demanding a "solemn referendum" in 1920. We had the referendum, it was solemn, it was decisive. But the Democartic convention felt impelled to gratify the Wilsonites by demanding another referendum, which, however, does not satisfy the followers or Wilson to any extent. The convention tried to satisfy the Wilsonites without offending the Democratic opponents of the League, and, as a result it dissatisfied everybody.

WHY IS IT—

COOLIDGE OR BRYAN

The voters might as well understand that the question they are to decide on next election day is whether they will elect Calvin Coolidge to the Presidency or permit the United States Senates Senate to elect Charles W. Bryan to that office. It becomes increasingly apparent day by day that John W. Davis is practically eliminated from the contest and that the race is actually between Coolidge and Bryan. Democrats the country over should look the fact in the face and form their decisions accordingly.

With a third ticket in the field, fighting both Coolidge and Davis, it is almost a certainty that the latter can not hope to poll a marjority of the election votes that would mean his election. The danger seemes to be that the Democratic and the third party tickets together may garner enough votes to prevent Mr. Coolidge from geting the coveted majority. In that event Mr. Davis would have the grim satisfaction of pulling Mr. Coolidge down with him to defeat, for the House of Representatives into which election would then be thrown would never consent to the election f either man. In its present complexion the balance of power is held by men who would tie the House up in a complete deadlock, particularly so as they would know that by so doing they would assure the election of Mr. Bryan in the Senate.

The results of the general election in the choice of a Vice President would be substantially the same as the Presidential election, and, under Article XII of the Constitution, the Senate would proceed to choose a Vice President, precisely as the House would attempt to choose a President. Governor Bryan's election as Vice President would doubtless be announced after the first ballot.

That would be the situation which the country would face on March 4, 1925, if the popular election of November 4, 1924, failed to produce a marjority of the election votes for Presidtnt Coolidge. Our people would then be regarded with the spectacles of Mr. Bryan being escorted to the White House to receive the keys of the Executive Officers from the departing Mr. Coolidge.

Few people in this country would deliberately oust Mr. Coolidge from the White House and install Governor Bryan in control of the executive branch of the Government for four long years. Yet every voter must settle that question in his own mind before he casts his ballot. Mr. John W. Davis is a highminded man, but let not his friends be deceived into thinking that he can get a majority of the electoral votes and win the election. By casting their ballots for him, his supporters are doing Mr. Davis no good, but are really giving material aid toward elevating Governor Bryan to the Presidential chair.

Under the new State Code, which becomes effective August 17th, children under 15 years of age will be prohibited from driving automobiles on the public highways of the State. The owner of such vehicle shall also be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine, and the license tag may be revoked.

In this day, when automobiles are as thick on the highways and public roads as gnats it is absolutely necessary that very strict traffic regulations be enacted and enforced. The law above mentioned is of paramount importance. Already there have been numbers of automobile wrecks in Chilton County due to children drivers, who are not large enough to control a speedy and high-powered automobile. This is indeed a good law and should be rigidly enforced.

TRUE TO TRADITION

As Vice Presidential candidate on the ticket opposed to President Cooliddge, Govenor Bryan conceives it his duty to make national defense a football of politics. He takes it upon himself to answer the letter of the President addressed to notorious pacifists who were unfairly trying to make it appear that National Defense Day is a warlike gestrue. Mr. Bryan thereby arrays the Democratic party in opposition to the plasn which the officers of the Army have worked out, and align himself and the party of which he is one of the leaders with those who are trying to impair our defense system.

In following that course, Governor Bryan is true to Democratic traditions. In 1916 the party made its bid for the Presidency on the slogan, "He kept us out of war." To give that campaign consistency and make it effective there was almost a complete stoppage of all preparations for national defense, even tho it seemed inevitable that the United States would be drawn into the war raging in Europe. The Democrats won the election, and the following summer the people paid the price. The unpreparedness fostered by the party then in power cost billions of dollars and hundreds of lives in the feverish scramble to get soldiers and material together after war was declared in April 1917.

Mr. Bryan and the pacifists who are inveighing against the observance of National Defense Day are doing everything in their power to put the country back into that state of impotence in which our advent into the great war found it. No one of sound mind thinks for a moment that such a policy will reduce the probability of our being attacked. On the contrary, helplessness is a direct invitation to attack. Instead of preventing war, the attitude or Mr. Bryan is provocative of war and of a war in which the defeat and subjugation of these United States would be assured from the start. ow many Democrats will follow their vice presidential candidate in the position he has taken?

WHAT IS EXPERIENCE WORTH?

"History makes men wise" said Bacon. He assumed, of course, that people would read history and observe its teaching. As some other philospher has said, experience is a dear teachers. Reading history, and learning thereby is cheaper than learning by experience. Those who will take the trouble to read history will find that the adoption of the Democratic tariff policy in the election of 1892 brought fear to the hearts of American industrial leaders —which fears were confirmed by the effects of the tariff law which was passed as a result of that election. We had an industrial depression from 1893 to 1896. Industry was scared again in 1912, when the Democrats once more won at the polls, and those fears were also confirmed by the shifting of trade to such an extent that our favorable trade balance became an adverse balance. Will the American people profit by the teachings of history, or must they have some more dear experience?

Small—But a Positive Menace!

The ordinary house roach is small in size—but a positive menace to your health! They breed with startling rapidity—deposit a vile liquid on everything—destroy food and spread terrible disease. Wipe them out and KEEP them out! Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

CHILD AUTO DRIVERS FORBIDDEN BY CODE

The new code of laws of Alabama, which becomes effective August 17, prohibits any child under 15 years of age from driving an automobile upon a public highway, and provides penalties for an auto owner who permits such child to drive a car. Under the new code, any child under 15 driving or operating a motor vehicle on a public highway shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be dealt with as provided for in the juvenile laws; while the owner or person in charge of a motor vehicle who permits a child under 15 to drive or operate an automobile in this State shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined not to exceed $500, and may also receive 6 months hard labor, and in addition, his license for the current year shall be revoked.

The Sheriff of Chilton County and the police of Clanton are going to see that this law is recogniztd. The people are warned against letting children drive cars in violation of this law, because it is a statute law and is going to be enforced.

PLAIN PREDICTION

Henry Ford predicts the day will come when airplaines will be built in thousands and millions. There is more reliance to be placed on this prediction than there was on the promise of the Wilson Administration made in February 1918 that there would be 27,000 American airplanes on the battle front by July, of that year. We had no planes there in July, but soon after there was one awful scandal for which no one was punished despite the recommendations of Charles Evans Hughes, who was appointed by Mr. Wilson to investigate and report.

WHAT OF IT?

The N. Y. Journal of Commerce accuses President Coolidge of seeking political advantages in hastening the investigation by the Tariff Commission of the butter tariff and its effect on butter imports. Well, there is nothing particularly wrong or unprecedented in seeking a political advantage by doing justice to the American farmer or to any other class of people. Justice to a part is justice to the whole. Really the advantage comes unsought where justice is done.

OAK GROVE

Prof. J. H. Wood will open a music school at this place August 18th. We hope to have a large attendance. All who are going to attend this school don't forget the date, Monday, the 18th of August.

W. J. NORTHCUTT.

Take
Calotabs
TRADE MARK REG
for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

FARM FACTS

Don't quit poising the boll weevils as long as it is possible to poison them at a profit. At present prices a few pounds of lint cotton will pay for dusting an acre.

The recent Farm Bureau meeting in Montgomery was an inspiration to every one present and to the tens of thousands of people who read about it. Organization and cooperation are sweeping Alabama.

An announcement from Aburn says that the well-known army worm which severly damaged cotton last year is appearing in various places in the State. If they appear in large numbers the cotton should be dusted with calcium arsenate.

"The greatest crop in Alabama is our boys and girls. Let's give them a chance to become leaders and train them to develop and utilize properly the great resources of our State. Proper education will do it." —Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director, Alabama Extension Service, Auburn.

"The annual appropriation of the State of Alabama for agriculture research and investigation amounts to 11½ cents per farm, or approximately the price of a package of cheap cigarettes."—Prof. M. J. Funchess, Director, Alabama Experiment Station, Auburn.

An Auburn bulletin says: "The Mexican bean beetle is spreading. He plays havoc with beans and certain other crops. Control him by poisoning with a mixture of 1 pound calcium arsenate, 1 pound sulfur, and 4 pounds hydrated lime. Mix thoroughly and allow to stand at least 24 hours before using. Apply with dust gun that will put the poison on the under side of leaves."

PROGRAM

of the First B. Y. P. U. Convention of Unity Association to be Held with Evergreen Baptist Church August 17, 1924.

Sunday Morning

10:00.—Sing His Praise.
10:15.—Welcome Address, Malcolm Golson, Billingsley.
10:25.—Response, Senior from Mt. Creek.
10:35.—What the B. Y. P. U. Means to the Church, Miss Thelma Wright, Plantersville.
10:50.—Music.
11:00.—What the B. Y. P. U. Means to the Young Christian, Miss Dora Lee Thompson, Brent.
11:20.—Special Music.
11:25.—Address, Mrs. J. E. Lambdin, Montgomery.
12:10.—Lunch.

Sunday Afternoon

1:30.—Singing His Praise.
1:40.—Verbal reports from unions.
1:50.—Associational B. Y. P. U., Miss Elizabeth Gibbons, Montgomery.
2:10.—Business—
Reports of committees.
Financial plan.
Time and place of next convention.
2:15.—Address, Mrs. J. E. Lambdin, Montgomery.
2:45.—Adjournment.

CARD OF THANKS

We are truly grateful to the many friends for their help and sympathy during the last illnes and death of our dear Father and Sister which occured at our home in June and July.

Respectfully
Mrs. Reubin Price and Family.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of Aug. 10, 1899

B. F. Wyatt, W. C. B. Wyatt, J. D. Wyatt and J. W. Oaks have made their return from Autauga after a visit to Kinsmen and friends. They enjoyed the trip mighty well.

Mr. Johnson from somewhere in Illinois got off the train in Thorsby Wednesday of last week; he brought a friend with him.

The school house at Collins Chapel is being filled up with patent seats.

Mr. Dave Garner and Miss Elma Blalock of Maplesville were married on the evening of the 6th.

Rev. M. J. Parrish Rev. Will Armstrong are conducting a revival at Turn-Round this week.

Mr. J. Alex Moore of Montevallo was a visitor to Clanton Wednesday.

Durwood Foshee has gone to Catherine, Wilcox County, to manage a store for Abe Kanter.

Prof. E. Y. McMorris is spending his vacation in Birmingham.

Married this week—Mr. B. F. Higgins and Miss Annie White.

Rev. A. T. Vanchiver is conducting a revival at Rockymount this week.

THE YOUNG IDEA

A New York boy of 15 has made application for enrollment in the citizens' military camps for 1926 when his age will make him eligable. This summer he saw so many of his friends turned away from the camps because the quotas were filled that he determined to be early enough in the field to assure his own acceptance two years hence. The remarkable popularity of the camps among all the young man of the country bears testimony to the ability with which they are conducted and to the soundness of the idea. Military instruction is combined with recreation and physical exercises in such proportions as to command and hold the student's interest from the moment of his enrollment.

WRIGLEY'S

Chew it after every meal

It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.

Whitens teeth, sweetens breath and it's the goody that Lasts.

SEALED in its Purity Package

Last year the L. & N. Railroad received from freight and passenger service $1.39 — For which, in 1915, it received for the same service $1.00

Increased Income 39%

Cold facts and not wild fancies are shown by the figures here presented. Material reductions in freight rates would bankrupt the transportation systems of this country, unless it were possible to effect corresponding reductions in operating costs.
Look the FACTS in the face!

Duning the year of 1923 the L. & N. Railroad paid out	$2.32 —	For the same amount of coal which it bought in 1915 for	$1.00
Last year the L. & N. Railroad paid for materials and supplies	$1.99 —	For the same quantity of materials and supplies that in 1915 cost	$1.00
Last year the L. & N. Railroad paid in taxes	$2.98 —	On equivalent property in 1915 it paid	$1.00
Last year the Louisville & Nashville Railroad paid out	$2.03 —	For the same amount of service which, in 1915, cost	$1.00

Increased Outgo 103%

POOR OR

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager.)

(Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Mgr.)

Mr. R. A. Turner and family motored to Haleyville this week to be present at a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Turner's father, where they will celebrate her father's seventy-fifth birthday on August 17th. There are nine children in the family and they have not been together before in nineteen years.

Messrs. Codie Bell and Tracy Wilder of Andalusia spent Sunday and Monday in Thorsby visiting with friends.

Mr. Clifford Peterson and family and Mrs. Peterson's sister, Miss George, of Detroit, Mich., with Mr. C. A. Peterson and family spent Sunday in Jemison at the home of Mr. Herbert Peterson. Mr. Clifford Peterson and family left Monday for their home. They were accompanied by Mr. Herbert Peterson and family, who expect to go as far as Nashville, Tenn.

Mr. Willie Scott, of Montgomery, spent Sunday and Monday in Thorsby with his parents.

Mr. Charles Howard and family left early Tuesday morning for a motor trip to southern Alabama and Mississippi, where they will visit Mrs. Howard's parents and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Russian Gibbons are spending the week in Thorsby visiting with relatives. Mr. Gibbons, formerly of Minooka, is now located in Coopers.

Mr. J. H. Goddard celebrated his eightieth birthday last Sunday. Mrs. Goddard entertained several friends and neighbors at a dinner in honor of the occasion.

Messrs. George Johnson and Palmer Lefstead spent several days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. Robert Carlson entertained at a rook party last Saturday night. Delightful refreshments were served late in the evening.

Miss Ruth Gerald left Monday night for Demorest, Ga., where she will spend the rest of the summer and take up her college work in the fall.

Miss Myrtle White gave a party Saturday night.

Miss Louise Morris of Oakman, who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Reno Villadsen, left Tuesday morning for her home.

Mr. Arnold Soberg entertained a few of his friends at a watermelon cutting Wednesday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Peterson entertained last Wednesday in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clifford Peterson. Among the guests were Mesdames J. H. Goddard, C. H. Howard, Hattie M. Gerald, C. C. Peterson, E. E. Hanson, E. H. Hanson, J. O. Johnson, John Johnson, Johanna Lefstead, Herbert Peterson, N. C. Peterson, A. E. Reagen, J. M. Bosworth and Misses Alma Lefstead, Beatrice Johnson and Leora Goodgame. Delicious refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

Miss Clara Peterson, of Birmingham, accompanied by Miss Effie Donaldson, spent Sunday with Miss Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Mr. Reno Villadsen made a trip to Aldrich last Thursday.

Mr. Ivy Horn of Boyles was a visitor at the home of Mr. Magne Anderson Sunday.

Revival meetings began at the Baptist Church last Sunday. Rev. Whorton is in charge of the meetings. Services will be held every morning from 11 to 12 o'clock, also every evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Whorton has requested that all places of business be closed every morning from 11 to 12 o'clock, while the meetings are being held.

Miss Constance Fyoch, of Bessemer, has been visiting the past week at the home of Mr. Frank Nelson.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. M. J. Soberg next week, Thursday, Aug. 21.

Mr. P. W. Peterson a poineer settler of Thorsby, who is now living in Texas, has been visiting in Thorsby the past few days.

Mr. D. J. Flummer, of Ensley, spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Mrs. Anderson and little daughter, Helen, and Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. C. A. Peterson.

Rev. J. E. Each and family, who have been spending a month's vacation in western Florida, returned to Thorsby last week.

Miss Naemi Turnquist and her little neice, Ruth Foss, left Saturday for a visit with Miss Turnquist's sister, Mrs. Carl Peterson of LaPorte, Indiana. While there, Miss Turnquist expects to be present at the wedding of Mr. Peterson's sister, Miss Ruth Peterson. Mr. Carl Peterson and Miss Ruth Peterson are children of the late Mr. J. F. Peterson, who was one of the founders of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler and children of Montgomery are spending a week in Thorsby in the home of Mr. E. W. Butler.

Mr .and Mrs. Louis Howard and their son, Edwin, and wife returned last week from an extended auto trip through Illinois, Wisconsin and upper Michigan, where they had an enjoyable visit with relatives and old friends.

Mr. Relius Franklin made a trip to Greenville Saturday, returning Monday.

Mr. Harry Peterson spent Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. Odis Weldon, son of Mr. Enoch Weldon, who sustained a crushed leg, was brought to the hospital by Dr. Downs, Tuesday.

Mrs. P. Robertson is much improved and will be able to go home this week.

Mrs. M. A. Clark, who suffered severe injuries in a runaway accident, was brought in by Dr. Wise, Wednesday of last week and is now better.

Thomas Mahan is improving.

Mrs. Bevie Mims will be out this week.

Miss Essie Brown, who was operated on for appendicitis, is getting along nicely.

Carson Boockholdt will be able to go home the latter part of the week.

Miss Emma Lee Wright is rapidly recovering after an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. J. D. Sanders is in the hospital with a broken leg.

Miss Elsie Mae Henley was operated on Tuesday. She was suffering from general peritonitis.

Mrs. Lum Tracy went home Monday.

Mrs Frank Paschal went home Tuesday.

Master Edward Hornsby, of Wetumpka, who had his tonsils removed Monday, was discharged Tuesday.

Miss Addie Primm is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calloway, Mrs. Will Jones and daughter, Ruth and Mr. Spurgeon Calloway motored to Montgomery Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Jackson and sons of Thorsby spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Vines of Route 1.

MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic builds up and restores what the malarial fever has taken away. It enriches and purifies the blood, aids the appetite, tones up the system, hastens the return of health and strength.

Taken as you feel Chills and Fever coming on, Wintersmith's Chill Tonic gives prompt and certain relief; and a long siege of Malaria can often be avoided. Its beneficial effects have been proved in thousands of cases, over 56 years of continued use. At your drug store. Popular size, 60c; mammoth size, $1. Made only by the Wintersmith Chemical Co., Inc. Louisville, Ky. ---Adv.

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THE BANK OF THORSBY
THORSBY, ALABAMA

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Following the adoption of a resolution at the meeting of the Anniston Chamber of Commerce asking the Southern Railway company to build a new depot in Anniston and provide "passenger accommodations commensurate with the growth of the city and the volume of business being done there by the company, officers of the chamber of commerce are taking steps to bring before the railway what is claimed to be a recognized need for better passenger accommodations.

The Chicago-Florida Highway association, under the direction of prominent men of Florida and Chicago, with James F. Rogan, formerly of California, in charge of the field work of the organization, proposes to route 100,000 tourists by way of Nashville, Albany-Decatur, Birmingham and Montgomery to the leading center of population in Florida during the coming season.

Gerald Fouke, of the Smithsonian Institute at Washington, and four assistants has begun to explore the Indian mounds near Wilson Dam, which will soon be submerged. The mounds are composed of mussels and perewinkles. The experts services were obtained largely through the efforts of the Tennessee Valley Historical Society.

J. D. Marston, former rural mail carrier in Cherokee county, was convicted on every count of an indictment charging him with stealing money orders. He is alleged to have appropriated between $100 and $150. Judge Grubb, of the United States court, sentenced him to five years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta.

Traffic law violators led the arrested persons in Birmingham for the month of July, according to figures compiled by Sergeant C. N. Kicker, of the police department. The report shows that 3,412 persons were arrested during the month of which number 2,988 were for traffic violations. Gamers were said to have run second and liquor law cases third.

The contract for the home economics annex at Alliance High School, Jefferson County, has been let to Holley and Berry for $10,000. The annex is being constructed for special home economics training, and is being supported by state and federal aid. Miss Helen Johnson will be in charge of the department for the school term beginning September 15.

United Confederate veterans will hold an annual reunion at the camp grounds near Hartselle August 15-16, according to Adjutant Denton, of the Friendship camp. The Hartselle band will furnish music for the occasion. On August 16 a basket dinner will be served on the camp grounds to all comers.

The state pardon board will hold its August meeting August 26. The meeting was first set for August 12, but owing to the fact that Attorney General Davis will attend camp at Camp McClellan, and that Auditor Allgood will be on his vacation, the meeting was deferred two weeks.

Actual work of repairing the bridge over the Alabama river at Selma will begin in ten days. Plans have been made by H. H. Houk, of the state bridge department, and have been checked by W. K. Upchurch, who is the engineer placed in charge of the work.

Mrs. Charles Negley, of Florence, announced that the new Jefferson hotel under construction will be made a three story building instead of two, as first planned and will have 150 rooms. Mrs. Negley stated the building, under the enlarged plans, would cost $80,000.

A proclamation calling upon the citizens, chambers of commerce, manufacturing and trade associations and other agencies in Alabama to support the Southern exposition, to be held in New York, was issued by Gov. W. W. Brandon.

C. A. Abele, state milk inspector of the office of the state board of health of Montgomery, will go to Albany-Decatur to organize the dairymen in connection with efforts now being made to have the so-called "model license" adopted in Morgan county.

Fully 3,500 visitors from Lee and surrounding counties attended the all-day singing of the East Alabama Progressive Singing convention held at Opelika. The meeting was presided over by President D. M. Slaughter of Roanoke.

The Tennessee Valley laboratory broke its own record for number of specimens examined during the month of July, when 1,901 tests were made, Dr. A. J. Perolio, the director, announced.

Backers of the proposed new modified aldermanic government for Birmingham have secured permit from the city commission to hold street meetings in the city and suburbs in the interest of the move.

Louis Pool, 1912 Sixth avenue, Birmingham, was arrested and sentenced to serve a year and a day in the federal prison in Atlanta on a charge of violating the national narcotic law.

According to Miss Isadora Williams, market master of the Tuscaloosa County curb market, 19 selling days in July saw a total of 718 persons selling at the curb market.

Z. C. O'Bryant has resigned as chief of police of Alabama City because of friction, it is said, with some members of the council

Contracts have been let by the government at Wilson Dam for 129,000 feet of lumber and $6,000 worth of steel shapes for machines, shafting plates, etc. The Gulf States Steel company of Birmingham and the Youngstown Shapo and Tube company of Youngstown, Ohio were awarded the steel contracts. The lumber ordered went to two Mississippi companies, located at Laurel and Hattiesburg.

The Gulf States Steel company will make extensive repairs at Virginia Mines, which will include the construction of a new top house and the making of a new opening into the mine. A number of carpenters are being sought by the company for the construction work and repairs to be made, and a large sum will be spent in improvements at the mine, it is stated.

Claiming that the purchase price of $323,000 for the real estate belonging to the Anniston City Land company, which is in the process of being sold to a new corporation formed by William A. Davis, Jr., C. A. Hamilton and D. W. Pruet, was entirely inadequate, the minority stockholders have filed injunction proceedings against the board of directors of the land company, seeking to prevent the sale.

The high school at Haleyville, Winston county, has been raised to the status of a junior college and Dr. J. O. Hanes, a well known Methodist minister, has been elected the first president of the institution. The school already has some building and equipment, and it is understood that the citizens of Haleyville have raised $10,000 for additional buildings.

With its own paving plant, Gadsden has started to pave Sixth, Tenth and Eleventh streets, and Fourth, Fifth and Hill avenues, the penetration method being used. It is said that residents on those thoroughfares petitioned that something be done to relieve the dust menace and that the officials decided that the only effective relief would be in paving.

The mangled and lifeless body of Ted Robinson, 22-year-old son of Charlie Robinson of Albertville, was found in the railroad yards near Akron, O. He is said to have gone North to look for his 18-year-old brother, George, who had not been heard from for several weeks and whose absence was worrying his mother.

The Alabama Public Service Commission has named Milton L. Cooper, of Selma, as accountant for the commission. Mr. Cooper is the first all-time accountant the commission has employed. Mayer W. Aldredge, of Montgomery, has acted as consulting accountant of the commission in the past when his services were necessary.

The Talladega courthouse annex, which was formerly the old First Methodist church, is rapidly being gotten into shape for occupancy. The board of health has started moving and its new quarters are being put into first-class shape. The board of education is also making preparations for moving into its new home.

"TEMPTATION"

(By Ida Scott, Verbena, Ala.)

Since seeing an article from the pen of Mr. Holt in our paper, I feel that I want to say just a few words in behalf of my sex, for you see, a one-sided argument isn't so interesting. We want both the affirmative and negative.

When God made man He gave him a law to obey, and told him "In the day thou eatest of the fruits of a certain tree thou shalt surely die." Then He gave him a helpmate (woman) or a co-worker in this Garden of Eden, but to Adam himself was this law given, and it became his duty to take this co-partner into his confidence and love and enlighten her and fortify her against the deceit of the serpent.

But according to Mr. Holt, we guess Adam so busy admiring her long beautiful hair he forgot his duty towards her. So she was beguiled by the serpent and did eat of the forbidden fruit, then realizing what she had done, and because he loved those long silken tresses, he also partook of the fruit. But, lo, when the Lord returned, Adam peeped around from behind those golden tresses and said "This woman thou gavest me did eat and gave to me and I did eat also," showing that he himself placed her ahead of him, and to this day man hides behind a woman to conceal his own guilty conscience.

When Jesus, the Savior was on easth, an adultrious woman was set before Him, it being a custom for such characters to be stoned to death, and these men accused her and brought proof of her guilt. What did Jesus tell them? "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone" at her, and they departed one at a time, then Jesus told her to go and sin no more.

What do we find today? Men stoning woman to death by criticism. The poor little flapper needs a rest. This gossiping and criticism has gone too far. It is time we look around us, search the scriptures and find what God would have us do; not search them to find something to knock the fair sex, for such is nothing more nor less than tempting Christ as these men of old did.

And those good preachers of ours need to take heed also and preach "Peace on Earth, good will to all men," instead of knocking the fair sex about bobbed hair and styles of dressing, thus tempting the Saviour. The house of worship is dedicated to God and those who occupy the pulpit debase the cause of Christ when they stand therein and cast stones instead of preaching Christ, good will to all men, peace on earth.

Quit casting stones at your co-partner in the vineyard, take her to your heart, confide in her and help her to help you, as God would have you do.

Now, I am quite sure some one will want to call me a bobbed-haired woman, but just relieve your feelings, purge your conscience and make yourself comfortable, then read your Bible to find what God would have us do, but to enlighten you, I will say, I have long hair, wear my dresses short enough to keep them out of the mud in rainy weather, have no criticism to offer when a woman or girl wants her hair bobbed. That's her own privilege, for we all get out of life just what we put into it. So now, I say, let each one examine his own soul and conscience. Seek Jesus, whom to know is life eternal, and quit tempting the Saviour with criticising our sisters. Have you found anywhere in the Bible where a woman ever tempted Christ? If you have I want to know who it was and where I may find the scripture recorded.

Yours for peace on earth, good will to all men.

Mr. M. D. Foshee of Fort Payne is taking his vacation here this week. He, together with Mr. Tom Lowe of Birmingham, is camping down on the River at Crumpton-Foshee camp house enjoying themselves fishing in the day-time and scratching red bugs at night. They say that is wonderful life.

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

During the past week we have had a most delightful combination of Auto trips and visiting with old friends from Thorsby. Circumstances enabled us to accept a very cordial invitation to visit Mr. and Mrs. Yancy Kelley, in their Connecticut home at Portland. This invitation contained a sort of codocil from the mother of Mrs. Kelley, whom Thorsby people knew as Miss Emily B. Ellsworth, which read very much like "Marching Orders."

Since the highways in New Jersey, New York and Connecticut are for the most part in fine condition, traveling is easy. Getting an early start and going north and east we came to the Hudson river, 60 miles, in about 2 1-2 hours at the town of Nyack, New York. Here we crossed the river on a big ferry boat capable of carrying 25 or more automobiles at one time, and riding so smoothly that we were about 100 yards from shore, before we realized that the boat was moving.

We landed, after riding about a mile on the water, at Tarrytown, N. Y., one of the many suburbs of New York City. A little later we passed Pocantico Hills, where John D. Rockefeller has one of his homes. Although it was near noon we did not stop for dinner with him, not being in "dinner dress," we went right along for a few miles and had our dinner in the woods near Pleasantville, having covered about 75 miles.

After resting an hour we loaded up again and soon crossed the state line into Connecticut near Newton. The first real live Yankee Town we met up with is Danbury, Conn, population about 25,000. Danbury heads the fur felt hat industry in America. Note we say fur felt, which for hats is fur the best. Many cheaper hats are made of wool or cotton felt, but "the quality" wear Danbury hats.

Next we come to Waterbury population 92,000. No city in the world produces so many articles in metal, for individual use. In 1807 the manufacture of wooden clocks, of the grandfather type, was started here. 30 years later, brass clockworks were made by hand, but Yankee ingenuity soon devised a great variety of machines and tools for making not only clocks but watches.

Many people will remember when the endless winding Watrbury watch, sold at a low price and later improved put out the "Ingersoll" watch and sold at retail for $1.00. More than 35 million of these watches have been made and sold. Besides time pieces there are rings, buttons, buckles, pins, shoe and other eyelets, hooks and eyes, pins, small nails and they even "got down to brass tacks.' They have a slogan, "Waterbury has something on everybody."

22 miles further along we came to Meriden, another phenomenal city, long noted for its manufacture of silverware, of which it is claimed, Meriden produces more than any other city in the world, although the population is but 35,000.

We soon reach Middletown on the west bank of the Connecticut river, population 22,000. Some factories here, Wesleyan University and some State institutions, but it is chiefly a trading center for a large section of the famously fertile Connecticut Valley. Crossing to the east bank of the river we arrive in Portland, our destination, a small town of about 4,000 people and practically a suburb of Middletown. A glance at our meter shows we have come 167 miles and the sun is still well up. A little inquiry enabled us to locate the people we were looking for from whom we received a very cordial reception.

Our "romance in real life," published in an early June issue of The Union-Banner, told of the marriage of Mr. Yancey Kelley and Miss Emily B. Ellsworth both of whom many of our readers know. We are now prepared to give some definite information as to their environment and prospects. Mr. Kelley's life before and after he came to Thorsby were no secret. His life among us was such as to reflect credit upon his home folks, his school, the community and himself.

Miss Ellsworth won the esteem of all who knew her both in the school and out of it. Her attainments and bearing indicated that she was of a fine family. This we found to be true. Her father now upwards of three-score and ten, has for many years been a contracting carpenter, prominent in the business and religious life of his home town. Although he has given up taking large contracts, he still continues to work at his trade, seldom losing a day. He is a fine type of sturdy New England stock. His wife a few years younger was born and raised in Portland. She is one of those kindly Christian women who seem to be a mother to the whole community. These Godly people have three sons and two daughters, all but the eldest son are living in Portland and that one, only ten miles away. The youngest son is president of Portland's only National Bank. About 9 miles from Portland, on a large tract of wild land, there is being built, an enormous building to cost $500,000.00, and used as a factory for artificial silk. The oldest son is chief of construction, the second one a superintendent, Father Ellsworth is employed as an expert for special work, while Mr. Kelley and another young man who lives at the Ellsworth home, are all employed in work on this building. Mr. Ellsworth told us that after having Kelley as his helper for three months on other work, he found him so efficiently and trustworthy, that he took him along in the same capacity for work on the big job, but he soon lost him because he was called away so often to do some job that needed special attention. Mr. Kelley is not considered by his employers or himself as a full carpenter. But he is both studying and working to attain the necessary education coupled with experience, which he hopes to accomplish within the next three years. Kelley is modest, but has a keen sense of the advantages of a thorough knowledge of his chosen profession, and withal the patient endurance to pay the price for it and seek advancement only on his merits.

Already he has sufficient income to meet his expenses and justify the purchase of a neat bungalow with two acres of land adjacent to the Ellsworth homestead, which was owned by a man in New York, and offered to Kelley at a decided bargain. Here we found them and enjoyed two days of delightful hospitality, a blending of the Southern and New England types which we think is a little more fine than either alone. The house is a little gem, just big enough for two, hence Mother Ellsworth provided pleasant sleeping apartments for us.

While in Thorsby Miss Ellsworth gave us to understand that she was not much of a cook, but after taking several meals at her table, we will say we have seldom had better food or more daintily served. These young people are not living just for themselves—they are both active workers in church, Sunday school and community life, and seem to be headed right to make "desirable citizens."

Since all things earthly must have an end, the time came when we must say good-bye, and turn our faces homeward, having greatly enjoyed every hour of our visit.

Our return trip covered much of the road we went on, but we made a detour which brought us to the Hudson river at Garrison, where we crossed by ferry to West Point, New York, Uncle Sam's great military school. We made the round of the driveways, seeing the great buildings and some of the fine views, then drove a few miles north to "Storm King Mountain," a lofty peak facing the river, then turned south on a splendid highway cut in the mountain sides.

At "Bear Mountain" we saw the new suspension bridge under construction to connect a state highway on the east side of the river.

"Bear Mountain" lies at the northern boundary of the Inter-State Palisades Park, extending 35 miles along the western side of the Hudson river and is 16 miles wide. In all this more than 500 square miles there is no private residence. It is owned jointly by the states of New York and New Jersey. It is kept as near in a natural state as possible, except where the work of man will make it more valuable for public use. A fine highway traverses it on both sides, making it accessible for tourists. It is intended as a play ground, and steamers from New York and New Jersey land hundreds of people there daily, some to camp, others just for a day in the country.

From the southern end of this park to our journey's end the route has already been described. We reached home before dark, having in the whole tour just about covered 500 miles by auto.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The state auditor has certified into the state treasury the sum of $51,757.70 which was received from the federal government for federal aid on certain road projects under way in Alabama. A Limestone county project will receive $37,393.13 of the total amount turned into the Alabama treasury.

Thursday, August 5th, has been set by the Public Service Commission to hear the citation issued by the Alabama Great Southern, L. & N., Southern and N. C. & St. L. railroads to show why they should not maintain an adequate union passenger station at Attalla.

The Planters' Mercantile company of Greenville have let a contract for the erection of an additional cotton warehouse adjacent to their warehouse No. 2. This will be the third unit and will be 100 feet square. This, with the other two units will be equipped with sprinkler systems.

Two large electric fans in the Baraca rooms at the First Methodist Church, of Bessemer, proved too great a temptation to some unknown party this extremely warm weather, and they were removed from the basement of the church, it is stated by members of the class.

On August 23, the Little Texas community will observe a home coming day for the friends of the old camp ground located there. Rev. E. A. Childs, pastor of the Methodist church at Opp will deliver the sermons.

The Standard Foundry Company, of Anniston, of which former Governor Thomas E. Kilby is one of the officials, has purchased the property of the Rabe Pipe and Foundry company, of Chattanooga.

Work has been resumed on Oneonta's new school building and the board hopes to keep it going until the class rooms are completed.

Mrs. Thalia F. Pratt was installed as postmistress of Carrollton August first.

Nearly two additional miles of street paving for Huntsville was provided by the city council, when ordinances were adopted on their first reading for the paving of Locust and East Clinton streets as far out as the city limits.

Lee county peaches will be preserved in parafine and exhibited at the Southern Exposition in New York next January.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FERRY

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Notice is hereby given that I, Harvey Mims, will apply to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to establish a ferry at a point about one mile above Lock 12 across the Coosa River, touching the Chilton bank about the point of R. F. Bates' house and the Coosa bank about the Littleton place. Said ferry will be conducted and managed in the manner and under the laws as provided by the laws of this State governing ferries. Said application will be presented to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County at the session of said court to be held for the first Monday in September, 1924.

This the 28th day of July, 1924.

HARVEY MIMS.

7-31-4t-c. m.

NON RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity; Mattie Jones, Complainant, vs. Walter C. Jones, Defendant:

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper publishen in the County of Chilton once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Walter C. Jones, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause, and also amendment to bill of complaint filed August 11th, 1924, by the 13th day of September, 1924, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 11th day of August, 1924.

W. D. SPEIGNER
Register.

8-14-4t-c

SEVENTH GRADE EXAMINATION

The County Seventh Grade Examination will be held at Clanton on August 28th. Those who failed on one or two subjects last spring will be allowed to take on those subjects and those who failed to take last spring will be allowed to take the entire examination.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

NOTICE

The County Board of Education will meet at the Courthouse on August 29, for the purpose of determining what routes shall be established for the coming year for the transportation of school children and also to accept bids for these routes.

Any one desiring to bid for any route should do so on, or before that date.

Respectfully,
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The drouth was broken here on August 3rd by a fine rain.

Cotton is best here in several years. Corn on the up-lands is considerably cut off; on the low lands is fine.

J. P. Cost of Clanton visited here last week. Mr. Cost was born and raised here. His old friends were glad to meet him.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke McCary of Randolph spent the week-end on their farm here.

A large number from this section attended the great Harmony singing at Centerville on the 31st. It is a treat to hear those boys, girls and old people in Bibb County sing. Judge Pratt made all feel welcome. One of the business men of Centerville distributed a great number of fans out among the singers. Mr. Meggs, one of the business men, provided an abundance of free ice water. Donner was just fine. We never saw better attention given a song service. Those singers are characterized by a spirit of reverence which we believe is largely due to home training and influence. A spiritual atmosphere pervades their singings—just what we need more of in Chilton.

Marion Cofer is visiting in Siluria this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crumpton of Six Mile passed through this section last week. Their many friends were glad to see them.

Mr. C. G. Glass, one of our popular merchants, has added saw milling to his business as a side line.

We find "Notes of Travel" an interesting feature of The Union-Banner.

We note in a public journal the death of Goodloe Yancey in Atlanta, remembered by the older people as a brilliant young man at Jemison, Strasburg and Pleasant Grove in the long ago.

We note with approval an editorial in the Banner on the Swimming Pool. It seems almost futile to try to check the young in their career, but wisdom shoud be stressed before them. There is hope for the wise. The great Hebrew law-giver in his farewell address to ancient Israel said, "There is hope down to the latter days."

Pleasant Grove has recently held a revival with several additions.

"Big Business" may not be interested as to which wins, Coolidge or Davis, but a man of the Coolidge type—a lover of the American home, appeals to the little man, the merchant, the farmer, the saw mill man, the physician, the laborer and all the great common weal who need protection to American indostries.

The world renowned Judge Rutherford of the I. B. S. Association has said of those in authority, secular and ecclesiastic, had heeded the warning voice of the past several years, the present order of things would have melted down gradually, but they would not, so the crash must inevitably come

We congratulate Attorney Grady Reynolds on his appointment by President Coolidge.

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BARBECUE

There will be a barbecue 3 1-2 miles south-west of Pletcher on Friday, the 29th of August, at the Jackson old Camp Ground. Come one and all; you are welcome. Ball games, speaking and a good time for you; on the Pletcher and Plantersville Road. Proceeds for road. Remember the date. C. WILLIAMS.

BARBECUE AT WHITE CITY

We have been requested to announce that there will be a barbecue at White City on Thursday, August 21st, 1924. All are invited to come.

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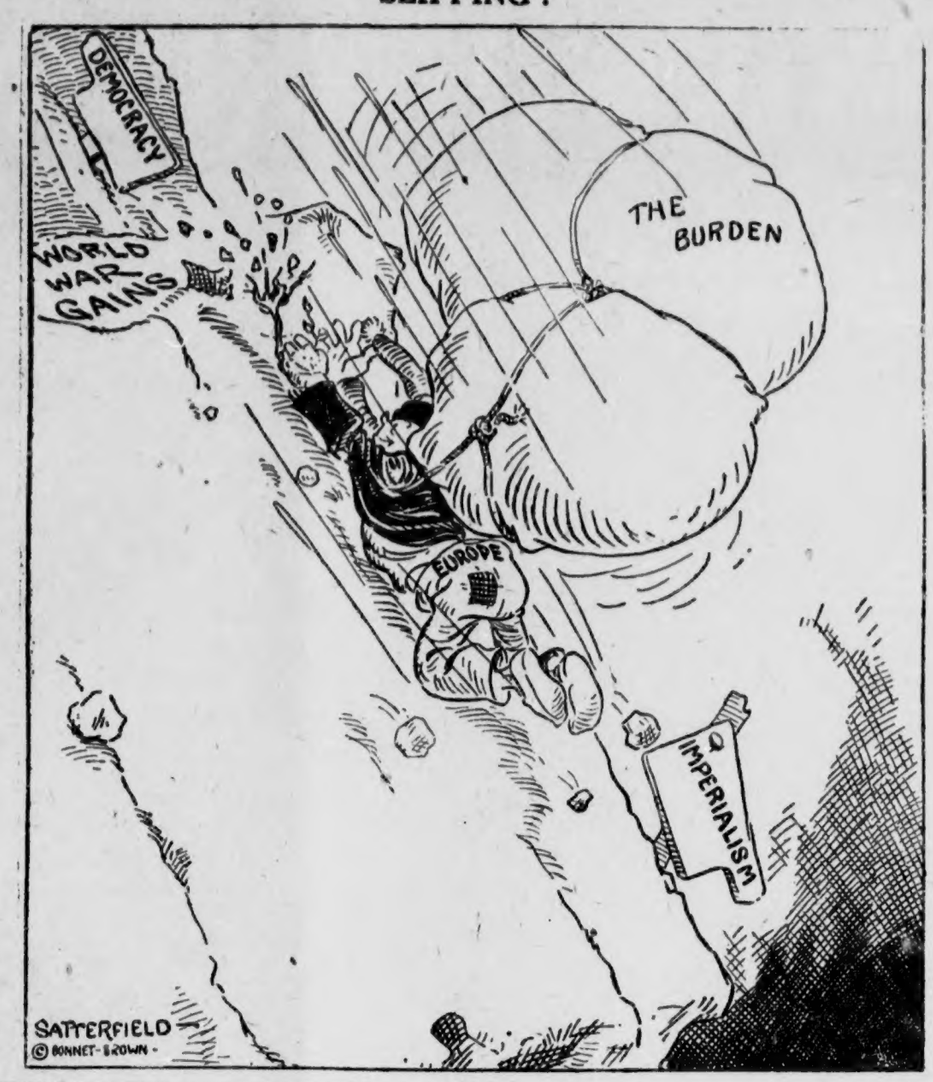

SINGING SCHOOL AT REFUGE

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TOM LOCKHART NEEDS HELP

Editor Union-Banner:

On the 18th day of July, Tom Lockhart got his right leg broke and his left knee knocktd out of place in Tuscaloosa County. He is now back at home in Clanton, and is in bad shape, without anything to live on and without friends.

Those who have helped him since he got hurt are: Uncle Tom Taylor, Will Cox, John Cox, John Popwell and J. Mell Martin. The people of Clanton should help a fellow when he is in such need as Tom Lockhart. I feel sure that God will repay those who contribute to such a cause.

WILL COX.

Mr. N. C. Cady, manager of the Western Newspaper Union at Birmingham, was in Clanton a while last Thursday attending to some newspaper business.

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FOUND.—Gold Secret Order Ring; found few weeks ago. Owner may get it by describing it.—W. C. Mims, Clanton Route 7. 1t-p

MULE STRAYED—Dark bay horse mule, age about 10 or 12 years, long ears, and mane about 6 inches long, white spot on back where saddle works. Been left about three weeks. Anybody who knows of him please notify Payton Headley, Jemison, Ala., Route 4, Box 38. 7-2t-p

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres, 75 or 80 in cultivation, balance in pasture, well watered; two dwelling houses, one 3-room, one 4-room; outhouse; near Mars Hill Church and school, 5 miles west of Jemison, Ala. See J. D. Holdsomback, Jemison, Ala., R. 3. 8-7-4t-c.

FARM FOR SALE—112 acres, 45 in cultivation, three dwelling houses and barns, located at Adams Station on M. & O. R. R. Will sell reasonable or exchange for Clanton property.—R. N. Roebuck, Maplesville, Ala., Route 1. 31-3t-pd.

LOST STEER—Left in May from my place near Mt. Zion, about 2 1-2 yrs. old, black sided with white back and belly, black legs with white stripe around every leg; smooth crop off right ear; has medium horns. Will pay reasonable charges for his return.—E. L. Bolton, Clanton R. 5. 8-7-2t-pd.

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A FEW MORE BARGAINS

MR. LANDE HAS RETURNED FROM THE MARKET, AND IS MAKING PREPARATION TO MOVE IN A FEW DAYS TO THE JOHNSON BUILDING JUST VACATED BY MR. W. A. KEMP. BUT THERE ARE A FEW BARGAINS LEFT AT THE OLD STAND. COME AND GET THEM.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Thoughts for the Day.

Life is thickly sown with thorns, and I know no other remedy than to pass quickly through them. The longer we dwell on our misfortunes, the greater is their power to harm us. —Voltarire.

The Study Club.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson was hostess to the Study Club at its regular meeting on Friday afternoon. The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Johnson. After the business session the following program was carried out: "The Stair-Steps," Mrs. Gowan; "The Birth-Mark," Mrs. Barney Roberts. Afterwards the hostess served a delicious ice course.

Mrs. Callen Hostess to Card Club.

At her home on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Frank Callen entertained the members of the card club and a few other friends. Garden flowers nodded a cherry greeting to the callers and effectively brightened the entire interior.

Bridge was played at two tables and after the game. Club members and guests were Mesdames H. M. Simpson, Grady Reynolds, Arthur Johnson, Oscar Jones, Lawrence Geraid, Lyman, and Miss Kathleen Mullins. The club prize, cards, fell to Mrs. Hugh Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowe from Montgomery are visiting relatives in Clanton this week.

Some people are not even as bad as they themselves say, much less as bad as the Chatterbox Circle reports.

Miss Alma Robinson will return home this week after a visit to relatives at Havana, Fla.

Miss Hattie Jones, who now holds a responsible position in Washington, D. C., is on a visit to relatives and friends in Clanton.

Mrs. Victor Heard and daughter, Mary, returned home Sunday from a visit to relatives in Opelika.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson and Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins motored over to Leeds last week for a visit to Mrs. W. P. Splawn and were accompanied back by Miss Ruth Splawn.

Mrs. Hugh Jones has as her guest Miss Adelaide Courtney from Montgomery.

Mrs. Ben Hall and sons, formerly of Denver, Col., arrived Tuesday for a visit to relatives before going to Jacksonville, Fla., where they will make their future home.

Mr. Norman Roberts, who has been on a visit for a couple of weeks to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Holmes at Dothan, returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Roper arrived by motor Sunday from Duncan, Okla., for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Roper.

Mr. Newton Aldridge was a visitor to his mother for the week-end.

Miss Evelyn Nix, who has been on a visit to relatives here returned to her home in Wilton.

James Wade is spending a couple of weeks with his brother, Mr. Jack Wade in Russellville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reynolds and children motored to Selma Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Thomheil.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald were visitors to Birmingham last of the past week.

Mr. Arkie Roper from Wilbersburg, Pa., was a visitor to relatives in Clanton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Singleton and son have gone to Alvarade, Tex., to make their future home.

Dr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper from Boothton arrived Tuesday for a visit to his mother and sister.

Mrs. C. B. Sims and children from Jasper will return home last of this week, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. .E H. Mims.

News has been recevied from Miss Jewell Armstrong, who is in training in the Alabama Baptist Hospital in Selma, that she is liking her work fine.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie and son, Bob, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Geo. Micholson in Montgomery. Mr. and Mrs. Micholson leave the last of the week for their future home in Deland, Fla.

Miss Inez Kittrell left last week for a visit to relatives in Spigners.

Mrs. McVay and children, who were the recent guests of her sister, Mrs. Neighbors, has returned to her home in Columbus, Ga.

After a delightful motor trip to Roanoke, Mr. and Mrs. Gilva Foshee have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor from Montgomery were visitors to Clanton this week, the guests of Mrs. Bama Cox.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins left last week for a two-weeks stay at St. Clair Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dunn from Montgomery were the guests of Mrs. Kicker a couple of days last week.

Mr. Aubrey Taylor, young son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor, left Wednesday for Anniston, where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

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Agents,
Clanton, Ala.

MRS. SIMS HONORS DAUGHTER

Mrs. Clyde Sims of Thorsby entertained Saturday afternoon in honor of her little daughter, Katheryn L. Games were played on the lawn, and a marble contest, Herbert Peterson Jr., and Frank Wood were the winners.

The table was decorated in yellow and white. A large cake embossed in yellow with yellow and white candles was the center piece. An ice course and punch were served to the following: Myrtle Freeman, Mary Sue Robinson, Doris Freeman, Ella Howard, Lucile Howard, Katherine Foss, Edith Foss, Elwyn Burnett, Polly Collins, Conrad Dean Pate, Margret Ward, Lon L. Jackson, Verna Jackson, Herbert Peterson Jr., Franklin Wood, Ralph Pate, Herman Parker, and Thomas Jackson.

NOTICE

I have Judge L. H. Reynolds' two-story brick building in charge for sale or for rent. Will lease any reasonable time. Any one wanting to buy or rent, call on me.
14-24 W. W. FOX, Agent.

LICENSE INSPECTOR HERE

Mr. W. T. Hand of Jemison having turned in to the State a list of names of firms in Chilton county, which he alleges have not taken out licenses for their particular business, the State Tax Commission at Montgomery has sent a special representative to Clanton to look after the matter. A number of the most prominent business and professional firms in Chilton county are said to be contained in the citations which were submitted by Mr. Hand. The special representative from the Tax Cimmission is at the Court House in Clanton making a thorough investigation of the citations.

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STEAM BOILER For Sale—in good condition; will sell cheap. Apply to J. M. VanDerveer, Clanton, Ala.

LOST PILLOW CASES — About a dozen or 18 hand-worked pillow cases, lost between Jim Blalock's and Bud Robinson's on Higgins Ferry road two or three weeks ago. Finder will please return to or notify Mrs. J. A. W. Mims, Clanton Route 2. 1t-p

FOR RENT—One five-room house on Eighth Street, Clanton; rent reasonable. Apply to Mrs. Claude Reynolds, Clanton, Ala. 1t-pd

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$700,000 OF NEW ROAD CONTRACTS TO LOW BIDDERS

Chilton, Dallas and Washington Projects Awarded By Highway Body.

Contracts aggregating nearly $700,000 were awarded by the state highway commission Thursday afternoon of last week, for three projects, in Chilton, Washington and Dallas counties.

The Chilton county contract which was for the surfacing with concrete of 17.45 miles of road on the Birmingham - Montgomery highway from Shelby county line south, was awarded to the low bidder, J.R. and J.B. Miller of Baconton, Ga., for $271,244.14. W. S. Keller, state highway engineer, recommended that this contract be awarded to the Lawrence Construction Company of Jackson, Mississippi. He stated that the Miller concern had never done concrete surfacing work, and that although the Lawrence company's bid was about $5,000 above the low bidder, it was in his opinion, the best firm to receive the contract by reason of its experience in such work. The commission, however, held that the state would be protected by a bond, and awarded the contract to J. R. and J. B. Miller.

The Washington county project, comprising approximately 22 miles of gravel road from the Mobile county line to Carson, on the Mobile-Selma highway, was awarded as follows: grading, to C. D. Fountain of Hattesburg, Mississippi, $127,964.96; surfacing, E. P Toulmin, Mobile, $159,246.50; bridges, Ed Pettus, Montgomery, $31,842.22.

The Dallas county project, comprising a little less than eight miles between Selma and Centerville, was awarded, for the road work, to E. J. Toulmin of Mobile, for $64,882.15, and for bridges, to Bosworth-Smith of Montgomery for $32,129.46.

The commission heard delegations from Prattville interested in location of the spur to connect Prattville with the main line of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway. An attempt had been made to route this highway directly through Prattville, but it developed at the meeting that owing to refusal of the federal government to approve the longer route via Prattville, the attempt had been abandoned. The main line of the highway will pass east of Prattville on the location approved by federal engineers, and the matter considered Thursday was the location of the spur to connect with the trunk highway. A delegation headed by Judge Posey favored having the spur enter Prattville on Main Street, while J. W. Rice represented a party favoring an entrance at the Wetumpka road.

TICK CASES CONTINUED

All the tick eradication cases coming up in the Circuit Court of Chilton County this week were continued on account of the fact that Dr. C. A. Cary, State Veterinarian was not present. There was an attachment issued for Dr. Cary.

W. W. Cameron, Inspector in Charge, states that the county is in good condition and that he has found few fever ticks. He compliments the citizens of Chilton County for their co-operation.

STORE BURNS THURSDAY NIGHT IN EDGE OF CLANTON

Last Thursday night about 9:00 o'clock it was announced that the store of Mr. John Wells, half mile out of town on the Lock 12 road was on fire. Within thirty or forty minutes after the fire was discovered, the store building together with its contents were in ashes. The dwelling houses of Mr. Will Plier and Mr. H.L. Mims were within a few feet of the store building, and it took rather vigorous bucket brigading to save these buildings.

The stock, which belonged to John Wells, it is said, amounted to around $1,500. It is said that $1,200 insurance was carried on the stock. The store building belonged to Mr. Will Plier. In the building Mr. Plier had stored a planing mill, a grist mill, two or three gas engines, a band saw, some lumber and some other machinery. The amount of Mr. Plier's loss was rather heavy.

A gasoline filling station stood under the front edge of the store shed, and a large tank was burried just beneath the surface, but it is said that there was no gas in the tank at the time of the fire.

Just as the fire began to die down, automobiles stood three and four deep from within a few yards of the burning house to the foot of the hill at Joe Gore's. There were at least two hundred cars along the road, rendering it well nigh impossible for a person to walk between them. It took nearly an hour for the cars to get away from their jammed and crowded condition.

NEWS FROM BON AIR

The revival meeting ended here on Friday night. Nine converts were baptized Saturday morning.

A crowd of young people motored to Anniston Sunday. They were Misses Maggie Lou and Missouri Burton, Sadie Leightsey and Johnnie Pound.

Miss Minnie Rhodes spent the day Saturday with Miss Beatrice Proctor.

Mrs. Traywick and daughters, Misses Minnie and Maudie, returned Sunday from Clanton, where they have been visiting relatives the past week.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson of Talladega has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Rhodes for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leach and Mrs. Rhodes and Miss Minnie Rhodes visited their friends in Sylaiauga Sunday.

Mrs. T. C. Hubbard of Thorsby is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dealia Traywick this week.

Mr. Duncan and family enjoyed the Holiness meeting at Center Hill.

The young people here are expecting a good time at the show which has stopped here for a week.

STATE WILL USE THREE CARLOADS OF AUTO TAGS

The State of Alabama will use upwards of three solid car loads of automobile tags the next fiscal year, and announcement is made that contract has been made not only for that amount but for even more, if needed.

It is further announced that the distribution of the tags this year will be made from Birmingham, since the greater number of the tags is being used in Jefferson County and this section of the State.

The distribution of the automobile tags is no easy matter. In Chilton County it is done through the probate judge's office and blanks are filled out when application is made and assessments also filed.

Yeah! But Who's That Other Bird Waiting Around The Corner?

TWO BOYS HURT IN AUTO WRECK SUNDAY NIGHT

Messrs. Odis Miller and Winfield Watts were slightly bruised up last Sunday night when the Ford roadster in which they were riding left the road and ran into a stump. The collission of the stump and the Ford occured up near Jackson's Chapel.

Otis was not hurt so badly but that he was able to be on his job at Lawrence's Garage Monday morning, but Watts had to be carried to the Hospital for treatment. The Ford also had to be carried to the auto Hospital for several dislocated joints to be put back in place. The boys state that something went wrong with the steering gear, and when the car struck a sand bed flew the track and struck a stump. The boys went out through the wind shield, Watts sustaining a rather severe cut. Otis got his tongue cut.

OPENING OF THE CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL SEPT. 8

I wish to announce that the Clanton Grammar School will open on Monday, September 8th. The incidental fee will be $3.50 for residents of the districts and $5.00 for non-residents, payable in advance. There will be a complete change of text-books, except in the primary grades. We are also required by law to organize the school according to the 6-3-3 plan, which will give us two years of Junior High School work.

W. E. MARTIN, Prin.

THE BIGGEST MELON YET

Mr. H. T. Littlejohn of Clanton Route 4 presented the Banner force with a watermelon Saturday weighing 63 pounds. The melon was 18 inches from stem to blossom and measured 41 inches in circumference at center. The variety of the melon is a mixture between the Mitchel and the Cleckler. This is by far the largest melon we have seen this year, and the meat of it was something fine. We are grateful to Mr. Littlejohn for this splendid gift.

An experiment in highway work, which is expected to determine whether treatment of sand-clay road surfaces with oil will do away with dust and mud, and at the same time prove as cheap, as renewing a sandy-clay surface, is now being carried out by the state highway department near Banks, Pike county, on the Bee Line highway. At this point oil is being placed on about a mile of sand-clay road. The oil was donated by the Standard Oil company. It may be found that by oiling sand-clay roads will maintain them adequately at less or no greater expense than resurfacing every 12 months, at the same time doing away with dust and mud.

For the first time in her history Alabama has passed the billion-dollar mark in taxable values, according to tabulations made by the state tax commission. This represents a large increase over the 1923 assessment and will result in swelling to the total receipts from ad valorem taxes. Beginning right after October 1 the special agents will start on the quadrennial appraisement of all property in the state, and it is believed that when they are through the present billion-dollar mark will have been largely exceeded.

FIRST BALE OF COTTON BOUGHT BY CLANTON MERCANTILE CO.

The first bale of cotton brought into Clanton this season belonged to Mr. Verge Culver of West End, Clanton. The bale was ginned by Mullins & Popwell, and was sold at auction, Mr. J. C. Jones of the Clanton Mercantile Company being the purchaser. The bale brought 35 cents per pound.

UNCLE DOCK'S OPINION ON GIRLS' BOBBED HAIR

Uncle Dock Wells says that so much is being said regarding women and girls bobbing their hair that he feels disposed to give his verdict on the question. He hands us the following:

Uncle Dock's Rhyme

There was a young lady in Clanton
the other day who asked me what I thought' about the women bobbing their hair. My reply was the following rhyme:—

To the girls bobbing their hair
I am much opposed,
But that ain't near as bad
As the girls wearing men's clothes.

I have never yet known a man
To get any gain or get many riches,
Where he allowed his daughter and wife
To wear the breeches.

Very respectfully,
UNCLE DOCK WELLS.

ALABAMA DIVORCES GAIN LAP ON LITTLE DAN CUPID

The Department of Commerce at Washington announces that, according to returns received, there were in Alabama, for the calendar year 1923, 28,309 marriages performed and 3,392 divorces granted. For the calendar year 1922, 25,496 marriages and 2,620 divorces were reported.

The increase in marriages reported for 1923 over the number reported for 1922 is 2,813 or 11 per cent. The divorces reported for 1923 show an increase of 772 or 29.5 per cent over the number reported for 1922.

The statistics of marriages and divorces for 1923 were furnished by the state board of health.

NEW HARMONY

The all-day singing at New Harmony (Lomax) Sunday was splendid, many singers being present. A fine audience was in attendance.

We were glad to have Mr. T. C. Jackson of Sylacauga, also Mr. Nolian Barnett of Columbiana with us. Directors for the day were, the chairman, T. J. Jackson, J. H. Williams, Mr. Barnett, T. C. Jackson, Era Sanders, T. J. Baker, J. W. Hayes and W. L. Jackson.

It was a good day for all.

Next, we turn our attention to the fall session on the County Convention. It's just around the corner.

THE SECRETARY.

REBUILDING OLD CHILTON HARDWARE STORE HOUSE

Mr. Ed Plier set in early Monday morning building back the old store house of the Chilton Hardware Company, which was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago. When the building is put back no partition will be put in but the space formerly occupied by the City Bakery will be used in the one building. We understand that the whole thing will be occupied by the Chilton Hardware Company after it is re-built.

FIDDLIN' JOHN CARSON IS TO PLAY AT COURT HOUSE

Friday night and Saturday night of this week the people of Clanton will be accorded a rare treat of getting to see and hear the famous John Carson, together with his string band. The name of John Carson of Atlanta, Ga., has been made famous the world over by his mastery of the violin and his classic rendition of the old time barn-yard medleys. If you are a lover of this kind of music, don't fail to hear John Carson Friday night and Saturday night at the court house in Clanton. If you have heard him on the Okeh records at Weldon's Music House, come out and hear and see him in person.

ATTEND BIG BARBECUE AT SELMA LAST FRIDAY

Mr. Jasper N. Dennis went down to Selma last Friday to attend a barbecue given by the Dallas County Farm Bureau, and thru his kindness and courtesy Judge L. H. Reynolds, Mr. Jim Grant and T. E. Wyatt were premitted to go with him. In regard to Mr. Dennis' hospitality and the trip in general, the editor of The Banner wishes to say for Judge Reynolds, Mr. Grant and himself that it was a fine treat indeed. The trip together with the courtesies of the berbecue and gathering was very enjoyable indeed.

Leaving Clanton about 8:30 and going by way of Maplesville, Stanton and Plantersville, we reached Selma about 10:45. A few minutes stay in Selma talking with friends and acquaintenances revealed that the barbecue was being held about four miles out from town, and being pointed out the way by officials of the Farm Bureau, we proceeded to the ground. Reaching the location of the gathering we found a beautiful grove with around a thousand people on the scene and in the rear was all kinds of meats and eatables being prepared for the barbecue.

Shortly after we arrived the speakers began to come in and arrangements were made for the speaking. The first one put on the rostrum—the front porch of a little deserted dwelling house—was the president of the Ala. Farm Bureau Federation, Mr. Edgar O'Neal, who spoke very interestingly on farm problems for twenty or thirty minutes. Next Major Lamar Jeffers, Congressman from the Fourth District, came forward and spoke for forty minutes, the principal theme of his lecture being on co-operation.

At this point, it being about 1:30 the welcome announcement was made that dinner was served. A big sufficiency of the very finest of barbecued meats was placed at the disposal of the hungry throng, and they sure made shuckings of it. But even after everybody was filled with good eats and lemonade, there was still plenty left.

After dinner was over and everybody rested and shook hands with friends a bit, the people were called back around the front porch for some more speaking. A representative of the Chamber of Commerce of Montgomery spoke for a few minutes, and was followed by Dr. Frank Willis Barnett, who spoke very interestingly for an hour on the subject of "Egotism." Although Dr. Barnett used the pronoun "I" extravagantly, yet his discourse about his being a doctor, a lawyer, a preacher and an editor, also his European trip, so often listened to by Alabama audiences, was interesting, instructive and amusing. Frank Willis Barnett is a talented man even if he does have to tell the folks about it himself.

In the afternoon a group of farmers was gathered together and taken out on an inspection tour of some of the big farms of that section. Mr. Jasper Dennis went on that trip and came back greatly elated over what he had seen. Mr. Dennis is a fine farmer and he gives the matter of progressive farming a great deal of time and thought. He is a close observer of the methods and plans used by other good farmers, and always profits by going out and seeing how other farmers do it.

The meeting adjourned about 3:30, the announcement being made that another similar meeting would be held by the Farm Bureau next year, the exact date and place to be announced later.

The crops within four or five miles of Selma are about like they are around Clanton. As to the crops between Plantersville and within a few miles of Selma, you will have to ask Jim Grant to find out how they are. Mr. Grant said going on down there it would take a thousand acres to make a bale of cotton. But on the return trip he said he was going to raise it to two thousand. So if you want to know any more about the crops and the trip in general, just ask Mr. Grant.

COOLIDGE SPENDS SIMPLE VACATION AT HIS OLD HOME

Plymouth, Vt., Aug. 16.—Pesident Coolidge, seeking a rest on the first vacation he has had since entering the White House, began it Saturday by getting up at 6 o'clock in the morning.

The chief executive chose Plymouth, the place of his birth and home of his father, because it is virtually isolated. The hamlet has neither telegraph offices nor railroad station. Yet Washington and its cares may follow the president right into his vacation nook for a special telephone and telegraph wire has been run into the old Coolidge store in Plymouth.

Mrs. Coolidge, their son, John, and Bascom Slimp, Mr. Coolidge's secretary, accompanied him.

Mr. Coolidge is in need of rest, a year of devotion to official duties and the loss of his son all having left their mark. A summary of the da's political news and such government business as demands attention, will come and go over the special wire linking the president to the capitol.

Party Visits Old Church

Once during the second day of their visit, the President, Mrs. Coolidge, Colonel Coolidge and young John stepped into the slight drizzle which marred the day and crossed the narrow country road to the humble Plymouth Parish church.

Within the simple structure, Rev. John White, a farmer-rector of Shrewbury, a nearby village, preached to the strange medley of official attaches of a presidential party and the regular congregation of farmers, woodsmen and shepherds. Mr. White is a minister of the old school. None needed to lean forward to catch his wards, and when he led his congregation in song, the volume of sound welled out of the tiny church and into the leafy hills.

FORMER CLANTON TEACHER FOUND DEAD IN HER BED

Greenville Ala., Aug. 14.—Miss Marion Seawright was found dead in her bed early Tuesday night upon the return of her brother from his store. Death was caused by a heart affection which had been giving her some trouble for months, according to her physician.

The above will be sad news to many people in Clanton who knew the deceased. She taught the primary grade in the Clanton Grammar School last year, and had many admiring friends here. Miss Seawright was one of the most popular and cultured young ladies of Greenville.

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THE F. C. A. IS A BUSINESS ORGANIZATION

In last week's letter we stated the requirements for a successful orginization in Chilton County at this time. Now let us consider the first requirement namely: The organization must market the products of the members and purchase their needs to a better advantage than they could do individually without an organization.

In order to accomplish this, our organization will have a permanent place of business open at all times and in charge of a manager who is acquainted with marketing work and knows where and how to purchase the needs of the members to the best advantage. The association will be in constant touch with market conditions and prices thus being prepared at all times to sell the product of its members on their actual grades at their full market value. The office will serve as an exchange for the products of its members that other members may want to purchase. Thus the members will be assisted is selling any surplus feed, seed or live stock that they have. Also this will make it easier for those members who are in need of these things to secure them. There will be a blackboard in the office on which will be listed the things members have for sale and things they wish to purchase. Also members having land to rent or wanting to rent land may use this blackboard to assist them along these lines.

We all know that very few if any farmers in this county raise enough cotton to afford to keep posted as to the actual market value of their cotton or its correct grade. And even if he were in posession of this knowledge he does not have a large enough quanity to ship elsewhere and therefore is forced to accept what the local buyers offer. Under this we know from past experience that we do not get advantage of better grades and **are forced to take what we are offered right here.** Cotton, cotton seed, chickens and eggs and strawberries will be the main articles sold through the organization. As marketing arrangements are perfected other articles will also be handled. Our experience in Co-operative marketing during the past two years has demonstrated the advantage of this system. Tho we have seen where improvements can be made and these matters will be given our strict attention.

Now as to buying our supplies, we are all aware of the fact that we can get a lower rate on a large quanity of goods, especially in car lots than we can on a small quanity. Through our association we will buy our fertilizers, stock and poultry feeds and supplies, seed oats and other seed such as vetch, clover, rye, cotton, turnip, onion sets and other garden seed and plants such as cabbage etc; fruit trees and to a certain extent our groceries, dry goods, hardware and building supplies, paints, tools and emplements

The second requirement for a successful organization as stated in our letter last week was as follows: "Will benefit the members to a larger amount than it will cost them to support the organization." The organization will cost each member $3.00 a year. We can not state the exact amount of benefit each member will receive. This will largely depend on the amount of business the members do through the association. However we know from past experience that the savings on any one of the many items handled through the association will at least pay the members dues and all above that will be clear profit. Correct grading of our cotton will alone be worth at least the amount of our dues. Any member who buys as many as 12 fruit trees will save enough on tham to at least pay his dues. One member of our association has already made a clear profit of more than $3.00 on 20 friers which he shipped through the association. The name of this member will be given to anyone on request,

Any farmer in Chilton County will be absolutely safe in counting on receiving more benefit from belonging to the Farmers Co-operative Association than it will cost him to belong. Many times it is impossible to tell the exact amount of the benefit on account of the fact that the local price is different than it would be without the Association.

The only way for us to retain this advantage is to belong to the organization and support it and thus make sure its continued existance. If we lose the organization we lose the effect it has on local prices.

PROPERTY IN STATE GROWS IN ITS VALUE

Highest Points In Assessment This Year In History of Commonwealth According to State Tax Commission

Assessed value of property for taxation in the state of Alabama will pass the billion dollar mark this year for the first time in the state's history, according to information from the state tax commission.

Last year the taxable value of Alabama property amounted to $975,188,249, an increase over 1922 of $28,938,689. Figures showing the assessment for the present year have not been completed but it was stated from the office of the tax commission that data on hand already shows that the assessment will go above a billion dollars.

It is stated that a considerable amount of property hitherto escaping taxation has been placed on the books through the efforts of the tax commission and its agents, this activity resulting in an increase in total assessments.

PROVIDENCE BEAT 13
(Too Late For Last Week)

We wish to say a few words in behalf of this place and community. The health of this community is good so far as the writer knows, also the crops are still looking more promising than once expected for which the farmers feel very thankful.

Also we wish to say that the singing at this place was most assuredly a success under the management of Mr. Berl Martin, President and Frank Lowery, assistant. The main feature of the day was the beautiful quartetts that were rendered in the p.m. Organist Misses Jewel Martin, Jewel Lowery and Jewel Campbell, and others.

Directors for the day were: Messrs Berl Martin, J. F. Lowery, Columbus Scott, E. H. Foshee, W. F. Cofer, E. L. Glasscock, A. H. Glasscock, Vester Campbell, L. R. Cobb, W. J. Northcutt and Ivy Mathews.

We certainly wish to compliment the different classes that rendered the beautiful Quartets in the p.m. We also extend to them a standing invitation and especially on the 2nd Sunday evening of each month. We wish to say too that good order was observed throughout the day. How easy and how much nicer it is to be ordely and sober than disordely. So Come again boys for the young folks are the hopes of our community and are soon to take the place of the older ones. So come on boys and hold yourselves up in a real genteel way.

We are glad to see Miss Annie Sammons, one of our S. S. Teachers back in Sunday School with her class again. Miss Annie has been visiting relatives in Birmingham the past few weeks; she also reported a very enjoyable time.

With much success to the Union-Banner and its many readers.

PREACHING AT FRIENDSHIP NEXT SUNDAY—THE FOURTH

Next Sunday being regular preaching day at Friendship, Rev. W. W. Robinson will fill his regular appointment both in the morning and evening. At the 11 o'clock service his subject will be "The Constiuttion of the Church," and at night the pastor will preach on "The Chirtian's Duty to the Church." These are vital subjects, this being a time when some people are kindly inclined to divert from the true principles of religion and take off after transitory makeshifts that there is nothing to but noise and confusion. If you want to hear of the fundamental principles of the church established by Jesus Christ on earth, come and hear Brother Robinson.

Sunday School will be held Sunday beginning at 10 o'clock, Mr. J. D. Collins, Superintendent. Come in time for Sunday School and don't fail to hear both these sermons.

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Washington, Aug. 14.—No single question vital to the people of the United States was dodged by President Coolidge in the first great speech of the political campaign—his speech accepting the nomination as President offered him by the Republican party, and delivered in Washington the evening of August 14.

After outlining the sound foundation of the party system of government, the President said: "Party means political co-operation, not as an end in itself, but a means, an instrument of government. If founded upon a great moral principle and directed with scrupulous regard for its integrity, it cannot fail to sweep onward and upward, advancing always steadily and surely, a mighty constructive force, a glorious bearer of progress.

"That is what the Republican party always has been and is today. In full faith that such it will continue to be, deeply conscious of the high honor it confers and the responsibility it imposes, I accept its nomination for President of the United States.

"In the history of our country is recorded the public services rendered by our party for more than the three-score years. That is secure. I pass on to the recent past and the present."

Progress of Four Years.

The President pointed out the condition of the nation in March, 1921, when the Republicans resumed the reins of government after a lapse of eight years. Though more than two years had passed since the armistice, the nation was still technically in a state of war. No diplomatic relations existed with Turkey, Greece, Russia, Colombia or Mexico, the Far East situation caused "grave apprehensions." Because of the war, "a reckless extravagance had come to characterize the administration of public affairs and was all too prevalent in private life." The national debt had risen to the staggering total of $24,000,000,000, more than $7,000,000,000 of it in short-time obligations without provision for payment. Government bonds were below par. High war taxes burdened the people. Demobilization and liquidation were incomplete. Huge railroad accounts remained unsettled. Transportation was crippled. Unliquidated foreign debts amounted to $11,000,000,000. Banks were filled with frozen assets. Interest was high, capital scarce, and financial distress acute. About 5,000,000 were without employment. No adequate provision had been made for relieving disabled veterans and their dependents. The great powers continued to burden their peoples by building competitive armaments. An avalanche of war-worn people and cheapened merchandise impended upon America from foreign lands, the President pointed out.

Turning to the settlement of these vast problems since the start of the Republican regime, the President pointed out that treaties of world-wide importance have been ratified with Germany, Austria, Hungary, Colombia and Mexico, that 42 other treaties have met with the approval of the senate, while 6 still await action. Friendly intercourse with Greece and Turkey has been resumed. Peace and American rights have been assured in the Far East and the Pacific.

Turning to finance, the President called attention to the enactment of the budget system, and the resultant tremendous savings.

"For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921," President Coolidge said, "our expenditures were $5,538,000,000 and our surplus was $86,000,000. For the year just closed our expenditures were $3,497,000,000, and our surplus exceeded $500,000,000. This was a reduction in the annual cost of government of $2,041,000,000. The public debt now stands at about $21,250,000,000, which is a reduction in three years of about $2,750,000,000 and means an annual saving in interest of more than $120,000,000. The $7,000,000,000 of short-time obligations have all been quietly refunded or paid. The internal revenue taxes have been reduced twice, and many of them repealed, so that during the present fiscal year the tax receipts show a saving to the people of approximately $6,000,000 a day compared with 1921. One government bond has sold well over 105."

The President pointed out that more than 40 per cent of the debt due us from foreign nations has been liquidated, providing funds for liquidating about $13,000,000,000 of the national debt during a 62-year term.

"The finances of this nation have been managed with a genius and a success unmatched since the days of Hamilton," Mr. Coolidge declared.

"A great revival of industry took place, which is spreading to agriculture. Complaint of unemployment has ceased, wages have increased. Capital has become plentiful at a low rate of interest," Mr. Coolidge declared, "and the banks of our country, as a whole, show a high percentage of liquid assets."

Speaking of the generous laws passed to relieve disabled veterans, the President said that more than 71,000 have been rehabilitated, 38,000 of whom are earning more than they did before the war. Compensation is being paid at the rate of about $100,000,000 a year, soon to be increased by $80,000,000 more, $40,000,000 have been provided for hospital facilities, which are open to veterans of all American wars.

"No government," the President declared, "ever provided so generously for those disabled by service in time of war."

Touching the exclusion law and restricted immigration generally, the President said: "Restricted immigration is not an offensive but a purely defensive action. It is not adopted in criticism of others in the slightest degree, but solely for the purpose of protecting ourselves. We cast no aspersions on any race or creed, but we must remember that every object of our institutions of society and government will fail unless America be kept American."

Next the President dealt with the tariff. "By means of a protective tariff," he said, "we have saved American agriculture, labor, and industry from the menace of having their great home market destroyed through the dumping upon it of a flood of foreign products. Under this wise policy we saw an economic revival, and our people as a whole, in marked distinction from the sufferers from the financial distress and depression of other lands, have come into an era of prosperity and plenty. As a source of revenue the tariff surpassed all expectations in producing an annual return of the unprecedented sum of about $550,000,000. A fiscal policy which places a large and much needed revenue in the public treasury, while stimulating business to a condition of abounding prosperity, defends itself against any criticism. Its merits are demonstrated by its results. We have protected our own inhabitants from the economic disaster of an invasion of too many foreign people or too much foreign merchandise."

The Washington Conference.

Next the acceptance speech dealt with the Washington conference whereby an end was put to the ruinous competitive naval armaments of world powers, the importance of which has never been fully realized by the people in general, Mr. Coolidge declared.

Turning to the "honest government" issue, President Coolidge pointed out bluntly that in all his studies of political history he could not recall an administration which was desirous of a dishonest government that, to check extravagance, introduced a budget system, cut taxes, purged pay rolls, made enormous reductions in the public debt and laid firmer foundations for the peace of the world.

President Coolidge declared he favored the system of private American enterprise and was opposed to the extension of government ownership and control; that he believed in economy in public expenditures and the practical application of the tehory; that he believed in tax reduction and tax reform; that he favored protection.

Favors Permanent Court.

"I favor the permanent court and further limitation of armaments," the President said. "I am opposed to aggressive war. I shall avoid involving ourselves in the political controversies of Europe, but I shall do what I can to encourage American citizens and resources to assist in restoring Europe, with the sympathetic support of our government. I want agriculture and industry on a sound basis of prosperity and equality. I shall continue to strive for the economic, moral and spiritual welfare of my country. American citizens will decide in the coming election whether these principles shall have their approval and support.

"The domestic affairs of our country appear to me to be by far the chief concern. From this source comes our strength. The home market consumes nearly all our production. Within our own boundaries will be determined to a very large degree the economic welfare and the moral worth of the American people. These are plain facts, but there are others equally plain."

Reaffirming his opposition to entrance into the League of Nations as a surrender of independence, the President favored becoming a member of the permanent Court of International Justice, "as peace means fundamentally a reign of law." Entrance into the so-called World court "would do much to indicate our determination to restrain the rule of force and solidify and sustain the rule of reason among nations," Mr. Coolidge said.

America Helps Europe.

The President reviewed the difficulties of Europe and the unavailing efforts to find a way out until the American plan, proposed in 1922, was finally adopted, under which the reparations commission appointed a committee of experts, whose three American members included Gen. Charles G. Dawes, the President's running mate on the Republican ticket. The appointment of General Dawes as chairman and the report which has met world-wide approbation were pointed out.

When the reparations plan is in operation, the President said, he would consider it time to approach the great powers with the proposal for another conference to limit armaments still further and devise plans for the codification of international law.

"I trust that never again will the women of this nation be called on to sacrifice their loved ones to the terrible scourge of war," President Coolidge said.

Touching Latin America, the President said that we have constantly striven to come to more complete understandings with those nations. He recited the help given Mexico to avert domestic violence there, and the indication of a policy of making it worth while for a government to conduct itself so as to merit recognition. He pointed to the written agreement with Mexico to negotiate a treaty of amity and commerce such as has not been in existence since 1881.

Equal Opportunities for All.

Of discrimination of all kinds, President Coolidge said: "This is one country; we are one people united by common interests. There should be no favorites and no outcasts; no race or religious prejudices in the government. America opposes special privilege for anybody, and favors equal opportunity for everybody. It has adopted these conclusions because they are the logical conclusions of our ideals of freedom. Moreover, we believe they contribute to our material welfare. We oppose the artificial supports of privilege and monopoly because they are both unjust and uneconomic. They are not right. They do not work."

The Farm Situation.

Reviewing the situation of the farmer, the President said that one of the first thoughts in 1921 was for the relief and revival of agriculture as a fundamental industry, and touched upon the credits of between three and four hundred million dollars extended through the War Finance corporation, an additional $50,000,000 provided for the relief of the cattle industry, and the formation of a $10,000,000 corporation in the spring which, it was estimated, can furnish $100,000,000 for diversification and relief in the Northwest. He told of the activities of the intermediate credit banks, directly and indirectly assisting 500,000 farmers.

The President commented on the present upturn of prices for agricultural products.

"The government rendered a great deal of assistance," he said, "and private enterprise co-operated, but the fundamental remedy was provided, as it always must be provided, not so much through the enactment of legislative laws as through the working out of economic laws. Because the farmers have thoroughly realized this, they have on the whole opposed price fixing by legislation. While maintaining that sound position, they have seen a partial relief come in a natural way, as it was bound to come.

"We now need in agriculture more organization, co-operation, and diversification. The farmer should have the benefit of legislation providing for flood control and development of inland waterways, better navigation east and south from the Great Lakes, reclamation, and especially relief for those who cannot meet their payments on irrigation projects. But the main problem is marketing. Co-operative effort, reorganization of the freight-rate structure, good business, and good wages in manufacturing, and the settlement of European affairs will all help to provide better market conditions.

"The Republican platform recognizes that agriculture should be on a basis of economic equality with other industries. This is easy to say, but the farmers themselves and their advisers have never been able to agree on a plan to provide it by law. Now that nature and economic law have given some temporary relief, I propose, therefore, to appoint a committee to investigate and report measures to the congress in December that may help secure this result which we all desire. I want profitable agriculture established permanently. I want to see the dollar of the farmer always purchase as much as any other dollar.

"Under the policy of protection and restrictive immigration," he asserted, "no deflation of wages has occurred. While the cost of living has gone down, wages have advanced. The 12-hour day and the seven-day week have practically been abolished. The uninterrupted operation of public utilities with mutually satisfactory and legally established methods of adjusting labor questions have been sought. Collective bargaining and voluntary arbitration have been encouraged. Republican rule has raised the wage earner to a higher standard than he ever occupied before anywhere in the world."

Reduction of Expenses.

President Coolidge then pointed out that the people of the country, because of the war have had to recreate nearly one-fifth of our national resources. We can make up the loss, he said, only by saving part of what we produce each day.

"It is for that reason," he continued, "that the present administration has made every possible effort to cut down the expenses of government. The expenses of the government reach everybody. Taxes take from everyone a part of his earnings, and force everyone to work for a certain part of his time for the government.

"When we come to realize that the yearly expenses of all the governments in this country have reached the stupendous sum of about $7,500,000,000, we get some idea of what this means. Of this amount about $3,500,000,000 is needed by the national government, and the remainder by local governments. Such a sum is difficult to comprehend. It represents all the pay of 5,000,000 wage earners receiving $5 a day, working 300 days in the year. If the government should add on $100,000,000 of expense, it would represent four days more work of these wage earners. These are some of the reasons why I want to cut down public expense.

"Because of my belief in these principles, I favor economy that the taxes of everybody may be reduced. Much has already been done. The bill which I signed will save the people about $1,000,000 each day. I want further tax reduction and more tax reform.

The raising of the revenue required to conduct our government is intimately connected with our economic welfare. If it is done by wise and just laws, the burden will be most easily borne. But if the method of taxation is not sound disaster will follow, reaching even to financial panic. Our first thought should be to maintain unimpaired the activity of agriculture and industry. That tax is theoretically best which interferes least with business.

Asks Just Taxation.

"Only about 3,500,000 people pay direct income taxes. The remainder pay, but pay indirectly, in the cost of all purchases, from a pair of shoes to a railroad ticket. This country has at least 107,000,000 of these indirect taxpayers. I am not disturbed about the effect on a few thousand people with large incomes because they have to pay high surtaxes. They can take care of themselves, whatever happens, as the rich always can. What concerns me is the indirect effect of high surtaxes on all the rest of the people. Let us always remember the poor. Whatever cry the demagogue may make about his ability to tax the rich, at the end of the year it will always be found that the people as a whole have paid the taxes. We should, therefore, have a system of taxation under which the people as a whole are most likely to be prosperous. Our country will be better off if, disregarding those who appeal to jealousy and envy, it follows in taxation and all else the straight path of justice.

For Economical Campaign.

"Economy should be practiced scrupulously in the conduct of a national campaign. I know it is difficult to distinguish between real service to the people and mere wastefulness. Costs have increased by doubling of the electorate, rendering close calculation impossible.

"Nevertheless, I can perceive no reason why the budget system should not be beneficial in a campaign, as it has proved to be in government. It is to be tested by our committee.

"I would make clearly and definitely one other requirement, that no individual, or group of individuals, may expect any governmental favors in return for party assistance. Whatever anyone gives must be given for the common good, or not at all. Contributions can be received on no other basis.

"For the first time after having opportunity fully to organize, the women of the nation are bringing the new force which they represent directly to bear on our political affairs. I know that the influence of womanhood will guard the home, which is the citadel of the nation. I know it will be a protector of childhood. I know it will be on the side of humanity. I welcome it as a great instrument of mercy and a mighty agency of peace. I want every woman to vote.

"The Constitution is the sole source and guaranty of national freedom. We believe that the safest place to declare and interpret the Constitution which the people have made is in the Supreme court of the United States.

"Under our institutions there is no limitation on the aspirations a mother may have for her children. That system I pray to continue. This country would not be a land of opportunity, America would not be America, if the people were shackled with government monopolies.

"Our country has adopted prohibition and provided by legislation for its enforcement. It is the duty of the citizen to observe the law, and the duty of the Executive to enforce. I propose to do my duty as best I can.

For Child Labor Amendment.

"Our different states have had different standards, or no standards at all, for child labor. The congress should have authority to provide a uniform law applicable to the whole nation which will protect childhood. Our country cannot afford to let anyone live off the earnings of its youth of tender years. Their places are not in the factory, but in the school, that the men and women of tomorrow may reach a higher state of existence and the nation a higher standard of citizenship.

"I am in favor of national defense, not merely as an abstract state of mind, but as a concrete mode of action. I favor not merely talking about it, but doing something about it. I do not want the safety of my country to be imperiled in its domestic or foreign relations by any failure to be ready to preserve order or repel attack. But I propose to work for voluntary observance of law and mutual covenants of peace.

Common Sense Greatest Asset.

"We are likely to hear a great deal of discussion about liberal thought and progressive action. It is well for the country to have liberality in thought and progress in action, but its greatest asset is common sense. In the commonplace things of life lies the strength of the nation. It is not in brilliant conceptions and strokes of genius that we shall find the chief reliance of our country, but in the home, in the school, and in religion. America will continue to defend these shrines. Every evil force that seeks to desecrate or destroy them will find that a Higher Power has endowed the people with an inherent spirit of resistance. The people know the difference between pretense and reality. They want to be told the truth. They want to be trusted. They want a chance to work out their own material and spiritual salvation. The people want a government of common sense.

"These, Mr. Chairman, are some of the beliefs which I hold, some of the principles which I propose to support. Because I am convinced that they are true, because I am satisfied that they are sound, I submit them with abiding faith to the judgment of the American people."

Republican Women Start National Campaign

Mrs. Alvin T. Hert, vice chairman of the Republican National committee, has just announced the opening of the National headquarters of the women's bureau of the campaign on the second floor of the Wrigley building, Chicago. Eastern headquarters have been opened in New York city.

The Women Voters Speak

The voices of the women of America are making themselves heard. From Maine to California, with a unison which is infectious, they are saying, "We want Coolidge and Dawes."

In the weeks which have elapsed since the Republican party nominated its standard bearers, the women have been weighing these candidates and their respect has gone out to these men, who represent the best qualities in American manhood.

All signs show that the women of the country have been weighing the Republican platform and that its pledges have won their support.

Women know that the running of the nation's business is simply housekeeping on a national scale. They know that there is nothing mysterious about it. They want the government to be managed as simply and as inexpensively as they manage their own homes. The women have heartily approved the budget system which the Republicans have established at Washington. They were quick to endorse the reduction of taxes by $1,250,000,000 per annum and the curtailment of public expenditures without in the slightest disturbing business. When the Republicans stated:

"We pledge ourselves to the progressive reduction of taxes of ALL THE PEOPLE as rapidly as may be done with due regard for the essential expenditures of the government administered with rigid economy," the women knew that the country would be safe if Republican candidates were elected to office.

The platform's promise to continue the party's solicitude for all those suffering any disability as a result of service to the United States in time of war was particularly appealing to the women.

Pledges of law enforcement, the quest to the states to promptly consider the Child Labor amendment, the declaration for high standards of wages, working and living conditions for women workers, and a score of other progressive planks have won the support of the women.

Their minds at rest about the program of the Republican party if elected to run the government for the next four years, the women have started their campaign. They want Coolidge and Dawes and they are working to get a record-breaking number of women to the polls next November.

"JUST TWENTY-ONE"

One of the important factors in the election of the man who is to be the next President of the United States, will be the young men and women who are just old enough to vote.

Some of these first voters are wage earners, others are still in college. They share a common responsibility, that of expressing the views and wishes of the youth of America.

Here and there when a young man or woman can be persuaded to talk about it, they are heard to say that they want to keep President Coolidge on the job at Washington for the next four years. They can do it.

COOLIDGE CHOICE OF WOMEN VOTERS

Mrs. A. T. Hert Praises Child Labor Policy.

"What the future holds for the wage earner and the wage earner's family, is of vital interest to the women of this country." Mrs. Alvin T. Hert, vice chairman of the Republican National committee, stated in a recent interview. "Therefore, the promises of the political parties on the subject of labor are of the greatest importance. When we reflect that there are eight and one-half million women wage earners including two million married women wage earners who are directly affected by labor legislation, as well as the wives of the laboring men who are interested in the protection afforded labor, the importance of the question can be plainly seen.

"Every woman in America is interested in the question of child labor and wants to see the children of this country safeguarded during the most important years of their lives.

"A fair deal to labor was assured by the Republican party in its platform accepted by the national convention in Cleveland. The platform pledges continued progressive reduction of taxes, rigid economy in government and promises protection against undue exactions.

"To the Republican party goes the credit of being the leader in the campaign for national legislation to protect the children. It was the party that enacted the first federal child labor law," Mrs. Hert said. "The Republican platform commended congress for its prompt adoption of the recommendation of President Coolidge authorizing congress to pass protective child labor legislation. It also urged the prompt consideration of the amendment by the legislatures of the various states.

"This law, when ratified, will afford nation-wide protection for child workers.

"The average woman of today is worker. She either works to support herself and those dependent upon her or she works to make the family income buy as many comforts for her family as possible.

"The last federal census showed that out of 572 occupations, only 35 did not have women workers. Women have entered the realm of industry and they must be carefully protected. The action of the Republican platform in favoring high standards of wage, working and living conditions among women has received widespread commendation.

"The election of President Coolidge and Mr. Dawes, supported by a Republican congress, will mean continued prosperity for the average home."

WOMEN OUT TO BEAT 1920 VOTE

Women are getting down to the business of voting.

Statistics show that approximately 25 per cent of the women eligible to vote, actually voted in 1920. This means only about one out of every four.

In 1920 one state had 3,462,879 voting citizens, her total vote was 2,090,468. What about the 1,372,411 who did not vote?

The women's bureau of the Republican National committee, with headquarters in Chicago, has just issued an appeal to the women asking them to see that every eligible voter in their families goes to the polls on registration day.

Women are out to round up the "civic slackers," and this means men as well as women.

RIGINAL

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For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

The manufacturer of a "certain type of low-priced car" sold more than a million of them in the first half of 1924. And farmers were among the most numerous buyers. Not so bad, considering that the farmers are represented as on the verge or over the verge of bankruptcy.

WARNING TO COTTON GROWERS

Mr. W. R. Lancaster, sales manager of the Farm Bureau Cotton Association, sends out warning to all farmers calling attention to the serious losses which result from rushing the first picked cotton to the gin as rapidly as it is picked and before it has time to dry out to some extent. It is impossible for green cotton to be ginned without being cut by saws.

This is not the fault of the gin, because no gin can handle green damp cotton in a satisfactory manner, but is entirely the fault of the farmer.

When cotton is green, damp or wet from dew or rain and not properly dried out it cannot be ginned without damage and loss to the farmer, which in some instances amount to as much as $25.00 per bale.

Be sure that your cotton is not green, damp or wet when taken to the gin.

PARLIAMENTARY OPPOSITION

The recently negotiated Anglo-Russian treaties are meeting with strenuous opposition in the British Parliament, and it's little wonder that they should. Apparently the undertaking is a mere surrender to the Soviets. Great Britain guarantees a loan to Russia, while Russia agrees to negotiate the payment of British debts and claims. Everything that the British are to receive under the treaties depends upon the good faith of the Russians, which has been so sadly absent in the past. The Russians also gain the right to trade in Great British courts. The British labor government may have needed the treaties for political effect, but British commercial men will be slow to place any dependance on such undertakings. Fortunately the United States has a government that is ruled by the same sound business principles that control any successful private enterprise.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"Al Owens says he had t' quit workin' at home evenings 'cause it wuz too tiresome f'r his wife t' keep quiet that long---"

There's No Telling How Much of That Rope He's Gonna Eat

STATE COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

Insects from cut-over areas are not a serious danger to neighboring tracts left uncut, according to a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. Occasionally the owner of a growing stand of pine timber is persuaded that he ought to sell it during the period when it is making its rapid growth because it is alleged that worms from fresh nearby cuttings will invade his timber and injure it seriously. As a matter of fact, there is very little danger of this. Insects from the tops and rubbish left on a cut-over area will very often attack trees standing among the slashing, especially if the tops are lodged against or very close to the standing tree. If the rubbish is pulled away from the remaining trees, however, there is comparatively little risk. There is practically no danger from this source to neighboring stands of timber in which no cutting is taking place. The occasional serious infestations of timber lands by insects usually have their origin in other causes. Even these, however, occur so rarely that on the whole they do not affect the growing of pine timber as a profitable undertaking.

FUNDS FOR CROP MOVING

In September the Federal Land Bank expects to float a loan of about $60,000.000 in anticipation of the borrowings of farmers to aid in moving their crops. It is believed that the interest rate to be charged the farmers by the borrowing agencies, and the amount of funds advanced to the farmers will be the smallest in the history of farm loan aid. It is apparent that natural changes and the wise agricultural policy adopted and followed by President Coolidge are resulting in permanent improvement in the farmers' condition. Financial aid will continue to be extended as required, but the farmers are becoming more independent of such help as the blighting effect of Democratic deflation recedes further into the past, and the inspiration of Republican policies is more widely felt.

SWIFT CREEK NEWS

Hello everybody.

How would you all like to read some good news from this place.

Everybody is well and having a nice time.

Mrs. Minnie Baker and Mr. G. W. Giles of Menford, Ala., spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Giles.

Mr. Alton Giles is spending a few days, or a week, with his uncle and cousins, Mr. L. S. Giles and daughters.

Miss Minnie and Maudie Trawick of Bon Air, Ala., spent last Thursday night with their cousins, Miss Mary and Carrie Giles.

Quite a crowd of young folks of this place motored over on Greasy Ridge Sunday afternoon. They reported a nice time on the way there and back.

Mrs. Oscar Baker spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Henry Dobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Castleberry spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Mullins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mullins.

Mr. Oscar Knight and family spent last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knight.

Jno. S. Waldrop of Randolph, Route 1 was here at court Tuesday.

A. R. ADAMS ANSWERS MR. WILSON'S QUERIES

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your paper to answer the Rev. W. H. Wilson's questions asked in the last week's issue. Will say that I did not want any argument with anybody, and most especially a preacher. Now I will say that any accusation that gets started, generally the guilty man is the first one to kick out of the harness.

To the first question will say that I never stated in my letter that I ever wanted a job; so please correct that mistake. You ask if your kin folks drew more money than anybody else. You please answer these questions. State in the next issue how many you worked that were akin to you and how many were not and that will tell the tale of that question.

As to who has given a day on the road I cannot tell; but will say that I never give you any of my time and don't expect to put any more time unless I have to to get from home to town, and that is expected very soon if the road goes on like it is now. As to who I have tried to get jobs with, I am like you. If I cannot get the walking job I will not have any. As to how many hands you had on your road I never counted any of them, but every time that I passed by they were scattered for about one-half mile, each time looked like enough to have graded at least one mile of road each day, and if you traveled any nobody knew it.

Now as to who is working men that are too old, the Rev. W. H. Wilson. Will not state anybody else at this time but some one man that only worked his own family. I am yet the same old man I sa_, boys, let's get busy and make some change in the thing and the only way that I see is to put officers in next time that will stick to the poor man. This is twice that we have experienced this way of working the roads, and you can see that this does not suit this county. When they get your money they only work a few straight roads. There is one road running by Uncle Riley Robinson's that is almost impassable, and there are several others, and those men had to pay their money and then do without a road. Let's have all alike. Treat your neighbor as you wish to be treated. Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

I will close, with best wishes to the Banner and its many readers.

A. R. ADAMS.

Clanton, Ala., Route 2.

REPUBLICAN APPOINTED AS POSTMASTER AT BIRMING'M

It became known Monday that John George Bass, Republican, had been appointed postmaster at Birmingham, Ala., to take the place of R. B. Smyer, who will be checked out and the new executive placed in charge. The appointment was made by Postmaster General Harry S. New, who communicated with the apopintee and also with the present postmaster, it is stated. The appointment by the postmaster general will be followed by the appointment by the President, it is expected, and the Senate will confirm or reject when in session in December.

John G. Bass is a Jefferson County 'reared man, having been born at Leeds in the northwestern part of the county. He is the son of the late J. W. Bass, who moved to this State from North Carolina and was among the first Republicans of this section.

SOUTH CALERA

Little Misses Etta and Bertha Tate from Boyles are the guests of Miss Mexa Tate this week.

Mr. Bernice Stephens from Birmingham visited his mother last week.

Revival services will begin at Shiloh church next Sunday. Rev. Morton of Jemison, the pastor, will have charge. There will also be someone to help him.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettus of Tallassee came up Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burgess of South Colera.

Mr. and Mrs. Badie Watts and two children of Ensley were visitors to relatives in South Calera Saturday and Sunday, returning to Birmingham Sunday night. Little Miss Aileen Crim accompanied them home where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. Clyde Tate of Tuscaloosa was home last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate.

Mr. R. L. Crim from Cherokee Bluffs was the guest of relatives in South Calera Sunday night.

Mr. Holen Crim motored to Montgomery and Cherokee Bluffs last week-end, returning Monday night.

Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin spent Sunday in Pelham visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby of Selma came up Saturday to be the guests of Mr. Busby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones and children were the guests of relatives in Pelham Sunday.

Mr. Will Coheley and brother, Horace returned from Siluria Sunday.

Mrs. Jennie Northcutt from Longview was a visitor to the community last week.

Mrs. Jessie Cox was the guest of Mrs. Denson in Calera Sunday.

Mr. Vander Roberts and family motored to Pelham Sunday to visit Mr. Robert's brother, Mr. John Roberts.

Mr. Clyde Rogers from Louisiana has been the guest of his father, Mr. S. N. Rogers for the past few weeks.

Little Miss Olene Chapel is visiting friends and relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mrs. Burgess of Tallassee, who has been visiting her son, Mr. J. W. Burgess, returned to her home Sunday.

L. D. POPWELL
Clanton, Ala.
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Broken Lenses Duplicated and
Spectacles Fitted
Frames Repaired.

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Build Up Your Strength With Wintersmith's
For 56 years the standard remedy for Chills, Fever and Ague, Dengue and other fevers has been Wintersmith's Chill Tonic. Taken at the first sign of these troubles, it wards them off. Fine to take after almost any illness; its tonic effect is always good. At your drug store; popular size, 60c; mammoth size big value, $1.00.
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DAVIS DISAPPOINTS

Boston Hearld—Mr. Davis says nothing of the remarkable success which seemes to attend the negotiations in progress in London, Paris and Berlin. If deeds count, and Mr. Davis says they do, then the party he castigates really has been doing things of late.

N. Y. Herald-Tribune—Mr. Davis says either too much or too little. The vauge innuendo referring to "the executive" and "some of those in high places" smacks of an effort to cast suspicion without assuming full responsibility therefore.

Philadelphia Inquirer—The Davis acceptance speech is far from convincing. It is one fault-finding which will get him nowhere. It is one of promises but he offers little of practical value that has not been or will not be undertaken by the present Republican administration.

Duluth News-Tribune—With Minor changes the Davis speech might have been delivered by a Republican orator. As an argument for making a change in administration it approaches absolute zero.

Hartford Courant—Mr. Davis has not aided his chances with the electorate by introducing as his major thesis the same principle—membership in the League of Nations—that swept his party to ignominious defeat four years ago.

Milwaukee Sentinel—It is to be regarded that a clearer note was not sounded in the Davis speech, that a constructive document, instead of mere specious pleading, was not evolved.

Springfield Republican—Mr. Davis seemes weakest where he should be strongest, and that is the constructive side of his campaign.

Detroit Free Press—The people are not thinking much about parties just now. They want to know why they should put Calvin Coolidge out of the White House and put in John W. Davis or any one else.

N. Y. Hearld-Tribune—One can scan Mr. Davis's speech in vain for any acknowledgement of the new prosperity of the American farmer through the operation of natural laws.

Kansas City Star—The Davis address did not rise to the level of the man who wrote the letter refusing to play politics by giving up his clients.

Take Calotabs TRADE MARK REG
for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of August 17, 1899.

Clanton was visited by a thunder storm last Saturday afternoon of unusual severity. A tree was struck by lightning at Mr. John Giles' and a metal clothes line tied to the tree was totally consumed. A calf of Mrs. Candler was killed. George Minor had an ox to get killed and Charley Plier's stables were blown down.

Mrs. N. J. Calloway visited her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Higgins Monday.

Mr. Wm. Wright, age 83, died in Clanton last Sunday morning.

Prof. R. A. Rosco of Collins Chapel was a visitor here Saturday.

Married this week:—John Cleckler and Miss Sarah Smitherman; Geo. W. Smitherman and Miss Lizzie Vines; Wm. Cleckler and Miss Mary E. Smitherman; O. W. Franklin and Miss L. F. Littlefield; G. S. Robinson and Miss C. V. Vines.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

I desire to call the attention of the shooting public to the fact that the squirrel season does not open this year until November 1st. The season was changed by Act of the Legislature, which Act was approved by the Governor last year after the 1923-'24 hunting liiense dah been printed.

The Legislature not only moved the date of the opening of the season up to November 1st, but greately increased the penalty for violating the provisions of the game laws.

Very truly yours,
I. T. QUINN,
Commissioner of
Game and Fisheries

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Phil Pointer, agent for the Storrs-Schaeffer Co., will be with us Monday to Wednesday, August 25th to 27th, inclusive for his big display sale of Mens Suits and Overcoats. Look your wardrobe over before that time, then come in and let Mr. Pointer show you the line, and figure with you on your needs for Fall and winter.

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After Every Meal
It's the longest-lasting confection you can buy—and it's a help to digestion and a cleanser for the mouth and teeth.
Wrigley's means benefit as well as pleasure.

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A big undertaking you'll say—transporting every man, woman and child in the States of Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee and Kentucky—but if all the passengers who rode L. & N. trains during 1923 could be gathered together in one great group—more than thirteen million people, or nearly 12% of the Nation's population—it would require a train of 158,536 coaches with every seat occupied. Such a train would reach from Washington to San Francisco, an airline distance of approximately 2,200 miles.

Every day over 36,000 passengers get on L. & N. trains and travel on an average approximately 60 miles; and there has not been a single passenger fatality in a train accident during the past four years.

This is what L. & N. passenger service alone means to you; and it should give the readers of this newspaper a further idea of the importance of the transportation industry, which as a whole is doing a better job than ever before in the history of America—or of the world.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. R. NORTON, Manager)

Just Being Happy.

"Just being happy is a fine thing to do;
Looking on the bright side rather than the blue;
Sad or Sunny musing
Is largely in the choosing
And just being happy is brave work and true
Just Being Happy helps other souls along;
Their burdens may be heavy and they not strong;
And your own sky will lighten,
If other skies you brighten,
By just being happy with a heart full of song."

RIPLEY D. SANDERS.

Mrs. Christina Christensen of Birmingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Villadsen.

Rev. J. E. Each left Saturday for Mountain Creek to attend a church convention and lead revival services.

Mrs. Robert Davenport returned Monday night from a ten day's visit in Birmingham and Tuscaloosa.

Misses Lorene and Lois Prim and Willie Littlejohn attended a convention at Mountain Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Mae Parnell is visiting with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Misses Marie Flummer and Bernice Williams were week end visitors at their respective homes.

Mrs. Fred Howard and two daughters, Mabel and Lucile, and Mr. Edward Howard motored to Tuscaloosa on last Tuesday. From there they went to Bessemer and Birmingham, where they spent a few days.

Mr. E. F. Mead and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mead made a trip to Marbury Monday.

Mrs. S. C. Wood spent the past week in Birmingham with her sister, who has been ill.

Mr. Enoch Adams and daughter, Evelyn, were visitors in Birmingham last week.

Messrs A. E. Regan and C. R. Foss made a business trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

Miss Christine Bosworth returned Sunday from Birmingham, where she has been spending two weeks, visiting relatives.

Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson.

Mr. Sumner Gerald and sister, Iola spent Wednesday in Clanton at the home of their brother Mr. L. F. Gerald.

Mr. John Carlson returned last Wednesday from an extended visit with his son, Raymond, and daughter, Pearl, at Chicago and Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. Walter Carlson of Rockford, Ill., and Mr. Sigold Ekblad of Chicago, Ill., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Ekblad.

Mr. John Johnson of Birmingham has been spending the last two weeks with his family here. He returned Sunday night, accompanied by his wife, to be present at the wedding of their son, Walter Johnson and Miss Julia Garnicia. The wedding will be held at the home of Mrs. Langford, Miss Garnicia's sister.

Mr. Earl Mead of Birmingham spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mead.

Rev. Wilhelm Peterson, former pastor of the Lutheran church of Thorsby, occupied the pulpit there last Sunday. He is serving a church in Minneapolis at the present time.

Mr. James Griswold of Oregon, Ill., has been visiting with his aunt, Mrs. O. C. Mastin. She will accompany him to his home Thursday to make an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Addie Prim is spending a couple of weeks in the hospital at Clanton. We hope her stay will be a great benefit to her.

Miss Lena Franklin returned Saturday from Birmingham, where she has been attending Howard College the last six weeks.

Miss Beatrice Johnson went up to Birmingham Tuesday to be present at the wedding fo her brother.

Rev. E. W. Butler and daughters, Margaret and Dorothy, arrived home last Friday evening, after spending two months at Lakeside, Ohio. Mrs. Butler returned Tuesday.

Mr. Walter Morgan and family of Birmingham were visitors Sunday at the home of Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Messrs. Frank Mastin and James Griswold made a business trip to Birmingham Wednesday.

Mr. F. E. Gronquist and family left Thorsby last Friday to make their home in Birmingham. Mr. Gronquist was one of tht early settlers of this town.

The revival meeting which has been held at the Baptist church, closed on Tuesday night. They have had with them Prof. Grant of Coopers, songleader, and Jimmie Goeman, boy soloist. Several conversions have resulted from these meetings. Baptism was held at Charlotte Creek Wednesday morning.

Master Frank Wood is spending two weeks in Selma visiting his grand mother, Mrs. Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson entertained a few of their friends at a party last Thursday evening. Delicious refreshments were served and a social time was enjoyed.

After spending a few days in Thorsby, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler and children returned to their home in Montgomery last Wednesday.

The Ladies Guild will meet next week, Thursday, August 28th, at the home of Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

Miss Hattie Davenport of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport.

Mr. Tom Collins of Sylacauga spent Monday night in Thorsby.

Captain Hutchinson, who has traded his place north of town for a beautiful home on South Highlands in Birmingham, is moving his household goods and leaving Thorsby this week. He will not take possession of his property for some time, but will visit around a while. Mrs. Hutchinson is visiting at present with relatives in Selma. Mr. J. D. Glasco, who purchased the Hutchinson farm, and his son, Bennie, are occupying the place temporarily.

Mrs. T. A. Shannon of West Point, Ga., arrived Monday night for a few day's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nels Peterson and Miss Nell Shannon.

EVERY FAMILY SHOULD HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT

WE OPERATE ON A SAFE AND CONSERVATIVE PLAN, — ON THIS BASIS, WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE.

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MAPLESVILLE DOTS

Well it seems as if Maplesville is dead again, but we are not; we are all progressing very nicely. The town is, but not all the people, for there are a few cases of whooping cough in town. We are hoping them a speedy recovery.

Well I see in the paper of other communities complaining of the awful drowth and I see where it was broken by a rain, but there has been no rain here in about two months everything is suffering for rain.

Mr. Charlie Jeffcoat, who has been ill for the past few weeks, is improving. We are hoping to see him well in a few days.

Little Jack Pullian, who has been ill is some better now.

Our Sunday School and B. Y. P. U., G. A. S., and R. A. S., are doing very nicely, we are glad to say. Our revival was good; we got only two members for baptism, others by letter. The baptism was held Sunday afternoon, Misses Diecy Latham and Lucy Parnell being the candidates.

Maplesville is growing more every day. There has been three new dwellings put up lately.

Mr. Frank Acthison and family have moved to Tarrant City. We hate to see them leave but hope they will like their new home.

Mr. Clifford Roper and family of Sardis have moved to one mile north of Maplesville. We are glad to have them in our community.

Mrs. C. N. Parnell has returned home from an extended visit to the city of Mobile.

Miss Eula Seals of Selma spent the week at home last week.

Mrs. Evie Crochen of Mississippi is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Bearden.

Mrs. Brady McAfee and little son, Leighton, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seals.

Mrs. Emilill Bankhead and children of Jasper are visiting her mother, Mrs. T. U. Crumpton.

Mrs. Anna Latham spent the week in Montgomery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Seals and son, Cal., and daughter, Mrs. Jessie Bloss motored to Jemison Sunday and spent the day with relatives.

A good many from here attended the meeting at Shoults last week.

Mrs. Cly Rucker and little son, Curtis, is spending a few days in Centerville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Harold of Billingsley were at home Sunday visiting Mrs. Harold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. King.

MRS. W. P. HICKS WRITES BACK FROM QUINCEY, FLA.

The farmers here have gathered their tobacco crop and have sold it. It was indeed a very quick crop made, and this year a lot of money was made on tobacco here near Quincey.

Quite a lot of traveling people pass through this place going down in South Florida. We see car loads of people every day from different States.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hicks have just returned from a visit to Bibb and Chilton Counties visiting relatives there. They made their trip by auto going by way of Bainbridge, Ga., Dothan, Troy, Montgomery and Clanton. They say the roads were in good condition most all the way.

Mrs. Lum Hicks of Lawley, Ala., has been visiting here for several weeks.

Mrs. Prime and four children have just returned from a visit to relatives in Mississippi.

If the editor will permit, I wish to say a few words in regard to bobbed hair. We will just ask Mr. Holt if he thinks God looks on the outward appearance? The short hair dosen't have one thing to do with the soul. It only keeps one feeling so fresh and cool that they will be more like they should be.

I do my very best to live a Christian life, and have four children that I am trying to rear as God would have me rear them. But I am not thinking about their hair as having anything to do with their lives.

Now, the men dress as they please, so why not let the women do the same? Especially when the styles are so comfortable, as the low heels, bobbed hair, corsetless dresses and many other of the comfortable styles. Of course, things have always been carried to the extreme, and always will be, by a few narrow-minded. Even our grand mothers will admit that some in her days carried the styles to an extremity.

Now, let Mr. Holt, who thinks that something drastic ought to be done, be sane, reasonable and honest and investigate a condition of affairs he does not approve, looking at all sides of it and every point of interest bearing on it. Some men are always ready to talk about the women—how a certain class is living—and never mention the man, who put them in that class. Yes, the men can go on among respectable society, hold their deceitful heads as high as any of the respectable people, the women bearing all the blame.

Chilton County being my former home county, I could not wait any longer to write. Wishing the home people and the Union-Banner much success.

Willie (Walker) Hicks.

MIMS - COOK

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Mims of Clanton announce the engagement of their daughter, Delene, to Mr. F. M. Cook, of Birmingham, the wedding to take place in the near future.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

State of Alabama, Chilton County:

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Fifteen and 70-100 Dollars cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the March Term, 1924 of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of officers of the Court, against Enoch Moates, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. at Clanton, Alabama, **on the 25th day of August, 1924, all the right, title and** interest of the above named Enoch Moates, in and to the following described property, viz:—One five-passenger Ford car, 1918 Model.

This, 15th day of August, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, August 15th, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Jim Dudley of Clarksdale, Miss., was in Clanton Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Lulu Dudley.

LEVY ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court of Chilton County, to Enoch Moates.

You will take notice that I have this 15th day of August, 1924, levied upon the following described property, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for the sum of Fifteen and 70-100 Dollars, in favor of officers of the Court, Plaintiff, against Enoch Moates, Defendant, to-wit:—One five passenger Ford car, 1918 Model.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

ADAMS DOTS

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wallace and baby of Selma spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Lenoir.

Mr. Tom Tucker of Siluria spent Saturday night with Mr. John Lawley.

Misses Lennie and Willie Foshee and Mr. A. J. Smitherman were the guests of the Misses Ratliff a while Saturday night.

A truck load from near this place motored to Alpine to preaching Sunday.

There will be preaching at Mt. Carmel the Fifth Sunday by Rev. Arnold Weaver. Everybody come.

THE GROCERYMAN

J. W. Littlejohn is still on the job with the leading Grocery Store in town. Don't fail to try our special Coffee.

He also wishes to buy all your eggs. The best market price will be paid for them.

J. W. LITTLEJOHN

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W. A. KEMP

Clanton, Alabama

RIGINAL

NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Last week we wrote about a visit to friends in Portland Conneticut, and reference to some places along the way. We believe some account of what we saw during those two days spent in the Connecticut Fiver valley will be of interest.

Mrs. Kelley informed us at breakfast, the first morning after our arrival, that Mr. Kelley's work was so far that he did not get home at noon and therefore she would be able to accompany us wherever we wanted to go to see things that might interest us. So far the most part of this letter, we will include her as a member of our party.

Naturally we wanted to see that big factory building where the menfolks of the Ellsworth tribe were "Doing Things."

During the world war, most of us remember how the Germans were put to it to find substitutes for very many things wherein either the material or finished product was no longer available on account of blockaded ports.

Their knowledge of Chemistry made them proficient in analyzing the component parts of a great variety of articles, among them silk. It has long been known that silkworms feed on certain varieies of vegetation and put it through some process that enables them to form silk thread for their cocoons, which are used in making natural silk. These German scientists have analyzed Mr. Silkworm, inside and out. They have found just what ingredients are found in the mulberry leaf or other food the silkworm uses and just the process by which he changes it into silk thread.

Knowing all this, they search for the same substances in other kinds of vegetation, or the product of other vegetation that will be aviable for the purpose, then they find out what chemical and other things are necessary to form a substance that will artificially make a good quality of silk thread. The entire proceeding is under the head of Chemical Research, of which a vast amount is being done day by day with wonderful results.

Having learned just what they want for material, they send out a force of men to explore this and other lands to locate an accessible source of supply. Whatever help they may have found in other places, they selected for their field of operations this veritable desert place among sand pits in the Conneticutt Valley. Here quite a bunch of money that no doubt should by rights go to pay French Reparations, is being invested for the manufacture of artificial silk thread which may be used for many purposes. Their process is a closely guarded secret, but we prophesy if it proves a success they will not long have a monopoly of it. They made folks think for years that nobody in the world but Germans, could make Analine Dyes. When war stopped their importation into America, our chemist got busy and produced better dyes than the Germans ever made, and today Uncle Sam's dominion not only supplies our own needs but export a lot to other countries.

Having seen all there was to see, and that was considerable, at this mammoth plant in process of incubation, we drove along northward to Cronwell where we found a great industry throughly established. The Pearson Greenhouse, covered many acres and said to be the most extensive in the east. Their product is varied, and their business consists chiefly in supplying Florists and wholesale flower dealers.

One accustomed to think of tobacco growing as only suited for subtropical climates, would be amazed to note the extent of this industry in the Connecticutt river valley. Thousands of acres of it, and a good portion of it grown under cloth. This season for want of rain during July, the crops was much damaged and the growers would stand to lose, estimated, $10,000.000 were it not for the fact that most of them carry insurance on their crop

Much care is needed in growing and curing the crop. Great barns dot the landscape where the stalk with leaves attached are hung to cure, not dry, and when the season is favorable and the curing scientific the product of this section is much sought for cigar wrappers even of the finest cigars.

Many years ago when the writer was a traveling salesman stopping over night at a hotel in a small town, a leaf tobacco salesman from this section showed us his samples of half leaves of tobacco, three feet long, six or eight inches wide, tapering to a point and soft and shiny as a piece of satin. We never forgot it, nor expected to see the field where it was grown.

Next we came to weathersfield, where we had other visible evidence of the fertility of this Conneticut valley soil. A huge Elm tree at the roadside bore the following inscription, "Largest Elm tree in the U. S." 250 years old, 28 feet in circumference, 197 feet high and 147 feet spread. It should be remembered that although we were not exactly on the spot where the Pilgrim Fathers landed in 1620, no place in New England, outside of the state of Maine if far from it, and most of this country has been inhabited by the white man for about 300 years, and many places and buildings bear signs or tables with dates near as old.

A few miles further north brings us to Hartford, the Connecticut's Capital city, population 140,000 and the head of ocean going steamship navigation on the Connecticut river 53 miles from Long Island Sound. There is at least one boat daily each way between Hartford and New York, while others come from other ports. History dates back to 1630 and a cemetery in the heart of the city has headstones marked 1640. Insurance business in the U. S. had its origin here and today employs upward of 10,000 clerks in its Skyscapping Insurance buildings, among them, the Aetna, Hartford, and Travellers with its Tower the tallest in New England.

By the way, we had an excellent dinner at 50c each in a Restaurant on the 15th floor of this building. While waiting for one of our party at the street entrance, we saw the employees of the Insurance companies pouring out at noon. There was literally an army of them filling the sidewalk from street to curb. They did not seem to be a very ferocious army. Most of them were girls and women, seemingly of diminutive size. There were some that would do credit to any community, but the great mass appeared to us decidely puny. We saw nothing reprehesible in their behavior, but seemed to have a jaded air that made one think they needed to be "Turned out to grass."

We visited the Morgan Memorial building, by the late J. P. Morgan as a memorial to his father who was a prominent citizen of Hartford.

The building is filled with Paintings, antique and curious, many of them donated by Mr. Morgan who was a notable collector of rare and beautiful things from all parts of the world.

Among the paintings was one group of the signers of the Declaration of Independence in which one of the figures was William Williams, an ancestor of Mrs. Norton, and we note in passing that Hartford is the birthplace of her father Caleb Goodwin who had many kinfolks in this section, and today one of the show places of the city is Goodwin Park.

Hartford also has several manufactories of inter-national reputation, and a Boulevard and Park system of more than ordinary pretentions for a city of its size. The ladies of our party were of course interested in shop windows and department stores. The Capitol building and some of the churches as well as the old State House from 1796 to 1879 still wears an air of dignity.

Returning to Portland we crossed the great stone bridge, topped by a wide boulevard and headed south on the east side of the river, the first town we struck was Gastonbury, the home of the widely known Williams Soap. At South Glastonbury is the homestead of the noted Hale family, one member of which was a poineer in Peach orchard here.

After supper our party visited Ellsworth Camp, situated 9 miles from Portland and much in favor with the family of roughing it and boating, swimming or fishing in the beautiful lake adjacent to their property.

Next day we visited a large factory in Middletown, where pressed tinware and household enamelware is made. The different processes of sheet metal working are always interesting. In the afternoon we drove over to Long Island Sound 35 miles, walked and drove along the beach, which is really part of the shore of the Atlantic Ocean, and we got at least a smell of salt water.

We returned to Portland by another route a little longer. The roads were mostly good and we made the trip easily. This finished our sight seeing at Portland, and next morning we started on the homeward trip described last week.

FARM WOMEN WANTS RUNNING WATER

Auburn, Ala., Aug. 13.—There is almost a universal demand on the part of the farm women of Alabama for running water in their homes.

Questionnaires sent by home demonstration agents to representative farm women in different counties of the State reveal that running water is the one convenience most wanted. In answer to the question as to what they would do with $100 to spend as they pleased, most replies were: "I would put in waterworks."

Realizing this demand, agricultural engineers here have compiled information regarding different kinds of waterworks. They say that they may be installed at prices ranging from $25 to $800, or more. A $25 outfit would consist mainly of a barrel tank, kitchen sink, and pipes to connect. To this must be added the cost of a pump to pump the water into the barrel.

WRITES LETTER REGARDING WHISKEY

Editor Union-Banner:—

Please allow me a small space in your paper to say a few words regarding whiskey. It has led me to the bad, broken me up and has almost robbed me of my character.

I want to say to the good people of Chilton County that I am through with whiskey. I never expect to drink another drop of strong drink. Young man or old man, if you drink whiskey, make or sell it, let me beg you to quit before you get in trouble. It has ruined me and it will ruin you. It is the worst thing on earth. It is like a rattle snake—if you fool with him he will bite you; if you fool with this drug it will put you to the bad. And that is not all it will cause you to lose your soul.

I am here in jail and will have to go to the State prison. And it was caused by drink. God forbid that this will ever come against me any more. I want to ask the good people of Chilton County to firgive me of the wrong things I have done. I used to have lots of friends, but everybody is afraid to go on my bond now.

When I get out of this trouble I am going to be a better man. Will close by saying to everybody, let wild cat whiskey alone.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FERRY

STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given that I, Harvey Mims, will apply to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to establish a ferry at a point about one mile above Lock 12 across the Coosa River, touching the Chilton bank about the point of R. F. Bates' house and the Coosa bank about the Littleton place. Said ferry will be conducted and managed in the manner and under the laws as provided by the laws of this State governing ferries. Said application will be presented to the Court of County Commissioners of Chilton County at the session of said court to be held for the first Monday in September, 1924.

This the 28th day of July, 1924.

HARVEY MIMS.

7-31-4t-c. m.

NON RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity; Mattie Jones, Complainant, vs. Walter C. Jones, Defendant:

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Walter C. Jones, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause, and also amendment to bill of complaint filed August 11th, 1924, by the 18th day of September, 1924, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 11th day of August, 1924.

W. D. SPEIGNER
Register.

8-14-4t-c

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 18, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please state through the columns of your paper to the squirrel hunters, that the squirrel season opens the 1st day of Nov., and that the bag limit is ten per day, and every hunter must have license. The fine for killing squirrels out of season is not less than $15 fine and cost. Wt are going to try to enforce the game laws in this county and ask the corporation of the good citizens to assist us.

Yours very truly
T. J. LITTLEJOHN
Sheriff Of Chilton County.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will not assume any responsibility whatever for work done by parties on fifty-fifty basis, unless permission to do such work was first obtained by the Commissioner in their respectative Districts.

Respectfully
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge Of Probate.

8-21-2-t-c

SOMETHING TO BE DONE WITH COUNTY POOR HOUSE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Chilton county will meet on Monday, September 11th, 1924 at 10 o'clock a.m., at the court house for the purpose of considering moving the county poor house or building a new one.

We will also consider bids for the keeping of the paupers for the year 1925.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

8-21-2t

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Mr. J. W. Smith of Route 4 was in Clanton a while Saturday.

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We wish to extend our thanks to the good folks of Clanton for their kind attention to us in our distress following our auto accident. We have seldom found a people so full of human sympathy, with a desire to be genuienly, helpful, lavish in their attention, with words of comfort and cheer and a profesion of flowers. May every good thing come to each of them in rich abundance.

This community is indeed blessed and should be justly proud of such a splendid establishment as the Central Alabama Hospital with its thorough equipment, right in their midst for the prompt alleviation of suffering. It should receive the loyal support of this entire citizenship. In our expression of gratitude we would not overlook the Hospital nurses who administered so competently and faithfully to our needs. We were especially fortunate in falling into the hands of our brother nobles, Drs. Gragg and Marcus, who proved themselves Brothers in the truest sesse of the word.

Sincerely Yours,
Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Robertson.

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Our well-known Milliner, Mrs. Williams, is in the market buying latest fall and winter Millinery for our up-to-the-minute shop.—ELMORE'S.

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NOTICE

I have Judge L. H. Reynolds' two-story brick building in charge for sale or for rent. Will lease any reasonable time. Any one wanting to buy or rent, call on me.

14-24 W. W. FOX, Agent.

SINGING AT WALNUT CREEK

We are requested to announce that Prof. W. M. Devaughn will sing at Walnut Creek church next Sunday afternoon. This is the regular meeting of the singing society, and all singers are invited to come out and help Prof. Devaughn.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Birthday Party.

Little Miss Nell Ross Mullins was five years old on last Tuesday. This epoch in the child's life was duly celebrated on that afternoon with a party that she herself had assisted in planning.

About fifty comrades came to enjoy the birth-day party and a jolly good time was had by all in playing the ever delightful childhood games. Photographs of the group were taken by Mrs. Hosea Downs, then the tots were ushered in to partake of refreshments. The dining room had been made unusually attractive with many pink and white ribbons. The birth-day cake, with its five lighted candles, concealed favors that were connected with each individual plate by suspended ribbons. The usual interest prevailed when ring, button, thimble, needle, etc., were drawn.

Upon departure of the guests the honoree presented each with a parcel of dainty confections. Many exclamations concerning the occasion expressed the utmost delight of little Miss Nell Ross Mullins' birth-day guests.

Mrs. Gerald, Hostess.

At her home on Frist Avenue Mrs. L. F. Gerald entertained last Wednesday the members of her card club and a few other friends. A variety of summer flowers were arranged in baskets and vases were used to brighten the interior, where four tables were arranged for the game of bridge. Delicious grape juice was served upon the arrival of the guests, and after the game a refreshing ice course was served. The club prize, two decks of congress cards, was won by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, while a Japanese salt and pepper stand was given to Mrs. Grady Broadhead as guest prize. The club members and guests were Mesdames Callen, Alred, Simpson, Arthur Johnson, Moore, Hugh Jones, Lyman, Grady Broadhead, Heard, Grady Reynolds, N. S. Johnson, Oscar Jones, John VanDerveer, Misses Ara Mullins, Kathleen Mullins and Adelaide Courtney from Montgomery.

Visitors Honored.

Mrs. Hugh Jones was a charming hostess on Tuesday morning as a special courtesy to her guest, Miss Adelaide Courtney and Mesdames Simmons and Olliff, who are the guests of Miss Kathleen Mullins. The porch where a couple of tables for the game of bridge was arranged was pretty with pot plants and wall vases holding summer garden flowers which nodded a cherry greeting to all the guests.

After a series of games the top score was held by Miss Kathleen Mullins who was awarded a prize of silk hose and the guest prize, a bridge set, fell to Mrs. Olliff. An elaborate plate luncheon was served to the honorees, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. H. M. Simpson, Mrs. Frank Callen and Miss Kathleen Mullins. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Watts Moore.

Mrs. S. A. Johnson and Mrs. Harry Tarplay from Tuscaloosa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reynolds last week.

Miss Lillie Hester, who has held a high position as teacher in penmanship in the Connecticut schools, paid Clanton friends and relatives a brief visit Friday, enroute home for a few days' vacation.

Mrs. John Henley and L. C. and Miss Gladys Henley from Naftel were visitors to Clanton this week.

Masters Sidney and Ted Reynolds are visiting in Tuscaloosa this week.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie is spending today in Montgomery with Mrs. Earl Alverson.

Messrs. Joe Luckie and Bill Simpson were visitors to Montgomery last week.

Mr. Lloyd Popwell from Birmingham motored down for the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Middleton were visitors to Montgomery last week.

Mrs. H. Chandler has as her guests her brother, Mr. George Allen, and family from Georgia.

Dr. N. S. Johnson returned from a two-weeks visit to Chicago Monday

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Mrs. C. R. Mullins returned home Saturday from St. Louis.

Mr. Ralph Garner from Ozark and Mrs. E. A. Matthews, were in Clanton on business last Friday.

Mrs. Julius Reynolds and little daughter from Greenville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds last week.

The friends of Mr. B. McKee were sorry to hear that he has moved his family recently to Marbury.

Mrs. Irene Rasberry and little daughter, Eloise, spent a couple of days in Birmingham last week.

Miss Jewell Minor, who has been at Jacksonville summer school, will return home today.

Miss Marjorie Murphy has as her guest Miss Thelma Bates from Birmingham.

After a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, Miss Myrtle Hammett and mother will return to their home in Birmingham Friday.

Mrs Bruce Oliff and little son, Dyke and Mrs. Frank Simmons of Statesboro, Ga., are the guests of Miss Kathleen Mullins this week.

Messrs. Tom and Dewey Rockett were visitors to the Magis City on Monday.

Miss Jessie Childress, who has been the guest of Miss Estella Littlejohn for the past two weeks has reutrned home.

Dr. and Mrs. Neighbors and children are visiting relatives in Goodwater this week.

Mr. J. B. Atkinson spent a couple of days in Birmingham on business this week.

The many friends of Miss Marion Seawright were shocked last week at the sad news of her sudden death at Greenville, Ala.

Miss Ara Mullins and mother, Mrs. Lela Mullins, from Birmingham were recent visitors to Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald were visitors to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. W. K. Mullins and children of Birmingham will arrive today for a visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Paul Devall and little daughter, Paula from Atlanta, are the guests of Mrs. Hugh Jones.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes went to Roanoke Wednesday by auto. They went to see their son, Jack, play base ball.

Mr. Grady Reynolds made a business trip to Montgomery last week.

THANKS FIRE FIGHTERS

I take this means to thank everyone who so gallantly fought the fire thus saving my house last Thursday night, and especially the boys of Clanton, who worked so hard. Their work was the best I have ever seen and I deeply appreciate it.

W. E. PLIER.

MANY CASES DISPOSED OF IN CIRCUIT COURT TUESDAY

Tuesday was a busy day at the Court House in Clanton. Judge Geo. F. Smoot was here and presided over the Circuit Court, non-Jury term, and disposed of the following cases:

Mell Kimball, defaulting bond, continued.

Len Garrett, allowing cattle to run at large, dismissed.

Joe Grooms, violaaing prohibition law, continued.

Lafayette Watts, violating prohibition law, continued and cost paid.

Ben Jones, violating prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $100.

Claudie Jones, violating prohibition law, continued.

Shade Y. Dorminey, disturbing public worship, plead guilty, fined $50.

Joe Smith, violating prohibiton law, plead guilty, fined $50.

Hall Tyus, violating prohibition law, plead guilty and fined.

F. C. Gipson, violating road law, continued.

Clifford Wells, violating road law, nol prossed.

J. W. Gaylir, violating prohibition law, discharged.

Jesse White, violating prohibition law, guilty, fined $50.

Alfred Bean, violating road law, continued.

Charlie Hand, carrying concealed weapon, fined $50.

Ervin Mims, carrying concealed pistol, plead guilty, fined $50.

Ben Deason, violating road law, nol prossed.

Luther Williams, violating road law, nol prossed.

Jim Dunlap, violating road law, nol prossed.

Virgil Healdey, violating road law, nol prossed.

Clark Shoults, failure to dip cattle, continued.

J. S. Headley, fraudulent check, continued.

J. C. Crone, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Tyre Landers, failore to dip cattle, continued.

Jess Edwards, failure to dip cattle, not guilty.

John Cofer, violating road law, continued.

Sam Adams, violating prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $50.

Bud Whatley, failure to dip cattle, continued.

J. C. Price, assault and battery, plead guilty, fined $50.

Henry Klinner, violating road law, nol prossed.

S. J. Reynolds, violating road law, nol prossed.

Bennie Mills, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Monroe Ramsey, faliure to dip cattle, continued.

Neal Pruett, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Prince Hughes, failure to dip cattle, continued.

J. C. Price, violating road law, nol prossed.

Less Broadhead, faliure to dip cattle, continued.

Sam Foshee, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Judy Pruett, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Oliver Huston, failure to dip catale, continued.

Walter Anderson, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Henry Hayes, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Lillard Milton, abusive language, continued.

Jack Taitum, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Robert E. Busby, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Oscar Miner, violating prohibition law, guilty, fined $50.

Benjamin Easterling, violating prohibition law, guilty, fined $50.

D. B. Tidwell, violating prohibition law, continued.

Eugene Williams, violating road law, nol prossed.

George Headley, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Steve Dutton carrying concealed pistol, not guilty.

Jno. B. Moore, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Henry Ratliff, foilure to dip cattle, continued.

Robert Burden, violating prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $75.

Sam C. Rankins, failure to dip cattle, continued.

Henry Easterling, violating prohibition law, not guilty.

Percy Crumpton, violatini prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $50.

Bee Weathers, carrying concealed pistol, plead guilty, fined $100.

B. Igo, manufacturing liquor and having still in possession, plead guilty, sentenced 18 months to 2 years.

Miss Clara Ellen Calloway has as her guest Miss Mitchell from Montgomery.

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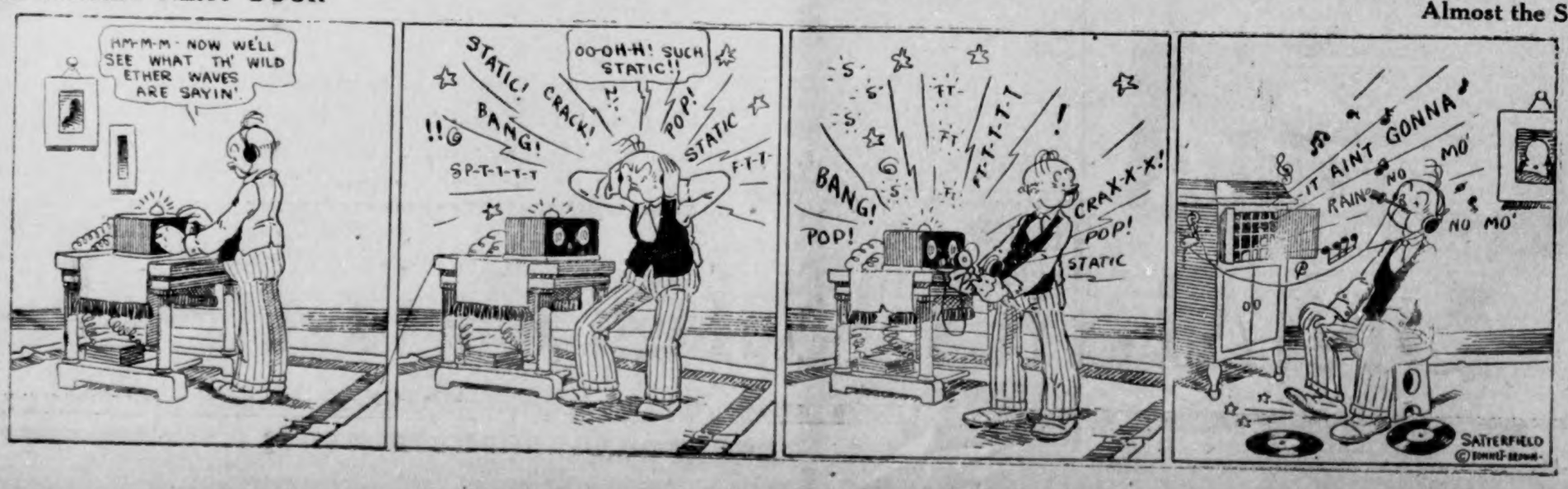

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

Sheriff's Force Has Very Eventful Week

Two Cutting Scrapes and Two Whiskey Cases Probed by Officers and Six Arrests Made.

During the past Friday, Saturday and Sunday the Sheriff and his Deputies were kept rather busy looking after law violations and making arrests of the guilty parties.

On last Friday evening Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee arrested Robert Jones and Olien Ellison near Mineral Springs. Jones, according to report of the officers, was drunk, and Ellison was drinking heavily. About a pint of whiskey was taken from under the front cushion of Jones' Ford car in which the two boys were riding. The two were brought to Clanton and placed in jail, where they remained until Saturday morning when they were released on bond of $500 each. The Ford is in the custody of the Sheriff awaiting court proceedings. Both the boys are residents of Friendship Community near Clanton.

Last Saturday afternoon at the court house, when Fiddlin' John Carson struck out on the old familiar plantation medley, "Turkey in the Straw" the temptation to take part in the old-time festival was so great that John Ellison of Jumbo, with spirits in his tummy and fiddle music in his feet, just had to get on the stage and cut the pigeon wing a little. In a few minutes Ellison added to his dancing quite a bit of loud singing and talking, which got so noisy that the audience could not tell whether they were being entertained by John Carson or John Ellison. Fiddlin' John tried to get Ellison to go back to his seat and let him do the entertaining. John Carson said, "I am getting paid to act a fool and you are not, so you had better go sit down." But Ellison said that he was in the court house and he had a right to perform the same as Carson had. But about that time Harvey Foshee entered the room. Ellison continued to dance and cut up until Deputy Foshee entered the scene and played the role of putting the hand-cuffs on Ellison and carrying him to jail. Ellison resisted very stubbornly, saying that he was doing nothing out of place, but he was carried and locked up just the same. After Ellison was arrested the officer took from his pocket a half pint bottle bearing the label of Watkins' Pineapple Extract, and the bottle contained about one finger of the 65 per cent solution. Ellison made bond Sunday morning for $300 and was released from jail. The charge was public drunkenness.

At Blow Graveyard last Saturday night Brother Dutton and Lonnie Gore got into a scrap which resulted in Dutton cutting Gore across the stomach with a pocket knife. The knife, it is said, went clear through the wall of Gore's stomach cutting off a piece of his liver. Gore was brought to Clanton to the hospital, where he is said to be getting along fairly well to be in such condition. Lonnie Gore is the son of Monroe Gore. The officers went up Sunday about noon and arrested Dutton and brought him to jail where he still remains under a bond of $500.

Another similar incident occured at Thorsby early Sunday morning when a Jones boy was cut by Chapman Trott. Vester Trott, Chapman's brother, was also a partner to the skirmish. The Jones boy was cut across the stomach, it requiring four stitches to sew up the gash. Deputy Culp was called, who went up and arrested both the Trott boys bringing them to jail. Chapman was placed under a bond of $500 and Vester $200 neither of which have yet been made.

IN REGARD TO ROAD WORKING OF COUNTY

I want to say that I believe there has already been more work done on the roads in this community than could have been done the old way of working during the entire year, or more than would have been done in 3 years.

They did not work the main leading roads and leave the little crossway roads out, but they were worked too. All are in good shape except a few bumps which could be leveled off aud thus help some.

As for this community and especially myself, we appreciate the work that has been done.

R. S. EASTERLING.
Clanton, Ala., Route 5.

MASS MEETING IS CALLED TO SELECT TOWN OFFICIALS

Will Be Held at Court House Friday Night, Aug. 29th, at 8 o'clock; Everybody Invited.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a mass meeting at the court house on Friday, August 29th, at 8 o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of nominating a mayor and five councilmen for the Town of Clanton.

A meeting was held at the court house last Monday night, and at this meeting a committee was appointed to select available candidates for the above named offices, and at the meeting at the court house on next Friday night this committee will make its report, and also at this time the qualified voters present will select available candidates to run as mayor and councilmen.

The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be refreshments and other things to entertain the crowd. We especially invite all qualified voters of the Town of Clanton who are in sympathy with this movement. We also especially urge the women voters to be present, as things vital to their interest will be discussed in the way of schools and our town's welfare in general.

H. M. SIMPSON, Chm.,
W. G. CULP,
THOS. A. CURRY,
JOHN M. ROBINSON,
J. E. GOWAN,
Publicity Committee.

OFFICERS GET CALOP SMITH'S STILL

Sheriff T. J. Littlejohn, Deputy Foshee and Prohibition Officers J. L. Gore went up in the Mars Hill Community Tuesday afternoon and destroyed the lard-can still of Calop (alias Tine) Smith, and brought Smith to Clanton and put him in jail. The still was lacated 280 feet from Smith's house. 60 gallons of beer were destroyed. Smith's bond was fixed at $1,000 which he has failed to make so far.

THE MODERN ATLAS

DAVIS CONDEMNS KLAN OUTLINING CAMPAIGN ISSUES

Democratic Candidate For President Declares Demand For His Views Forced Him to Speak.

Seagrit, N. J., Aug. 22.—The Ku Klux was announced by name here to-Klan was announced by name here today by John W. Davis, the democratic presidential candidate. In a fight addressed to the democracy of New Jersey, Mr. Davis condemned that and any organization raising the stand of racial and religious prejudice. Then he called upon President Coolidge as the standard bearer of the republican party to join him by "some explicit declaration in entirely removing this topic from the field of political debate."

In naming the klan, in this, the second address of his campaign, the democratic nominee again brought into the open an issue which rent the democratic national convention that nominated him and led to the memorable Saturday night battle in Madison Square Garden which culminated in a record vote and a majority of four against denunciation of the klan by name in the party platform.

Having discussed it rather fully in his acceptance address, Mr. Davis apparently did not intend to refer to it again in his address here. He told his audience that since his arrival here from New York last night he had been asked by more than one person as to the views he entertained toward the klan. Decision to state his position clearly once and for all, as he put it, is understood to have crystalized at a conference which Mr. Davis had last night with several party leaders at the home of Governor Silzer. Besides the governor those, reported to have participated included Mayor Frank Hague of Jersey City, democratic national committeeman from this state; Joseph P. Tumulty, former secretary to President Wilson and Thomas J. Spellacy, director of the eastern head quarters of the national campaign organization.

Apparently few in the audience looked for such a declaration. When the nominee, with out thrust jaw and vigorous gesture, first named the klan there was a hush. But it was only for an instant. Cheers broke from the thousands gathered on the Camp Silzer parade grounds and hats, handkrechiefs and pennants were waved enthusiastically.

Again and again he was interrupted by cheering and there were cries of "good boy, that's the stuff" from his audience. Mr. Davis said at the outset that the issue was one that had no proper place in this or any other campaign and that he mentioned it in the hope that he might dispose of it once and for all so far as he was concerned.

Reminding his hearers that in his Clarksburg acceptance address he had affirmed his "personal belief in the great guarantee of religious freedom and religious toleration which have made this country what it is," the nominee declared he had sought to give his views in terms sufficiently broad to include any and all forms of bigotory, prejudice and intolerance.

"On that declaration I stand," he said. Whenever any organization, no matter what it chooses to be called, whether the Ku Klux Klan or by any other name raises the standard of racial and religious belief as a test of fitness for public office, it does violence to the spirit of American institutions and must be condemned by all those who believe as I do in American ideals.

"Hear me for one further word. I repeat that these matters must not be permitted to divert the attention of the public from the vital questions now before them. To this end and with this end only in mind, I venture, here and now, to express the hope that the nominee of the republican party will see fit by some explicit declaration to join me in entirely removing this topic from the field of political debate."

KU KLUX WIZARD RULES AGAINST THE THIRD PARTY

Evans Declares Order Cannot Support LaFollette; Otherwise Neutral

Huntington, West Va., Aug. 22.—Dr. H. W. Evans, imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan in a statement here today said that the strength of the invisible empire would be thrown against the presidential candidacy of Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin, while a neutral stand would be taken in the contest between President Coolidge and John W. Davis, the democratic candidate.

"LaFollette is the arch-enemy of the nation," the statement said. "No man who endangered the success of his nation in time of war is fit to hold any office, much less occupy the position through which the country must stand or fall."

HOSPITAL STOCKHOLDERS MEET IN CLANTON MONDAY

Subject to a call by the officers, the stockholders of the Central Alabama Hospital met at the court house in Clanton Monday of this week. The meeting was called to order by the president, Dr. V. J. Gragg at 10:30. The secretary Dr. T. J. Marcus, declared a quorum present and the transaction of business in order. The purpose of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing year, but before this was entered into, Dr. Gragg called for any statements which any stockholder might want to make and in response Messrs. F. A. Gulledge, J. Meil Martin, M. L. White and Dr. Marcus made some interesting remarks regarding the past and future program of the institution.

The following officers were elected:—

President, Dr. V. J. Gragg;
Vice-psesident, Dr. N. S. Johnson.
Secretary, Dr. T. J. Marcus;
Treasurer, T. E. Wyatt;

Board of directors:—C. B. Cox, M. L. White, J. Q. Wade and M. A. Gore.

A motion was passed asking the officers of the hospital to furnish to each of the stockholders a written financial statement of the hospital since its organization. It was also officially passed that the remaining stock of the corporation be sold and the proceeds of same applied against the indebtedness.

All of the business being attended to, the meeting adjourned until further business necessitated its being called together.

A splendid spirit of co-operation prevailed throughout the meeting, everyone seeming to be well pleased with the business the institution is doing and has done in the past.

LOST—Log Tongs—Lost Saturday between High school and Banner office. Finder please return to Banner office and get liberal reward. 1tc

SHAW AND REYNOLDS BUY WADE GIN PROPERTY

Some time ago Messrs. S. P. Shaw, C. N. Shaw and W. A. Reynolds purchased of Mr. J. Q. Wade his gin and warehouse property at West End. For the past few weeks the gin has been being put into running shape for this season's ginning. Mr. Shaw reports that he ginned his first bale of cotton Tuesday of this week.

The Shaw brothers are owners of a warehouse at Jemison, where they have been doing business for the past several years. The above named parties have acquired the gin, the warehouse and the property on which they are located.

ALABAMA POWER CO. GIVEN RIGHT TO BUILD 6 DAMS

10,000 To 50,000 Acres Of Land To Be Submerged By New Dams On Tallapoosa River.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 26.—The Alabama public service commission today granted a revised certificate of convenience and necessity to the Alabama Power company and its subsidiary, the Alabama Interstate Power company, for the Tallapoosa river power development. The development authorized under the certificate will cost $39,000,000, it was estimated.

A certificate of convenience and necessity had been granted by the public service commission in 1922 involving construction of four dams at an estimated cost of $28,000,000 The power company decided after investigation that an enlargement of the original project would better provide for the conservation and development of the Tallapoosa water power, and petitioned for the revised certificate of convenience and necessity, which was granted today, providing for a total of six dams, and an increase in height of the dam at Cherokee Bluff from 120 to 150 feet total estimated cost $39,000,000.

The development so provided for will be higher than that of either Mitchel Dam or Lock 12, it was stated, and will result in submerging 40,000 to 50,000 acres of land. The lake to be so created will, it is stated, be the biggest artificial lake in the world.

Limited To 50 Years

An important feature of the commission's order was that the fact that the term of the certificate of convenience and necessity is limited to fifty years, the same limit is provided for in the license which has been issued in the case by the federal water power commission, and all rights of the state municipalities under the federal water power act are reserved.

W. H. WILSON WILL NOT WRITE MORE ABOUT ROAD QUESTION

Mr. Albert Adams says, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." As you have failed to do me that way, Mr. Adams, when you failed to answer my questions and asked me questions to answer for you, will say that the Scripture says "Cast not your pearls before swine." So I cannot answer at present.

W. H. WILSON.

Davis To Appoint Negroes to Office

Will Draw No Color Line In The Appointments, If Elected' His Letter Asserts

New York, Aug. 20.—In filling governmental positions, John W. Davis, as president, would "consider only the ability of the applicant and his fitness for the position which he wish to occupy" the Democratic candidate for president declared in a letter to Eugene McIntosh, executive leader of the Bronx Colored Voters Democratic Progressive Association, made public Wednesday.

McIntosh, in a letter, reminded Mr. Davis that he had not included the word "color" in his acceptance speech, n which he declared that, in making ppointments, in the event of his election, "he would set no standard of eligious faith or racial origin as a ualification for any office.

The letter continues:

"Since the National Democratic party in the past has not seemed to avor presidential appointment to office of colored citizens, may I not ask you directly the question: If being a colored citizen would be a bar to presidential appointments by you if lected president?"

The Democratic candidate replied: "My acceptance speech meant exactly what it said. In making appointments I shall consider only the ability of the applicant and his fitness for the position which he wishes to occupy."

CHILTON COUNTY MASONIC CONFERENCE AT MARBURY

The Chilton County Masonic Conference which was held at Marbury, Ala., last week, from all accounts, was one of the best ever held in the county. The Masonic spirit, manifest by a large attendance and their interest therein, demonstrates that Chilton County has a large number of men who are interested in building a real fraternal brotherhood, and who are yet interested in the cause of humanity.

The Conference was ably conducted by Hon. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton, who, on account of his able manner of conducting the conferences and his lectures won for him the praise of all present.

Success of the conference was also due to the able manner in which Marbury Lodge entertained the visiting brethren, also to the prompt attendance of the officers of the Conference.

Thorsby, Ala., was unanimously selected for the meeting in 1925, and all Masons have a real treat in store for them at Thorsby.

CLOSING GAMES OF BASEBALL FOR CLANTON THIS SEASON

Clanton baseball season will close Monday, September 1st. There will be four games between now and next Monday.

Kellerman, with the best club they can get, plays Clanton Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. On Monday, the 1st, the L. & N. Pan-American club of Birmingham City League will be here to wind up the season. This promises to be a Jim Dandy game.

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LITTLE CHILDREN DIE

Evelyn Inez, the little 7-year old daughter of Mr. Horace Headley of West End, Clanton, died last Saturday evening. Burial services were held Sunday at Mt. Pisgah.

The infant son of Rev. Buford Lawrence of Jemison died last Sunday and was buried Monday at the Jemison Cemetery.

Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

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PROVIDENCE BEAT 16

Editor Union-Banner:

With your permission, I will write a few lines in your paper. Our Sunday School is progressing nicely, also our singing society is doing fine. We meet every second and fourth Sunday evening.

Bro. W. H. Robinson is teaching a singing school at this place and is meeting with success.

Our crops are fine around here. It seems that some of our people think that we are getting in the back ground in most every way; I am sorry that this is the case. We see in the Bible that Israel, every time they forgot God that they went astray and that God would warn them by His leaders and they would have to come back to God before they got right again. Now, if we have gone wrong, let us come back to God and get in favor with Him and all will be well.

You remember Paul said that if eating meat causes my brother to be offended, I will eat no more meat; so we ought to do the same, let it be men or women.

I want to say for our county officers that I am satisfied with them and I think they are doing all that they can for our county. Our road overseer is doing all he can, and our roads are in as good shape as they ever were. I will admit that we have some bad places, but they will be fixed in a few days. I will say for him that he has treated everybody fair and has done all he could and we are satisfied. If he needs any help from us he can get it at any time. Let's stop looking for something to growl about and try to help. If we see things going crooked, we don't need to agitate this growling spirit. We ought to look for something better; if we can't help, let's don't hinder.

With best wishes to all, I will close.

R. M. ROBINSON.

Clanton, Ala., Route 1.

Rev. J. S. Hand of Newton, Ala., is spending this week with friends and relatives in Clanton, after which he will go to Decatur County, Ga., to conduct a revival meeting. Rev. Hand has been attending the Baptist college at Newton for the past five years and will graduate next year if he remains in school. We would be glad to have Bro. Hand locate in Chilton County after he gets through school.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The state securities commission has effected a reorganization of its affairs under the new codified securities law of the state, which went into effect August 17. At a meeting of the commission Captain W. C. Oates, who has held the title of executive officer of the securities commission, was re elected, with the new title of secretary-examiner of the commission. Mrs. R. C. Henry, formerly stenographer of the Alabama Public Service Commission, was employed as stenographer of the securities commission.

A big demonstration has been planned for the celebration of Labor Day by the various labor organizations of Florence, Sheffield and Tuscumbia, who will celebrate jointly. A monster parade, several miles in length, composed of floats representing the business interests of the three cities will move from Florence to Sheffield thence to Spring Park in Tuscumbia where the festivities will be held.

Butler county and central Alabama will not produce as much cotton as has been predicted by optimistic forecasters, according to R. A. Beeland one of Greenville's leading farmer bankers. Butler county produced approximately 9,000 bales of cotton last year and according to Mr. Beeland she will produce this year approximately 13,000 bales, or about 5,000 bales less than previous estimate.

Auburn alumni are responding readily to a call sent out by Judge H. W. Samford, president of the Auburn Alumni association, looking to the building up of an alumni fund to be used in aiding worthy young men in getting an education at Auburn. The program of the executive committee of the association contemplates the raising of such a fund, and Auburn alumni have been called on to contribute.

A big increase from the sale of licenses for motor vehicles for the first three-quarters of the present fiscal year, from October 1, 1923 to July 1, 1924 is shown by figures furnished by F. C. Marquis, member of the state tax commission. The state received during the nine months a sum of $1,554,979.65 from the sale of motor vehicle licenses.

Coal production in the Alabama field will show an increase of 25,000 tons over the first week in August according to information given by officials of the Alabama Mining institute. It was stated that the production figures indicated a substantial revival of the coal mining situation which is expected to be followed now by a gradual climb upward.

Birmingham, according to a bulletin just issued by the United States Census Bureau, had 329 industrial establishments in 1920 with a total invested capital of $115,459,258. This statement does not include many of the large plants just outside the city and which would run the total invested capital up to a considerably larger sum.

The Lincoln mills corporation, of Huntsville, has a large force of mechanics at work in the new mill installing machinery and it is expected that the new plant will be ready for operation by the first of October. When the new mill is in operation the pay roll of the Lincoln company will contain approximately 1,500 names, it is estimated.

The Alabama public service commission in an order granted the petition of the Mobile and Ohio railroad for authority to discontinue Lamberti as a flag stop for trains Nos. 1 and 2. A similar request as to the station of Eight Mile was granted in part and denied in part, the railroad being allowed to discontinue train No. 1 at Eight Mile, but not to discontinue train No. 2.

According to the 1924 revision of the rolls of the county medical societies in Alabama, which constitute the Medical Association of Alabama, there are now 2,200 doctors, including surgeons and specialists, practicing in this state, or one doctor to approximately every 1,000 of population.

According to the census recently taken in Tuscumbia, the population has increased by over 500 during the first six months of 1924. Over 75 houses have been built during that time.

The large plant of the Tuscaloosa Lumber company, in East End, Tuscaloosa, was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of between $75,000 and $100,000.

Sam Aaron, a well known farmer of the Sipsey neighborhood, died after suffering two days from hydrophobia.

Louis Gavan, negro, of Smite Mines, has confessed to the shooting of John B. Fancher, proprietor of the Fancher Bonding company, of Birmingham, on the Oxmoor road, according to Assistant Solicitor Jim Long and Chief Deputy Henry S. Hill.

Voters of Muscle Shoals city met at the city hall and nominated the following for mayor and aldermen: Mayor, Robert Houston; aldermen, George Harris, F. J. Gusman, O. F. McGuire, J. F. Green and George Vaughan.

Mobile shippers and exporters are receiving letters from the United States shipping board asking for cooperation in directing foreign shipments by American vessels.

Invitations to the eighth annual convention of the Alabama Merchants' Association have been mailed throughout the state by J. L. Hicks, president of the organization.

Miss Mamie Ruth Davis, of Ramer, Montgomery county, has been appointed secretary to the state superintendent of education.

With a strength of more than 1,600 men at Camp McClellan, Anniston, Alabama national guard has more men in training this year than any year since the world war, it was announced by Captain U. N. James, regimental adjutant of the Alabama guard. The organization of the regiment is working more efficiently and with less friction than ever before, and the morale of the men is at its highest peak, Captain James stated. With all these indications, it is pointed out that this season should prove to be the most successful in the history of the Alabama guardsmen.

Morgan county asphalt has been used for building a short section of the Somerville pike just out of the Twin Cities near the Bee Line highway. In a few hours time, after the raw asphalt had been ground, it was crushed and immediately placed on the pike and ten heavy teams were driven over it. To all appearances, the new product had made a substantial roadway in a few hour's time.

Rodney Thompson, well known young man of Hartselle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, was almost instantly killed at a point near Lacon when his car in which he and Roy Penn, of Cullman, were headed toward Hartselle, turned over, breaking young Thompson's neck. The other young man was also pinned beneath the car, and was badly bruised.

After thirty hours of search, sheriff's officers have been unable to obtain any trace of Herbert Julias, alias James Dorsey, negro, who is charged with the murder and robbery of William A. Sinnreich, distributor of soft drinks, while the two were returning from Tuskegee to Montgomery on a truck. All clues have been closely followed but have been unavailing.

W. M. Carter was killed and his 14 year-old son severely injured when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by an Atlantic Coast Line train on the Snowdoun road, near Montgomery. There were no eye witnesses to the accident. The automobile was demolished.

Judge O. Kyle and Judge James E. Horton of the circuit court of Madison county have cleared up a supposed misunderstanding on account of the law as given by them to the special grand jury recently in session here, according to correspondence which has passed between the two officials.

John Milton, ax slayer, apparently has made good his escape and is believed to have put many miles between himself and the scene of his crime, which occurred in Jefferson county, Chief Deputy Henry S. Hill said at the close of the six day searching for him.

Papers of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state by the Montgomery Cotton Oil company, a Montgomery concern with $150,000 capital stock, of which $120,000 has been paid in. John F. Stevens, E. T. Allen and Fred E. Calvern are the incorporators.

Just at the time when everybody began to sit back and congratulate Etowah and adjoining counties on the prospects of an unusually large cotton crop, news came in that the red spider is doing much damage in large areas of the district.

THE ROADS OF THE COUNTY AS SEEN BY ONE CITIZEN

As I hear so much being said about the roads and road work in Chilton County pro and con, and as I have been asked to tell the public what I think of the road work in the county, I will gladly give my idea of what is being done.

Will first say that I am in position to know the road condition in the county, from the fact that I traverse the county each way every week. There might be some short roads that I have not traveled, but every road that I have traveled have been worked and all that I can call to memory just now have been graded with the machine. It might be possible for some conditions to be improved. Some places might be worked different by me and still be worked different by some other man, but as a whole, I will say that there has been some mighty good work done this year in Chilton County.

My opinion is that the roads of the county as a whole are better than they have ever been. Now, my purpose is not to dictate for our county officers or road men who have given their time and thought to road work, but it seems like it would be advisable that when all roads have been worked and all necessary sewers have been installed and before all appropriation for the year has been exhausted, that we ascertain from each community the low marshy places also the soft clay hills that give us trouble in the fall and winter, and all those places be properly graded and surfaced with good soil or gravel; then we will be prepared for the winter rains.

Yours for good roads,

G. C. POWELL.

POSTMASTER EXAMINATION FOR STANTON POST OFFICE

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Selma, Ala, on September 20th, 1924, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Stanton, Ala., and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was $699 for the last fiscal year.

Mr. Guy DeShazo of Fort Payne is spending this week and next with his parents on Mulberry and with friends in Clanton. He was accompanied on his trip down here by Mr. Sam Sloane of Fort Payne. Guy is chief custodian for The DeKalb Republican at Fort Payne.

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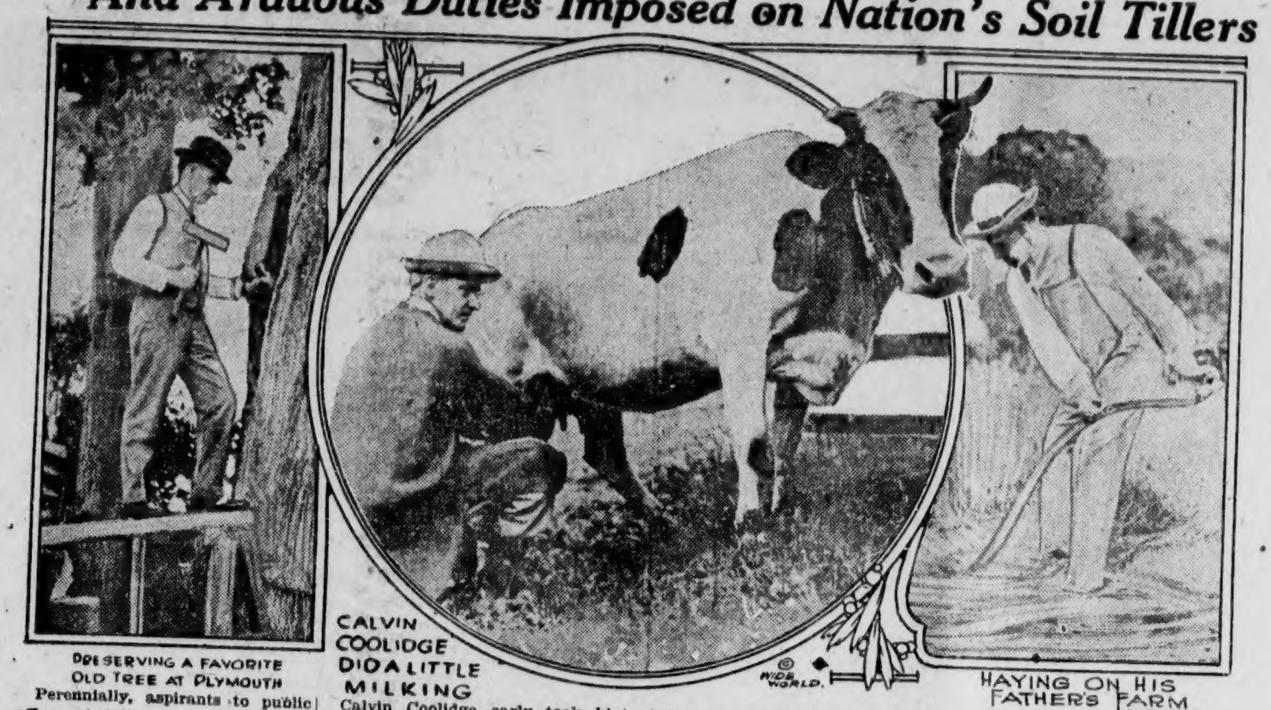

DOE SERVING A FAVORITE OLD TREE AT PLYMOUTH

CALVIN COOLIDGE DID A LITTLE MILKING

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HAYING ON HIS FATHER'S FARM PHOTO I.N.S.

Perennially, aspirants to public office, mindful of the farmer vote, become converts to the cause of agriculture and the farmer and demand justice for the tillers of the soil.

To them there is no significance in the fact that they have been little concerned with this great division of the citizenry during the off-campaign season. The vote's the thing, and one may look from now until November for a veritable deluge of oratory and pictorial evidence that all candidates are for "justice for the farmer." More often than not it is an artificial sponsorship calculated to mislead the Man With the Hoe.

An exception to the rule is refreshing.

Calvin Coolidge early took his place upon the farm. Born in Plymouth, Vermont, twelve miles from the nearest railroad depot, he is the son of a dirt farmer and has experienced all the hardships, reverses and arduous labors that fall to the lot of the farmer boy. One biographer has said of him:

"While many of the boys of today are feverishing putting on the golf green, Cal was happy in pursuing to its native lair the sportive potato. He early and always has been an artist in mowing and he early became an adept in divorcing the lowing herd which winds slowly o'er the lea from the raw material which makes for butter and cheese."

He took the oath of office in the Coolidge farm house.

And, as the biographer has pointed out, the bovines of Plymouth, Vermont, have enjoyed a rare distinction. It is not every cow that can be milked by a President of the United States, any more than it it every President of the United States that can milk a cow. President Coolidge not only is "at home" on a farm. A farm is home to the Chief Magistrate of the land.

Ergo, his must be a natural understanding of the farmer and his problems, and a consequent deep sympathy with him that, is not prompted by campaign expediency or vote seeking.

President Coolidge did not have to pose for the above photographs, either. They were taken years ago, when he was Vice-President and before there was any intimation that he was destined to hold the highest office in the land. It was during a vacation on his father's farm that the photographer snapped him as he raked the new-mown hay, started for the cow pen at milking time and essayed a bit of surgery on one of his favorite old shade trees.

The same farm smock and boots he wore when the pictures were taken still repose in the hall closet of the old family home and await his pleasure. He knows how to wear them, and, what is of more interest to his fellow farmers, what to do after he puts them on.

"He has always adorned a hay rake with as much facility as a reviewing stand," the afore-quoted biographer declares.

That would appear to make him eligible, at least, for consideration by the farmer.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

The following officers of the Alabama division of the Farmers' Union have been elected for 1924-25: G. T McElderry, Talladega, president, second term; J. C. Hicks, Centerville vice president; second term; Mrs. E A. Painter, Birmingham, secretary treasurer, third term; W. O. Washburn, Falkville, doorkeeper, and W S. Cox, chaplain. The executive committee is composed of M. A. Peek Mrs. W. B. Edmundson, third term; L. O. Cox, R. C. Hicks, second term and Duvan Dobbins This committee will meet September 15 at the office of the Advance, Birmingham newspaper, devoted to farm interests, at which time they will outline the work of the union in Alabama during the coming year. The committee will hold monthly meetings throughout the year as usual.

Many communities in Morgan county are looking forward to the harvesting of a number of crops planted in an effort to ascertain the value of certain kinds of fertilizer for certain soils and certain crops in Morgan county. In association with the county farm bureau, importers of nitrate of soda and the state agriculture department. County Farm Agent J. C. Ford early this spring had demonstration plots planted at Trinity, Rockyford, Danville, Massey, Eva, Rhine Somerville, New Centre, Hartselle and the Twin Cities. Mr. Ford said the different fertilizers used were showing remarkable results. Each member of the different communities where the experiments have been tried are to share alike in the financial return.

A new cotton disease has appeared in Alabama. It is known as "cotton blight" and is caused by a fungus, ascochyta gossypii. Information as to its appearance reached Auburn in the form of a specimen from a Houston county farmer who said that it had spread over an area of a quarter of an acre in his field. Examination of this specimen by Dr. L. E Miles plant pathologist for the extension service revealed that it was cotton blight, and a recent examination of the property confirmed this diagnosis.

Leon Tremmer, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Tremmer, of Atmore, was badly shaken up when he fell 24 feet from a second story window, while walking in his sleep. Leon's explanation of the accident is that he dreamed the family was eating watermelon and that his mother told him to get some salt. He unlatched the window screen and walked out, escaping serious injury by landing upright, 24 feet below.

Reduced rates on logs, carloads, from local station Alabama on the lines of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad to Montgomery, will result from authority granted in formal order issued by the Alabama Public Service Commission. The order is based on a petition of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad for authority to revise rates on this commodity between the points named and request for a ruling on the correct present rates.

The Alabama Public Service Commission granted the petition of the Alabama Traction company for permission to discontinue its street railway service in Albany and Decatur, effective September 1, and to dispose of its properties and cease to do business. The petitioner was allowed to continue the service after September 1, as heretofore or to a limited extent, if it cares to do so.

Four hundred persons attended the annual picnic of the Etowah county farm bureau at Noccalula Falls. The speakers were L. N. Duncan, director of extension service at Auburn; E. E. Binford, field agent for the service, and J. E. Kernachan, president of the Alabama Farm Bureau.

Despite permission to do so from the Alabama public service commission, the Alabama Traction company may not discontinue its street car service in the Twin Cities September 1, according to Charles H. Eyster, attorney for the company.

The Davis-Alcott hosiery mill at Gadsden has gone on full time after being operated four days a week for several months. The Attalla hosiery mill has resumed operations after being idle since the first of June.

The new $65,000 Baptist church at Fayette is nearing completion. The pews are expected to arrive soon. The house will be dedicated as soon as completed.

Walter Wiley, 36, employed as a riveter on the new Shoal Creek bridge near Florence, fell 25 feet to his death.

The graphite plants, constructed in Clay county during the war, have been sold to Canadian interests and the equipment shipped to that country. Dan Martin, of the McClary-Jemison Machinery company, said that he had purchased about seventeen of the plants and sold them to various companies in the Birmingham district for purpose other than making graphite, and two to Canadian interests. The statement was also made that the dissembling of the plants was expected to continue until all of the forty-one plants built for graphite manufacturers were removed.

Many accidents have happened on the approach to the Cahaba bridge on the Marion Junction road, near Selma, but none equalled in sheer pluck a Louisiana woman driving several tourists to Selma. Her car collided with a truck driven by G. R. Rentz, of Marion Junction and plunged down a twenty foot embankment, but by a marvelous balance landed on all four wheels and was driven back to the road. The lady asked "Is any one hurt?" The Louisiana car then drove on to Selma and bought a new wheel for the Rentz truck.

LEGAL WEIGHTS OF PRODUCTS PRODUCED IN STATE OF ALA.

We are printing below a section of the General Laws of Alabama, passed by the regular session of the Legislature, 1923, establishing the legal weights of the farm products of the State. It would be well for every farmer and every business man, as for that matter, to clip out this list and paste it up in some handy place for future reference. It will come in handy for you some day.

The legal weights per bushel of the commodities herein named shall be as follows: Alfalfa seed, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Apples green, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Apples green, shall be 2 1-2 bushels per barrel. Apples, dried, shall be 24 pounds per bushel. Apple seed, shall be 40 pounds per bushel. Bluegrass seed shall be 14 pounds per bushel. Beans, dried, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Beans, green, in pod, shall be 30 pounds per bushel. Beans, green, in pods, shall be 2 1-2 bushels per barrel. Beans, Castor, shall be 46 pounds per bushel. Beans, velvet, shelled, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Beets shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Blackberries shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Blackberries, dried, shall be 28 pounds per bushel. Black Medic (cleaned) shall be 56 pounds per bushel. Bran, shall be 20 pounds per bushel. Broomcorn, shall be 42 pounds per bushel. Bur clover, shall be 10 pounds per bushel. Buckwheat, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Barley, shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Carrot, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Cabbage, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Carpet Grass seed, shall be 25 pounds per bushel. Cherries, with stems, shall be 56 pounds per bushel. Cherries, without stems, shall be 64 pounds per bushel. Corn, shelled shall shall be 56 pounds per bushel. Corn, in ear, shucked, shall be 70 pounds per bushel. Corn, in ear, with shucks, shall be 75 pounds per bushel. Corn, green with shucks, shall be 100 pounds per bushel. Corn, green with shucks, shall be 2 1-2 bushels per barrel. Cornmeal, unbolted, shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Cornmeal, bolted shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Cucumbers, shall be 48 pounds per bushel Chestnuts, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Cement, shall be 80 pounds per bushel. Coke, shall be 40 pounds per bushel. Charcoal, shall be 22 pounds per bushel. Coal, stone, shall be 80 pounds per bushel. Canary seed, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Clover seed, red and white, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Cottonseed, shall be 32 pounds per bushel. Crimsom clover, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Eggs, Ertrars, shall weigh over 26 ounces per dozen net. No. 1. shall weigh 24 to 26 ounces per dozen net. Eggs, No. 2, shall weigh 20 to 24 ounces per dozen net. Eggs, No. 3, shall weigh less than 20 ounces per doz. net. Flaxseed, shall be (Linseed) 56 pounds per bushel. Flour, shall be (in wood) 196 pounds per barrel. Gooseberries, shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Grapes, with stems, shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Grapes, without stems, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Horse-radish, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Hickory nuts, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Hair, plastering, shall be 8 pounds per bushel. Hominy, shall be 62 pounds per bushel. Hungarian grass seed, shall be 48 pounds per bushel. Herds grass, shall be 45 pounds per bushel. Hemp seed, shall be 44 pounds per bushel. Kaffir corn, shall be 56 pounds per bushel. Japan clover, (Lespedeza) shall be 25 pounds per bushel. Johnson grass seed, shall be 25 pounds per bushel Land plaster, shall be 100 pounds per bushel. Lime, unslacked, shall be 80 pounds per bushel. Lime slacked, shall be 40 pounds per bushel. Liquids, shall be 42 pallons per barrel. Millet seed (German, Missouri, Tenn.) shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Melilotus seed, (cleaned) shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Orchard grass seed, shall be 14 pounds per bushel. Osage orange seed, shall be 33 pounds per bushel. Oats, seed, shall be 32 pounds per bushel. Onion, matured, shall be 57 pounds per bushel. Onions top buttons, shall be 28 pounds per bushel. Onion, button sets, shall be 32 pounds per bushel. Parsnips, shall be 45 pounds per bushel. Paspalum, shall be, peas, dry, shall be 60 pounds per bushel. Peas, green, in hull, shall be 30 pounds per bushel. Peaches, matured, shall be 50 pounds per bu. Peaches, dried, unpeeled, shall be 33 pounds per bushel. Peaches, dried, peeled, shall be 38 pounds per bushel. Peas, matured, shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Pears, dried, shall be 26 pounds per bu. Plums, shall be 64 pounds per bushel. Pieplants, shall be 26 pounds per bu. Potatoes, Irish, shall be 60 pounds per bu. Potatoes, sweet, shall be 55 pounds per bu. Peanuts shall be 22 pounds per bu. Popcorn, shelled, shall be 56 pounds per bu. Popcorn, unshelled, shall be 70 pounds per bu. Quinces, matured, shall be 48 pounds per bu. Raspberries, shall be 48 pounds per bu. Rape seed, shall be 50 pounds per bu. Rye seed, shall be 56 pounds per bu. Red top, shall be 14 pounds per bu. Rye grass, Italian, shall be 20 pounds per bu. Rice shall be 45 pounds per bu. Sage, shall be 4 pounds per bu. Salt shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Sorghum, mol., shall be 12 pounds per gal. Sorghum seed shall be 50 pounds per bushel. Strawberries, shall be 48 pounds per bu. Salad, turnips, kale, shall be 30 pounds per bushel. Salad, mustard spinach, shall be 30 pounds per bu. Speltz, shall be 40 poonds per bu. Turnips, shall be 55 pounds per bu. Turnips, Rutabagas, shall be 50 pounds per bu. Tomatoes, shall be 56 pounds per bu. Timothy seed, shall be 45 pounds per bu. Velvet grass seed, shall be 7 pounds per bu. Walnuts, shall be 50 pounds per bu. Wheat, shall be 60 pounds pes bushel.

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That which is brief, if it be good, is good twice over.—Proverbs of Spain.

The Democratic candidate for President recently made known the fact that no color lines would be recognized if he should be elected to the president's office. This means that he will appoint negroes to federal offices when he gets ready. Also read who has lined up behind Davis' campaign—Joseph P. Tumulty, the Roman Catholic ex-secretary to President Wilson. Democrat, negro and Catholic have come to be synonyms to each other—they all mean about the same thing.

John W. Davis has declared against the Ku Klux Klan. The Ku Klux Klan has denounced LaFollette. President Coolidge has shown himself broad enough to play off the question either pro or con. What is the only conclusion? Coolidge is the only one of the three who is big enough to cope with the responsibilities of the chief executive's office of this great country. The Ku Klux, like other fraternal and religious questions, should be held foreign to politics, and anything other than this is a tendency toward union of church and state. America will never stand for this kind of stuff.

COOLIDGE'S HOME COMPARED WITH DAVIS' AND LAFOLLET'S

The National Republican, under date of August 23rd carries pictures of the homes of the three candidates for President. The home of LaFollette, the Socialist candidate, who has lost so much sleep over giving the poor people an equal chance with the capitalists, is located in the city of Washington and resembles very strikingly the old Greek and Athenian types of architecture, which looks more like a king's palace than it does a common man's home. The cost of LaFollette's home would daze the imagination of any man of common means.

The home of John W. Davis, the Democratic candidate, in Clarksburg, W. Va., appears from the photograph to be large enough and fine enough to house the capital of the United States. Mr. Davis has another home on Long Island Sound where he spends part of his time worrying over the people's rights and the sad state of affairs in a nation where the struggling young lawyers and others find the gate of opportunity closed to them.

The humble farm home of Col. John Coolidge, father of the President, where the President and his family are spending their vacation, is a small wooden home which a few thousand dollars would build. Also the house in Northampton, Mass., half of which the President now pays $34 a month rent for is shown in the picture.

A comparison of the homes of the three candidates shows more explicitly than ringing oratory who is the friend of the common man. President Coolidge is a comman man himself, and certainly would be the best friend to the other common men. Of course President Coolidge is too great a man to discriminate against any class—either poor or rich. He is president of all the people, and seeks to give justice to every man regardless of his financial standing.

WHO SAYS SO?

COMMENT ON COOLIDGE ACCEPTANCE SPEECH

New York Herald-Tribune—The calm simplicity of Mr. Coolidge's speech of acceptance is a refreshing draft after the rhetroical exciations of Mr. Davis, emulating the governor of New York and endeavoring to be rough. For inaccuracy there is careful precision, for vauge and rhythmical generalities, there are hard specific fact for loose promises of undefined projects there are clear plans for action. Principles, not personalities, are its subject matter. The whole speech breathes that lucidity, moderation and homespun dignity which he could not forget if he would.

Buffalo Express—The American citizen must experience relief to find that there is one Presidential candidate who is content, calmly and dispassionately, to tell them in plain language where he stands. President Coolidge tells what he and his associates have been doing and what they propose to do.

Chicago Tribune—"The people want a government with common sense." In this closing paragraph, Mr. Coolidge sums up the faith that is in him as a political leader and as responsible administrator of the affaris of a great nation.

Wilmington, (Del.) News—Mr. Coolidge's speech is a powerful appeal to American citizens. It is a convincing statement of facts and deductions, deeply concerned with the welfare of the average American, contains nothing sensational, but plenty of sound judgment.

Indianapolis Star—The President reasserted his adherence to unyielding support of the Constitution and all its amendments. He is for equal opportunity and treatment for all citizens and for the enforcement of all laws because it is law. The people want a government of common sense, and that is exactly what he proposes to give them, so far as it is within his power.

Kansas City Star—The President conceives it to be his duty to bring the largest possible freedom from the exaction of government to the families of America. His record backs up his word.

Wheeling Intelligencer—With all his amazing appreciation of practical values, his unswearing determinations to serve the whole people of the nation and his ideals derived from and wholly consistent with the natural genius of the Ameriean people, President Coolidge attacked every major problem now confronting our government and stated in exact terms his ideas for their solution.

Los Angeles Times—President Coolidge's speech of acceptance is a reaffirmation of the faith of an American citizen in America institutions. It is not a political utterance, for it contains no appeal to passion, prejudice or class consciousness. There are none of the apt phrases with which the demagogue baits his emotional appeal.

RETURN TO LAND OF FLOWERS

Mrs. A. W. Powell, Sr., returned to her home in Pensacola, Fla., Sunday after a four-weeks' visit in Clanton. She says she had a wonderful time with relatives and friends. She loves her southern home, but has a love for her old home in Alabama too.

SOME DEMOCRATIC "HIGH YALLERS" LEADERS.

For the benefit of those timorous Democratic brethren who yell "Nigger" every time they hear somebody say he is a Republican, we take pleasure in keeping history straight by publishing the following authentic list of "Leaders in Democratic Ranks at Convention in New York," as a full-page headline spread across the portraits of twelve negro Democratic gentleman and one lady-bug announces them to be in The Chicago Defender, page 1, of Saturday, June 28, 1924: Here is the list, or "Key to Pictures at Top of Page," as the Defender calls it; with their official titles.

1. Dr. Paul A. Collins, alternate from 21st. Congressional district.

2. Ferninand Q. Morton, Big Chief of Great New York Tammany Hall politics and at present a civil service commissioner (before whom every white Southern girl who happens to want a political job in New York must be examined if she gets appointed of course).

3. James D. McClendon, Assistant District Attorney the "kid" of the "gang." "Jimmie", as he is familiarly known, is Chairman of the Committee on Rules of the Tammany Hall United Colored Democracy.

4. William Banks, Executive Member 19th. assembly district, and treasurer of Tammany Hall United Colored Democracy.

5. Cornelius M. Brown, President of the Essex County, Newark, N. J. Colored Democratic Association, and founder of the Democratic party's interest among the New Jersey high yallers where Joe Pat Tumulty, Woodrow Wilson's former chief, is one of his political brethern.

6. Mrs. Emma T. Wood, Executive member of 16th. assembly district, sheriff's office attendant and widow of the late Democratic leader, Robt. N. Wood.

7. Garry W. Hall, President of the Fifth Assembly District Democratic organization, Brooklyn.

8. Everett T. Campbell, Executive member of the 13th. assembly district.

9. Dr. Rogers W. Griffin, Executive member of the Fifth Assembly District.

11. John Williams Smith, Alderman from the 21st. district, and said to be first of the Negro race to be honored with such a plum by the Tammany Dems.

12. Edward W. Lee, Founder and first leader of the United Colored Democracy back in 1897. Lee is officially described in the record as the "favorite lieutenant of the late Richard Croker, who paved the way for our Race in Democratic ranks".

And the Democrats have been telling us all along that the unterrified Wilson-Cox-Davis party was for the white man, bag and baggage.

Fellow Reader, the next time you hear a Southern Democrat yelling "Nigger", pull the above record on him and watch him turn pea-green behind the gills.—Yellow Jacket.

EXPRESSES THANKS

Edtior Union-Banner:

I want to thank the people of Oak Grove and Providence communities and of Jemison, and especially Drs. Johnson and McNeill, for the great love and respect shown to me while in my sad hours of trouble when the death angel took my wife from my home.

Respectfully,
G. P. WILSON.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of August 24, 1899

Mr. R. J. Langston is building a gin for Collins & Latham at Lawley.

Little Grady Pounds, two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pounds, died in Clanton Sunday.

Mr. E. L. Jones of Burwell had a house raising last Wednesday.

In 45 counties in Kansas there are no poor houses. This shows what Populism will do.

The first bale of cotton was brought into Clanton Saturday by Mr. Jim Edwards of Ehrman's Mill.

Mr. P. D. Wilson is building a handsome new dwelling house at the Ponder place.

Rev. F. B. Ticknor is passing a vacation from his work in North Carolina with his people here.

Mr. Patrick Smith returned from a visit to Coosa Tuesday, where he visited his brother, John.

Commissioner Alex Glasscock was in town on private business Monday.

FARM FACTS

Cream and milk cool 23 times as fast in water as in air of the same temperature.

For less than $50.00 thousands of farm women in Alabama could have running water in their kitchens, and then a great burden, and drudgery would be removed. Get your county agent or your home demonstrator agent to show you how.

"Farming has never offered greater reward than it offers today to the farmer who farms intelligently; but, on the other hand, it promises practical poverty to those who farm indifferently and carelessly. Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director, Extension, Service, Auburn.

At a community meeting of farmers in Coosa County L. E. Ward surprised his neighbor by taking down his neatly kept books which showed that his surplus cream, after supplying milk and butter for a family of four, from four to seven cows had been netting him an average of $39.70 a month. He pointed to a field of fine corn which manure from his cows largely made. It pays to milk a few good cows.

"In the main the production of big and profitable yields of crops can be done very easily by having rich land and keeping weeds from growing. The best and cheapest way to make land rich is to grow hairy vetch on it in the winter and early spring. Buy the seed cooperatively through the Farm Bureau and plant them as instructed by your county agent." Frank E. Boyd, Extension Service, Auburn, Ala.

L. D. POPWELL
Clanton, Ala.
Watches Repaired
Broken Lenses Duplicated and
Spectacles Fitted
Frames Repaired.

"Chuckle" Column

Well, folks
Here it's
September-r-r-r
And it's Repair
Time when Father
Once again starts
Missing the
Nails and hitting
His thumb and
Skinning his shins
Climbing up and
Down step-ladders
And the only language
You hear him speak is
"D——" and "Who the he——"
And "Where in h—— did you put——"
And Baby needs a bath 'most
Every five minutes because
He simply must hunt for
"Fishies" in the Paint bucket
And Ma sits in the
Easy chair telling the
Neighbors how "she's all in"
And "how she did this" and
"She did that" when all
She did was "boss the job!"
Don't mention it.

That's that. See where some authority on animals write:

"The best way to keep a goat from butting you is to get as close to the got as possible so he can't get a running start."

We were always taught "vice versa." That is, to give our be-whiskered dumb friend as "wide a berth" as possible. If

we had to come close, we tried to beat the goat to getting "the running start." Most of the times, the goat won.

Along about this time of year, Johnny starts hidin' his football togs in the wood shed. He comes home almost daily with a closed eye, a scratched nose, decorated beautifully with mud and wearing a silly grin. And then—he tries to convince Ma he was playing "drop the handkerchief" with the neighbor's children.

BRAINSTORM POEM

**The boy stood on the burning deck
Eatin' Bananas,
He soon became a physical wreck—
Colic.**

"U. S. Will Choke On All Its Gold" says some disappointed foreign diplomat who didn't "get his finger in the pie." There's a new wrinkle. First, they accuse us of hoarding it.

Then, they claim we display it too lavishly. And—darn it—now they say we're "eatin' it." That's going too deep. No, thank you. We'll stick to the good ol' corn fritters and syrup or corn beef and cabbage.

SO THAT'S IT?

(From historical account of the telephone in Princeton, Ill. Democrat)

"FIRST TELEPHONE USERS UNABLE TO FIND EARS"

Must have been the operators.

Add—"Wonders of Civilization's Progress"

Paris theater managers are putting up signs advising bobbed-hair damsels to keep their bell-shaped hats on while attending a show. They claim that when the said damsels remove the headgear, their shortened tresses "puff up" like an explosion in a quarry. And, mere man—in the bought-and-paid-for seat behind is out o' luck trying to set the actors. Fair enough. Fair enough.

That'll be all for to-day, children. Go straight home.

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POOR OR

THORSBY SECTION

(S. R. HORTON, Manager)

Messrs. M. J. Soberg, W. L. Leary, A. E. Reagan and Frank Mastin went to Birmingham Tuesday to attend a merchants convention in session in that city.

Rev. J. M. Graham spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. T. A. Shannon, who has been visiting in Thorsby, left Tuesday morning for Prattville. After spending a few days there, she will be joined by her daughter, Mrs. Nels Peterson of Thorsby, who will accompany her to her home in West Point, Ga., for a short visit.

Mr. J. C. Jones, Sr., was a visitor in Birmingham last Friday.

Mr. R. A. Turner and family returned last week from a visit to Haleyville.

Mrs. C. A. Peterson is visiting in Birmingham this week with her daughters, Mrs. Anderson and Miss Ruth Peterson.

Mrs. Magne Anderson accompanied her little grandson to Birmingham last Saturday evening to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. Ivy Horn.

Miss Lorena Graham was a visitor in Montgomery last week.

Mr. John Billingsley and son, Emmett, were visitors in Birmingham the latter part of last week.

Mr. Edmond Lakeman and sister, Betty, and Mr. F. D. Greene of Lock 12 were visitors in Thorsby Sunday.

Mrs. T. O. Farrington of Pratt City, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Littleton, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. Tom Gordon and family of Jemison have moved to Thorsby and are occupying the Gulledge house north of the hotel building.

Mr. Adolphus Gentry and family, who have been in Birmingham the past few months, have returned to Thorsby to take up their residence. Mr. Gentry will work for Mr. Goodgame in the cotton gin.

Messrs. Roy Rabun and Truly Brown visited in Thorsby Sunday.

We are glad to report that Mr. E. N. Steiner, who has been sick for a long time with typhoid fever, is improving.

Miss Agnes Gerald returned last Friday from Birmingham, after completing the summer course at Birmingham Southern. She will leave on Thursday morning for Abbeville, Ala., where she will teach mathematics in a state agricultural school the coming year.

Mr. Wesley Billingsley and family of Birmingham are visiting relatives in Thorsby this week.

The W. M. U. of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Lowery Monday afternoon and reported a good meeting.

Mr. J. A. Landrum of Montgomery, State Secretary of the B. Y. P. U., gave a talk Sunday morning at the Baptist church.

Mr. Waldemar Lefstead, who has been attending Birmingham Southern this summer, returned to Thorsby on Monday night. He was accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lawrence Lefstead and little son, who will visit with Mr. Lefstead's mother, Mrs. Johanna Lefstead.

Rev. E. W. Butler and family made a trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mead and Mrs. E. F. Mead motored to Calera Sunday.

Miss Bernice Williams, who has finished her work at Sylacauga, returned to Thorsby last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead and children of Birmingham were visitors at the home of Mr. Ben Davenport last week.

The Congregational Sunday School held their annual picnic at Charlotte Creek last Friday.

Rev. E. W. Butler made a trip to Birmingham last Saturday.

Mrs. Ben Davenport and son, Sidney, spent several days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. Sumner Gerald, who has been spending a month with his mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, left Thursday for Demorest, Ga., to take up his work again.

Remember that the Thorsby Public School starts Monday, September 1st.

A deal was closed the past week by which Mr. M. J. Soberg became the owner of the Gronquist place on Jones Street, Thorsby.

Mr. Ed Howard left last week for Tuscaloosa, where he has obtained work.

Mr. George Freeman made a trip to Montgomery last week.

At a town caucus held Monday at the Wadesonian Theatre the following nominations were made: Mayor, J. D. Cleckler and G. J. Thompson; Councilmen, C C. Peterson, J. W. Littleton, C. R. Foss, B. W. Davenport, C. Mastin, A. E. Reagen, L. E. Lucas, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, R. W. Scott and G. L. Foshee. A mayor and five councilmen will be elected from these in September. Mrs. C. E. Bice, J. E. Pate and J. D. Cleckler were nominated as members of the town school board to be appointed by the County Board.

Mr. Frank Nelson is spending a week at home with his family.

Mrs. S. N. Morris and children of Oakman, Ala., are visiting with Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. Reno Villadsen.

WOODWARD - WILLIAMS

A beautiful wedding of much interest to the many friends of the bride throughout Alabama and to the Southern Baptists was solemnized in the Baptist Church at Maplesville on Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, when Miss Mabel Williams and Rev. Frank T. Woodward of Statesville, N. C., were married. The bride's sister, Mrs. James Davis of Birmingham, was matron of honor and Rev. B. R. Justice of Frankfort, Ky., acted as best man. Rev. W. T. Edwards officiated, assisted by the bride's brother, Rev. Grady Williams. Before the ceremony, a violin solo, "Oh Promise Me," was rendered by J. W. Gwin, Jr., and a vocal solo, "I love you Truly," by Miss Beverly Hester of Clanton. Mrs. Chas. N. Parnell accompanied and played the wedding march. During the ceremony, "Angels' Serenade" was softly played on violin and piano.

The church was artistically decorated with ferns and potted plants. The bride was becomingly attired in a beautiful fall model of poiret twill with gray accessories. She carried a Bible, from which fell a shower bouquet of fragrant clematis.

Immediately after the ceremony, Rev. and Mrs. Woodward left for Raleigh, N. C., from which place they will go to Statesville, N. C., for a visit with the groom's parents, then via Chicago to Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Woodward is an accomplished young woman of lovable personality and strong Christian character. She is a graduate of Judson college and of the Baptist Training School located at Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Woodward is a young man of sterling worth and high ideals. He is a graduate of Wake Forest College in North Carolina and of the Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville.

On September 5th, Rev. and Mrs. Woodward will sail from Seattle for China, where they will spend their lives as missionaries. They go out followed by the love and prayers of their many friends and relatives.

FAMILY REUNION

On Saturday, August 23rd, a reunion in honor of Mrs. M. E. Jacks' children, grand-children and great grand-children was held at Mrs. Jacks' home in Clanton. She has living 51 great grand-children; 34 grand-children; 4 children. She has 4 children dead all of which grew up and were married. Those present Saturday were 4 children, 13 grand-children and 15 great grand-children; total number of relatives present 37; friends present 14; total present 51.

If the Lord is willing we will meet again in a similar event on March 6, 1925, that being her birthday.

Mr. T. E. Carleton has returned from a visit to relatives in Texas.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Announcement was made in Gadsden that Otto Agricola, of that city, and the Hammond Byrd company, at Birmingham, had sold their interests in three soil pipe plants, the Coosa, Gadsden and Agricola plants, for a consideration of approximately $2,000,000. The purchaser is the Anniston Pipe and Foundry company, which was recently organized to take over several pipe shops at Anniston. It is owned and officered by former Gov. T. E. Kilby, C. A. Hamilton, W. F. Johnston, Whitfield Clark, of Anniston, and William Byrd, of Chicago. The sale also includes the Talladega Pipe company and the Imperial Pipe company, of Bessemer. The anniston concern now has 13 plants, their purchase representing an investment of about $4,000,000. Mr. Agricola will retire as manager of the local shops.

Fishermen arriving in Mobile from the lower bay at the entrance of the Gulf, reported observing a large school of devil fish or giant stingrays, the number being estimated at probably 300. A party headed by ex-Senator Jonathan L. Pourne, of Oregon, captured one of the sea mammals, measuring 12 feet across and weighing nearly two ton. The fishermen drove two harpoons into the fish which towed their launch for five hours the big ray being shot a number of times before it could be pulled up alongside of the launch.

Announcement was made that the state highway department is about to enter into contract with Montgomery county, whereby the state will take over the Carter Hill road and Mount Meigs road and make them a part of the state highway system. The county will agree to put the roads in condition acceptable to the state for which it will be paid $25,000 by the state. The mileage of the two roads is forty-three.

Bankruptcy petitions for the Interstate Casualty company, of Birmingham and St. Louis, have been filed in Montgomery and St. Louis and A. W. Briscoe, former state insurance commissioner of Alabama, has been appointed receiver to take charge of a $$250,000 deposit in a Montgomery bank, and former Supreme Court Judge Revel, of St. Louis, to direct affairs in Missouri.

Plans for "governor's day" at Camp McClellan are being completed rapidly. Governor W. W. Brandon, of Alabama; Governor Whitfield, of Mississippi, and Governor Fuquay, of Louisiana, will be present at the camp on August 23, and review the members of the 31st division. Many other noted visitors from over the South will be present on that day.

J. H. M. Nunnelly and Sam Otwell, well known citizens of the Ranburne section of Cleburne county, have been appointed as additional road overseers for Beat 9 in the county, a decision to use four overseers to handle the 101 miles of road in that beat having been made by the court of county commissioners.

Recent action of the city school board at Heflin has stirred up a hornet's nest among the people living just outside the city limits, the board having made a ruling that these pupils will not be permitted to attend the city school session because of a limit in the appropriation.

The board of health of Morgan county has passed a resolution which will be presented to the Morgan county board of revenue, requesting the last named body to rescind its action approving Garth Heights, west of Albany, as the site for a new cemetery.

An injunction suit looms as the next step in the fight by a group of Birmingham property owners to block tentative plans of the city commission and the railroads to erect viaducts at Eighteenth and Twenty-fourth streets.

Contracts for the paving of two additional streets of Huntsville have been awarded by the city council to Lasley Brothers, of Chattanooga.

Diversion through Prattville of the Autauga County link in the Montgomery-Birmingham highway has been finally and definitely refused by the United States Bureau of Public Roads, according to Chairman John A. Rogers, of the state highway commission.

Nearly 800 members of the Madison County Farm Bureau and their friends made an inspection trip to Muscle Shoals on a special train.

The store of M. A. Morrow was robbed of between $300 and $400 worth of merchandise at Guntersville.

Mr. J. N. Dennis is building a large warehouse at his gin in Clanton to take care of the cotton that comes to his gin.

THE F. C. A. IS DEMOCRATIC AND CLEAN

Last week we discussed two requirements of a successful organization. This week we will discuss the third, fourth and fifth standards that we have adopted for our association. As both the third and fourth are closely related, we will discuss them together. As previously stated, our third requirement is for the organization to be in full control of the members at all times, and the fourth is that it shall be in charge of honest and conscientious men in whom the members have confidence, with all officers handling money under bond.

At the annual meeting each January the members of the organization elect the officers and members of the Board of Directors for the ensuing year. The manager is selected by the executive committee but if someone is selected who is unsatisfactory to the members, they may remove him and have someone else put in his place. Article 5 of the Constitution of the association places the members in full control of the organization at all times. This article reads as follows:

Article 5.—Recall of Officers.—To remove any officer from office, it will be necessary to have a petition requesting the removal of such officer signed by ten per cent of the members of the organization. The question will then be voted on at the first regular or special meeting held after the petition has been delivered to the Executive Committee. If a majority of the members present at the meeting uphold the petition, the removal of the officer in question shall be declared and the vacant office shall be filled in regular manner.

Having the members in full control of the association with all officers responsible to them will mean that the organization will be in the charge of honest and conscientious men in whom the members have confidence, for if any other kind of men should happen to get into office the members would soon find it out. In this case they would not have to petition someone else to remove the officer but would themselves remove the officer when they saw he should be removed and that without delay and without asking anyone's consent.

Our constitution requires that all officers handling money shall be under bond and makes the board of directors responsible for seeing that this is done.

The fifth requirement which we feel is necessary for a successful organization is that it will keep members informed on all matters connected with the association. This requirement has been well provided for in the F. C. A. All records and books of the association are open to the members at all times and in addition to this the Constitution requires that "The manager-Treasurer shall give a correct annual report to the Association and a monthly report to the Executive Committee.

From the above we can see that our organization is throughly democratic and the members can keep it running clean and honestly. All it will take now for it to prove profitable to us is for us to belong to the association and do our business through it. It is here to use it if we will. If we will not use it we should not blame anybody if we do not get what we think we should for what we sell or if we have to pay too much for what we buy.

Yours for more profit,
FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N.

Three-Fourths Foreign Born!

Noted scientist states that three-fourths of all roaches in this country are of foreign origin. They all carry germs, spread disease and are a serious menace to your health! They must be wiped out NOW! Get a box of Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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All the above cars can be bought with small cash payment and liberal terms on the balance.

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CLANTON, ALA.

SEE THE CHEVROLET TRUCK

IN NEW QUARTERS

I wish to state to my friends and customers that I have moved my stock of merchandise, gents' furnishings, etc., into the new building just west of Elmore's. I have a nice location in my new quarters and invite my friends to come around to see me. I shall be pleased to serve you in any way that I can.

W. A. KEMP
Clanton, Alabama

EVERY FAMILY SHOULD HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT

WE OPERATE ON A SAFE AND CONSERVATIVE PLAN. — ON THIS BASIS, WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE.

THE BANK OF THORSBY
THORSBY, ALABAMA

Take Calotabs TRADE MARK REG for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

"How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood", etc., brought to mind by a recent visit to a village intimately connected with incidents that are among the earlist recollections of the writer.

Last Sunday we planned to attend church at Stanhope,New Jersey, about six miles from our temporary home, but when we arrived we found that the church was closed for the month of August.

This custom become quite prevalent among churches of this section, as a means of allowing pastor and people to have their vacations. However we found the aged pastor of this church quietly reading at his home, across the street from the church.

Having informed him that under the pastorage of the father of the writer, he had attended that church from 1852 to 1854. The present pastor informed us that he had, a few years ago, written a history of the church as a preface to a Cook Book which their Ladies Aid Society were published, for sale, and he remembered that there had been an Oliver W. Norton, pastor of the church at one time.

When we asked if we might see the interior of the church, he got the key and we entered the sanctuary. The church was established and the building put up about 1835. It has since been somewhat changed as to interior, to conform to modern needs of a church with 150 members at the present day. A basement has been converted into a prayer meeting and Sunday School room, and from what we were told we imagine that social gatherings were considered an important feature of their church life. We were shown a commodious and well equipped kitchen under the front end of the building, in a space occupied, when the church was built, and for many years afterward, by a huge rock that pretty nearly filled the space. This rock had been blasted into bits and its space converted into this church kitchen.

Just how it was done our guide could not say as he made it his business to be otherwise engaged during the performance.

Can one estimate the potential value of a religious organization of this nature "Carrying On" for 90 years without interruption. Children who came under its influence, grown to man and womanhood becoming parents, grand parents and great grand parents, of an ever widening force of exemplary Christian citizenship, many of them leaders of thought and benificient action in any community where their lot might be cast.

Feeding the preacher chicken, and other dainties is by no means confined to southern hospitality. The hospitality of some of the ancestors of the people who now compose the membership of this church, made a lasting impression on the memory and a mighty good feeling in the stomach, of at least one small boy. The first sleigh ride we ever remember was when some kindly man loaned father a horse and cutter, on Thanksgiving day into which he with Mother and two kiddies were bestowed and whisked away to the music of sleigh bells, some four or five miles to the home of one of the good deacons of the church, where amid warmth and jollity we were served to such a Thanksgiving dinner as one reads about but seldom sees in these times.

Another small boy impression I got in that little town was Indians. No made up caricatures, but sure enough Honest To Goodness Indians of the Tippacanoe Tribe. In the Presidential campaign in the fall of 1852 when Gen. Wm. Henry Harrison, who had won some fame in wars with Indians, had been dobbed "Tippacanoe, was candidate with Tyler for running mate, they had a slogan: "Tippacanoe and Tyler Too." Some of the campaign managers secured the presence of a band of Tippacanoe Indians with their ponies and accoutrements, Tomahawks, Bows, Arrows, Paint, Feathers, etc. to give exhibition to draw crowds. Well, as remembered we got mighty close to those Indians, for they made our house their headquarters for the day, and put their traps under the bed in our spare room, where a small boy might be trusted to investigate pretty thoroughly while most of the family were absent. And then the riding, the yelling, and the antics they performed, make a Wild West Show, only a feeble imitation.

It is a pleasure indeed to recall these mental pictures that have so long been hidden in some corner of our brain, and live again the scenes they bring before us.

The march of time brings many changes in the landscape, especially in a thickly settled section of country.

Canals were at one time considered of great value as a means of transportation, and many a time have we seen these artficial waterways in the full tide of their usefulness, the low lying substantial boats, in the rated ditches, half filled with water. These floating "Ships" of Main-land, drawn by one or more mules at the rapid rate of four to six miles per hour.

One of these "Highways Of Commerce, that has been, meanders in a sinuous course from Jersey City where it connects with the Hudson Ocean, from where it extends entire river, and thus with the Atlantic ly across the State of New Jersey. The Railroads for long hauls, and Motor Trucks for short hauls, have so far impaired its usefulness, that for several years past it has been operated only just enough to hold its franchise until expiration, as it involved the use of valuable dock property in Jersey City. The franchise has now expired and the property revoters to the State. It will probably be used as a route for new State Highway, as the one now in use has about reaches its capacity.

Many Highways and country roads have bridges for which the approaches are made very steep, in order to shorten the bridges. Many of these are now considered very dangerous as an auto driver can never see a car approaching from the opposite side, on account of the height of the grade.

Quite recently the water has been all down off from this canal, now upwards of 100 years old, and the bridges are being demolished, the grade cut down and the canal bed filled up to grade at the road intersections.

We have been interested to watch operations at one of these crossings. With derricks and steam shovels the masonry is soon removed after being shivered to bits by dynamite.

Yesterday was moving day with our folks at Kenvil. We were commissioned to keep the babies from underfoot and see that meals were not interrupted, leaving our son and his wife to manage the rest of it. The arrangement worked fine, and before bed time we all were in a new home, larger, lighter, and more comfortable in many ways.

MISS ETTA FOSHEE TO TEACH AT THORSBY SCHOOL

On Monday morning The Banner office was greeted by a pleasant visit from Bro. A. L. Foshee and his daughter, Miss Etta Foshee. Miss Foshee just a few days ago returned from Howard College, where she completed a twelve-week summer course in normal work. She graduated from Thorsby Institute last year, and has accepted a place on the faculty of the Thorsby Public School for the coming session which begins next Monday.

Miss Foshee is a splendid young lady and an accomplished student, having attained high standing in her classes both at Thorsby Institute and Howard College. She is well fitted for the position she is to hold at Thorsby, and no doubt will make a very valuable adjunct to the Thorsby Public School.

LIBERTY HILL

The Liberty Hill singing society will meet the fifth Sunday afternoon, August, 31.

The Cedar Grove and New Salem societies will be with us.

Everyone has a special invitation to come and be with us.

D. W. WARD.

COMMUNITY BARBECUE TO BE HELD NEAR PLETCHER FRIDAY

Mr. C. Williams, of Plantersville, Route 2 was in Clanton Saturday completing the arrangements for the big Community Barbecue to be held at the Jackson old Camp Ground on next Friday, August 29. The purpose of the barbecue is to help out on the public roads of that section tieing up with the Commissioners Court on the fifty-fifty proposition. Some very good able speakers will be present to speak during the day, and everybody is promised a big time. The public has a cordial invitation to attend this barbecue. Jackson Old Camp Ground is located on the Pletcher-Plantersville Road. Tomorrow is the day.

"When we're young 'n' *can* play we've got t' work so's we won't have t' work when we're old-and *can't* play"

$20,000,000.00 Annual Damage!

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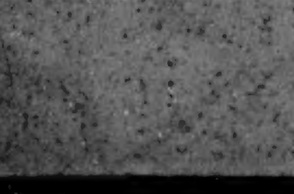

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Nation's Farmers Turn to Coolidge, Real Son of Soil, For Sympathetic Understanding of Their Problems

OVERHAULING THE COOLIDGE MOWER
PHOTO BY N.E.A.

No history of the farming folk of Vermont would be complete without reference to the Coolidge family.

Not only was the President's boyhood spent on the farm at Plymouth, his birthplace, but since and before that time his father has been a tiller of the soil—a practical dirt farmer.

The early environment of Calvin Coolidge has asserted itself annually ever since his rise to high places in the public service. Each year he has visited the old home, donned the smock and cowhide boots of the calling and gone about doing the hundred and one chores that fall to the lot of the farmer. There is no job on a farm with which he is not thoroughly familiar or which he hesitates about carrying out. As one biographer has aptly said:

"He always adorned a hayrake with as much facility as a reviewing stand."

The upper photograph would appear to bear out this statement.

There have been few dirt farmer Presidents, so that in recent years the photographs of Calvin Coolidge showing him in the smock and boots handed down to him by a worthy grandsire who served in the Vermont Legislature, have aroused more or less comment. The more sordid have been quick to suspect and have looked upon this raiment as a costume affected for its effect on the voters.

"These suspicious ones do not know Cal," this same biographer says, "for his essence is simplicity and sincerity. He is as much himself at work in a smock frock and boots as the sometimes effete children of Beacon Street are when they loll in dinner jackets, or decollete and lapis lazuli."

In his boy hood young Coolidge was not, in the vernacular, a "mixer." He was overly shy and diffident, but when he did form an attachment for a man, woman or child it was an affection as lasting as the years. He has never forgotten the devoted aunt who nursed him as a baby. Each time he visits Plymouth, no matter what the press of official business, he finds ample time to sit with her and chat of his boyhood.

The lower photograph shows him preparing for a session on the business seat of a mowing machine, an art with which he is just as familiar as he is with his official duties.

IN MEMORY OF SISTER MOLLIE WILSON

On August 19th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, in the morning, it was a bright and shining home, but at last in the evening, a dark shadow was cast over the home, an angel came and visited this home and carried away Brother Wilson's dear companion. The Angel came so quick she never spoke after she was called but the way she had lived I am sure you can meet her in the great beyond where no tears shall ever dim the eyes.

To The Children

Mamma ever seems as a flower that bloomed and in August was taken away. She was a mother that always loved and cared for her children. She is now transplanted far away whert all is joy, peace and love. Oh, to think that mother is dead, where can we go to tell our woe? Are calm our troubled mind? Oh, Father we at thy feet emplore we will try to cease our grief for we know she nas found a tweet relief, we miss her every way, at the home, around the table and to think that Mother is dead, a precious one from us is gone the voice we love is still, the place is vacant in our home which never can be filled. Our dear mother, she was tender, kind, and loved all, we praise God for her sweet name, she was ever just the same. She is gone but not forgotten, her work on earth is done, her life crown has been worn; our loss is her eternal gain. Our mother is an Angel robed in white walking in light, so good by. Mother, for a little while, soon we shall meet you around the beautiful throne and we shall know you as before, where parting comes no more, no tears shall dim the eyes, we can meet mother in Heaven if we trust in Jesus. So our farewell to Mother is but for a while. We have but to follow in the foot steps of our Master as she has done, and in the final gathering of his the Glorified sainted face of Mother.

W. H. FALKNER,
Jemison, Ala.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court In Equity.

Bertha Bice, Complaint, vs. Chester Bice, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said Chester Bice to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 22nd day of September, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a degree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 21st day of August, 1924.

SPIGENER,
8-28-4tc Register.

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct 15, Chilton County, Alabama on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924. Said stock law election shall be held for the purpose of determining by the qualified electors of said precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said precinct as provided by law. Said election shall be held at E. G. Caldwell's Storehouse at Pletcher, Alabama, and also at Culp's School House in said precinct.

Said election shall be held in accordance with and as provided by Article 1 of Chapter 345 of the Code of 1923 of the State of Alabama.

This the 11th day of August, 1924.

W. S. COX,
M. L. MILFORD,
8-28-4t Petitioners.

NON RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity; Mattie Jones, Complainant, vs. Walter C. Jones, Defendant:

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper publishen in the County of Chilton once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Walter C. Jones, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause, and also amendment to bill of complaint filed August 11th, 1924, by the 13th day of September, 1924, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 11th day of August, 1924.

W. D. SPEIGNER
Register.

8-14-4t-c

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 18, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please state through the columns of your paper to the squirrel hunters, that the squirrel season opens the 1st day of Nov., and that the bag limit is ten per day, and every hunter must have license. The fine for killing squirrels out of season is not less than $15 fine and cost. Wt are going to try to enforce the game laws in this county and ask the corporation of the good citizens to assist us.

Yours very truly
T. J. LITTLEJOHN
Sheriff Of Chilton County.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will not assume any responsibility whatever for work done by parties on fifty-fifty basis, unless permission to do such work was first obtained by the Commissioner in their respectative Districts.

Respectfully
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge Of Probate.

8-21-2-t-c

SOMETHING TO BE DONE WITH COUNTY POOR HOUSE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Chilton county will meet on Monday, September 11th, 1924 at 10 o'clock a.m., at the court house for the purpose of considering moving the county poor house or building a new one.

We will also consider bids for the keeping of the paupers for the year 1925.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
8-21-2t Judge of Probate.

PEOPLE'S MASS MEETING

All of the good citizens of Chilton County who are interested at all in the progress and prosperity of our county, regardless of their political affiliations, are invited to attend a mass meeting at the court house in Clanton on Saturday, September 6th at 11, a.m.

INTERESTED CITIZENS.

(Paid Political adv., by Democratic Executive Committee of Chilton Co.)

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET

This committee is called to meet at the court house at 10 a.m., Saturday, September 6th, 1924. Every Beat Committeeman is earnestly urged to be present, as business of vital importance to Democracy and the good people of Chilton County is to be transacted. S. M. ADAMS,
W. B. CORLEY, Chairman.
Secretary.

(Paid political adv., by Democratic Executive Committee of Chilton Co.)

NOTICE—FISHERS

All who want to fish in my pond will be allowed to do so beginning September 1st, 1924. One may fish for one-half day or until he catches 12 fish for 50 cents; and one may fish a day or until he catches 24 fish for $1.00. If you catch the number of fish for which you pay in one hour you will have to pay again before you fish any more; if you don't catch any fish at all you will have to quit when your time is up. You have a chance to try your luck fishing.

1t-pd HENRY GORE.

ALL DAY SINGING

There will be an all day singing at Pleasant Grove church next Sunday, the 31st. All singers and lovers of music are invited to attend. Bring your song books and a lunch with you for yourself and a friend. This place is located 4 miles south-west of Jemison. JAS. FRANKLIN.

Mr. O. H. Mastin is back on the job again with the F. C. A., after having undergone an operation for tonsilitis at St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery a week ago. He was in the hospital one week and lost 8 1-2 pounds while under treatment. We are glad to see him back again and hope that his health will be improved.

SINGING AT CONCORD

There will be a singing at Concord church next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2 o'clock. Everybody has a special invitation to come and bring your song books. Prof. Devaughn will be with us.

There will be preaching in the forenoon at 11 o'clock.

So you Stumps Hills folks come down and bring your quartet and give us the best you have got.

ENOCH MIMS.

Mrs. J. R. Dobbs and daughter, Maurine, from Blytheville, Ark., are spending this week with their daughter and sister, Mrs. A. B. Baxley in Clanton. Mrs. Baxley's grandmother of Berry, Ala., is also with her this week.

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S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FARM FOR SALE—160 acres, 75 or 80 in cultivation, balance in pasture, well watered; two dwelling houses, one 3-room, one 4-room; outhouse; near Mars Hill Church and school, 5 miles west of Jemison, Ala. See J. D. Holdsomback, Jemison, Ala., R. 3. 8-7-4t-c.

STEAM BOILER For Sale—in good condition; will sell cheap. Apply to J. M. VanDerveer, Clanton, Ala.

FOR SALE—Household Furnishings, including a Range Eternal Stove, in good condition. If interested in a bargain apply to Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Clanton, Ala.

FOR RENT—One six-room house on Sixth Street, modern conveniences, rent reasonable. Apply to Mrs. G. L. Phillips, Clanton, Ala. 3t-ch

HOUSE FOR RENT—One six-room house on Eighth Street, in front of Mr. Shaw's home. Apply at home of Sheriff Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala. tf

LAND FOR SALE—80 acres, 1 mile east of Coopers, 1-2 mile from a church, 3-4 mile of good school; 2 good dwelling houses 3 rooms each, good barns, good running lasting water; will produce 1-2 bale cotton to acre or more; 35 acres open land, good pasture. If interested, apply to J. B. Jones, Cooper, Ala., 8-29-5t-pd

STRAYED—Small white, black and tan female dog, blind in one eye, lost 2 miles east of Jemison Saturday evening, August 16th. Finder please return to J. E. Mims, Clanton Route 8. 8-29-2t-pd

LOST LAND DEED — Person who found land deed near Falakto belonging to B. F. Higgins, return to him at Clanton and receive reward of $1.00 B. F. HIGGINS. 1t-1

CORN FOR SALE—I have over 200 bushels of good white shelled corn for sale, at W. L. Leary's grist mill in Thorsby, $1.50 per bushel F.O.B. Throsby. Have kept the weevils out. 1tch W. L. LEARY, Thorsby, Ala.

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MAPLESVILLE NEWS

The farmers here are now picking cotton. The cotton crop is very good but that is all that is any good only on the low lands.

The drouth has not been broken yet in this part of the country . It has rained all around here but has missed us so far.

A good many from here attended the revival at Stanton last week

Misses Elvia Seals and Marie Roberts spent a few days in Stanton last week attending the revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Christian, Messrs. Verge and Jesse Christian of Selma were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Coleman and litle son, Eugene, have gone to Birmingham for a week's visit.

Mrs. Stella McAfee has gone to Tuscaloosa for a few days visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennie Smitherman of Prattville were here this week end visiting friends.

Mrs. Ray, Mr. Bonnie and Miss Susian Ray of Andalusia are here visiting Mrs. Mary Smitherman.

Mrs. Mary Smitherman and children have just returned from an extended visit to Atlanta, Ga., and Andalusia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Walker and little son, Herbert, have gone to Centerville visiting his sister, Mrs. Lena Sneed.

Mrs. Vivian Duncan of Tallassee spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshee, also Mr. and Mrs. Morris Foshee of Birmingham are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshee.

Miss Esther Mize, who has been taking the summer course at Montevallo, has returned home and is to take up her school at Stanton next week.

Mr. Wash Adams of Birmingham spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. J. E. Dennis.

Mr. Gowin Calloway and Mrs. Ralph Calloway of Clanton were visiting here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shep Bearden of Centerville and children were visiting his mother Sunday, Mrs. Henry Bearden.

Mr. Elma Harris of Clanton was visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Dennis and children and Mrs. L. L. Seals motored to Clanton Sunday visiting Mr. Dennis' parents.

Mrs. Dr. Taylor of Autaugaville has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Latham, also Miss Dot Latham of Plantersville spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Latham.

Mr. L. L. Seals spent the day in Plantersville Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Latham and children of Lawley were in town Saturday.

Little Jack Northrup is spending this week in Centerville with little L. T. Merchant.

Mrs. J. C. Merchant and little daughter, Katie Lou were in town last week and attended Miss Mable Williams' marriage.

INDIGESTION
causes bloating—gassy pains that crowd the heart—constipation.
Always find relief and comfort in
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No griping—no nausea—only 25 cents

FORESTALL DREADED CHILLS AND FEVER

No one need suffer the seasonal recurrence of Chills and Fever, with its terribly weakening effect. Wintersmith's Chill Tonic will kill your Chills and take all the Malaria out of your system. If you are subject to Malaria the best plan is to take Wintersmith's Chill Tonic beforehand. It will often prevent development of the disease. It puts rich, red blood into your veins, giving you the strength necessary to ward off Malaria.

Fifty six years of continued success have made this the standard tonic in thousands of homes throughout the malarial districts of the United States, Central and South America and elsewhere.

The system easily assimilates Wintersmith's Chill Tonic and there are no bad effects on the stomach or nerves. You should have a bottle in your home. Popular size, 60 cents; mammoth size, $1.00. All drug stores. Wintersmith Chemical Company, Inc. Louisville, Ky. ----Adv.

MR. ELMORE RETURNS WITH LOTS OF BRAND NEW GOODS

Mr. V. J. Elmore of the Chicago Sales Company has returned from the market, and the fall and winter goods which he purchased while away are arriving every day. He is going to offer some bargains that will be attractive to the buying public in a few days. Watch for his announcement in the papers.

For emergency cooking

THE J. B. Colt Carbide gas stove will boil water in four minutes, if necessary, but its heat can be regulated to suit.

No matches, no overheated kitchen, no carrying fuel or removing ashes, no soot or smoke.

Wives and mothers appreciate the comfort and convenience of Carbide gas cooking and ironing—especially in emergencies.

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We aim to give our customers the same courteous treatment and the best values for the money. Don't fail to see us before purchasing anything in our line of Dry Goods, Shoes, Men's and Boys' Ready-to-Wear, and Staple Groceries.

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I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. R. E. Luckie, Editor

Mrs. Johnson Entertains Card Club.

At her home on Second avenue, Mrs. Arthur Johnson entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few other friends, on last Wednesday afternoon. A variety of summer flowers effectively brightened the entire enterior. Score card in floral design echoed the predominating color note of yellow and white. Bridge was played at five tables and afterwards a salad and ice course was served. The club prize, cards was won by Mrs. N. S. Johnson, while the guest prize, two dainty hand-made handkerchiefs fell to Mrs. Oliff. The club members and guests were Mrs. H. Alred, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Willis Lyman, Mrs. G. Reynolds, Mrs. Simpson and Miss Kathleen Mullins, Mrs. Olliff, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Watts Moore and Miss Lurline Harper.

Visitors Honored.

Paying special courtesy to Mesdames Oliff and Frank Simmons who were her house guests, and Mrs. W. K. Mullins from Birmingham, Miss Kathleen Mullins was a lovely hostess on last Friday afternoon at a Bridge party. Six tables were arranged amid baskets of cut flowers and pot plants for the game, and after a series of rubbers Mrs. Hosea Downs was holder of high score and awarded a pretty flower basket while Mesdames Oliff and Simmons were presented Congress cards and Mrs. W. K. Mullins an attractive wall vase. During the game a delicious iced beverage was served and afterwards a tempting salad plate. Invited to meet the visitors were Mesdames Gerald, Browder, Frank Callen, Hosea Downs, Eric Hart, Oscar Jones, Stoddard, G. Broadhead, Percy Pitts, Guy Roberts, T. C. McSwain, N. S. Johnson, Arthur Johnson, H. M. Simpson, Hance Alred, Misses Madelyn Orr, Lurline Harper, Adelaide Courtney, Bettie Mullins, Lessie Reynolds and Beverly Hester.

Mr. and Mrs. Bille Holmes were visitors to Clanton last week en-route to McMinville, Tenn., where Mr. Holmes will teach this winter.

Miss Dewey Branch returned home Friday from a visit to friends in Birmingham.

After a visit of several weeks to Miss Kathleen Mullins, Mesdames Oliff and Simmons returned to their home in Statesboro, Ga., Wednesday.

RAINER-HIGGINS WEDDING

Elba, Ala., Aug. 23.—A marriage that came as quite a surprise to their many friends, was that of Miss Gussie Rainer and J. Burton Higgins, which occurred on Monday evening, August 18.

The couple motored to Enterprise, where the ceremony was performed at the Methodist parsonage by Dr. Threadgill, in the presence of only a very few close friends. They came immediately back to Elba, motoring to Troy, from which place they left for Pensacola and other points in Florida.

Birthday Party Enjoyed.

Miss Lurline Minor was a lovely hostess on Tuesday evening, celebrating the 15th birthday anniversary at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Minor. Baskets of summer flowers decorated the rooms and porch. Numerous games were played and music was enjoyed About thirty of the younger set were present. Late in the evening a refreshing ice course was served.

Miss Cuba Keith from Birmingham spent a few days in Clanton with Miss Dewey Branch.

Mr. Jack Wade is home from Russellville for a few days.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson left Tuesday for Columbia, Ala., on account of illness of relatives.

Messrs J. C. Jones and Renfroe Mullins were visitors to New Orleans last week.

Mrs. N. A. Kicker was a recent visitor to Birmingham.

Mr. Ben Hall and Raymond Roberts were visitors to the Magic City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Higgins from Elba, were the week-end guests of relatives here.

Hershel Gore returned home Tuesday from a visit to relatives at Thorsby.

Mr. H. T. Pipes has returned home from a visit to Louisville Ky.

Mr. R. E. Luckie was in Birmingham a couple of days on business last week.

After a weeks visit to friends in Montgomery, Miss Clara Ellen Calloway has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Headley and son from Montgomery were the week end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Dewey Rockett spent Tuesday shopping in Birmingham.

After a couple of weeks visit to Mrs. Hugh Jones, her sister, Miss Adelaide Courtney returned to her home in Montgomery Saturday.

THE HELL-BOUND TRAIN

Tom Gray lay down on the bar-room floor,
He'd drank so much he could drink no more;
So he fell asleep with a troubled brain
And he dreamed he rode on a hell-bound train.

The engine with blood was red and damp
And brilliantly lit with a brimstone lamp,
For fuel an Imp was shoveling bones
And the furnace rang with a thousand groans

The boiler was filled with large beer
And the Devil himself was the engineer;
The passengers made such a motely crew,
Church members, Atheists, Gentile and Jew.

Rich men in broadcloth, beggars in rags,
Handsome young ladies, withered old hags;
Yellow and black men, red, brown and white,
All chained together! what a terrible sight!

The train dashed on at a terrific pace,
And hot wind burned the hands and face;
Wilder and wilder the country grew,
And faster and faster the engine flew.

Louder and louder the thunder crashed,
Brighter and brighter the lightning flashed,
Hotter and hotter the air became,
Till clothes burned off each quivering frame.

Now in the distance arose a great yell,
Ha! ha! said the Devil, we're now nearing hell;
Then oh, how the passengers cried in pain,
And begged of the Devil to stop the train.

And he capered about in all his glee,
And laughed and joked at their agony;
My faithful friends you have done my work,
And the Devil can never a pay-day shirk.

You've bullied the weak and robbed the poor,
And starving ones turned from your door;
You have laid up gold where canker rusts,
And give free vent to your fleshly lusts.

You have justice scorned, corruption sown,
And trampled the laws of nature down;
You have drank and rioted, murdered, lied,
And mocked at God in your hell-born pride.

You've paid full fare so I'll carry you thru,
It is only just you should get your due;
Why, the laborer always expects his hire,
So I'll land you safe in the lake of fire.

Where your flesh'll roast in flames that roar
And my Imps torment you forevermore;
Then Tom awoke with an agonized cry;
Was wet with sweat, his hair standing high;

And he prayed as he never prayed before,
To be saved from drink and the Devil's power;
And his vows and prayers were not in vain
For he nevermore rode on a hell-bound train.

REV. J. N. HUNT, Street Evangelist.

Miss Ruth Prince and mother left Friday morning for Detroit, Mich., for a visit to Mr. J. F. Prince.

Miss Margarite Smith from Columbiana is visiting friends in the city this week.

ALPINE NEWS

The summer's revival was held at this place last week, which was very good indeed. Rev. Arnold Weaver from Quitman, Miss., was with us throughout the week and preached some very interesting sermons. We received seven members by baptism and one by letter.

A number of the young people of the community attended the singing at Pleasant Grove Tuesday and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sims and children, who have been spending several days with Mrs. Sims' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, returned to their home in Bessemer Monday.

Miss Earlie White of Fremont spent last week with her sister, Mrs. F. B. Ousley.

Messrs. Thomas and Preston Johnson and Misses Colista Campbell and Cordelia Johnson motored to Summerfield Monday.

Miss Bonita Ousley, who has been spending several weeks with her uncle near Jones, returned home Monday.

Miss Myrtle Sewell from Sardis spent last week with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walker.

Mrs. A. B. Frith and children of Selma spent last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Culp of near Clanton spent Tuesday night with relatives here.

Mr. Preston Johnson, who has been spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Johnson, returned to Bessemer Wednesday p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gandy of Adams spent Thursday at Mr. T. A. Ousley's.

Mrs. J. M. Campbell, who has been visiting with relatives here, returned to her home in Summerfield Wednesday.

Mrs. James Walker and children of Selma spent last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Henry Greggs and two children of Fremont spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ousley.

Misses Ollie Culp and Velma Frith of Selma spent Thursday with Misses Cordelia and Lula Johnson.

Several young people of this community motored to Sardis Sunday night.

NO HOLINESS MEETING HELD AT CENTER HILL

Jemison, Ala., Aug. 24, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I notice in last week's issue of The Banner that the writer from Bon Air made the statement that Mr. Duncan and family enjoyed the holiness meeting at Center Hill.

I wish to say to the people that there has not been any holiness meeting here. This is strictly a Baptist church The above mentioned meeting was here. This is strictly a Baptist church.

Will thank the writer to correct said error.

Respectfully,
B. L. COBB.

Ernest Moore Cafe

I will have my Cafe opened up between Weldon's Music House and the Service Barber Shop within a few days. I invite my friends to visit me.

ERNEST MOORE

CLANTON, ALA.

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PUBLIC ROADS OF COUNTY IN BETTER SHAPE THAN EVER

Representative Citizens Commend Work of Commissioners Court And Effect of Road Law.

When the Commissioners Court of Chilton County put into effect the new road law the first of this year, all sort of predictions were made regarding the future results of the law. Some foresaw ruination to the roads and bankruptcy to the county treasury. Some phases of the law were disagreeable to some people, and the test of the law was used in an attempt to invalidate some part of it. But what do we find today? Our roads have been improved from one to five hundred per cent, the county is not bankrupted, and citizens from all parts of the county are praising the work done on their roads. The people better results could be accomplished? The probate judge and commissioners court deserve the most hearty commendation from the citizens of the county for the splendid and unparalleled work they done on the roads of the county.

If the work that has been done this summer can be kept up next year and the next, there is every reason to believe that Chilton County will be among the foremost in the State when it comes to good roads. And it will not be just one or two highways through the county, but it will be all of the main roads traversing the county from every direction. The county has the machinery to work the roads with, and with just a little encouragement from the people of the county, it will be continually pushed until the results can be throughly appreciated.

Below we are publishing a list of letters from citizens from different communities of the county expressing their opinion regarding the road work. As you will see from the signatures, these are all representative and reliable men from their respectative sections, and what they say regarding the roads may be depended upon:

COMMEND COMMISSIONERS FOR WORK DONE ON ROADS

Mr. W. N. Thomas of Jemison Route 3, was in Clanton last Friday He was here on business, but he made it a point while here to congratulate Judge Reynolds and the Commissioners Court of Chilton County for the splendid work they have done on the roads of the county for the past few months. Mr. Thomas came to the Banner office and asked ... to publish a letter for him publicly commending this work. Mr. Thomas says from his point of view, the new road law is the best thing that has come about toward good roads for the county. He says that roads have been worked in his community that have never been worked before, and they are now in fairly good shape. Mr. Thomas is mighty well pleased with the big machines which the county is using to work the roads with.

Sheriff Littlejohn and his force of deputies also have the praise of Mr. Thomas. He says that they are performing their duty well in looking after the whiskey heads and other law violators. It is the duty of all good citizens to help the officers in locating and expelling the lawless of our county.

REV. M. J. PARRISH SAYS THE NEW ROAD LAW IS FINE

Editor Union-Banner:

I feel that when a citizen of the county sees that the county officers are doing something good, that he ought to congratulate them and try to push the good work along all possible. With this in view, I wish to say that so far as I have been able to ascertain, the commissioners of our county deserve the hearty praise of the citizens for the splendid work they have done on our roads under the new road law. Beyond a doubt, the plan is working much better than any previous system we have ever had.

Those big tractors and scrapes are the ticket to work the roads with. I believe that I can truthfully say that a force of men with one of these machines can do more and better work on a road in a day than forty men can do in the same length of time with the old tools and the old system of working. It is not only much better for our roads but is a great deal cheaper than it could be done under the old system. The probate judge and commissioners court have my compliments on the splendid work they are doing on our roads.

Very respectfully,

REV. M. J. PARRISH.

Clanton, Ala., Route No. 1.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CALLED TO MEET SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

The Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County is hereby called to meet at the court house in Clanton, at 2:00 o'clock, p.m., on **Saturday, the 13th day Sept, 1924,** for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the County Board of Education of Chilton County to succeed Hon. L. A. Calloway.

All members of the Executive Committee are earnestly requested to be present at this meeting, as this is an important matter and the presence of every member will be necessary.

This 2nd day of September, 1924.

W. G. CULP,
Chm. Republican Ex. Comm.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Republican Ex. Comm.

OFFICERS FIND 10 GALLONS OF WHISKEY IN CLANTON

Last Thursday afternoon, Sheriff Littlejohn, Deputy Culp and J. L. Gore took from under the south end of the Reese Mullins bridge in North Clanton two five-gallon jugs of moonshine whiskey. The whiskey was hidden behind some large sills under the bridge. The officers have the party who owned the whiskey located, but no arrest was made on account of the lack of an officer to issue the warrant of arrest. Since the county court was abolished it is a question of legal complexity as to who has the authority to issue warrants. The question has not been definitely settled as yet.

Judge Reynolds and J. O. Middleton attended the road meeting and barbecue near Pletcher last Friday. Both the Judge and Mr. Middleton spoke on the occasion, and it is reported that a splendid interest in better roads was manifest throughout the meeting. The barbecue was also fine, according to those who attended.

SCHOOL DAYS

REPUBLICANS CALLED TO MEET AND ADVISE NOMINATION FOR CO. BOARD

Republican Executive Committee Met Tuesday And set Saturday, September 13th Day for Mass Meeting.

The Republican Executive Committee met at the court house in Clanton Tuesday of this week, subject to a call by the Chairman, Mr. W. G. Culp. With the exception of one or two, all the members of the committee were either present of represented by proxy. In the organizing of the committee Mr. W. G. Culp was re-elected chairman and Mr. J. Z. Mims was re-elected secretary. After the organization was completed the committee passed a resolution calling a mass meeting of the Republican voters of the county at the court house on Saturday, September 13th, for the purpose of advising with the County Executive Committee in selecting a candidate for member of the County Board of Education to take the place of Mr. L. A. Calloway, who has moved away from the State. Mr. Calloway moved from this county to Florida some time about Christmas last year, and it is reliable information that he will reside out of this State for about five years.

In substance, the law says that at the time a member of the county board of education leaves the State to be away for any length of time, his place on the Board becomes vacant and is to be supplied by the remaining members of the Board electing a membr to fill the vacancy until the next general election, when a member is to be elected by the vote of the people. A letter from Mr. L. A. Calloway to Mr. W. C. Robinson of Clanton states that Mr. Calloway sent in his resignation as member of the County Board of Education in the early part of this year.

The members of the County Board of Education and the County Superintendent are asked to attend this mass meeting and the meeting of the Executive Committee to be held on September 13th, and help in selecting a nominee for this vacancy. Also the members of the Board and the Superintendent are asked to explain to the meeting and to the Committee why a successor to Mr. Calloway has not been elected by the Board.

This meeting is of vital importance to the voters of the county, and every Republican, both men and women, who possibly can are urged to attend this meeting at the court house on Saturday, September 13th at 2 o'clock and advise with the Executive Committee in selecting a nominee for this office.

It is expected that Republicans of state-wide reputation will be here on that day to address the meeting.

NEW TICKET FOR CITY ELECTION ON SEPT. 15

On the 25th day of August, 1924 a number of citizens of the town of Clanton assembled at the court house and a committee was appointed to select available candidates to run in the coming city election on September 15, for Mayor and Councilmen for the town of Clanton. This committee had a subsequent meeting on August 30, and nominated the following persons for Mayor and Councilmen: Dr J. P. Hayes, Mayor; J Lee Smith, F. R. Woodyard, T. H. Neighbors, J. Watts Moore and J. Z. Mims as Councilmen. At this meeting a committee was appointed to go before the town council and request that these names be entered on the official ballot and that managers be appointed as provided by law.

This committee accordingly appeared before the town council and filed petitions with the council signed by 25 citizen voters requesting that these above named candidates be entered on the official ballot. There was also filed a petition with the present council suggesting the names of three persons as election managers as provided by law. The council, however, refused to place these candidates' names on the official ballot and also refused to appoint the three names suggested as election managers. This committee then reported back to the mass meeting on the night of Sept. 2, and another committee was appointed consisting of five persons authorized to take any legal action to have our candidates' names placed on the official ballot or to have election managers appointed.

At the mass meeting held on Sept. 2 the citizens of the town who met passed a resolution that this action of the Mayor and Town Council was to be regarded as reprehensible and also with an added spirit of interest, resolved that every voter in the town of Clanton would be acquainted and familiarized with this arbitrary action of the Mayor and Council and their method of perpetuating themselves in office when good and honest citizens had nominated candidates to oppose them. Before the election arises every voter, man and woman, will be instructed in the proper way to cast their ballot, and every voter will receive a ballot properly prepared showing the legal way to vote for the candidates who are now opposing the present Mayor and the Town Council.

At the meeting on August 30th a set of by-laws was adopted by the mass meeting and also at the meeting on September 2nd each of the above named candidates, except Mr. J. Watts Moore, who was not present, approved of and adopted the platform set out below.

We ask every voter, man and woman, to read this platform and consider the action of the Mayor and Town Council in thus attempting to perpetuate themselves in office and prevent othr citizens from running in the election.

Therefore, we are appealing to every good citizen, if you believe in the freedom of government and in the utmost publicity to all official acts and if you oppose one man running the entire town, we ask you to vote for the above ticket. We know that every good citizen will oppose a Kaiseristic, tyrannical form og government even in our city management.

At the proper time every citizen will be called upon in person and the entire matter will be explained openly and frankly, and also you will be instructed as to the legal way of voting this ticket.

The Platform.

1st. We believe that the duties appertaining to the Mayor and five councilmen of the town of Clanton should be apportioned among the respective officers as provided by law and that no officer should perform the duties of the office except that which he was elected by the people.

2nd. We believe that the Mayor should perform the duties of his office except when sickness or other providential causes prevent.

3rd. We do not believe in one officer acting in the several capacities of Mayor, Recorder, Councilman, Clerk and Treasurer and thus destroy the benefit of a general survillance over the town's affairs by all of the respective officers.

4th. We advocate that at least semi-annually the receipts and disbursements of the town of Clanton be published in the county papers published in said town, showing as nearly as possible an itemized statement of all the receipts and an itemized statement of all the disbursements of said town, and also that an expert accountant should be appointed at least once a year to make an examination in detail of all books and accounts of the city officials and to make full report thereof in writing as is now provided by Section 1053 of the Code of Alabama of 1924.

5th. We do not believe that "dummies" should be appointed to office but that the person appointed should attend to the duties of said office.

6th. We believe that our town should be improved in a manner consistent with the finances of the town and also in conformity with the wishes of the people as a whole, and that at all times the wishes of the people should be complied with as is consistent with law

7th. We advocate an improvement of the city school, and better facilities for the school children and a total elimination of the incidental fee and liberal donations to the other schools of the town.

8th. We willingly and conscientiously concede and advocate that the women of the town should be accorded equal rights in all matters appertaining to the town's management and control and that their demands as to the needs of the town should be liberally granted in a manner as provided by law.

9th. We recommend that the Mayor and town council liberally attend to the needs relating to the churches, charity, the progress and general welfare of our town.

Therefore, we urge every good man and woman to go to the polls on Sept. 15th and vote for Dr. J. P. Hayes for Mayor and J Lee Smith, J. Watts Moore, J. Z. Mims, T. H. Neighbers and F. R. Woodyard as Councilmen, and thus be accorded an open and public city government instead of a government by one man. Also every tax payer and voter will have the right at all times to know the exact status of the city receipts and disbursements and financial standing and will be granted the right to examine the city's books at any and all times.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

Mr. G. O. Foshee is preparing to put him up a nice building on the corner of Fourth Street and Second Avenue, just in front of Mr. Dewey Rockett's home. Mr. Foshee's house will be different from anything in Clanton when it is finished.

CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY, SEPT. 8

The Clanton Grammar School will open on Monday, Sept. 8. The incidental fee will be $3.50 for residents of the district, and $5.00 for non-residents. You may get your receipts for the incidental fee at the Alred Drug Store. Please attend to this matter promptly, as the incidental fee is strictly payable in advance. Let me suggest that you wait until school opens to buy books, as we have a new course of study this year, which will require a little time to work out. If there is anything special about your child's grades in any way, please try to see me about it before Monday as it will be almost impossible to have time to attend to all such matters on the opening day.

W. E. MARTIN, Principal.

CLANTON CLOSED A SUCCESSFUL BALL SEASON SATURDAY

Clanton Closes 1924 Baseball Season With Shutout Against Fast Pan-American Club Of B'ham.

B. Lewis, pitching for Clanton, allowed only five hits and one man to get as far as third base, while Hobert Henderson, pitching for the visitors allowed 12 hits and 8 runs. Thompson with three hits out of four times up, Parrish with one of two, Hayes with two out of four and R. Lewis with two out of four, lead with the stick for Clanton. Henderson with two out of three and Clark with two out of four, got most all the hits for the visitors.

The feature of the game was three fast double plays by our boys: Sewell to Hayes to Jones, Sewell to Jones and Parrish to Sewell to Jones. A double play being made to put the last man out and closing the season.

Clanton has been represented by one of the very best amateur teams in the South and has enjoyed the most successful season, having won 28 games and lost 10. The players have conducted themselves as gentlemen, always ready and willing to work hard both in practice and in the games. They never gave up whether we were in the lead or behind. Our home boys, of course, did the same, either playing for the love of the game or practically no pay. We have all enjoyed the games and Clanton as a town has received much good advertising. A very small number of our citizens backed the ball club this season and lost more money than they should be called upon to have to pay.

Why can't we organize a club of 100 citizens of Clanton and surrounding community who will pay two dollars each per month the year around, begin now, and when the season opens next year we can have a team to go up against the very best, in fact, with an even brake of luck we can beat them all. And the best part will be, nobody will be in the hole financially. A good ball team is the best advertisement the town could have. If we get together we can put it over.

MRS. W. Z. HODGES WILL WRITE SOCIETY NEWS

The services of Mrs. W. Z. Hodges have been procured to serve as social reporter for The Union-Banner. The society and club notes of our paper are a very distinctive asset, and it is hoped that the public will co-operate with Mrs. Hodges in making this column still better. Any news items for this part of the paper may be phoned her or a report of same may be left at Mr. Hodges' store. If you are hostess to a party or some other social function, tell Mrs. Hodges about it so that she can write it up.

BIDS WANTED

Anyone desiring to bid on hauling school children to Verbena School will please place their bid by Friday of this week. Anyone from any part of the county is eligible to bid.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

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REV. G. B. GOLDEN ON VISIT TO BUTLER CO.

Rev. G. B. Golden of Walnut Creek community left early Sunday morning for Butler County, where he went to assist in a Revival on Georgiana Circuit. Bro. Golden served that work six years ago, this being his first work in the Alabama Conference Methodist Protestant Church. There is but few men that's making the success that Bro. Golden is moking. It is indeed a great pleasure to hear him explain the word of God.

May he live long on this earth and all his efforts be crowned with great success.

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Weak Nervous

"I was weak and nervous and run-down," writes Mrs. Edith Sellers, of 456 N. 21st St., East St. Louis, Ill. "I couldn't sleep nights, I was so restless. I felt tired and not in condition to do my work. I would have such pains in my stomach that I was afraid I would get down in bed. . . My mother came to see me and suggested that I use

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INDIAN GRAVE

We have just closed one of the best singing schools at this place that has ever been taught, and it was taught by one of the most prominent men of Chilton County, Prof. G. C. Weldon. We are inclined to say that we know our school was a benefit to our community. We enrolled forty-one pupils; but everyone seemed to do their very best in trying to learn something about music. The school lasted only sixteen days. It was to be a term of twenty days, but every body had to go to picking cotton and it was cut short four days. The closing day was Saturday, August 30, and in the morning Prof. Weldon had a nice little program arranged for his class, which lasted about one hour and a half, then he adjourned for dinner. There was plenty of dinner and the crowd certainly enjoyed it. At 1:30 we went back in the house and invited all singers in the class, after which the committee arranged a program for that afternoon. The following directors sung three songs each: Prof. G. C. Weldon, Furnice Sheppard, Olen Williams, Prof. J. W. Cagle, and then we had a quartet by Prof. Cagle, Funice Shtpard, Hudson Williams and W. F. Limbrick. Then the directors were Dudson Williams, Alonza Askins, D. M. Jones, Blalie Billingsley, Rev. J. H. Limrick. The organists for the afternoon were Mrs. Cagle, Prof. Weldon, Hudson Williams, Miss Katie Limrick.

We adjourned, hoping to have another school like this next summer.

One of the pupils,
ALONZA ASKINS.

PROVIDENCE, BEAT 13

There will be an all day song service at this place the first Sunday in September, 7th, in the Christian Harmony Note Books, especially for the old folks' benefit. But we invite all lovers of music to come and be with us on that day.

Please don't forget the date of cleaning off the cemetery at this place, September 18th. Also the second Sunday of each month is our regular dates for singing in the new books. We extend a cordial invitation to all.

With much success to The Union-Banner and its many readers,
W. F. THOMPSON.

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Charles Parkins says "Rats were overrunning our feed store destroying grain and everything. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake, put it around and now they wouldn't come near the store to eat the best grain. It did wonderful work for me." Get a package today. Sold and Guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Clanton, Ala. and Cooper Drug Co. Cooper, Ala.

Homes of Three Presidential Candidates

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SENATOR LA FOLLETTE'S HOME IN WASHINGTON

The "humble cot" at 2112 Wyoming avenue Northwest, in Washington, is where Robert M. La Follette, socialist candidate for President, lies awake nights worrying about the down-trodden condition of the American masses and the lack of opportunity for struggling young lawyers and others under a government in which he has held office continuously for a third of a century. Senator La Follette has a fancy farm home near Madison, Wis., which is something of a show place.

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WHERE JOHN W. DAVIS LIVES IN CLARKSBURG, W. VA.

This is the modest ancestral home at Clarksburg, W. Va., of John W. Davis, Democratic presidential candidate, who is also worrying over the sad state of the "poor man" under wicked, corrupt Republican government. This distinguished apostle of Democracy and people's rights has a more elaborate home on Long Island sound, where he does part of his worrying over the sad state of affairs in a nation where the struggling young lawyers and others find the gate of opportunity closed to them.

HOME OF COL. JOHN COOLIDGE, FATHER OF THE PRESIDENT, AT PLYMOUTH, VT.

This wintertime photo is of the home of Col. John Coolidge father of President Coolidge, at Plymouth, Vt. It is now the temporary "White House," as President Coolidge and family are spending a vacation there.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE'S HOME (LEFT HALF) AT NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

When President Coolidge was governor of Massachusetts he lived in the left side of a small frame double house at Northampton, which is still one of his homes—the White House being the other. President Coolidge still pays $34 a month rent for this Northampton house.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Officials of the East Alabama Fair Association, at Alexander City, are making preparations for the fourteenth annual fair, October 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25. A carnival company has been secured, free acts are being booked and plans are being laid to make horse racing a feature of this year's entertainment. County Agent Day reports that splendid progress is being made in securing community agricultural exhibits. He states that he has already reserved space for more communities than have ever before exhibited. Interest is being manifested in the poultry department since it has been learned that Mrs. Florence Forbes, vice president of the American Poultry association, is to be a judge of the poultry show. Competition at the fair will be open to all. New coops have been bought to replace the old and an expert will have charge of the feeding of the birds exhibited.

The case charging five prominent Mobilians with conspiracy to bribe a federal officer who continued indefinently when two of the defendants failed to appear in court. The indictment charging William H. Holcomb, Jr., former sheriff and member of the legislature, Dr. A. G. Ward, member of the board of revenue, Percy H. Kearns, Frank Boykin and H. M. Cochran with conspiracy to bribe Aubrey Boyles, federal district attorney, was taken out of the call of court when attorneys asked for a severance for Boykin and an indefinite continuance was granted to Holcomb because he is ill with an attack of ptomane poising.

More evidence of returning prosperity was seen in Gadsden when it became known that the Dwight Cotton mill at Alabama City had cancelled the notice to its 1,200 operatives of a two weeks shut-down. It is understood this action was due to a better tone in the textile trade and increase of orders for the local plant. It is now running on a schedule of 50 hours a week, which is expected to be increased shortly. Announcement also was made that the shops of the Gadsden Pipe company and the Agricola Pipe company, which were shut down August 15, will resume on September 3.

The Civic club and the Commercial club of Moulton have completed plans for the community fair to be held this fall. The dates are Oct. 10 and 11. The Civic club is to have oversight of the flower, fruit, garden, needlework and cooking exhibits for which departments directors were appointed last spring. The Commercial club will look after grain, hay, cotton and farm exhibits, while both will co-operate in arranging for the prizes. It is planned to make the fair more than a mere community fair by asking exhibits from all parts of the county.

A. J. Harris, attorney for the Morgan county board of revenue and Judge L. P. Troup, ex-officio chairman of that board, are arranging the details of a loan of $180,000 from the state highway commission, to be used in building the courtland and Moulton pikes. They are to be built of gravel and each mile is to cost about 10,000.

The regular fall term of the Chambers county circuit court has been postponed one week on account of the paving of the streets of the town. Court will be held beginning on Monday, September 8. Judge N. D. Denson will preside.

The school census of Tuscumbia has just been completed. The school census of 1922 showed the number of children to be 1,338. The 1924 census shows 1,535. The 1924 school census gives Tuscumbia a total population of 6,140.

Dr. Thomas E. Cochran has returned to Marion after spending the summer in North Carolina with his family. Dr. Cochran will assist in getting the business of Judson college in shape for opening in September.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to Easterling's New Cafe to eat. He always has a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

E. A. THOMAS E. M. THOMAS

JEMISON LAY ENTERTAINS LITTLE DAUGHTER AT PARTY

On last Saturday evening Mrs. Lois Sims entertained her little daughter, Tommie Lee in honor of her eleventh birthday. Numerous games were played on the lawn and one of the most interesting was pinning on the donkey's tail, Nell Sims being the lucky one to win the prize.

The dining room had been made attractive, carrying out the color scheme, pink and white, with ferns and baskets of roses. Ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Tempie Millsap, Annie Dora Wells, Agnes Durbin, Irene Atkinson, Nell Sims, Kathleen Langston, Geraldine Bean, Thressamae and Mary Allison Sims, Evelyn Cooper, Marion and Josephine Adams, Virginia Hubbard, Dorothy Sims, Carl Glass, Lawson and Glover Hand, John Adams, J. W. Davis, Juian Sims, Joice Rogers, Jack Sims, Robert Reynolds. The hostess was assisted by Miss Ola Rogers.

RATLIFF - TURNER WEDDING

Mr. Floyd Ratliff and Miss Zelph Turner were united in marriage on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Rev. John Taylor. The bride was dressed lovely in a suit of gray crepe de Chine. The groom wore a suit of blue.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. Lee Turner, and the groom is the son of Mr. Wesley Ratliff. We wish them much success and joy thru their married life.

STANTON SCHOOL OPENS

The Stanton Consolidated School, Prof. H. A. Harris, principal, opened Monday morning of this week with nearly a hundred enrolled. Prof. Harris states that the prospects for the school at Stanton looks mighty good this year. There are five teachers in the school, and together with the primary and grammar grades one year of senior high school will be taught.

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Scientists all over the country are fighting the perils of bubonic plague. There is a danger of this plague hitting us unless rats are DESTROYED at once. They must be wiped out! Every one help! Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Quickest results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Clanton Ala., and Cooper Drug Co. Cooper Ala.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF MAPLESVILLE

Located at Maplesville, Ala., at the Close of Business June 30th, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts	$50,370.49
2.	Overdrafts	235.17
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and W. S. Stamps	100.00
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants	(None.)
5.	Banking House	900.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures	1,351.56
7.	Other Real Estate	(None.)
8.	Cash—	
	a. Currency $3,115.00	
	b. Gold 335.00	
	c. Silver, Nickels and Pennies 179.62	
	Total	$ 3,629.62
9.	Due from Banks	6,412.35
10.	Due from Federal Reserve Bank	(None.)
11.	Exchanges for Clearing House	(None.)
12.	Checks and Cash Items	18.99
13.	Cash Items in Transit	(None.)
14.	Other Resources	2.20
	TOTAL	$63,020.38

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in	$10,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund	2,500.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid	885.55
4.	Reserve for Taxes and Interest	(None.)
5.	Demand Deposits—	
	a. Individual Deposits $40,945.63	
	b. Demand Certificates (None.)	
	c. Due to Clearing House (None.)	
	d. Due to Banks (None.)	
	e. Due to Federal Reserve Bank (None)	
	f. Cashier's Checks (None.)	
	g. Certified Checks 30.00	
	h. Unpaid Dividends (None.)	
	Total	$40,975.63
6.	Time Deposits—	
	a. Savings (None.)	
	b. Time Certificates $ 3,659.20	
	Total	$ 3,659.20
7.	Notes and Bills Payable	5,000.00
8.	Notes and Bills Rediscounted	(None.)
9.	Bonds Borrowed	(None.)
10.	Other Liabilities	(None.)
	TOTAL	$63,020.38

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came H. L. Smith, Cashier of Bank of Maplesville, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

H. L. SMITH, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of September, 1924.

ATTEST: J. E. DENNIS, Notary Public.

J. W. Foshee, F. H. Brown, H. M. Nix, Directors.

SINGING CONVENTION

The Chilton County Singing Convention of the Harp and Harmony books will convene at Sardis church near Adams, on M. & O. R. R., the 3rd Sunday in September and Saturday before.

All invited.

THE CHAIRMAN.

Mr. H. L. Ratliff of Maplesville Route 2 was among the attendants at Commissioners Court here Monday.

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3 young mules, weights from 1000 to 1150; one practically new 2-horse wagon; all farming tools, entire corn crop. Also some other farm stuff. If interested, see

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Invested money must earn money, or there will be no new capital forthcoming with which to take care of increased volume. This theory is elemental and the statement is trite; yet it is interesting to know that nearly one half of America's second largest industry pays no dividends on its capital stock. Three billion dollars worth of stock in railroads (of the approximately seven billion dollars outstanding) is not earning or paying a dividend.

What is the reason for such a condition existing? How long can this continue? How long will investors be willing to put their money into such non-profitable securities?

The first question is easy to answer: "Increased operating expenses without proportionate increased revenues." The second and third questions cannot be answered until the American people, through their lawmakers, evidence a keener appreciation of the railroads' problems, and in some quarters a fairer and less radical attitude toward the carriers.

In order to serve the Nation with adequate freight and passenger transportation, the railroads must have new capital to take care of needed improvements and extensions. New capital will not come when capital already invested is not paying a fair return.

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THE OLD RELIABLE

AMERICA'S GUEST THIS MONTH

EASTERN social circles are all agog over the visit to the United States this month of his royal highness, the Prince of Wales. Traveling under the name of Baron Renfrew, he will be here to witness the polo matches between the American and British teams at Meadowbrook Club, Westbury, L. I.

The above picture of the popular young prince shows him in rather democratic attire. It was made on his Canadian ranch at the time he forgot his many royal ceremonies and receptions and chose to live the carefree life of a cowboy for a brief period. The serious look on him we can't explain but, inwardly, we'll wager he's feeling a lot more comfortable and happy in those ranch clothes than if he were parading in one of his many gorgeous uniforms.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Piedmont Chamber of Commerce was reorganized with the following officers: A. S. Edwards, president; T. C. Cowan, vice president; George Kass, secretary; J. H. Morgan, treasurer; Dr. G. B. Sharpe, C. L. Morgan, R. V. Webb, C. R. West, P. W. Roberts, directors.

J. E. Searcy, tax assessor of Henry county, has completed his assessment rolls for 1924 taxes and the abstract has been made up and forwarded to the state auditor. The abstract shows that the total value of taxable property in Henry county is $5,223,456 as compared with $4,779,809 for 1923.

Mrs. R. A. Mitchell, wife of Col. R. A. Mitchell, vice president of the Alabama Power company, died suddenly at her home at 917 South Twentieth street, Birmingham. Mrs. Mitchell suffered a ruptured blood vessel, and died a very short time afterward.

Cotton picking has commenced in Chambers county. The crop prospect is not so promising as it was two or three weeks ago. Reports from farmers in different parts of the county say the dry weather has practically destroyed the top crop of cotton.

The Episcopal church steeple, the highest structure in Huntsville, is being repainted. The work is being done by Brown & Isham, a West Huntsville firm of steeplejacks. The steeple is about 200 feet high.

Work has begun on the new school building to be erected at Verbena. This building when completed, will be modern in every particular and will represent an expenditure of about $30,000.

Preparations are being made by Prof. F. D. Dowdy for the opening of the Walker county high school on Sept. 19.

The oil well drilling operations at Spring Valley have been abandoned. Tuscumbia and Sheffield people were large financial backers of the well.

Because all of the three bids submitted were considered too low, the Alabama city council refused to sell the $50,000 bonds which had been voted to retire the floating indebtedness of the town.

Two indictments were returned against Hardie C. Harris, ex-prohibition agent, by the federal grand jury at Birmingham.

The plant of the Lehigh Portland Cement company, at Tarrant City, now has a daily capacity of 5,000 barrels of cement.

Gives advice to Expectant Mothers

"I HAD an awful time with my first baby," writes Mrs. Theo. Willey, 451 E. Ohio St., Indianapolis, Ind. "They had to give me chloroform and use instruments. They thought I would die. But before my second baby came I used 'Mother's Friend' and baby was born *with only a few pains* and before a doctor could arrive. I also used 'Mother's Friend' with my third baby. I was *only sick a little while* and she also was born before the doctor arrived. I cannot praise 'Mother's Friend' enough. I tell every one I see who is expecting to become a mother about 'Mother's Friend.'"

FREE BOOKLET

Write Bradfield Regulator Co., B-A 14, Atlanta, Ga., for *free* booklet (sent in plain envelope) containing valuable information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all good drug stores. Full directions for using it will be found with each bottle. *Begin* now and you will realize the wisdom of doing so as the weeks roll by.

MR. AND MRS. R. E. LUCKIE MOVE TO FLORIDA

Mr. R. E. Luckie and family left Clanton last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Luckie and children will visit relatives in Montgomery for a few days, after which they will join Mr. Luckie in Florida, where they will live in the future.

Mr. Luckie has been telegraph operator at the depot here for the past several years and has made numbers of friends here who will regret to learn of his departure. Mrs. Luckie has been correspondent for The Union-Banner for the past three years, and it is with regret that The Union-Banner gives her up. Mrs. Luckie has served us very faithfully and efficiently as our social reporter.

It is not too early to plan early destruction of cotton stalks.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. BURNETT

On the evening of August 22nd at five-thirty o'clock the death angel visited the home of our brother and took away our loving mother, Mrs. James Wells. She had been in poor health most all the year with cancer of the mouth, and was confined to her bed five weeks before the end came. Her sufferings were great but she bore them with all patience and said that she was ready to go when the Lord saw fit to call her away.

Our father has already gone on before, and now our mother has gone to meet him on that happy golden shore. She leaves four children and ten grand children besides a great host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss, but we feel that our loss is heaven's gain.

She lacked only fifteen days being 82 years old; she had lived to a ripe old age. She was a member of the Missionary Baptist church of Elmore. It is hard to have to give up mother, for we feel that when we have to give up mother we have given up our best friend on earth. But we are all satisfied about her. We know that she is better off.

The remains were laid to rest in Mount Hebron cemetery Saturday evening at 3 o'clock, funeral services being conducted by Brother Ernest, her pastor. Two of her favorite hymns were sung—"Savior more than life to me,' and "Shall we Gather at the River?"

We now wish to thank the people in and around Elmore for their kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our mother. May God's blessings rest upon each and every one is our prayer.

Her Daughter,
MRS. W. T. WELLS.

MIMS - COOK MARRIAGE

An event of interest occured Thursday afternoon, August 28th, when Miss Delene Mims became the bride of Mr. Festus M. Cook. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Mims of Clanton, by Rev. M. W. Mims of Verbena.

The bride was very becomingly attired in a dress of midnight blue with gray accessories. Mrs. Cook has through her charm and manner gained a host of friends throughout the state. Since graduating from the Florence Normal School she has been successfully teaching in Birmingham. Mr. Cook is a graduate of Birmingham Southern College and is a very progressive young man of Birmingham, where he holds a responsible position.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cook left for Chattanooga and other ponits of interest before returning to Birmingham, where they will make their home for the next few years.

Mr. J. R. Rucker of Pletcher was in Clanton Monday to meet the Commissioners Court on road matters. Mr. Rucker is a supervisor in his Beat.

Work on the Chilton Hardware Company's new home is moving along rapidly. It will be ready for occupancy before many more days.

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(NOTE: Dr. Pierce is president of the Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., to which for 50 years past chronic sufferers have been coming for specialized treatment from all over the U. S. A., Canada and foreign lands.)

Will Undo Much Evil

By Dr. V. M. Pierce

Knowing the vast amount of harm wrought by diseases of the kidneys, and having had opportunity to observe the analyses and the successful methods of treatment in thousands of cases of kidney trouble at the Invalids' Hotel, I have recently given to the public the latest and perhaps most important of the Dr. Pierce home remedies, "An-uric" (anti-uric-acid) Tablets, which I now recommend to those who suffer with kidney backache, irregularity of urination and the pains and disturbances that come from excess of uric acid in the blood.

"An-uric" can be had now at all the drug stores. The mere drinking of a cup of hot water each morning and a little "An-uric" before every meal should bring remarkably quick improvement. You may have kidney trouble and not know it. The danger signals to be watched for and quickly heeded are backache, depression, aches, pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability, headaches, chilliness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints, gout.

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For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

SIGN YOUR NAME TO LETTERS

The Union-Banner is in receipt of a splendid letter this week, dated at Clanton, Ala., regarding night meetings and those who attend. The writer failed to sigh his or her name, therefore the letter could not be published. It is not absolutely necessary that names be published in the paper, however letters dealing on questions of public interest would be better if the name were carried. But if the writer especially requests it, we will not publish the name, but the name must accompany the letter. If the writer of the above mentioned letter will send us their name and address, we will publish the letter next week, leaving off the name, if requested.

We wish that all our correspondents would remember to sign your name to your letters. We will not publish your name if you so wish, but sign it so that we may know who it is from; also give your full address.

Respectfully,
EDITOR.

"INTERESTED CITIZENS" CALL MASS MEETING FOR SATURDAY

In last week's issue of The Union-Banner, a notice of a mass meeting to be held at the court house Saturday, September 6th, was carried. The notice carried no name to it but was signed "Interested Citizens." "All the good citizens of the county" were invited to attend, "regardless of political affiliations." In order that no one may be misled by this announcement, the people of the county should be informed that these "interested citizens" are two or three Democrats who hope to get out a ticket at this mass metting to run against the nominees that were selected by the people of the county in August. Why could not these "interested citizens" have signed their names so that people could have known who they were and what they were up to? People who amount to very much these days have got to come out in the open and explain to the people who they are and what they propose to do.

GEDDES PRAISES PROTECTION

Sir Auckland Geddes, until recently the British Ambassador to the United States, was a keen observer and student of the American system. He was recently quoted as saying:

"I say without hesitation that the workers, the wage-earners of the United States, are man to man, woman to woman, better off, better housed, better fed, better clothed, and have better opportunities for recreation, than the workers and wage-earners of any other country, with the possible exception of Canada. I can tell you that the Americans with whom I have discussed this matter say that in their opinion it is because they have a large measure of security for the home market through a Protective tariff."

Sir Auckland has been prominently identified with the Free Trade party of Great Britain. He retired because of blindness. As his sight failed his vision clarified.

DECADENT DEFENSE

Gen. Harbord is for a peace preserved by arms. However altruistic the United States may be, it must not forget that other peoples are not actuated by the same high motives. A decadent defense is but an invitation to mercenary nations to attack. It is merely a prelude to war.

THE MEANEST MAN IN THE WORLD

NO WAY TO ARREST A LAW VIOLATOR

On Thursday of last week ten gallons of wild-cat whiskey was found under a bridge in Clanton by the officers. It is reported that sufficient proof was in the hands of the officers to accertain who the whiskey belonged to. Upon attempting to get a warrant to arrest the party, the officers found that no one here had the authority to issue the warrant. The Circuit Clerk has been issuing warrants of arrest since the county court was abolished, but the Attorney General has ruled that such officer has no authority to issue warrants of arrest. G. C. Walker, county solicitor, rules that justices of the peace have no authority to issue warrants over cases that are out of their jurisdiction. This being the case, no warrant could be procured by the officers and no arrest could be made. So the matter will have to be left as it is till the grand jury meets.

When one comes to think of it, the above condition in our county is a serious one. As it now stands, a man could put him up a stand anywhere in the country, outside of an incorporated town or city, and sell all the whiskey he wants to, and there is no county or state officer who could arrest him, because there is no judicial to issue a warrant. It is very regrettable that such condition has come to exist in our county, and it has come for no other reason than to satisfy the prejudices and hatred of a few sore politicians. When we had a county court no such condition existed. The county judge had authority to issue warrants to cover such violations, and it only required a few minutes for an officer to procure a warrant. Now an officer has to run all over the county trying to find some one to issue him a warrant, and after consulting with a lawyer finds that no one in the county is clothed with such authority. So no arrest can be made. What will this condition result in if it is allowed to continue?

When the question of abolishing the county court of Chilton county came up before the State Legislature last summer, our representative from Chilton county, realizing the danger of such a proceeding, fought it to a finish, but through the influence of our Senator, political prejudice and hatred of a few men in Clanton was brought to bear against the Democratic legislature, which resulted in the passage of the bill. Now, the thing, which was conceived in iniquity is bearing its fruits of corruption. The condition is a lamentable one, and the lawyers of the town and the good people who believe in the enforcement of our laws should get together and try and devise some means whereby the condition can be remedied. We have our circuit court, it is true, but what good is it if there is no way to get a case into it? The result can be nothing short of disaster to law and order if the present condition is allowed to continue. Let's get together and devise some relief some way.

RUM-RUNNER TREATIES

Secretary of State Hughes has completed the negotation of a treaty with The Netherlands similar to that recently ratified with Great Britain government the control of rum runners off the coast. American enforcement vessels are given the right to take rum ships within one hour's sailing distance of our shores. The Dutch agreement is the ninth of that character that has been consumed. The other countries that have signified their assent are Germany, Denmark, France, Norway, Sweden, Italy, and Panama. All of those treaties have not yet been ratified by the Senate, but Senatorial approval of the treaty with Great Britain indicates that there will be no opposition to the others.

In his speech of acceptance President Coolidge said he was doing his best to enforce the prohibition law, precisely as he is enforcing any other law that Congress places on the statute books. One of the most effective means for making the provisions of that law effective are the rum running treaties that the State Department has been so successful in negotiating. Presently the Coast Guard will be reinforced by some 20 destroyers borrowed from the Navy and about 300 motor speed boats that are now being reconditioned and constructed. With the greater radius of actions that the treaties provide, there should be little difficulty off New York and other points.

FARM FACTS

Farming is a profession if you do it right.

Is your school building ready for the opening of school? Steps, windows, desks, and doors may need repairing.

Common table salt sprinkled on the outside of the discolored aluminum pan and rubbed with a damp cloth will cause it to shine.

No self-respecting bale of cotton likes a warehouse with the sky for the roof and the ground for floor.

If you had to "tote" water every day for a family you too would want running water in your home. This is what most farm women in Alabama say. It is no wonder that they want waterworks.

The danish farmers are the richest farmers in the world. Incidentally they are the best cooperators in the world. They work, play, produce, and sell cooperatively.

Don't forget to cull the hens during September. John E. Ivey, Poultry Specialist at Auburn, says that half of the hens in Alabama are being kept at a loss. Good feeding would change half of these money losers to profit makers but the other half are unable to lay well.

BON AIR CORRECTS MISTAKE ABOUT HOLINESS MEETING

Bon Aair, Ala., Aug. 29, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I see in last week's issue of the Banner that I have been called on to correct a mistake concerning Bon Air news. I shall be very glad to have the mistake corrected, but I think it was on Mr. Cobb's part and not mine. All the news sent from here was strictly correct. Mr. Duncan and family did enjoy the hoiness meeting at Center Hill. But perhaps Mr. Cobb did not take into consideration that there could be two Center Hills. The Center Hill I reftrred to is a community about three miles from Bon Air in Talladega County, an entirely different church from Center Hill near Jemison in Chilton County.

Sincerely,
(Mrs.) Maudie Traywick.

CONCORD—BILLINGGSLEY NEWS

Here we come again, after a long absence. Although we are all backbroken from picking cotton, we will try and give the news of this community.

Mrs. Emma Williams and two daughters, Gertie Mae and Eula Belle, spent the week end with her brother, Mr. E. B. Popwell of Thorsby.

Mr. W. W. Williams made a business trip to Selma Saturday.

The singing school closed at Indian Grave Saturday. A few from here were present and reported a real nice time. We are glad to learn that the school was a success.

A truck load of young people from here attended the all day singing at Pleasant Grove Sunday. While there we were indeed glad to meet two old acquaintances—Prof. James Franklin and daughter, Miss Nora. Prof. Franklin has just closed a singing school at Pleasant Grove.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of August 31, 1899.

The home of Mr. J. C. Culp of Lily is made happy by the arrival of a new boy.

We hope cotton will bring 10c this fall, so the little children can get a little candy to eat.

Mr. B. F. Higgins, Jr., made a business trip to Bozeman this week. Mr. Higgins is building an addition to his house.

Chief Justice W. L. Chambers and family are stopping at the Clifton House in Vebrena and will spend some time there.

The cotton market in Clanton today is 5 9-16 cents. There have been a total of 86 boles sold to date.

Judge Adams has moved into his new residence.

Married this week—Mr. V. H. Vines and Miss Henrietta Sorrell.

Miss Raydo Thacker, age 18, died at the Thacker home near Clanton Tuesday night.

A. C. Mims, tax collector and T. J. Hubbard, tax assessor, have announced their rounds.

Mr. E. F. Sortor has resigned his position at Tyler, Ala., and came back home Tuesday.

Mr. N. J. Calloway and two little daughters, Kate and Gussie, visited Mrs. Higgins Sunday.

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"Chuckle" Column

THEN—

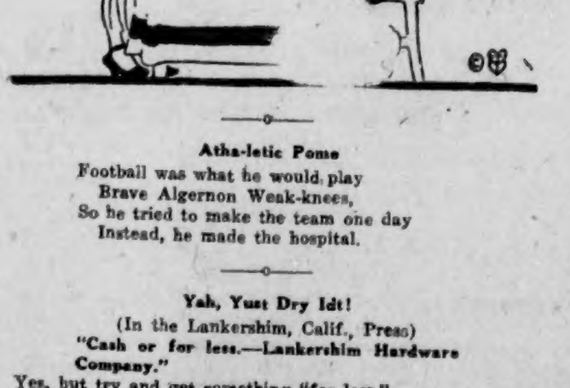
Remember "way back when"
The "auter-mobile" first
Came "clankety-clanging"
Down Main Street and
Ev'rybody turned out to
See the "wonder o' the ages"
And lined up on the curbstones
With mouths wide open
And their eyes "a-poppin'?"
And the people who owned
One of the new
"Horse-less" outfits were
Considered in the
"Gee, They Must Be Rich"
Class and everybody wondered
And stared at and envied them?

AND NOW—

Ev'ry Tom, Dick and Harry
Has "a c-a-h" or is getting
One even if he has to mortgage
The canary, the dog, the cat
The furniture or anything else
The Automobile companies
Will accept in case he can't
Meet his $0 per week.
And he may make his family
Live on Canned Soups with
Maybe some Liver on Sunday
But—just the same he
Must have that "c-a-h" and be
In style and he makes the
Lowly pedestrian gawking on
The curbstone leap to save
His neck and then chuckles
"Haw! Haw!"
Can you beat it?

—o—

"People are losing the use of their legs because of the auto," a professor tells us. Don't know about that. We're still managing to make the other side of the street in 0 flat. Occasionally, of course, we come through by the breadth of a tire trade mark on the seat of our pants.



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The Modern Barber Shop

When the barber hollers "Next!" and some lady beats you to the chair—you might as well go out and come back the next day.

—o—

A Cold Meal

(From the Hardin, Mo., News)
"The Ladies Aid of.....
gave an ice cream supper Saturday night."
Very likely served ice cream sandwiches with a tooth-pick for desert.

—o—

Atha-letic Pome

Football was what he would play
Brave Algernon Weak-knees,
So he tried to make the team one day
Instead, he made the hospital.

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Yah, Yust Dry Idt!

(In the Lankershim, Calif., Press)
"Cash or for less.—Lankershim Hardware Company."
Yes, but try and get something "for less."

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"Cubs Claw Cards"
"Phillies Stampede And Win"
"Indians Trim Tigers"

No, kind readers, that's not referring to a riot in a circus menagerie. Merely, Baseball story headings gathered from the daily press.

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We like our likker weak, our women mild and our songs classical. Might as well. Eighteenth amendment says it can't be anything else. Oh, Piffle. Now you chase me!
Main floor. All out.

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POOR OR

Back From New York, The World's Greatest Market

WE ARE TOO BUSY MARKING NEW FALL GOODS TO ATTEMPT TO TRY TO TELL YOU OR LIST THE MANY WONDERFUL BARGAINS WE HAVE FOR YOU. JUST COME AND SEE FOR YOURSELF—THEY ARE HERE TO SHOW FOR THEMSELVES.

We believe in treating all alike—one plain marked price, and that is the lowest.

Chicago Sales Co.

NEXT TO FIRST NATIONAL BANK

You will positively receive your money back on goods not satisfactory.

THORSBY SECTION

(E. R. HORTON, Manager)

(Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Asst. Mgr.)

Mrs. Ethel Loveland and Miss Lois Leach returned Sunday evening from their vacation in the north, to take up their duties in connection with Thorsby Institute.

Mr. Bennett Forsman of Birmingham spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Forsman.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet this week, Thursday, Sept. 4, with Mrs. R. A. Turner. Everybody is cordially invited.

Mrs. Edward Howard spent last Wednesday in Thorsby with relatives.

Miss Lorena Graham is visiting in Birmingham, where she has been the guest of Miss Lois Abernathy.

Mr. Charles Howard and family returned last week from a motor trip to southern Alabama and Mississippi.

Mrs. Pipes' mother, Mrs. Woods, and sister, Miss Mamie Woods, of Blocton, are making an extended visit with Mrs. Piper.

Master Joe Hill and Miss Willie Whitley of Birmingham, nephew and niece of Mrs. T. W. Robinson are spending several days visiting with their aunt.

A very enjoyable social occasion was that of a surprise party given in honor of the recent bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, at the home of Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, last Thursday evening. A pleasing program of music and reading was given. Mr. C. A. Peterson then made a speech of congratulation and welcome and presented Mr. and Mrs. Johnson with a gift of silverware. Delicious refreshments were served late in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson returned to their home in Birmingham Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Graham spent Sunday in Birmingham.

The two entertainments given at Bates Hall last Thursday and Saturday nights by Clem Hackney representing the Orphan's Home of Macon, Ga., were excelltnt numbers. It is to be regreted that Mr. Hackney was not greeted with a larger audience.

Miss Boona Woods, who was a student at Thorsby Institute last year, returned to Thorsby Monday and will be enrolled in school this year.

Mrs. G. E. Sommrs and daughter, Eleanor and Mrs. J. A. Peterson, of Jemison, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Robert Davenport last Thursday.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet on Thursday, September 11th, at the home of Mrs. G. L. Harper.

Mr. Lawrence Lefstead of Birmingham spent Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. Johanna Lefstead. He returned to Birmingham Monday night accompanied by his wife and little son, who have been visiting with his mother the past week.

At the meeting of members of the Baptist church, held last Suaday afternoon, Rev. J. L. Whorton was elected pastor of the church for the coming year.

Miss Agnes Leary and Mr. Earl Mead of Birmingham were week end visitors at their respective homes.

Rev. J. M. Graham spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Rosa Nelson gave a party last Saturday night, at which she entertained a large number of her friends. A pleasant evening was spent and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. O. L. Jackson has taken a position with the Carbide Light Co. He will probably be traveling in the southern part of the state at present.

Mr. Earl Diefenderfer returned last Saturday morning from a trip to different points in Pennsylvania.

Mr Jack Williams and wife and brother were visitors at the home of Mr. Louis Howard last week.

Judge S. M. Adams has moved from Thorsby and is locattd north of Clanton near his old home.

Mr. Prim, father of Mr. R. L. Prim, with his family, has moved to Thorsby and is occupying the house formerly occupied by Judge Adams

Mr. Noble Y. Beall of Montgomery has been spending the past week here, giving instructions in B. Y. P. U. work at Salem each day

Miss Leora Goodgame spent several days in Clanton last week visiting with her grand mother, Mrs. Goodgame.

Miss Jennie Robinson was a visitor in Clanton last week.

Mr. Joe Littleton and wife of Birmingham visited at the home of Mrs. Littleton last Sunday.

The opening of the Thorsby Public School was postponed one week, and will open Monday, Sept. 8th.

Rev. E. W. Butler and family and Miss Iola Gerald visited in Clanton Monday.

Thorsby Institute will open next week, Wednesday, Sept. 10, at 10 a.m. An interesting program is being prepared and everyone is cordially invited to attend the opening exercises.

Mrs. G. W. Horsley of Birmingham, daughter of Mrs. Aaron Littleton, is spending a week in Thorsby with her mother.

CO-OPERATION, OR ELSE WHAT?

In issues of this paper during the past few weeks, there have appeared letters explaining in some detail the basic principles on which the Farmers Co-operative Association is built. At this time, in bringing this series of letters to a close, we wish to review briefly these basic requirements. As previously stated, the F. C. A. was formed and is being carried on with the conviction that the farmers of this country need an organization embodying the following features:

We need an organization that:

1. Will market the products of its members and purchase the needs of its members to a better advantage than they could do individually without an organization.
2. Will benefit the members a large amount than it will cost them to support the organization.
3. Will be in full control of the members at all times.
4. Will be in charge of honest and conscientious men in whom the members have confidence, with all officers handling money under bond.
5. Will keep all members informed on all matters connected with the association.
6. Is composed of members who want an organization and will do their individual part in making it successful.

In our recent letter appearing in this paper, we have shown why these are the primary requisites for a successful organization in this county at the present time and have also shown that the F. C. A. is so organized and constructed that the first five requirements are bound to be carried out in this organization if the sixth requirements is met. We make that statement frankly and with the relization of the fact that upon this question hangs the life of the organization. The organization is built upon an economical, safe and profit making plan for its members, and is in a position to save money and make money for the formers of this county. If enough farmers in this county want this help enough to become members and do their individual part in making it successful it will be a permanent establishment, increasing each year in efficiency and helpfullness. On the other hand if the farmers of this county refuse to support the organization it is destined to have a short life.

The success or failure of this organization is in the hands of the farmers of this county. It is a question for each individual to decide. Before making your decision, we suggest that you remember that unless you give your support to the organization, you are giving your support to those who are fighting the organization.

Ask yourself these questions: How many bales of strict middling cotton did you sell before co-operative marketing was established here in the fall of 1922? Were the local cotton buyers able to set their own price on cotton previous to this time? Yes! Did you have any choice between letting them have it at their own price or not selling it at all? No! Did you know what your cotton was really worth on the market? No! Are you able to buy your fertilizer, flour, seed, feed, fruit trees, etc., at wholesale prices without an organization? Nine times out of ten, no!

All of the benefits of the F. C. A. can be had for the small sum of $3.00 per year. How many times this amount would we lose each year if we were without a co-operative buying and selling organization in this county? Of course you will receive much of the benefit of the association if you do not belong but if you are not a member you are making it harder for it to succeed.

It is a question of co-operation or else—letting the other man get the profit of our labor.

"Think on these things" and then act—join the F. C. A.

Yours for service,

FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N.

National Treasurer's Department, Washington, D. C.

Report states that an important document was seriously damaged by roaches, who had eaten it in several places!

Protect your self against these pests. They destroy property—carry germs—spread disease! Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder will clear your house of EVERY roach—Get a box today. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Clanton Ala. and Cooper Drug Co. Cooper Ala.

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1 BABY OVERLAND, with new paint job, in good condition, each $150.00

LIBERTY, 6 Cyl. Red Seal Continental Motor, with body removed $100.00

GRAY, 1-ton truck now being overhauled.

All the above cars can be bought with small cash payment and liberal terms on the balance.

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CHEVROLET and STUDEBAKER CARS

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SEE THE CHEVROLET TRUCK

EVERY FAMILY SHOULD HAVE A BANK ACCOUNT

WE OPERATE ON A SAFE AND CONSERVATIVE PLAN. — ON THIS BASIS, WE SOLICIT YOUR PATRONAGE.

THE BANK OF THORSBY

THORSBY, ALABAMA

NOTICE!

I wish to announce to all my friends and customers that I have just received a carload of No. 10 Spencer Friction Top Syrup Cans. Anybody needing syrup cans will save money by coming to my store.

I also carry a full line of Hardware, with many other bargains. Call and see me.

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JUST FROM MARKET

Our milliner, Mrs Williams, has just returned from the market, and we have on display the snappiest line of Millinery ever shown in this city. We invite your inspection.

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Take Calotabs

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for the liver

Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

TO THE FARMERS

I have had all my gin saws thoroughly overhauled by the Pratt Gin Company of Prattville and have built a new cotton warehouse and am now ready to give you the best possible gin and warehouse service to be had in Clanton.

To those who have not ginned with me, I only ask that you give me a chance to show you the class of ginning I am doing.

To those who ginned with me last season, I wish to again express my thanks and appreciation and to ask a continuation of your patronage and influence.

I guarantee to give you satisfactory service and am always ready to correct any errors.

Give me clean, dry cotton and I will give you clean seed, a good turn-out and satisfy you in every way.

All admit that I have helped to get you quick, satisfactory gin service; so why not help me by bringing me at least part of your cotton. It will be appreciated.

Yours to serve,

J. N. DENNIS.

RIGINAL

NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

The outstanding event of the past week was a four days visit with a cousin of the writer, Mr. Sereno N. Ayres and his wife and married daughter, Mrs. Woodhouse, whose husband is a traveling salesman and seldom at home.

These people live at Plainfield, New Jersey, 45 miles from Kenvil, where we make our headquarters.

Mr. Ayres is an expert watchmaker, who for more than fifty years has worked at his trade, preparing fine watches, clocks and jewelry. His shop is in his house, but he has office room in New York City, about twenty miles from his home, where he spends one or two days a week to receive and deliver his work, most of it coming from wealthy New York people, who use only the best.

Since he was able to work and talk at the same time our visiting with him was for the most part in his workroom, while he was busy at his bench. He has a wonderful equipment of machines and tools, mostly devised and made by himself, and can do almost any kind of difficult repair work, or even entirely build a fine watch.

One day he showed us a small watch he had made. The works were in a case about the size and thickness of a half dollar piece. The post for the hands were encased in a small cylinder attached to one side of the watch case and having a cap about the size of a dime in which the dial and hands were set. The whole contrivance looked like an exaggerated collar button, and was called a button hole watch.

One may wonder what value such a contrivance could have, but we must remember that size, in watches and jewelry, does not determine its value. And for such a watch, since there never was another like it, many a wealthy man or woman would readily give $100 just to have something different.

He occasionally gets to repair what is called a "repeater" watch, which, by pressing a spring can be made to strike the hour, the half, the quarter, and the minute. These watches are of great service to blind people, many of which have long been in use. They are so complicated in their mechanism that they are very expensive, often costing from $250 to $500 each.

One day Mr. Ayers had one of these watches to repair. The spring that operated the striking mechanism was broken. So few of these watches are made that supply houses do not carry such parts, and only watch makers who are prepared to make them can handle such jobs. We were particularly interested in the way he tackled this proposition. It was a delicate piece of work and apparently nothing on hand to begin with. Having made a thorough search for a piece of steel suitable and failing to find it, he proceeded to make it. Selecting an old file, which everybody knows is as hard as glass, he broke a piece off the end of it and proceeded to draw the hardness out of it by heat under a plow pipe. When sufficiently cooled in the air, it was soft enough to file down to proper width and thickness to work on. The thing was too small to hold in vise, fingers or pliers, so he attached one end of it to a larger piece by a screw and two steady pins to prevent any wobble, then put it in his vise and filed it down to size and shape, which had to be very exact, as the one spring had to operate several parts of the mechanism of the watch at the same time. Finally came the polishing and tempering, another delicate operation, as the spring would be useless if too soft or too hard, but he only had to try once to get it just right, and when completed and in place in the watch, it looked and worked as good as the old one ever did.

Mr. Ayers is over 75 years old and still has good eyesight, and is almost indefatigable in his work. He talks of letting up some, but judging by the work that is piled up before him and what he is still able to accomplish, we do not see that he is likely to get out of it so long as he is able to work. He has one advantage that comparitavely few can have. Beyond the joy of accomplishment, which is the reward of any competent worker, since hands and eyes are chief instruments of his employment his ears are free to afford him pleasure and a lot of information whenever he cares to don a head set attached to his radio. He is also at liberty to enjoy conversation with very little hindrance to his work, and we spent hours together in delightful talks of old times when we were boys together.

Mrs. Ayers, whom we remember as a beautiful country girl, is still good to look at. A refined and dignified "lady of the house" crowned with a wealth of silvery hair which when let loose falls below her knees. Quiet in manner and shy among strangers, she is a gifted home maker. She is an adept in culinary art and whatever comes on her table, in both cooking and service is the work of a master hand. Her home is dainty in all its appointments, yet its furnishings are selected so judiciously as to combine beauty with use. As a hostess she has the rare faculty of making her guests wholly at ease as members of the family. One feels that her hospitality is genuine and dispensed with an easy grace that is simply charming. She is of the type who grow old so gracefully that she is always young.

Mrs. Woodhouse is a daughter worthy of this delightfully efficient couple. She is of medium height and full figure, but not fat; she can be either jolly or serious as occasion requires. Being an only child has not spoiled her. She has been enough of a girl to acquire about all of the feminine accomplishments worthy of her sex, and withal enough of a boy to be a delight to her father by her capacity to do so many useful things mostly done by boys and men.

In the first place, whatever she does is done well. "Good enough" is not in her vocabulary—only her best is satisfactory, and one seldom meets a woman who can do so many things well. Cooking or scrubbing, music or dancing, painting pictures or repairing old furniture, garden work or embroidery, photographing, cleaning watches, making all her own clothes and many for her husband, both of whom appear to be well dressed. She took an unfinished attic in their home and made it a veritable ladies' boudoir. She drives her own car and understands its mechanism. But her crowning achievement is her new house, now about completed, at a cost of $16,000 which she has completely designed, made sketches, lists of material, working drawings and blue prints, which her contractor said were all right for any builder to work by. Her only instruction in these matters of correct architectural engineering she got from reading and study of styles and detail plans found in good magazines. She has superintended every detail of construction from cellar to garrett and has had it all done by the most competent builder and tradesmen in a section where fine homes are common, all just as she had planned, and now she says there is not a thing about the whole proposition she would change if it were to be done over again.

We examined the work in detail and found no flaws in it, apparently nothing requisite for comfort or convenience had been forgotten. Outside there was a pleasing arrangement of trimming that gave an air of quiet dignity instead of just bare walls punctured with windows and doors. The lot, 75 x 150, will be graded and decorated to harmonize with the building.

We have been impressed with the idea that some people are worthy of description as scenery and incidents encountered in our travels. We record whatever makes for our enjoyment and we assure our readers that we had a feast of pleasure in our visit with these good people who DO THINGS.

WEST CHILTON

Weather hot and dry here. Cotton opening rapidly; seems premature.

Miss Bevie Smith of Birmingham spent last week with her mother here.

H. H. Davenport and family of Randolph spent Sunday here.

People over here seem well pleased with the way the commissioners are working the roads.

We note the great improvement in the road from Pleasant Grove to Cedar Grove, always bad before, now it is fine.

Mrs. Dorthulia Gibson of Thorsby visited here last week.

Mr. Luke McCary of Randolph is erecting a saw mill here.

Rev. June Hodgens' family of Shelby are visiting here.

Mr. Durwood Jones and wife attended singing at Pleasant Grove Sunday.

Green Cofer and family of Siluria came down Saturday.

Isaac Waldrop and son went to Centerville last week.

L. G. Posey visited in Perry county Sunday.

The opening of the schools is here. What responsibility is resting on teachers, to train the young mind in usefulness, to be real men and women, to be gentle, kind, temperate, attentive to business; good citizens, honest, true, noble, unselfish; to lead the young away from the foolish, the intemperate, the profane; to lead them to revere their Creator and the Book of Books; to pity the poor and ignorant; to be wise, to love truth, to shun lying vanities, to be what men and women are intended to be; should have the close attention of both teacher and parent.

F. B. GOODGAME SAYS ROAD WORK IS FINE

Editor Union-Banner:—

I have been asked to express my opinion of the work the county is doing on our roads. In reply to this request I will gladly say that I am mighty well pleased with the work the county is doing. I do lumber hauling over the Higgins Ferry Road through the east half of Beat 4 and through Beat 16, and will say that this road is by far the best that it has ever been. I can haul bigger loads of lumber than before, do it much quicker and with much less damage to my trucks. This road, generally speaking, is better than the average streets. Those big tractors and scrapes are the thing to work the roads with.

Yours for good roads,
F. B. GOODGAME.

LECTURE AT COURT HOUSE

Dr. James A. Edwards will lecture at the Court House at 3:00 p.m. Sunday September 7. Subject.—All nations marching to Army gathering."

AROUND CALERA

(Too late for last week.)

Revival Services began at Shiloh last Sunday. Rev. Will Lawley from Leeds is helping the pastor, Rev. Morten from Jemison in the meeting. Also Uncle Dock Wells has been present a number of times.

Miss Olene Chapel returned home from Birmingham last week where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Little Miss Etta and Bertha Tate of Boyles who have been spending the week at Mrs. G. S. Tate's returned home Sunday.

Mr. Elmer Campbelle spent last week-end at home as the guest of his mother.

A play, "How I earned a Dollar" was presented by the Ladies Missionary Society at the Wadesonian Theatre last Friday night. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Henry Robertson from Pelham spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. Tom Busby.

Mrs. Alice Endress of Calera is the guest of Mrs. Tob Martin for a few days.

The little Misses Lawley from Leeds are visiting their aunt this week, Mrs. M. T. Busby.

Mrs. Marvin Busby and children from Birmingham are spending a few days at Mrs. M. T. Busby's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans from Calera was the guest of Mrs. Evan's brother, Mr. Jim Killingsworth, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Mooney of Columbiania, a former teacher of South Calera, is spending the week with Miss Lutie Jones.

Mr. R. L. Crim went to Jemison Monday to visit his brother Mr. Tom Crim.

Mrs. W. J. Clark, formely a resident of South Calera, came down from Birmingham Sunday to visit friends at this place.

We regret very much to say that Little Ben Tate has been ill for the past few days with fever.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts form Pelham were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Vander Roberts of South Calera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Martin and little daughter Frances spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs R. P. Busby.

Mr. Gus Broadhead was married to Miss Gentry of Jemison Saturday night.

Mr. Mack Busby from Elmore visited his sister, Mrs. Davis Green Sunday.

Miss Dora Campbell after spending the week-end at home, returned to Siluria Monday night accompanied by her sister, Miss Audia Broadhead.

Mr. Bernice Stephens from Birmingham was among the visitors to South Calera Sunday.

Mrs. DeShozo from Pelham spent Sunday with Mrs. W. N. Jones.

Mrs. Arthur Busby and son, Henry Lee are the guests of Mrs. Busby's parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Green.

Mr. Holem Crim, Miss Ruth Mooney, Miss Lutie Jones and Mr. Alza Martin motored to Columbiana Monday afternoon.

FOREST FIRE HAZARD

The forest fire haggard due to the natural accumulation of inflamable forest litter is much less than often supposed, says the Alabama Commission of Forestry. It sometimes has been thought that unless the woods are burned annually there will be a large amount of dead grass, pine straw and dead leaves that will cause fire to do far greater damage than usual. The Commission of Forestry, however, has investigated these conditions in various parts of the State and it has been found that the forest litter lying on the ground decays so rapidly underneath that there is seldom more than two years' accrument that is readily inflamable. This is particularly true of the loblolly and short leaf pine regions. In the long leaf pine belt there may three years' accumulation of surface litter that will burn easily. In all cases, however, experiments and observation have shown that this source of danger has often been greately overrated. Investigations into the histories of severe fires in the southern pine region have shown that the greater damage to previously unburned stands was due more to the character of the season and to the fact that there was more timber to be harmed than to the presence of an unsual amount of grass, pine straw and leaves upon the ground.

GLAD SISTER ESCAPED OPERATION

"Phyaicans had given my sister up to die; they wanted to operate for gall stones, but she was too weak and could only talk in whispers. I got her a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and in 3 weeks she was able to get about and walked a mile to church." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convence or money refunded. Sold and guaranteed by Alred Drug Co., and druggists everywhere.

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Take a box with you

If you have headache, backache, toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, sciatica

DR. MILES'
Anti-Pain Pills

will give you quick relief.

A package of these pills in your pocket or in your shopping bag may save you hours of suffering.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents. Economy package, 125 doses $1.00.

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Special $1 and $2 Bargains on Saturday

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The beauty of the Autumn mode is richly exemplified in our displays of new apparel. The character of new fashions is well defined in the fine artistry of design and in the emphasis on handsome fabrics seen in models for both day and evening wear.

WE SELL GOOD GOODS—WE PRICE THEM RIGHT.

Clanton Mercantile Company

Clanton, Alabama.

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court In Equity.

Bertha Bice, Complaint, vs. Chester Bice, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said Chester Bice to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 22nd day of September, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a degree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 21st day of August, 1924.

SPIGENER,
8-28-4tc Register.

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct 15, Chilton County, Alabama on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924. Said stock law election shall be held for the purpose of determining by the qualified electors of said precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said precinct as provided by law. Said election shall be held at E. G. Caldwell's Storehouse at Pletcher, Alabama, and also at Culp's School House in said precinct.

Said election shall be held in accordance with and as provided by Article 1 of Chapter 345 of the Code of 1923 of the State of Alabama.

This the 11th day of August, 1924.

W. S. COX,
M. L. MILFORD,
8-28-4t Petitioners.

NON RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court in Equity; Mattie Jones, Complainant, vs. Walter C. Jones, Defendant:

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is thereforé ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union-Banner, a newspaper publishen in the County of Chilton once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Walter C. Jones, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause, and also amendment to bill of complaint filed August 11th, 1924, by the 13th day of September, 1924, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 11th day of August, 1924.

W. D. SPEIGNER
Register.

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NOTICE TO HUNTERS

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 18, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please state through the columns of your paper to the squirrel hunters, that the squirrel season opens the 1st day of Nov., and that the bag limit is ten per day, and every hunter must have license. The fine for killing squirrels out of season is not less than $15 fine and cost. Wt are going to try to enforce the game laws in this county and ask the corporation of the good citizens to assist us.

Yours very truly
T. J. LITTLEJOHN
Sheriff Of Chilton County.

SOMETHING TO BE DONE WITH COUNTY POOR HOUSE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Chilton county will meet on Thursday, September 11th, 1924 at 10 o'clock a.m., at the court house for the purpose of considering moving the county poor house or building a new one.

We will also consider bids for the keeping of the paupers for the year 1925.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
8-21-2t Judge of Probate.

PEOPLE'S MASS MEETING

All of the good citizens of Chilton County who are interested at all in the progress and prosperity of our county, regardless of their political affiliations, are invited to attend a mass meeting at the court house in Clanton on Saturday, September 6th at 11, a.m.

INTERESTED CITIZENS.

(Paid Political adv., by Democratic Executive Committee of Chilton Co.)

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET

This committee is called to meet at the court house at 10 a.m., Saturday, September 6th, 1924. Every Beat Committeeman is earnestly urged to be present, as business of vital importance to Democracy and the good people of Chilton County is to be transacted.

S. M. ADAMS, Chairman.
W. B. CORLEY, Secretary.

(Paid political adv., by Democratic Executive Committee of Chilton Co.)

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Arrangements are being made by a committee of the Alabama League of Women Voters to have a "Get Out the Vote" luncheon on September 17, at the Tutwier Hote, at Birmingham. A etter of invitation is being sent to the presidents of every organization of a statewide character in Alabama, whether it be religious, secular, business, fraternal, political, civic or educational. It is the purpose of this luncheon to get the representatives of these diverse interests to formulate some joint plan by which Alabama's qualified voting power may be increased.

To Jasper will probably belong the honor of being the first city in the state to form a Davis-Bryan Victory club. W. S. Childers, president of the Jasper Trust company, received notification a few days ago of his appointment as representative in Jasper of the national democratic executive committee and local president of the Davis-Bryan club. Immediately upon notification Mr. Childers started to work and in a few hours had more than 30 members.

"God's Acre," a plot of ground so called because its products will be sold and the proceeds used for advancement of religion, is without a boll weevil on it Robert Blackwell, switchman of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, at Albany, decided he would utilize leisure time to plant 10 acres in cotton here, one of the acres to be reserved for God. There is not a weevil on any of the cotton, it is stated.

Joseph M. Walsh, chairman; George J. Sullivan, vice chairman; John A. Hughes, secretary, and J. H. Fermier, treasurer, have been named to head a committee on arrangements for ceremonies in connection with the consecration of Rev. Father Richard O. Gerow, of Mobile, as the bishop of Mississippi to succeed the late Bishop Gunn.

Emmett W. Baskette, manager of the Montgomery establishment of a chain shoe company, too his own life by drinking carbolic acid following the arrival of the district manager of the company. It is stated that small discrepancies had been found in the accounts of the local store and this discovery was given as the cause of the suicide.

John F. Morton, for 25 years in the United States postal service, 23 years of which have been spent in the employ of the Tuscaloosa office, has received notice of his appointment as postmaster for Tuscaloosa, succeeding Ernest A. Townsend, whose term has expired.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

And Tenants Sustaining Damages Along the Birmingham and Montgomery Highway.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will meet at Lomax on the south end of the newly constructed Birmingham and Montgomery Highway on Friday the 12th day of September, 1924, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting the damages claimed by the different parties to their crops and other damages.

We urge all interested parties to meet the Court on their premises along the Highway after 9:00 o'clock on this date. The property damaged will be looked over as it is reached along the Highway and we will probably reach the Chilton County line about 12:00 o'clock.

No cases where compensation was assessed for damages under the condemnation proceedings will be reopened, and only damages to the crops and other property which was not condemned will be considered.

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COW STRAYED—Small black cow, with small horns, left Clanton Monday night, Sept. 1. Any information will be appreciated by E. W. Danforth, Clanton, Ala. 1t-c

LAND FOR SALE—80 acres, 1 mile east of Coopers, 1-2 mile from a church, 3-4 mile of good school; 2 good dwelling houses 3 rooms each, good barns, good running lasting water; will produce 1-2 bale cotton to acre or more; 35 acres open land, good pasture. If interested, apply to J. B. Jones, Cooper, Ala., 8-29-5t-pd

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B'HAM NEWS TO RUN GRAVURE SECTION OF CLANTON SEPT. 14

On Sunday, September 14th, you must be sure to get a copy of the Birmingham News, as in that issue a whole page of beautiful pictures of Clanton people and Clanton scenes will be run in that paper's beautiful gravure section. This page will be something fine. The News dealer in Clanton will be supplied with a number of extra copies of this paper, so be sure and get hold of one. You will enjoy it.

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TAX NOTICE!

COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924, and assessing Taxes for the year 1925.

Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 2, 1924
Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 3, 1924
Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 4, 1924
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 6, 1924
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 7, 1924
Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 8, 1924
Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 9, 1924
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 10, 1924
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 11, 1924
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 13, 1924
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 14, 1924
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 15, 1924
Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 16, 1924
Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 17, 1924
Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 18, 1924
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 20, 1924
Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 21, 1924
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 22, 1924
Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 23, 1924
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 24, 1924
Mt. Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 25, 1924
Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 27 to Nov. 8, 1924

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1924.

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ORIGINAL

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Mrs. Johnson, Hostess.

Mrs. Napoleon Johnson entertained the members of the Wednesday Card Club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon. A variety of summer flowers effectively brightened the entire interior. Bridge was at four tables, and afterwards cream and cake were served. Mrs. John Browder won the club prize, a set of Congress Cards.

The club members and guests were Mrs. G. Reynolds, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. H. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. H. Aired, Miss Kathleen Mullins, Miss Beverly Hester and Miss Lurline Harper.

W. M. U. Meets.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Clanton Baptist church was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. P. Hayes. The roll call was answered with "The Task that has helped Most." The regular business of the society was carried out and a committee was appointed to have new year books with the year's work planned for 1925. The ladies will spend one Monday afternoon in each month studying the Bible. Interesting talks were made by Mrs. Hester, Mrs. Broadhead and Mrs. Ezell on the subject, 'Our Opportunity and Responsibility in Clanton."

Mrs. Hayes Entertains.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. P. Hayes entertained the Y. W. A. Society. A very interesting program was rendered, and plans were discussed for the next year's work. After the business meeting a tempting ice course was served.

Miss Hattie Jones, who is employed by J. Thomas Heflin, has been visiting relatives and friends here for several days. She left Monday for LaFayette, and will be there until Congress meets in Washington, where she will spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald spent Thursday in Birmingham.

Miss Lumner Rasberry of Birmingham is spending a couple of weeks on Mulberry visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince have moved into the Luckie House on Second Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. McDavid and little son, Cameron, Jr., spent a few days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Luckie, who have lived in Clanton sixteen years, moved to Montgomery last week

Mr. Moore and his mother of Luverne, moved to our city Monday and will occupy the house vacated by Mr. Prince.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollard from Atlanta, Ga., and Mr .English from Florida, who are shipping tomatoes to dofferent markets from Clanton, are very much thrilled over catching so many fish at Lock 12.

Mr. Bernard from Roanoke is spending several days in our city.

The Chilton County High School opens next Monday. The Grammar School opens the same day.

Mrs. Victor Heard's mother and sister are spending some time with her in Clanton.

Birthday Party.

Quite a happy celebration was held in the Gardner home on the 31st, ult, when eighteen guests assembled to pay homage to Mr. B. F. Gardner on his 82nd birthday. Mr. Gardner's birthday fell on Sunday, and he had not anticipated spending the day other than in the usual quiet way. When group after group of felicious kindred had assembled, Mr. Gardner's delight knew no bounds—his surprise was complete. There were eighteen children and grand children to spend the day—a few were unavoidably absent. Six of ten children remain in life to comfort their father.

The home had been made attractive with blooming plants placed to advantage here and there. The very large white birthday cake with its embossed ornamentations in pink and its delicate roses from the hearts of which burned many waxen tapers, formed a beautiful center-piece for the principal dining table. This cake was designed and executed by a local artist.

Many friends called during the day to extend congratulations and to express the best of wishes to Mr. Gardner. The guests from elsewhere included: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gardner and family of Montgomery, Mrs. M. Tate and family of Montgomery, Mrs. Thompson and family of Prattville, Messrs. N. L. and J. B. Gardner of Verbena and their families

AUGUST MARRIAGES

During the month of August, the following marriage license were issued through the Probate Judge's office in Clanton:

Ollie Powell and Miss Minnie Tracy; E. B. Wyatt and Mrs. Callie Smith; D. L. Holley and Miss Oda Belle Smith; Dee Patterson and Miss Leedoll Bowman; M. P. Billingsley and Mrs. Susie Lester; Wm. Cary Beaty and Miss Mary M. Roberts; Ostin Hayes and Miss Nora Smith; Frank T. Woodward and Miss Mabel E. Williams; William Moates and Miss Julissa Wells; Floyd Ratliff and Miss Zelph Turner; L. S. Lenberry and Miss Referee McKee; Charley Deramus and Miss Etta Culver; H. D. Waldrop and Miss Myrtle Cofer; Sullie Caffey and Miss Ora Lecroy.

BIRD RUGS

For the next 30 days or as long as they last, I will sell Bird Rugs as follows:

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NOTICE!

I want a few head of beef cattle to finish out a carload, which I will ship in a short time.

Those having cattle to sell will let me know, or bring them to Clanton and I will look at them.

Remember, I do not want any with ticks on them, and where cattle is quarantined, you will have to have a permit before you can move them.

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Will be given to the three lucky girls who make the most attractive dresses in

The McCall Doll Dressmaking Contest

Commencing September 1st, a free McCall Doll Pattern will be given out at our McCall Pattern Department to each little girl entering the Dressmaking Contest. Get your pattern today. Select your materials from our Piece Goods Department, and then start out to make the best and most carefully put-together dress that you can. It isn't a bit hard when you use a McCall Doll Pattern with its printed instructions exactly like the grown-up McCall **Printed** Pattern.

HERE ARE THE CONTEST RULES:

1. Only little girls from 8 to 11 years are eligible.
2. Finished garments must be returned to the McCall Department by September 15th.
3. Materials used must be purchased at this store. Return sales slips with finished dress.
4. Competitors must do their own sewing, by hand, but consultations with grown-ups are permissible.
5. Name and address clearly written upon a card must be attached to each dress when returned to the store on or before September 15th.

THE JUDGES will consider the age of the child when prizes are to be awarded.

We are Sole Agents for the McCall Printed Patterns—October Patterns now on Sale.

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

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MANAGER, M. LANDE

CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

The town council of Muscle Shoals adopted an ordinance granting the Muscle Shoals Land corporation the right to construct an adequate water system for Highland Park subdivision. H. B. Danby and G. S. Templemayr, officials of the land corporation, stated that no time will be lost in installing the waterworks system. The town council also authorized the construction of concrete sidewalks on a number of streets and avenues, the length of same totaling approximately 11 miles. It is stated that work will be started at once on the two developments.

Fully 500 Cleburne citizens assembled at the Micaville church to attend the Odd Fellows celebration and hear an address by Congressman Lamar Jeffers.

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the home and furnishings of P. F. Manley, at River Falls.

We do not want our government harnessed up with the Protestant Church of the country, and we certainly do not favor the remotest connection of our laws with the Catholic church. The government, although founded upon the solid rock of the Creator of the universe, should not hanker to any particular religious sect, either Catholic or Protestant. The distinct separation of church and state has preserved the nation established by our pilgrim ancestors, and it is on this principle only that we can function very long in the future.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF CLANTON, ALA.

The American government, from its institution until the present day, has always proudly boasted that it is a government of the people, by the people and for the people, and intermingled with this idea runs the legal right of every man, and lately the women, to be a candidate for, if the legal requisitions are complied with, any office from president to justice of the peace. No man has ever successfully opposed this idea and probably never will. To make elections fair and to secure the expression of the majority of the people for its candidates and office holders, our legislature has modified certain laws and regulations to better accomplish this purpose.

With this thought in view, the writers of this article, composed of five men and five women, resident citizens, tax payers, and voters of the Town of Clanton, appointed by a mass meeting of citizens of this town, have determined to inform every voter in the town of Clanton the facts leading up to this election as we honestly see them. A committee of five appeared before the town council and mayor on the night of September 1, fourteen days prior to the election, and requested that the names of six of our citizens be entered upon the ballot in the coming city election, which the mayor and the town council refused to do. Their reason being that the committee was too late as a matter of law, the law requiring the petition to be filed twenty days prior to the election. However, it will be interesting to the voters of the town to know that this same mayor and councilmen who are now serving, 4 years ago, were nominated less than 20 days before the election, which occurred on Sept. 20. We are printing below a news item from the Union-Banner, under date of Sept. 9, 1920, which is self explanatory as to this fact. In it you will see that 11 days before the election no official ticket had been prepared:

Candidates for Mayor and Town Council

The names of Dr. V. J. Gragg and Hon. F. B. Collier have been announced as candidates for mayor of Clanton, to be voted on in the municipal election Sept. 20. For councilmen we have heard mentioned the names of M. L. White, Tom Kemp, Dr. T. J. Marcus, J. B. Atkinson, J. B. Downs, Eric Hart, Dr. N. S. Johnson, V. J. Elmore, and T. C. McSwain. The time is short from now till election day, but there will probably be others to get into the race before it is finally consumated.

As stated above, it is interesting to know why the council should on one hand escape the mandate of the law and on the other solicit its aid. It can be nothing more nor less than an attempt on the part of the mayor and council to prevent anyone except their own ticket from running in the city election. This committee on the same date also requested election managers to be appointed as provided by Section 442 of the Code of 1923 and this committee was met with the flat refusal that election managers had already been appointed on the 18th day of August, which is about 27 days before the election, yet Section 437 of the Code of 1923 clearly grants the right to suggest election managers not later than 15 days before the election. Thus it is clear that the election managers were appointed at least twelve days before the law required or authorized and thus again refusing our candidates the clear right which the law granted. It is also interesting to know that the returning officer for this election is G. D. Retherford, the city police, who by Section 3936 Code 1923 makes it a crime not under $50 fine and not over 12 months hard labor for any city official or employee to act as returning officer or election manager at any city election. Section 429 of the Code of 1923 provides that in case that the officers are candidates then the law deems them disqualified to appoint election managers and that they shall certify this to the register in chancery, which was not done in this case. Section 1891 of the Code of 1923 makes it a misdemeanor for any alderman to have any private or personal financial dealings with the municipality under which he is serving, and to render any service or do any work or supply any commodity, for financial compensation, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall also vacate his office. We ask you if this law is not daily and repeatedly violated, yet Dr. Gragg in his refusal to place our candidates' names on the ticket based his refusal upon the protection of the law? We cannot understand the inconsistency of enjoying the protection of the law on one hand and flagrantly violating its provisions on the other.

It would seem to any fair minded man or woman that if Dr. Gragg and the five councilmen were going to conduct an election fair and square in every detail, they would not object for our candidates having at least one clerk out of six election managers, in the polls to see that we get a square deal. Pursuing this same action, it would be natural to suppose that after the election the present mayor and his five councilmen will determine which side was elected and would it be natural to presume that our candidates will get justice in this kind of a procedure? In brief, we have been confronted with this fact: Dr. Gragg, the present mayor, and his five councilmen refused to place our candiates' names on the ballot, and refused to give us representation in the election managers, but instead appointed their own allies and supporters and even employees of the city, and now have it absolutely in their control to pass upon a voter's qualification, to challenge our votes and even reject our ballots, and finally Dr. Gragg and these same councilmen are to pass upon the question of the successful candidates in this city election. It is apparent to any citizen that this is no the law and is not within the spirit of the law, and every man and woman should rally to the polls on September 15th and reject this kind of conduct and action by an overwhelming majority for our candidates.

As tax payers and voters we ask you if you know the amount of taxes and license this town receives and what amount is spent back for this town and what amount is now in the city treasury. Have you ever seen printed an itemized statement of the receipts and disbursements of the finances of this town? You have a right to know these things and the candidates we are offering to you have pledged themselves to keep you informed publicly twice a year of the exact financial status of the town. Also the books of the town, according to the law, are public property and the action of the mayor and councilmen should be public(yet some of our committee were not allowed to see the minutes of the town relating to the council's meeings. We are not alleging wrong-doinng on the part of anyone, but why should any citizen be refused the right to know and inspect the town's financial conditions at any and all times. It is your money and your town, and you should know.

Our candidates believe that the town should progress, but they do not believe that tax payers should be made to expend great sums of money unnecessarily and especially when a majority of the tax payers are objecting. It is our town and if our will is not to govern and if our wishes are not to be considered, then we ask what will is to control?

In conclusion each voter will be instructed either personally or by mail the exact way to cast your ballot and you may rest assured that if your ballot is not counted legal action will be taken to see that it is done and also to protect your right of franchise and freedom as an American citizen. If you would overturn unheard of autocracy in government as we have experienced in the last few days, and if you would escape the tyrant's blow in our city government and if you would proclaim and perpetuate your right as a free American citizen, we ask you and your friend, your husband and your wife to come out on Monday, Sept. 15 and vote for Dr. J. P. Hayes for Mayor and T. H. Neighbors, J. Z. Mims, J. Lee Smith, J. Watts Moore and F. R. Woodyard as councilmen.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CALLED TO MEET SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

The Republican Executive Committee of Chilton County is hereby called to meet at the court house in Clanton, at 2:00 o'clock, p.m., on **Saturday, the 13th day Sept, 1924,** for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the County Board of Education of Chilton County to succeed Hon. L. A. Calloway.

All members of the Executive Committee are earnestly requested to be present at this meeting, as this is an important matter and the presence of every member will be necessary.

This 2nd day of September, 1924.

W. G. CULP,
Chm. Republican Ex. Comm.
J. Z. MIMS,
Secy. Republican Ex. Comm.

WHERE THE REAL SHOW IS THIS YEAR

Republicans, Demand Your Rights as Citizens of County

Don't Fail To Attend Mass Meeting at Court House Saturday at 2 O'Clock And Select Member For County Board Of Education

Under the law the people of Chilton County have a right to elect a member of the County Board of Education to take the place of Mr. L. A. Calloway, who moved away from the county and resigned as member of the county board six or eight months ago. The Republican Executive Committee will meet at the court house at the above named time and place to select a nominee to run in the general election in November to fill this vacancy, and a mass meeting of citizens of the county is called at the same time for the purpose of advising with the committee in this election.

This is the business of the people of the county. There is nothing more important to the people than the most careful and most considerate management of their school matters. The people have a right to a voice in the management of their schools and the only access they have to school matters is through the County Board, therefore too much care cannot be observed in the election of the members of this Board. So it is hoped that every Republican in the county will meet with the Executive Committee and help them to get a man suitable for this place.

The people of the county have been laboring under the impression that there was no vacancy in the Board, but through the energetic and vigilant efforts of some of the leading Republicans of the county, the fact has been exposed that Mr. Calloway sent in his resignation several months ago, but that same has been kept a secret by the county board. Mr. Calloway's son, Raymond was in Clanton a few days recently and stated that his father sent in his resignation as member of the County Board of Education about last Christmas, and was totally surprised and indigant when he learned that his successor had not already been appointed by the remaining members of the board. According to the law, this should have been done as soon as the vacancy occured, and the office was vacant just as soon as Mr. Calloway went away from the State to reside.

It is indeed hoped that a representative gathering of citizens from all over the county will be present at this meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon. This matter should not be treated lightly, because it is directly of interest to every citizen of the county. Everyone who possibly can, come and advise with the Executive Committee in selecting a nominee for this vacancy.

CHILTON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY

The Chilton County high school opened its 1924-'25 session last Monday with an enrollment of about 200. The principal this year is Mr. T. C. Stephens. The other members of the faculty are: Mr. C. S. Matthews of Florence, S. C., Miss Jennie Clark of Abbeville, Ala., Miss Marjorie Ormond of Birmingham and Miss Abbotte McKinnon of Talladega Springs. The prospects are that the school this year will be the best we have ever had in Clanton.

FOUR MEN ARRESTED FOR VIOLATING PROHI LAW

From the reports of the Sheriff's force, things around Union Grove were pretty well stewed up last Sunday. At the home of George Headley near Union Grove several were gathered together, and upon an investigation by Sheriff Littlejohn a small quantity of whiskey was found on the persons of Eugene Marcus and Melvious Collins. The two were arrested but succeeded in making their bonds.

Also Andrew Chandler and Ben Varden were arrested for violating the prohibition law in the vicinity of Union Grove. These two men were brought and placed in the county jail, and they made bond Sunday afternoon.

KLAN TERRORIZES ALABAMA, UNDERWOOD TELLS MAINE

Rockland, Maine, Sept. 4—Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, speaking here today in interest of William R. Pattangall, democratic nominee for governor, assailed the Ku Klux Klan, declaring the issue involved one of the gravest that has ever confronted a free people.

"It walks on the streets with you, confronts you at your doorstep and threatens your very destiny and the future happiness of your families," he said. I come from a state where men and women shudder at night when a knock comes at the door, where men do not dare assert freedom of thought, because an invisible hand may fall. The south and the west have felt its blight. Free government is at stake. The government of the invisible empire is taking its place. Justice has miscarried in the courts that prejudice may pass judgment on the destinies of men.

"Women have been dragged from their homes and whipped, men's lives have been sacrificed, and little children have been orphaned that the invisible empire might have its way."

The Klan has never been in the majority in any state but by organization it has elected judges and sheriffs, Senator Underwood asserted.

JUDGE REYNOLDS OPENS CAMPAIGN POST IN BIRMINGHAM

Judge L. H. Reynolds has accepted the appointment as State Campaign manager for the Republican party, and has opened up offices in the Moulton Hotel, Rooms 802-4. Mr. C. A. Weigand is secretary.

Judge Reynolds reports that he finds the sentiment for Coolidge and Dawes in Birmingham much stronger than has been expected. Nearly every leading business man in the city wants to see Coolidge re-elected as president. The Republicans of the State and nation are united solidly behind Coolidge and Dawes.

MRS. LATHAM ELLIS ENTERTAINS AT PARTY

On last Monday evening, Mrs. Latham Ellis entertained for her husband at a surprise stagg party in honor of his birthday. Their home was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being rose and white.

A lovely four-course dinner was served to the following: Messrs. Donald Merchant, Jno, T. Ellis, Jr., Bill Murphy, Otto Jones, Lucien Duncan. Jno. T. Ellis, Jr., was toastmaster for the occasion.

After many clever speeches and music, a deed to two beautiful lots for their future home was presented to the host by his father, Jno. T. Ellis.

Messrs. John Edwards, E. C. Powell and George Culp motored up to Birmingham last Monday to attend a meeting of the Edwards Estate Corporation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sims have returned from a two months visit to Colorado Springs, mountain of Denver Colorado.

Mrs. W. D. Duff and Mrs. Ada Damfries, have returned to Birmingham, after spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bruce.

Mrs. Mann and neice Miss Mildred Sims of Birmingham are visiting relatives at Clanton.

REPUBLICANS CARRY ENTIRE TICKET IN ELECTION IN MAINE

Brewster Maintains Early Lead—G. O. P. Congressmen Seeking Re-election Are in Lead.

Portland, Maine, Sept. 8.—Returns from 593 precincts out of 633 in the state, including all but one precinct of the city of Portland, gave for governor: Brewster, republican, 136,648; Pattangall, democrat, 103,273.

An apparently safe lead for Ralph O. Brewster, republican, for governor, was shown in returns from today's election from 515 precincts out of 633 in the state, which gave Brewster 104,534 to 69,714 for William Pattangall, democrat. Pattangall late tonight conceded Brewster's election.

In the same precincts United States Senator Bert M. Fernald, republican, seeking re-election, had 101,692 votes to 61,627 for Fulton J. Redman, democrat. These returns included 10 of the 20 cities of the state but did not include Portland, the largest city, which gave the republican candidate for governor large pluralities in 1922 and 1920.

The four republican congressmen seeking re-election were well in the lead of their democratic opponents on partial returns. In the first district, where the first returns had shown the vote was running very close, returns from 53 of the 92 precincts gave Congressman Carroll N. Beedy, republican, a vote of 16,338 to 11,729 for William M. Ingraham, democrat.

Klan Was Issue

Pattangall made the Ku Klux Klan the leading issue of his campaign for governor. Because Brewster had the klan indorsement in his primary campaign, the democrats asserted that Brewster represented the klan. Brewster, who had previously denied that he had sought klan support, made no reference to the klan in his election campaign and his speeches dealt chiefly with state issues but republican speakers sent into the state by the national committee declared that indorsement of the Coolidge administration was involved in the election.

Two years ago the republican plurality for governor was 28,457 and four years ago it was 65,346. In the senatorial election in 1922 Senator Frederick Hale, republican, was elected by a plurality of 26,366 over Oakley C. Curtis, democrat. During the campaign General Charles G. Dawes, republican nominee for vice president, delivered an address in Maine in which he spoke openly regarding the klan, declaring that he was opposed to its methods.

In the congressional contest in the first district, Ingraham injected the prohibition issue by declaring for radical modifications of the Volstead act.

1924 COTTON CROP EARLIER THAN 1923.

From the ginning record of Chilton County it appears that the cotton crop is about two weeks earlier this year than last. On September 6th last year Mr. J. N. Dennis had ginned 299 bales. It is generally estimated that Chilton County will produce quite a bit more cotton this year than it did last year.

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SAYS NIGHT MEETINGS LEAD YOUNG PEOPLE INTO SIN

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 25, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

Will you please give me a small space in your good paper to speak just a few words in regard to a Holiness meeting which I have been permitted to attend almost every night for the past three weeks out about 2 1-2 miles north-east of Clanton.

Of course I enjoyed the meeting and believe that there are some good people out there trying to serve the Lord, but oh, my good friends, have you ever stopped to think about the awful woe and misery of the wickedness of the many ones who are standing on the out-side looking around the camp, walking to and fro up and down the earth seeking whom they may devour? While you are all in there praying, shouting and praising the Lord, you don't have the least idea what is going on outside. Well, you may say that we are not looking out for those that are without but are just attending to our business within. It might be well enough to think that, but people are people and they are all God's creation. He made them all and is able to save them all, according to His holy will. The Saviour said all that the Father gave Him He would lose nothing but would raise them all up at the last day. His command is to love one another.

My dear friends, we ought to love the souls of sinners as well as the soul of the saint. Not that we should love sin—no, no, but everyone has a soul, and God is no respecter of persons. He loves all with a pure love, even before they ever know to love Him in a true sense of the spirit. We know that the dead sinner can't know God in a true spiritual sense until they are born of the spirit. The natural man discerneth not the things of the spirit of God, neither can he know them, for they are spiritually discerned.

I am afraid my letter is too long, but what I wanted to impress on the minds of the brethren and sisters is this: Don't you think it would surely and certainly be much better to have our meetings in the day-time and not so much at night. I know there are larger crowds at night, but oh, my friends, when we are drawing the multitudes of people together in the darkness of the night, we are causing more sin to be done by our dear young people whom we love so much, than we can do good. We may not ever get forgiveness for giving them so many opportunities of going out at night taking so many car rides.

I don't want to offend anyone, but where there is no sacrifice there is no blessing or might not be. If we can't lose a little time to go to meeting in day-time, we ought not go so much at night. I write this with respect to all. I have been a reader of the dear old Banner for many years.

Change of Life

"When change of life began on me," says Mrs. Lewis Lisher, of Lamar, Mo., "I suffered so with womanly weakness. I suffered a great deal of pain in my back and sides. My limbs would cramp. I didn't feel like doing my work, and there are so many steps for a woman to take on a farm. I was very anxious to get better. A friend recommended

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LITTLE VIRGINIA CLECKLER

On the morning of August 20th, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cleckler and carried away from them a beloved little baby for them to weep and mourn over. The little baby was five months old the day it died and she had suffered as long as the Master had seen fit. For seven weeks it was confined to the bed with whooping cough and other troubles.

We kindly thank the people around Coopers for the help and kindness shown us during the sickness and death.

The remains were laid to rest at Providence at the side of its little brother and sister which we all hope to be ready to meet when we are called for. Rev. M. J. Parrish conducted the funeral.

Mr. W. J. Lindsey and son, Ode Lindsey and wife of Montgomery came through Clanton Tuesday enroute to their home.

PRESIDENT IS HOST TO "BIG THREE"

—Photo by Wide World Photos

President Coolidge relating the history of a sap bucket which was the property of his great grandfather. This bucket was presented to Mr. Ford by the President. The picture, taken at the home of the President's father in Vermont, shows left to right: Mr. Firestone, the President, Mr. Ford, and Mr. Edison.

Washington, Sept. 9.—One of the outstanding features of the vacation trip of President Coolidge, who has just returned from a two weeks' stay at his father's farm in Vermont, was the visit of Henry Ford, Thomas A. Edison and Harvey S. Firestone.

On their annual camping trip, these three geniuses of industry and invention called upon the President on an automobile tour through New England, and for several hours discussed with him various problems and conditions. All three of them assured him of their hearty support of his candidacy for election.

The chief topic of conversation was the future prosperity of the country. The three camping companions assured the President that in their opinion the continued improving prosperity of the country depended upon the condition of the farmers. Agriculture must prove profitable for America to continue prosperous, they said.

"I think times are getting better, and for sound agricultural reasons," said Mr. Ford.

Interviewed during his call upon President Coolidge, Mr. Edison said: "We'll have great prosperity if the corn does not get nipped and crops in general are good."

Mr. Firestone declared that the farmer was the keystone of American prosperity.

"Conditions in this country will continue to grow better so long as the farmer is prosperous," he said. "He is the barometer by which to judge conditions. His is the basic industry of the country, and the one upon which our prosperity depends."

After leaving the President's farm Mr. Ford, Mr. Edison and Mr. Firestone continued their tour through the Green Mountains, stopping now and then to talk with the people of rural New England and view the countryside. They spent the early part of their vacation at Mr. Ford's Wayside Inn, at South Sudbury.

Before visiting the President, Mr. Ford played host to 5,000 New England farmers at his Wayside Inn estate at South Sudbury, Mass. With Mr. Edison and Mr. Firestone he supervised a plowing and agricultural demonstration, and invited the Farm Bureau Federation to use his grounds for its annual gatherings. On the same day the Holstein-Friesian Association gathered at Mr. Firestone's old homestead in Columbiana county, Ohio, for its annual picnic, as the guests of Mr. Firestone, who sent his son, Harvey, Jr., to welcome them in his absence.

CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY, 291 ON ROLL

The Clanton Grammar School opened for its nine months stretch on Monday morning, with an enrollment of 291. The opening was very enthusiastic, and the promise is for a good school this year.

The teachers this year are: Principal, Walter E. Martin of Clanton, 2nd year junior high school; Miss Nettie Lou Graham of Anniston, 2nd grade; Miss Vera Mae White of Maplesville, 1st grade; Miss Eddie Patience Watson of Clayton, 3rd grade; Miss Minnie Cheshire of Opelika, 1st year junior high school; Miss Exa Jones of Highland Home, 4th grade; Mrs. C. D. Thomas of Clanton, 5th grade; Miss Leona Stanley of Wetumpka and Miss Eva Cheshire of Opelika, utility teachers.

CHANGE OF SERVICE HOURS

Begining next Sunday night the sevice at the Clanton Baptist Church will begin at 7:30 o'clock instead of 8:00, as has been the custom during the summer. Prayer meeting also will be held at the same hour during the winter.

THE OLD CHURCH BELL

Years ago my old father used to sit a great deal on the front porch of his home at Verbena and many a time on Sunday morning when the church bells began to call attention to the service hours I've heard him say, "Thank the Lord—the country is safe." The bells suggested to him that the worshipping of God fortified the country against the rule of evil and danger.

This is what the notes of a church bell should mean to every person with a normal mind.

By chance I was present when the Masons placed the corner-stone of the new Methodist church in Clanton some months ago. Just near where I stood in the street, was a pile of building sand and almost covered with the sand was the old church bell which for scores of years has called to worship residents of Clanton who loved God and which reminded others of the existence of a Supreme Being.

It caused me a thrill of sorrow to see this bell, after having served as a voice of God so long, lying there in the dirt, dishonored and unappreciated. In other days the bell has announced to many a clean, true bride, her wedding hour. And then in tender tones of sympathy, it has proclaimed the last service for many a noble man and woman. In every instance, its peals have stood for purity, truth, safety and God.

I am informed there will be no bell in the new Methodist Church. What a shame that Clanton should abolish such a godly custom and hush a voice which symbolizes everything worthwhile.

There are thousands of other noises all over the earth every hour and every one of them signify commerce, material profit, pleasure and gain and these noises are more or less offensive to the ears of peace-loving persons who faithfully listen for sounds of God and who have something else to live for besides dollars and self.

Shall the church bell, the one and only sound and signal of the existence of a living God, be stilled and heard no more in Clanton?

God pity a country or community which has become so modern and up-to-date that a church bell on Sunday morning is no longer needed or is "out of style."

I truly hope I shall never spend a Sunday morning without hearing a church bell ringing, the only earthly sound that proclaims and broadcasts to all men of every station the fact that God is good and worthy to be praised.

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BARBECUE AT PILGRIM'S REST

There will be a barbecue at Pilgrim's Rest Church, Thursday, Sept. 18th. Everybody is invited to come.
E. D. CHANDLER.

AROUND CALERA

Mr. Bernice Stephens from Birmingham spent last week-end in South Calera.

Mrs. Dan Crowder and children of Birmingham have been the guests of Mrs. G. T. Lee for the past week, returning hame Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Holbrooks are now residents of South Calera. We are glad to have them in the community.

Mr. E. D. Crim is home on a week's visit from Cherokee Bluffs.

Miss Gladys Campbell returned from Montgomery Wednesday where she has been visiting for some time.

Mr. Clyde Rogers from Cherokee is home visiting his father, Mr. S. M. Rogers.

Mrs. Stephens was a Birmingham visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisha Lee and children from Piney Woods were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Lee on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Busby and two children from Leeds were visiting Mr. Busby's parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Busby. They returned to Leeds Sunday.

Miss Lutie Jones returned from Columbiana Saturday where she has been the guest of Miss Ruth Mooney for the past week.

Mr. Leon Busby, Miss Hazel Cox, and Mrs. Jessie Cox motored to Selma Sunday, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busby.

Mr. Roy Virgin came down for a short visit to home folks Monday morning.

Mrs. Arthur Busby and son, Henry Lee were gueses of Mrs. Davis Green a few days last week.

There was a Calendar party in Calera last Friday night, for the benefit of the Methodist Church. Stunts and games were enjoyed after which cake and punch were served.

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HURRAH FOR THE GOOD ROADS

Editor Union-Banner:

We can now go from Mims Cross Roads to Sawyer's Cove in high where as, one year ago it took four good oxen to pull within five hundred feet of any thing, for I tried to haul some my-self and absolutely, it would have taken a pretty good mule to pull an empty wagon.

Now, I have traveled all the roads north of Clanton, and I think I can safely say that they are at least 90 percent better than they were last year. I think I know a good road when I see it, I have worked out my road days on the roads and most of them as apportioner and overseer and traveling the roads behind the splendid machines now being used on the roads, show a decited emprovement over the old system.

The comparison of the old system with the new is like drinking milk from a ticky cow when we diden't know any better.

So I say, hurrah for our commissioners and probate judge. We thank them for the betterment of our public roads and for the way of working them, for I certainly am, and always have been in favor of good roads.

So, I will stop now and ask the Editor if he will print this for me I will call again some time.

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STATE COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

"The Alabama Commission of Forestry has received many inquiries from owners of small forest areas, regarding recommendations for the sale of standing timber from their lands," according to a statement just issued by the commission. "Information regarding market prices of standing timber is most often the particular item of knowledge sought. Stumpage prices offered by saw mill operators are extremely variable due to many factors, the most potent of which are: species of the timber; size, quality and quanity available; nearness to a railroad or other transporation facilities; ease of logging (which principally depends on the topography of the landd); local market conditions; labor supply and availability of saw mill operators in the immediate vicinity. At present the prices offered for both pine and hard wood stumpage, especially the latter, are very low. However, since our timber supply is rapidly becoming exhausted, stumpage prices offered are bound to increase constantly in the future. It is therefore an excellent policy for owners to hold their timber that is not fully mature, for future advances in stumpage prices, and in so doing take advantage of a threefold increase in value due to growth in price, quality, and quantity of the timber. Forest land will produce a valuable crop of timber every ten or fifteen years if the cutting is done properly and the area is not burned over. The land owner should aim to make his tract concontinuously productive by practicing the principles of forestry.

B'HAM NEWS TO RUN GRAVURE SECTION OF CLANTON SEPT. 14

On Sunday, September 14th, you must be sure to get a copy of the Birmingham News, as in that issue a whole page of beautiful pictures of Clanton people and Clanton scenes will be run in that paper's beautiful gravure section. This page will be something fine. The News dealer in Clanton will be supplied with a number of extra copies of this paper, so be sure and get hold of one. You will enjoy it.

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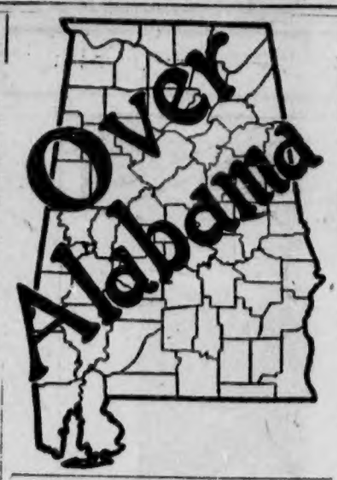

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

At 97 years of age, Mrs Simpson, who lives two miles north of Berry, has worked near one-half an acre of cotton from which she expects to realize $40. She is hale and hearty and helps do many things around the home. Mrs. Simpson recently has been made a member of the U. D. C., receiving a golden spoon, with her initials engraved, from headquarters at Washington, D. C. She has been drawing a pension for the past three months, which is being given by the above order.

Following a serious disagreement in the partnership owning and controlling all the moving picture shows, theaters, and their leases in the Tri-Cities, except the Sheffield airdome, and the throwing of these properties into court for the dissolution of partnership, a decree has been issued ordering the sale of all interests of the firm, composed of Louis Rosenbaum and Isaac Kreisman, which will be held in Florence on Sept. 22.

In order to save the life of a little girl who suddenly darted in front of him State Senator Inzer, of Gadsden, deliberately turned his car into the sidewalk. His machine crashed into a telephone pole 18 ins. in diameter and snapped it off at the ground as if it had been a reed The car was undamaged save for a bent fender and rod. Mr. Inzer was accompanied by Judge James L. Herrin. Neither was hurt.

Texas state health authorities have adopted the Alabama system of milk control, according to L. C. Frank, of the United States public health service, who has returned from a trip to Texas, where he presented the Alabama method to the Texas state board. The Alabama system of milk control, including the model ordinance for grading and labeling milk, has attracted widespread attention.

On the ground that the tourist lodge was not serving its original purpose and that it was being used by an undesirable class of people who are taking advantage of the free rent and remain in the lodge for several weeks until ordered to leave and oftimes live in filth, the Anniston Chamber of Commerce voted at its regular monthly meeting to convert the building into a farmers' lodge.

Figures showing illiteracy of children in Birmingham between school age and 20 years, drawn from the school census taken in July, have been presented to the board of education by W. E. Putman, director of research. A total of 484 white children and 1,223 negroes are in this class.

W. A. Ruffin has arrived in Auburn to become specialist in entomology for the extension service, in which position he will work among the farmers throughout the state on insects. In extension work he will succeed Dr. W. E. Hinds, who resigned the first of April to accept work at the University of Louisiana.

Leases have been signed for two plots of ground on Blakely Island and in the southern part of Mobile for a rifle and pistol range for Mobile national guard units, the coast guard members of the reserve corps and civilian rifle clubs, it has been announced.

Sealed bids for the construction of the Masonic temple at the corner of Noble and Fourteenth streets, Anniston, are being received by the directors of the association. Contractors have been notified bids will be received up to noon Sept. 29.

Many coal mines in Alabama that have been operating from three days per week as a minimum and five days as a maximum, have resumed operations six full days according to information reaching the offices of the Alabama Mining Institute.

The Alabama Fox Hunters' association will hold its annual meeting at Heflin in the latter part of November, it has been announced, after the state meets in Tennessee and Kentucky.

Funds amounting to approximately $200,000 will be asked of the war department to make extensive improvements at Camp McClellan and dress up the military reservation, according to Capt. J. C. Whitaker, quartermaster.

Birmingham will be host to approximately 400 members of the public utility world, Sept. 15 to 18, when the Southeastern Division of the National Electric Light association meets there.

Work on Opelika's new passenger station is to begin about Sept. 10, it is announced.

Mr. E. C. Powell made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

Copies of the schedule of divisions of the supreme and appellate courts for the October term, 1924, now available at the office of the clerk of the supreme court, show that the call of the second division docket will take place on Oct. 27. The second division is composed of cases appealed from the counties of Bibb, Choctaw, Wilcox, Dallas, Greene, Hale, Marengo, Perry and Sumter.

The Alabama public service commission has called on the interstate commerce commission to see that adequate protection be given to the public interest and the welfare of the port of Mobile in the matter of the purchase by the Tatum Lumber interests of Hattiesburg, Miss., of the branch line of the Gulf Mobile and Northern railroad between Hattiesburg and Beaumont.

Materials for the new L. & N. passenger and freight station at Andalusia are being assembled and work will begin at once L. & N. officials have agreed to allow the contractors to move the present station to a point in front of the Dixie Hotel, where the best possible accommodations will be afforded during the time the new building is going up.

A questionnaire has been prepared by the state child welfare department for the Alabama Federation of Women's clubs in that organization's campaign in the interest of child welfare. The document is so arranged, however, that it may be used by civic clubs, fraternal bodies and other organizations.

Wilson Printing company, of Montgomery, and the Birmingham Printing company, of Birmingham, were the low bidders on the state printing contract for the two year period beginning Oct. 1, 1924, according to announcement made at the state board of administration, following tabulation of bids submitted

While driving along the highway across Lookout Mountain, near Gadsden, A. B. Williams mail carrier, was attacked by parties hidden in the woods and narrowly escaped injury. He reports that he was greeted by a shower of stones as he drove through a dark place.

A picnic and barbecue is to be staged at the fair grounds near Hartselle Sept 12, under the auspices of the Morgan County Farm Bureau. The affair is planned for members of the organization, their families and invited friends.

The long dry summer has affected the pecan crop in Hale county very materially, it is feared. Many trees are without fruit. There are some, however, who assert that the severe cold in the late spring had much to do with this.

Official emblem for the prohibition party in Alabama will be a white rose, according to the filing of copies of the emblem to be placed on the ballot placed with Secretary of State S. H. Blan by A. F. Lokey, state chairman of the party.

County Agent R. S. Bitchell, of Butler, believes that community fairs will do more good towards promoting agriculture, education and social life than any other form of fairs that can be staged. He is promoting several such fairs in Butler county.

Between forty and fifty members of the Alabama department of the American Legion and the auxiliary are expected to attend the annual national convention of the Legion in St. Paul, Sept. 15 to 19, according to J. Fred Johnson, department commander.

Taking advantage of the absence of the policeman on duty, bandits, believed to be negroes, ransacked the postoffice and three principal stores in Leeds, carting away thousands of dollars worth of merchandise and postal matter.

Gasoline tax collections for July were the largest since the tax became effective, the total being $163,866.20. The money received by each county can only be used for the upkeep of roads and bridges.

The Sacred Harp Singers of Cleburn county will meet in an annual all-day singing at Liberty Hill church the second Sunday in September.

After slashing his wife and leaving her for dead, Olley Awtrey, of Brewton, a negro, went to his home and blew out his brains with a shotgun.

Birmingham has been designated as the distributing point for all automobile tags to be used in this state for the year beginning Oct. 1.

The entire corps of local vocational students was put in the field and in two hours picked a bale of cotton, and it was on its way to the gin.

The Chambers County Progressive Singing Convention will hold a two days' session at the Lanett Christian church Sept. 13 and 14.

It is announced that a new exhibition building is to be erected on the grounds of Opelika District Fair.

The recent school census taken in Tuscaloosa showed a gain of 1,500 of school age.

William J. Meininger, executive secretary of the Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce, has returned from New York and other points in the East, where he visited in the interest of the Twin City.

The public service commission will visit Bessemer Sept. 16 for the purpose of completing its hearing of the water rate case of that city.

According to Gadsden police reports there was not a single "drunk" in the city during the entire month of August.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

WEST CHILTON

Everybody busy harvesting their crops.

As the corn crop is short, now is the time to plan for substitutes so as to avoid extra cost next year.

W. R. Bedden attended the lecture of Dr Arthur Edwards of Birmingham on Mulberry last Sunday.

[illegible] the executive committee will elect us a loyal, conservative candidate for the educational board; one who will respect and remember the wishes of those who elected them.

[illegible] as if cane and potato crops will be short.

[illegible]. Coker visited in Selma Saturday.

We had the pleasure of hearing Dr. Edwards lecture Sunday. He is a Chilton county boy, raised in the Mulberry community; a forceful and lucid speaker. The audience gave him close attention. His subject was "The Church at War, the Nations Divided, but Millions Now Living Will Accept the Overtures of Mercy and Never Die." He first called attention to the division now existing between "Modernists" and "Fundamentalists" in church circles, showing the correct position to be back to the Bible, closing with the announcement that the church, (all the Christians), is nearing her reward. Then millions will repent, and, while not sharing the church's reward will live forever—never die. The doctor is quite interesting; a fine young man. He left for Clanton Sunday afternoon and Sawley Sunday night, three lectures in one day.

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MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

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ANNUAL METHODIST S. S. CONFERENCE

The third annual Sunday School Conference for the Methodists of central and south Alabama and West Florida came to a close on Thursday, Sept. 4, in a most successful gathering. There were 769 workers from 84 schools.

The meeting voted to accept the invitation of Selma for 1925 and will meet the latter part of August rather than early in September.

J. W. Andrews of Pensacola was elected president. Other officers include R. H. Mangum of Selma and S. H. Blan of Montgomery, vice presidents; F. T. Herlong of Greenville, secretary; Miss Mary H. Jones of Montgomery; E. G. Branch of Montgomery, treasurer.

The speakers include some of the best known churchmen in Southern Methodism, among them Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, Hon. John R. Pepper of Memphis, Tenn.; several of the General S. S. Board staff and others.

Mr. Ellis Mims of Route 6 was in Clanton Monday attending to business.

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MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Preliminaries leading up to the city election next Monday have put on quite a warm and enthusiastic political aspect. Dr. Gragg, Mayor, together with the present council, are bidding to hold on to the management of the city government, while there is a rather strong element behind a new ticket with the desire to make a change. The tale will be told at the polls Monday. It is hoped that everyone in casting his ballot will have the interest of the town and the whole citizenship of the town in view paramount to anything else.

You can't tell who a Klansman is when you see one, and generally speaking, when you see a citizen on the street you don't know but that he may be a Klansman. But we venture to say that we know one man who does not belong to the hooded order, and that is our Senior Senator from Alabama. Judging from the way Senator Underwood lambasted the Klan in his speech up in Maine, he hasn't got much sympathy for it. He went so far as not only to reflect on the Klan but he cast a dark shadow upon the whole of his home State. There is no use for a fellow to go nutty over anything.

The good Republicans of Chilton County have a duty to perform at the court house next Saturday afternoon. The right of the people to elect their county superintendent of education is no longer theirs, but they still are allowed by the law to elect the members of the county board. Some even prefer to take from the people the right to elect the members, but that has not been accomplished yet. So every Republican who believes in the voice of the people being heard over the will of any one individual, be at the court house next Saturday afternoon and help in selecting a man for member of the county board of education to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of L. A. Calloway.

That mass meeting of "Interested Citizens" at the court house last Saturday, according to reports, was a short and sweet occasion. It is reported that there were present at this meeting "of all good citizens of the county regardless of political affiliations" three Democrats and four Republicans. Who these seven were we do not know. For some reason, the philanthropic intention of the gathering to get out a Democratic ticket to run in Chilton County, was thwarted, probably because there were not enough present to "get up steam," or probably it was because someone "put a bug in their ear" as to the illegality of such a concocted convocation. Any way, no ticket was put out.

MacDONALD VS. HUGHES

Neither at home nor abroad can the MacDonald regime in Great Britain get any enthusiastic commendation of its treaty with the Soviet Government. And it gets lots of condemnation from all sides. The Hughes policy has almost universal approval in the United States.

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Watches Repaired
Broken Lenses Duplicated and
Spectacles Fitted
Frames Repaired.

WHY IS IT—

REPUBLICAN CONCORD DEMOCRATIC DISCORD

Washington, Sept. 11.—The widespread spirit of harmony in Republican ranks at the same time that there is disunion among Democrats, constitutes one of the strong assurances of Republican success in November. Not since the nomination of Roosevelt in 1904 has there been such universal satisfaction with a Republican ticket as there has been with Coolidge and Dawes in the campaign of 1924. This satisfaction was forecast by the overwhelming endorsement of Coolidge in the direct primaries in the spring and summer.

On the other hand, there has been epually widespread dissatisfaction with the Democratic ticket, which instructed delegates for various candidates except the one nominated for President. There is not even a semblance of popular government in the Democratic Party if one may judge by the manner in which the wishes of party members were ignored.

Republicans are united not only on the personnel of their ticket but on the principles enunciated in their platforms always have, for a protective tariff. It stands for encouragement of individual initiative and against paternalism. It reasserts the policy of keeping the United States free from European entanglements and in a position to decide for itself what its action shall be upon all international problems as they may arise. It stands for economy in government and for reduction of taxation. It is true that there are some who have classed themselves as Republicans who are not supporting the Republican candidates, but since their support has been undependable in the past this does not constitute a division in the Republican ranks today.

On the other hand, hundreds of thousands of Democrats are dissatisfied not only with the personnel of their ticket but with the principles as set forth in the Democratic platform or advocated by the Democratic candidates. Throughout the Nation there is extreme dissatisfaction with the attitude of the Democratic Party on the tariff question. Leading Democratic business men have joined in forming independent organizations for the fostering of protective tariff sentiment. There is also disagreement with the attitude of the Democratic Party on the subject of the League of Nations, hundreds of thousands of Democrats who left their party on that issue in 1920 indicating their intention to pursue the same course in 1924. Equal and perhaps more vociferous protest is made against the attitude the Democratic candidates have taken on the observance of Defense Day. This feeling was expressed by the letter written and given to the public by Mrs. Clem Shavers, wife of the manager of the Democratic campaign, who vigorously criticized the position taken by Mr. Bryan and endorsed by Mr. Davis. Such a public protest would not have been made by the wife of the Democratic campaign manager unless she felt deeply on the subjest and knew that she was voicing the sentiments of hundreds of thousands of other women of the Democratic faith. A similar embarrassment has confronted the Democratic candidates because so eminent a Democrat as former Ambassador James Gerard has felt impelled to protest against the criticisms that have been aimed at Secretary Hughes because of the treaty affecting Armenia.

It is apparent that the Smith and McAdoo forces will give only half hearted, if any, support to the Democratic ticket.

A RABBI'S VISION

Pacifists mark ministers of the gospel as easy victims of their anti-defense propaganda. Some of them are probably convinced by it, very likely there is just as large a proposition of men of the cloth who combine patriotism with common sense as among any other class of our citizens. The spirit of national defense is not in conflict with any creed, and no religious leader of whatever faith does violence to his tents when he advocates a defense commensurate with American territory, population, and wealth. Vigorous independance is the only assurance that the United States can continue to exercise its great influence toward world peace and harmony.

A Baltimore rabbi declined an invitation with a protest agtinst National Defense Day. His reply indicates a loftiness of thought that should be commanded to all who profess to see something inconsistant between religion and preparedness. "My picture of America," said that Jewish leader, "is of a nation great in wealth and men, but great, too, in character and idealistic purpose; not jealous of other peoples, ready always to help them, but ready to defend its own interests and its honor. Such a nation will merit and receive the respect of the world. Only such a nation can assume a position of material and spiritual leadership among the peoples. To such a leadership I believe we have been called, if we have the vision to see it and the national stamina to achieve it.

FARM FACTS

States having the greatest number of livestock per farm also have the greatest farm income.

When 75 per cent of the cotton produced in the South each year is sold cooperatively a new era will be ushered in for southern farmers.

A good farm garden, a home orchard, and a farm flock will supply over half the needs of a well-filled table all the year.

The Alabama State Fair will be held in Montgomery, November 3-11. It will be one of several big agricultural events of the year.

The poultry department at Auburn has bought and planted 30,000 cabbage plants to produce green feed for chickens during the approaching winter. These plants covered 2 acres, and along with them 5 acres have been planted in rape. Green feed increased egg production.

The Farm Bureau Cotton Association averaged for the 1923 crop 28.69c per pound for middling white cotton. With the exception of war periods this is the highest average price ever received for a cotton crop of Alabama cotton. If cooperative marketing association had not been active in twelve states it is a cinch that the general price level would have been much lower.

In 46 poultry culling demonstrations last year county agents and poultry specialists of Auburn culled 2290 hens. Of this number 1290 were pronounced "culls." In one week these 1290 hens laid 157 eggs while the remaining 100 good hens laid 4,795 eggs. This answers the question: Does poultry culling pay?

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of September 7, 1899.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. W. C. Edler of Thorsby was placed in jail at Clanton to serve a term of one year for not being able to furnish a peace bond. It is generally considered the prisoner was tried by a court of injustice.

The youngest child of Mr. Alex Latham of Lawley died Monday evening; burial was at Rehoboth.

Judge S. M. Adams has been appointed vice-president of the Alabama State Fair Association.

The building lot opposite the court house was bought last week by Mr. Evans M. Pinckard for $450. He will build a store house on it.

Married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. E. C. Jones and Miss Willie Phillips, Rev. S. W. Williams officiating.

Miss Glennie McMorris will leave next Tuesday for Athens, Ala., to attend the Athens Female College.

Whit Gullahorn died in Beaumont, Texas last Sunday.

Married this week—J. W. Harrell and Miss Sara Hawkins, S. R. Thackston and Miss Mary Kelly, John Smitherman and Miss Dovie Dutton, Jesse C. Clemons and Miss Era Skipper, James Alford and Miss Clemy Varden, E. C. Jones and Miss Willie Phillips.

THE DOMINANT ISSUE

The Democratic candidates are trying to create issues instead of discussing the issues that are really before the country. The dominant issue in the minds of the people is tax reduction, and, because there can be no tax reduction unless there is first expense reduction the country is interested in limitation of expense. The Republican Congress, during the last two years of the Democratic Administration, made enormous cuts in the Democratic demands for appropriation. Since then further reductions have been made through the cooperation of the legislative and administrative branch of the Government. Mr. Davis and Mr. Bryan are not willing to go back over the record and make a fair and honest statement of facts as to Democratic demands compared with Republican appropriations. They do not want real issues discussed at all.

THE SAME McADOO

Now the Democratic campaigners are beginning to praise McAdoo evidently in the hope of getting the McAdoo supporters busy in the campaign. But the effort is likely to have an opposite effect. The McAdoo people are likely to say, "If you now find Mr. McAdoo such an able and honorable man, why didn't you nominate him?" After taking 103 ballots to beat McAdoo, it comes with poor grace for the victors to begin to praise him now.

Mr. W. F. Deshazo returned Tuesday from a few days visit to friends in Fort Payne. Mr. Deshazo says everything up there is all right except mighty dry and dusty.

"Chuckle" Column

If business is punk, we would advise Roofers to go into the beauty parlor game. Why not? Surely, they'd find plenty to do keeping the roofs of flappers shingled.

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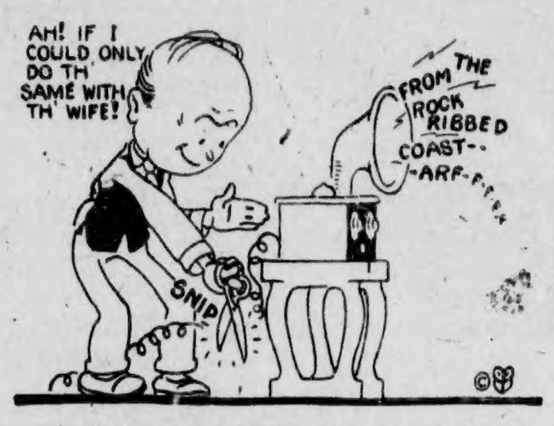
Added Advantages of Radio

In the old days of the wild west dramas if a bird unlimbered a barrage of ancient vegetables upon some actor who failed to win his approval he usually got himself chucked out violently on his ear. Nowadays, however, official bouncers can't annoy



you when you get your entertainment over the Radio. If you hear some bimbo pulling a lot of bum jokes or murdering some popular song hit, you can choke him off by merely pressing the juice button or turning the dials.

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"It's better to give than to receive." But—we'll add—there's only one way it can be done. That is to wallop the other guy first and then run like h——. And trust to luck he's short-winded.

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Some dumbells develop muscles. Others just exist.

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We've made more than "one Indian bite the dust"—in those empty gum slots.

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Political Meeting Song

"I'm for you, I'm for you,
"I'm for you, by heck,
"Elect me, Elect me,
("And get it in the neck").

First three lines—a solo by politician. Last line to be sung in perfect harmony by all voters.

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The Treasury department advises us that a $1 bill will last

about six months. Don't those fellows down there in Washington ever play poker?

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"America needs a Paul Revere and not a sphinx in the White House" says the democratic senator, Pat Harrison. But, Pat, isn't that wishing a kind of painful job on your candidate? Remember how you felt after your first horseback ride.

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Why Is It—

That a wife insists on smelling your breath when you surprise her with a perfectly good bottle of select Perfume on her birthday?

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A married man may have that distinguished look during business hours, but if he looks twice at another woman while he's out with his wife, he gets that extinguished look.

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'Tis queer how long some people can live without brains.

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WHAT—DOLLARS?

(Ad in the Lone Tree, Ia., Reporter)

"LET-GO SALE"

Whatsamatter? Whatsamatter? Must be a lot of Scotchmen in that burg.

—o—

If some of these bond salesmen "represent Opportunity" as they claim—whyinhell don't they knock on our office door before they come in?

—o—

That'll be all for this trip.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Mrs. Heard Entertains.

At her home on Sixth Street, Mrs. Victor Heard entertained the members of the Wednesday Card Club, together with a few friends. The apartments were made beautiful with zenias, pot plants and cut flowers. Score cards in floral design echoed the predominating color note of yellow and white. Bridge was played at four tables and afterwards a salad plate was served. The club prize cards were won by Miss Kathleen Mullins. The club members and a few friends were Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Heard, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Oscr Jones, Mrs. Willys Lyman, Mrs. G. Reynolds, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Carrie Mullins, Mrs. Eric Hart, Mrs. Bill Lanier, Mrs. Kyle, Mrs. Brown and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Mrs. Jones Entertains.

Mrs. Hugh Jones entertained the members of the Study Club and a few guests last Thursday afternoon. The porch was artistically arranged with vines, cut flowers and pot plants placed here and there. A very interesting program was rendered as the club is studying the "Short Story" this year. A salad plate was served to Mrs. McSwain, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. Heard, Mrs. J. P. Hayes, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. Hester, Mrs. Gowan, Mrs .Grover Harris, Mrs. Chandler, Mrs. McDavid, Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Hart, Mrs. Carrie Mullins, Mrs. Guy Higgins, Mrs. Bill Lanier, Miss Madelyn Orr and Miss Jennie Clark.

Middleton - Longshore Wedding.

A pretty, quiet wedding was that of Mrs. Jatie Middleton and Judge Will Longshore of Columbiana, which occured at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wallace. Mrs. Middleton is a talented musician, being well known in Clanton and Chilton County. Judge Longshore, formerly Judge of the 18th judicial circuit, is one of the leading attorneys of the State.

The groom is the daughter of Mrs. John T. Ellis of Clanton and the niece of Mrs. E. E. Upchurch, and is prominently known here as a most accomplished musician and lovable lady.

The entire community unites in wishing her and her husband many happy years of marital happiness.

The card club will meet with Mrs. Oscar Jones next Wednesday afternoon on First Avenue.

Miss Sophie Mullins gave a dance Friday evening at the Wilson Hotel. Punch was served throughout the evening to about twenty of the younger set.

Miss Ruth Prince and her mother, who have spent two weeks in Detroit, Mich. ,with Mr. J. F. Prince, returned Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Julius Reynolds and little daughter returned home after several weeks' visit to relatives and friends in Clanton.

Miss Margarite Smith returned to her oome in Columbiana last week, after a very pleasant visit to her many friends she made while in school here last year.

Prof. and Mrs. Caldwell of Isabella who are teaching in the agricultural school at that place were in town on Thursday.

Miss Sarah Luckie of Montgomery is spending the week end with Miss Lurline Minor.

Miss Mary Monk of Birmingham, who has spent several days with relatives in Clanton returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince are receiving congratulations this week over the arrival of a bouncing baby boy, weighing 10 1-2 pounds.

Mrs. Bill Lanier of Birmingham, who has spent some time with her sister, Mrs. Eric Hart, left for her home last week.

Mrs. Brown, who has been visiting her sister, left Friday for her home in New Orleans.

Mrs. Phillips left last Friday for Prattville, where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Duncan.

Messrs. Joseph Hester and Raymond Roberts left for Auburn Monday to be in school for the next year.

Mr. John Ellis, Jr., left Wednesday for Howard College.

Miss Sallye Johnson went to Danville, Va., Monday, where she will be in school for the next year.

Mr. Rucker Sims will attend school at Auburn this year.

Mrs. J. A. Dubose and daughters, Myrtle and Hellen Frances, of Birmingham are visiting the formers sister, Mrs. G. M. Wyatt. They left on Monday for Montgomery to visit friends a few days before going to New Orleans.

Mr. Tommie Patterson from Bessemer spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Monroe Wyatt.

Dr. Langston of Birmingham visited our town last week.

Judge Sally of Ozark, was in our city last week on business.

Mr. Ralph Garner of Ozark, who married a Clanton girl, Miss Emit Matthews, stopped over for a couple of days.

It is correctly reported that Mr. John W. Stanfield and family are to return to Clanton in the near future to make their home here again.

Mrs. E. A. Matthews spent several days in Clanton on her way to Florida to spend the winter.

Miss Sophie Mullins will leave Monday to enter school at the University of Madison, Wisconsin.

Miss Mary Sue Mullins has left for New Orleans, where she will resume her studies of medicine. Enroute she will stop over at Fort Worth, Texas to spend a while with a friend.

Mrs. Kyle, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Victor Heard, returned to her home in Decatur last week.

Mr. J. C. Jones spent two days in Montgomery this week.

Mr. T. R. Price of Montgomery, who is employed by the Alabama Power Company, was in town this week investigating plans to run a sub-line out a few miles north of town up the Lock 12 highway.

MAPLESVILLE DOTS

The weather is hot and dry here, although the drouth was broken here by a very good rain. The fields are white with cotton; the cotton crops are all good.

Our Sunday School, B. Y. P. U., G. A. S., and R. A. S. are still very good, we are glad to report.

Next Sunday, September 14th is our regular preaching day at the Methodist church. Everybody come.

A truck load from here motored to Lock 12 Sunday and spent the day.

Misses Rena and Gladys Blount have just returned home to Tampa, Fla., after the summer's visit in Ala.

Mrs. Ila Shoults and little son, Charles of Shoults spent a few days last week with her sister in law, Mrs. Anna Latham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Jeffcoat, who has lived here about 15 years, have moved to Birmingham. We hate to see them leave, but we are all hoping they will like their new home.

Mr. G. C. Kemp and Mr. Cleveland McGee of Birmingham spent the week end here.

Mrs. Charley Seals and little son, Van, are spending a few days in Montgomery with her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Henderson.

Misses Brady McAfee and Davis Bearden of Fremont were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. Wheeler Walker has returned home after a few day's visit to Quincey, Fla., visiting his sister, Mrs. Willie Hicks.

Mrs. Ocell Powell of Troy spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Clemon last week.

Mrs. R. R. Seals and son, Kelly, have returned home after a week's visit to Lathrop, Reform, Manchester and Birmingham.

Mr. Leighton Parnell, who has been off to school has returned home for a visit.

Dr. Fred Cobern of Birmingham spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cobern.

Mr. Clyde Cobern of Birmingham has moved back to Maplesville.

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The Johnson is the speediest, quietest, most serviceable and reliable outboard motor you can buy. It is practically without vibration. Easily operated at all speeds; throttles down to the slowest trolling speed with never a choke or a miss. Easily carried; always ready; quickly attached to any type boat or canoe.

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NOTICE!

I want a few head of beef cattle to finish out a carload, which I will ship in a short time.

Those having cattle to sell will let me know, or bring them to Clanton and I will look at them.

Remember, I do not want any with ticks on them, and where cattle is quarantined, you will have to have a permit before you can move them.

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TO THE FARMERS

I have had all my gin saws thoroughly overhauled by the Pratt Gin Company of Prattville and have built a new cotton warehouse and am now ready to give you the best possible gin and warehouse service to be had in Clanton.

To those who have not ginned with me, I only ask that you give me a chance to show you the class of ginning I am doing.

To those who ginned with me last season, I wish to again express my thanks and appreciation and to ask a continuation of your patronage and influence.

I guarantee to give you satisfactory service and am always ready to correct any errors.

Give me clean, dry cotton and I will give you clean seed, a good turn-out and satisfy you in every way.

All admit that I have helped to get you quick, satisfactory gin service; so why not help me by bringing me at least part of your cotton. It will be appreciated.

Yours to serve,

J. N. DENNIS.

RIGINAL

NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

We have company! Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chase, who live near Five Points in Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Chase is superintendent of The Aetna Powder Plant at North Birmingham, a unit of The Hercules Powder Company, by whom our son, Sereno G. Norton is employed in their experiment station at Kenvil, New Jersey, where we are visiting. Mr. Chase was superintendent of the Bacchus, Utah, plan of the Hercules Company, where our son was employed for about two years and both he and his wife became intimate friends and close neighbors of the Chase's. Before he went to Bacchus Mr. Chase held an important position with The Hercules Company at Kenvil, he then lived at Dover, N. J., about four miles from Kenvil. There he met and married his wife who with their little son are visiting with her parents at Dover, and many other friends in the vicinity. They will leave for home in a few days, going via steamer from New York to Jacksonville, and by rail to Birmingham, where they expect to arrive at the end of their two weeks vacation. They are delightful people, whom we hope some day to welcome to our Thorsby home.

Ten Weeks To Grow a Crop! Can our Alabama farmers beat it? Many of our readers will remember our detailed description of preparation of the soil and sowing a field of millet near our temporary home during the last days of June. Today we passed the field and saw that it had been mowed as hay, and was already raked and piled into Hayvocks. We stopped to examine it and found that the stalks and leaves make splendid hay, something between Johnson grass and Timothy hay, while the head of each stalk, three or four inches long and more than 1-4 inch diameter is filled with seed, which many people use to feed their pet birds and is rich grain for horses, mules or stock. All grown in ten weeks and upwards of a ton per acre. More than this, there is a good root growth and the stubble to plow in for fertilizer for the next crop which might well be winter wheat. As we ride about we see many fields of Buckwheat, another short time crop, now in full bloom. Buckwheat makes a superior kind of griddle cakes, when properly ground as most any northern person will tell you, or it would be profitable to let hogs and chickens harvest it and trample down the straw to plow under.

Our Alabama soil needs deeper plowing, with ore power, horse, mule or tractor to do it, and more humus, rotting vegetation, to hold moisture and prevent leaching out of the commercial fertilizer used. Short-time crops will help a lot in this matter.

After 21 years residence in Thorsby, we know right well that we have farmers who practice these essentials in their work, but they are still so few that it makes but little difference with our aggregate annual output.

We wish our Alabama farmers could see some of these New Jersey farms. Nowhere will you find scrub stock. Dairying is one industry very prevalent here, and as we ride around we see their herds of Holsteins, great big cows with their peculiar black and white coats, and bags as big as a bushel basket. When in full milk these cows give down two to four gallons at a milking, and good milk too as we know from daily use of it on our table. They are probably the best general purpose bovine stock a man can grow. For milk, butter or beef, they are superb. No farmer here has any use for a 900-pound horse; mules are seldom seen on farms here. We have seen one yoke of oxen, big fellows, not runts. Their teams can pull a 12-in. plow cutting six inches deep, all day long, and they turn the soil upside down, not set up on edge. Their growing season is not more than half what Alabama farmers have, and yet they live well in comfortable houses. Their big barns are filled to overflowing, their stock is well cared for, and when they have something to sell it is usually high-grade and brings the best market prices. They do not depend on one crop farming; their farms are not large, while land is worth from two to three hundred dollars per acre, and taxes are around five dollars per hundred, he must work his land for all there is in it, to make money. While the Alabama farmer buys and almost wholly depends on commercial fertilizer, the New Jersey farmer is manufacturing tons of the very best kind, by growing crops he can feed to cattle, sheep and hogs or chickens, building meat and eggs for cash, and putting his home made fertilizer back on the land. By his method his farm grows more fertile each year, because he does not rob the roil, but makes deposits in his soil bank that he can draw on to carry on his business.

In one respect the New Jersey farmer has a great advantage. His market is close at hand for anything he can produce that humans can use. We are daily served by truck growers with vegetables they raise. Even in winter, since most of them have frost-proof cellars for storing apples and vegetables. Our milkman has a big route he serves with milk from his own herd and bottled on his own premises under state supervision.

We see but small change for improvement for any Alabama farmer who cannot cultivate a wider vision, and for self-protection, be willing to co-operate with others not only in marketing what he produces, but in getting top prices for what he grows by having an interest in factories that will turn it into finished products. That's where the money is made. All over this northland, be it city or village, you find factories, many of them buy the products of Southern farmers, turn it into finished products and send it back for him to buy at many times what he received for it.

Here is an illustration from our own experience. We bought from one of our Thorsby merchants a shirt. It appeared to be of good quality and we paid $2.00 for it. We wore it until it became soiled and had it washed. We noticed it had lost so much of its weight that we were curious to know just how much it did weigh anyway. Having a postal scale which weighs very accurately, we put it on, and found we had exactly four ounces of cotton in the shirt. $2.00 for four ounces is $8.00 per pound, $800 per 100, $4000 per bale. Of course we must deduct from this a liberal allowance for transportation, waste in working it up, interest on capital invested, expenses in salaries and labor, incidentals such as insurance and taxes, costs of selling and whatever else should be drawn from it, in order to successfully conduct the business, but against this we must consider what can be gotten out of about 1000 pounds of seed which belongs to every 500-pound bale of cotton, and it is by no means a small item.

In a recent letter we said something about the manufacture of artificial silk. We have since learned from a reliable source that the material used for this purpose is the fuzz left on cotton seed as it comes from the gin. We still have the oil and oil cake, or perhaps the cotton seed meal.

After considering all these factors, does it not appear entirely probable that there is still a big margin for net profit for every item of manipulation in turning this raw material into finished product.

Nature has endowed Alabama with untold wealth in raw material, but comparatively few of her citizens have availed themselves of the benefits to be derived from converting it into finished products, hence the poverty of most of them.

Having spent upwards of thirty years in a manufacturing business we know whereof we speak, or write, and we fully believe the day is coming when either her own citizens or others, if they fail to grasp their opportunities, will reap the harvests waiting to be gathered.

A sojourn in this land which has profited by using the gifts which God has placed within the reach of mankind and endowed him with power to use, creates within us an intense desire and an earnest prayer that our home folks may secure to themselves these God-given bounties.

GIFT FOR PRINCE

HERE we have Pete Vandermeer, an American cowboy, pictured on the dock at Wembley, England with a special broncho—a splendid specimen of horse flesh which he later presented to his majesty, the Prince of Wales. Pete was a member of the American Rodeo squad which contended for honors in the recent International Rodeo held in the English city.

At the time this picture was made, Pete and the peppy-looking broncho in his tow, had just stepped from the ocean liner to stretch and recover their "land legs." That broncho sure is a beauty but the way it holds its ears back, we fear the Prince of Wales is going to have many hair raising experiences on its back. Reports, however, have it that this majesty is very much pleased with the "hoss" and appreciates the generosity of his American cowboy friends.

SHILOH SINGING

I wish to announce that the singing at this place will be on next Sunday, P. M. September, 14th instead of September 21, on account of the county singing convention meeting at Sardis on the third Sunday.

Professors W. M. DeVaughn, I. D. Huett and O. L. DeVaughn will be present. Also a number of other visiting singers.

Everybody come out and bring your 1924 song books and do your best to make this singing one of the best.

Singing will begin at 2:30 o'clock. Come out and help make it one that is really worth while.

SECRETARY.

Scientific Battle Being Waged!

Scientisis all over the country are fighting the perils of bubonic plague. There is a danger of this plague hitting us unless rats are DESTROYED at once. They must be wiped out! Every one help! Use Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake. Quickest results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co.Clanton Ala., and Cooper Drug Co. Cooper Ala.

PLEASANT GROVE

There will be a singing at this place Sunday afternoon, Sept. 14th.

The church is about seven and one half miles Southeast of Clanton, on the Clanton and Billingsley road.

This is the first meeting of the society since it was organized, and the writer is indeed glad to know that the people of Pleasant Grove Community have seen fit to organize a society.

It was my pleasure and happy privilege to stand before the swift little class at this place, for twenty days as teacher this summer, and I know I can safely say that more interest was shown by both the young and old than I believe I ever saw manifested before at any place.

It was the first school to be held at that place in several years and from that we know that the cause of singing and also the society at this place are yet in the earliest stage.

So let's everybody that can try to be over there next Sunday afternoon to help them get started off, and to prove by our presence that we are interested in them and are wishing the, "God speed" with the noble work of singing.

Very truly yours,
A. D. HUETT.

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NOTICE!

I wish to announce to all my friends and customers that I have just received a carload of No. 10 Spencer Friction Top Syrup Cans. Anybody needing syrup cans will save money by coming to my store.

I also carry a full line of Hardware, with many other bargains. Call and see me.

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With each and every cash purchase at this store amounting to $1.00 we will give the customer a free chance on the Music Master now on exhibition at our store.

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Clanton, Alabama.

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court In Equity.

Bertha Bice, Complaint, vs. Chester Bice, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said Chester Bice to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 22nd day of September, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a degree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 21st day of August, 1924.

SPIGENER, Register.

8-28-4tc

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct 15, Chilton County, Alabama on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924. Said stock law election shall be held for the purpose of determining by the qualified electors of said precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said precinct as provided by law. Said election shall be held at E. G. Caldwell's Storehouse at Pletcher, Alabama, and also at Culp's School House in said precinct.

Said election shall be held in accordance with and as provided by Article 1 of Chapter 345 of the Code of 1923 of the State of Alabama.

This the 11th day of August, 1924.

W. S. COX,
M. L. MILFORD,
Petitioners.

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NOTICE—NOTICE—NOTICE

There will be a Horse and Automobile Trading Convention at Midway on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 19th and 20th. Free Camp Houses, pastures and water for your stock. Saturday, the 20th will be Auction day. W. W. Fox, the famous auctioneer, will be there. Bring anything you have to sell and buy anything you want to buy. Good old-fashioned camp stew and barbecue served on the ground, and all kinds of refreshments. Everybody come and lets have a good time.

Judge L. H. Reynolds will make a public address on Friday, the 19th. Be sure and hear it.

B. B. COOPER.

PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, September 20th, 1924 at 10 A. M. I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the Barbour School property which includes three acres of land in the Southeast corner of the Southeast fourth of the Southwest fourth of Section 8, Township 21, Range 14 together with the building thereon and the crop raised during the year 1924. Sale will be held on the property.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

And Tenants Sustaining Damages Along the Birmingham and Montgomery Highway.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court will meet at Lomax on the south end of the newly constructed Birmingham and Montgomery Highway on Friday the 12th day of September, 1924, at 9:00 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of inspecting and adjusting the damages claimed by the different parties to their crops and other damages.

We urge all interested parties to meet the Court on their premises along the Highway after 9:00 o'clock on this date. The property damaged will be looked over as it is reached along the Highway and we will probably reach the Chilton County line about 12:00 o'clock.

No cases where compensation was assessed for damages under the condemnation proceedings will be reopened, and only damages to the crops and other property which was not condemned will be considered.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Chm.
Court of County Commissioners,
Chilton County.

Smilin' Charlie Says

"Th' bird who falls in love with himself ain't gonna have no 'alienated affection' cases on his hands - - -"

BATTLEFIELD OF ANTIETAM VISITED BY LOCAL MARINE

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—Viewing the old battlefield where the armies of McClellan and Lee fought for supremacy in the Civil War, Russell Clarence Peterson, son of Mr. Martin C. Peterson of Thorsby, Chilton County, Ala., is with the U. S. Marines who traveled afoot and by motor truck 125 miles from their barracks at Quantico, Va., to hold field exercises at Antietam.

On this historic spot near Sharpsburg, Md., the Marine Corps Expeditionary Force, commanded by Brigadier General Dion Williams, is reenacting some of the incidents of the famous battle, using modern military weapons while skirmishing over the ground where the blue and gray soldiers fought in 1862.

Field exercises, reviews, parades and visits to nearby points of interest form a lively program of events, which will end when the force returns to Quantico late this month, after an absence of nearly 4 weeks. The Marines will encamp overnight at selected places along the route.

Russell is 19 years old and was born at Thorsby. He joined the Marine Corps at Birmingham several months ago, and is now with the 20th Company 5th Regiment. Several young men from Alabama are taking part in the exercises.

THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH.

Under an ad for gasoline
The village smithy stands;
He's agent for the Jinx machine
And several other brands.
He hasn't shod a horse for years
For fear he'd soil his hands.

Hewears a gold watch on his wrist,
A pearl pin in his tie;
His links are made of amethyst—
The finest he could buy.
There's not a thing the smithy wears
That dosn't please the eye.

Week in, week out, from morn to night
He sees the autos come,
With brakes that are not working right
And axles on the bum,
With gas, repairs and grease and oil
He makes a tinty sum.

He has a staff of skilled men
That numbers twenty-four,
Who toil from 6 a. m. 'till 10,
And sometimes even more.
The smithy never does a stroke—
He thinks that work's a bore.

The children coming home from school
Look in at the open door,
And laugh to see some city fool
Set up an awful roar,
When called to pay a whooping bill
The smithy has soaked him for.

He goes on Sunday to the Kirk,
His mind quite free from cares,
Because his men are hard at work
With punctures and repairs.
And if the weather's fine and warm
The smith says grateful prayers.

Oiling, refilling and repairing—
Onward through life he goes.
And never once despairing
So long as his income grows.
Each night the thought of some one
Augments his sweet repose.

—Percy Waxman in Harper's.

Wouldn't Eat The Best Grain!

Charles Parkins says "Rats were overrunning our feed store destroying grain and everything. I heard about Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake, put it around and now they wouldn't come near the store to eat the best grain. It did wonderful work for me." Get a package today. Sold and Guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co. Clanton, Ala. and Cooper Drug Co. Cooper, Ala.

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STEAM BOILER For Sale—in good condition; will sell cheap. Apply to J. M. VanDerveer, Clanton, Ala.

HOUSE FOR RENT—One six-room house on Eighth Street, in front of Mr. Shaw's home. Apply at home of Sheriff Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala. tf

FOR SALE—1 6 room house and 2 lots four blocks of depot, Thorsby, Ala. Apply to D. M. Paxon agent Thorsby, Ala. 9-11-5t-p.

WANTED—Man with auto, to sell direct. Good pay with bonus. Steady work. Local or near-by territory. Write or apply in person, 215 First Nat. Bank Bldg. Montgomery. 9-11-1tp.

LOST—On Aug. 25th, black leather suitcase containing ladies' and six-year-old boy clothes. Lost at or near Ellis' Filling Station. Finder will be paid liberal reward for their return to The Union-Banner office, Clanton, Ala. 11-2t-c.

MUSIC TEACHING—I am giving piano lessons Tuesday and Friday of each week across street from High school building in the Ed Plier residence. If interested, please see me and arrange for lesson period. Examination and credit units will be given.—Mrs. M. C. Norrell. 1t-p.

LAND FOR SALE—80 acres, 1 mile east of Coopers, 1-2 mile from a church, 3-4 mile of good school; 2 good dwelling houses 3 rooms each, good barns, good running lasting water; will produce 1-2 bale cotton to acre or more; 35 acres open land, good pasture. If interested, apply to J. B. Jones, Cooper, Ala., 8-29-5t-pd

LOST MULE—Left my place about six and one half weeks ago; dark red color with big long ears and long tail about 6 or 7 in. main, right shoulder enlarged, weight about 950 age about 12 years, few gray hairs in face and touchless about ears; will pay $10.00 reward for his recovery.

P. D. HEADLY,
Jemison, Ala.
9-11-2t-p Route 4, Box 38.

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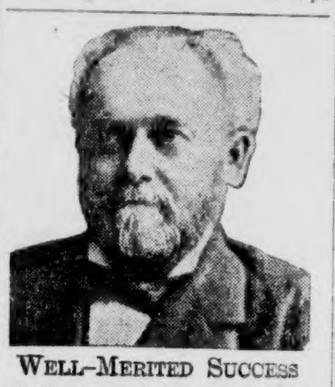
FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, 10 acres level orange land, well improved truck and poultry farm, good 4-room house and out buildings, 1-4 mile of corporation line of Robertsdale, Ala. Reason for selling, going into other business. J. W. HARRELL,
9-11-4t-pd. Robertsdale, Ala.

LOST—Diamond-shaped Frat. pin, with two rubbies in setting, initials inside of pin "R. R. C." Lost down town Monday p.m., after No. 80. Finder bring to Banner office and be rewarded. 1t-pd.

LOST—Leather hand bag, in or near Clanton, Thursday morning. Finder please return to Exchange Hotel and receive reward. 1t-pd.

FOR SALE CHEAP—12-h.p. International Gasoline Engine, in good shape. Call and see W. E. Plier, Clanton Route 8. 9-11-2t-pd



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TAX NOTICE!

COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924, and assessing Taxes for the year 1925.

Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 2, 1924
Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 3, 1924
Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 4, 1924
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 6, 1924
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 7, 1924
Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 8, 1924
Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 9, 1924
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 10, 1924
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 11, 1924
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 13, 1924
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 14, 1924
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 15, 1924
Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 16, 1924
Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 17, 1924
Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 18, 1924
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Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1924.

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THORSBY SECTION

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One of the most delightful events of the season was a miscellaneous shower, given last Friday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Each in honor of Miss Lorena Graham, the charming daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Graham. Miss Graham is to be married September 18th.

The house was prettily decorated the scheme color being yellow and white. As the guests arrived each was asked to register in the Brides Book. Mrs. C. R. Foss presided at the piano and as the music began Miss Graham, accompained by Misses Edith Robinson and Mary Ellen Gerald, marched to the seat of honor under an arch in yellow and white, Mrs. Ethel Lovelady gave a very touching and yet humorous address, composed in ryhme, telling of Miss Lorena's courtship extending over several years and how despite the "social rules" of Thorsby Institute Miss Graham was about to wed John Ford. Masters Leonard Boseworth and Carl Foss, two little three year olds drew in a well loaded "Ford" wagon of gifts and placed it before the bride to be. After the gifts were opened and admired, delicious refreshments were served to a large number of guests.

The following taken from the Laporte, Ind., Hearld will be of interest to many Thorsby friends, Mrs. Palmer being formerly of Thorsby:—

Palmer - Peterson

A pretty home wedding took place at 8:30 Saturday evening, when Miss Ruth Peterson, daughter of Mrs. Emily S. Peterson, became the bride of Albert L. Palmer. The single ring ceremony was read before an altar of palms and flowers, arranged in the living room, by the Rev. A. M. Nelson, pastor of the Bethany Lutheran church. Miss Naemi Turnquist of Thorsby and Miss Florence Thorson of Maseca, Minn., sang a duet "I love you truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bond preceding the ceremony. Miss Turnquist played Mendelssohn's Wedding March for the entry of the bridal party. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Carl Peterson, wore a charming frock of pondre blue canton crepe with lace of white roses. She was attended by Miss Ruth Siljestrom of Chicago as maid of honor. Miss Siljestrom wore blue beaded georgette and carried pink roses. Clarence Patriquin served as best man.

A four-course wedding dinner was served following the ceremony. Appointments were made for 21 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer left Saturday night for an automobile trip to Washington, D. C., and other eastern points of interest, after which they will make their home here. The bride groom is employed at the J. C. Perry store, and Mrs. Palmer was employed at the U. S. Slicing Machine Co.'s office.

Miss Alma Lefstead left Sunday morning to take up her work as a teacher at Myrtlewood, Marengo county, Alabama.

Miss Mabel Howard gave a party at her home last evening. The following guests were present: Misses Rosa and Anna Nelson, Mary Ella and Iola Gerald, Beatrice Johnson, Esther Johnson, and Messrs. Waldemar Lefstead, Palmer Lefstead, Martin Nelson, Varner Carlson, George Johnson, Varner Carlson and rnold Soberg. Refreshments were served late in the evening.

Thorsby Public School opened on Monday morning with the following teachers in charge: Prof. C. M. Williams, principal; Miss Lena Franklin, grammar grade; Miss Jessie Mims, intermediate; and Miss Etta Foshee, primary. A large attendance is expected for this year.

Misses Mary Ella Gerald and Margaret Butler left Tuesday morning for Demorest, Ga., where they will attend Piedmont College.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adams and little daughter, Elizabeth, were visitors at the C. M. Williams home last Sunday.

Mr. Nels Nelson left Monday for Auburn, where he will take up his school work as a student.

Mrs. A. E. Reagan and two young nieces, Kathryn and Edith Foss were visitors in Birmingham last Friday and Saturday.

Rev. J. C. Whorton and Jimmie Goeman were visitors at the home of Wm. Billingsley last Friday.

Mr. John Ford of Binghampton, N. Y., arrived in Thorsby Monday and spent two days here. They will go on to Montgomery for a short visit.

Miss Anna Werness and Mr. Carl Langville and family were visitors at the home of Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Mr. Carey Martin moved into the Gulledge Hotel building last week and will run a boarding house.

Mr. Tom Leslie spent last week in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lucas of West Blocton visited at the home of their sister, Mrs. Ed Piper, last week.

Mrs. Harry Thompson, now of Birmingham, is spending a week in Thorsby at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Paxson.

Miss Naemi Turnquist and little niece, Ruth Foss, returned home last Saturday after having spent a month in LePorte, Ind., and Waseca, Minn.

Mr. P. W. Peterson of Texas was a visitor in Thorsby last week.

Miss Eunice Parnell, sister of Mrs. C. S. Wood, is spending some time visiting her sister in Thorsby.

At a meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association held at the theatre building, the following officers were elected: Mrs. C. H. Howard, president; Mrs. J. H. Goddard, vice-president; Mrs. C. E. Bice, treasurer and Miss Etta Foshee, secretary. The association voted a loan of $200 for use in completing the new school building.

Misses Jennie and Edith Robinson left Wednesday to attend Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn.

Miss Elizabeth Gilbert of Miami, Fla., arrived Tuesday to enroll as a student at Thorsby Institute.

Don't forget the town election to be held Monday, Sepember 15th, at which a mayor and five aldermen will be elected.

Miss Esther Johnson, who has been spending the summer in Birmingham and Louisville, Ky., arrived home last Friday. She expects to leave again in about a week to take up college work.

An experiment in highway work, which is expected to determine whether treatment of sand-clay road surfaces with oil will do away with dust and mud, and at the same time prove as cheap, as renewing a sandy-clay surface, is now being carried out by the state highway department near Banks, Pike county, on the Bee Line highway. At this point oil is being placed on about a mile of sand-clay road. The oil was donated by the Standard Oil company. It may be found that by oiling sand-clay roads will maintain them adequately at less or no greater expense than resurfacing every 12 months, at the same time doing away with dust and mud.

For the first time in her history Alabama has passed the billion-dollar mark in taxable values, according to tabulations made by the state tax commission. This represents a large increase over the 1923 assessment and will result in swelling to the total receipts from ad valorem taxes. Beginning right after October 1 the special agents will start on the quadrennial appraisement of all property in the state, and it is believed that when they are through the present billion-dollar mark will have been largely exceeded.

Mr. W. D. Duff, Joe Alois and Edd Boiles of Birmingham spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bruce.

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY OF CLANTON COUPLE

Many friends over the State will be interested in the fact that last Sunday marked the golden anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Foshee of Clanton.

The date falling on Sunday, would not really have deterred them from celebrating the event. The chances are there would have been no celbration any way; for these substantial folks enjoy one another fully and are not given over to idle demonstration. Mr. Foshee loved the "slip of a girl" whom he made his wife fifty years ago. Parental objections had amounted to naught. The newly-weds fled to a distant State, established a home and sought prosperity. Fortune favored. Efforts of those years bear the fruit that alleviates the discomforts of age.

The Foshee home was blest with two children. The son grew to manhoow, became married, and shortly thereafter died. Blanche Foshee was wed to Renfro Mullins of Clanton. There are three children of this household, a daughter and two sons. These are the grand children of Mr. and Mrs. Foshee. They attend school in Montgomery. Marzelle Mullins is of the 1925 class of the Womans College.

On the morning their golden anniversary, Mr. Foshee made his accustomed trip to the post office, then spent probably an idle hour planning a minor fishing trip. Mrs. Foshee attended her church services. He is a big-hearted fellow, who ever responds to the needs of the less fortunate. She has ever been a leader in any work for the promotion of church and public welfare.

During Sunday afternoon, friends called on the bride and groom of fifty years to extend congratulations and to express best wishes. These friends listened with interest to the rehearsal of old time experiences.

Mrs. Foshee was induced to read "Retrospection," a poem that she lately composed, from which the following lines are taken:

A maid and her lover embarked on Hyman's Sea;
Light-hearted, hopeful and happy was she.
Though the journey was clouded by the farewell scene;
Fond parents were cold, and stern was their mein.
Young Lochinvar embraced his fair and girlish wife;
He swore that she would ever be dearer than life.

The Reaper came one dismal day—
Angels took our precious son away.
We are grateful for the daughter, who with us remains,
Brightening the remnant of our life as it wanes.

Our grand-children! How precious are they,
Affording more and more comfort on each succeeding day.
Till in fancy, life's panorama gleams with a roseate hue,—
But Lochinvar calls! Yes, dear, I knew 'twas you.

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SPECIAL PROGRAM TO BE HELD HERE BY BAPTIST S. S.

Missionary Program to be Put on by Students on Sunday, September 28th, 1924.

The year's work of the Canton Baptist Sunday School, under the superintendency of Mr. G. C. Armstrong and the present corps of teachers, will close in a few weeks, and Mr. Armstrong and his teachers are planning to present the pupils in a special missionary program on Sunday, September 28th. The classes will assemble at the usual hour, 9:45, and the special program will begin at 10:20. The special program of the pupils of the school will last about 40 minutes, after which Dr. Ezell, the pastor, will take charge and make a talk along the lines of the mission idea.

Mr. Armstrong especially requests the parents of his pupils and members of the church to be present at this hour. He is winding up this year's work as Superintendent, and he and the 27 teachers of the school want you to come out and see what your children have been doing at Sunday School the past year. These 27 faithful teachers and the devoted Superintendent have done lots of hard and conscientious work in training over 200 pupils in all classes. The average attendance of the junior department, in which there are 13 teachers, for the past year is 109. The average attendance in the senior department is less, although there are more enrolled in this department than in the junior.

One can readily see from the above figures that the teachers and superintendent have had a tremendous job on their hands, which has required lots of tedious and persistent work. So, every parent is urged to show your appreciation by coming out and witnessing this program on Sunday, September 28th. The public has a cordial invitation to attend.

WHISKEY, BEER AND BRANDY CAPTURED BY LAW OFFICERS

Sheriff Littlejohn, with the help of W. H. Gillespie, Harvey Foshee and Law Enforcement Officers Smith and Tranum poured out five 60-gallon barrels of beer near the home of Hamp Foshee, between Adams and Stanton last Wednesday morning. The still had been removed.

On the same day the officers went up near Waldrop School House in the north-west part of the county and destroyed part of a still together with ten barrels of beer. While they were making this raid the officers heard some guns shoot a mile or two away, which they took to be signals from a spy to the operators of another still. The officers rushed over there and found that the operators had just taken off part of the still and left seven barrels of peach and apple beer and three gallons of peach brandy.

On Saturday afternoon the sheriff caught Walt Smith in the swamp between town and Uncle Lige Parrish's with about a quart of whiskey. There was another fellow with Smith but he got away. As Smith was running from the officers he broke his bottle of whiskey and thoroughly saturated the front of his clothes with it. Smith was arrested and made bond.

COMMISSIONERS AWARD POOR HOUSE CONTRACT

At the special session of Commissioners Court last Thursday it was decided that the same old houses on the county poor farm be rebuilt and used for the present. A new house will be built for the keeper, and a dining hall will also be built.

The contract for keeping the paupers for the next 12 months was let to Mr. W. C. Burnett of New Salem, the consideration being $11.00 per month.

THANKS TOWN OFFICIALS

The Civic Improvement Club wishes to take this opportunity to thank the town officials for the nice thorough clean-up of the Clanton Cemetery. The walks and the enclosures and in perfect shape, and the removal of some unsightly trees and shrubbery makes quite an attractive appearance. The Club also wishes to thank Mrs. Kicker, the general chairman, who has given generously of her time and effort for weeks superintending and assisting in this work.

STORM DOES BIG DAMAGE THROUGH STATE OF GEORGIA

Whole Village In Georgia Is Wiped Out by Wind; Nine Inches Rain Falls In One Hour

Macon, Ga., Sept. 16.—Two persons were dead and a half dozen or more others injured as a result of the storm that has been sweeping through southern Georgia.

In Nashville, Ga., tonight, an electric wire that had been torn loose last night, crippling the electric light service, fell when the current was turned on and killed R. M. Crism, 65, proprietor of a general store.

The storm reached the proportions of a tornado in the vicinity of Browntown, 25 miles from Brunswick and killed one person and injured a half dozen others. The five-year-old daughter of William Penn, timekeeper for the Hercules Powder Co., was killed instantly.

The Penn home was demolished. Mrs. Penn was badly injured as was an infant daughter. A half dozen other homes near the Penn residence were wrecked.

Three negroes were caught under the debris of one building, all of them sustaining injuries.

The tornado struck the village about 10 a.m., and lasted only a short time. Physicians from nearby towns hastened to the scene to render aid. They reported tonight that every building in the little town had been blown down.

In Thomasville a record rainfall was reported, nearly nine inches in 24 hours. Similar reports were received from Valdosta and other towns along the Florida line.

No one was injured in other cities in southern Georgia, so far as can be ascertained tonight though many of the towns are cut off from the outside world, wires being down. The roads are impassable.

TUSCALOOSA G.O.P. PUTS OUT A TICKET IN THAT COUNTY

Effort will be Made to Elect Members of the County Board of Revenue.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Sept. 15.—Dr. J. H. Cooper, chairman of the Tuscaloosa County Republican Executive Committee, announces that a ticket in opposition to members of the county board of revenue nominated in the Democratic primary will be placed in the field in the Novmber general election. It was also announced that Allison P. Scogins, Republican, has qualified as elector from the sixth congressional district in the presidential election. Members announced for the board of revenue are C. M. Ayers, M. L. Franch and J. E. McCorry. Alison P. Scogins was chosen to make the race as a member of the county board of education.

SUGGESTION ABOUT ROADS

I would suggest that each road supervisor report to his commissioner in his district the number of public roads in his Beat, also the number of miles of roads and bridges in his Beat, the number of miles of roads that is on record not correct. There has been a number of roads discontinued and some new roads added on. This can be done without any cost to the county.

Yours truly,
C. T. WALKER.

DR. GRAGG AND OLD COUNCIL RE-ELECTED BY CITY MONDAY

At the municipal election in Clanton Monday, Dr. V. J. Gragg was re-elected mayor over Dr. J. P. Hayes with a majority of 30 votes. The same council was also re-elected by big majorities over those of the new ticket. The councilmen, who were re-elected were: J. B. Atkinson, Dr. N. S. Johnson, J. Watts Moore, J. P. Lawrence and M. L. White.

This election was the culmination of quite a heated little political campaign between the present city administration and the new ticket headed by Dr. J. P. Hayes.

TAKES BALE OF COTTON AWAY FROM MAN'S FIELD

Last Monday night, Mr. W. O. Deloach left a bale of seed cotton piled up near the highway on his place below town. He went there the next morning to get the cotton only to find that someone had come there with a truck and hauled it off during the night. So far as we could learn, no trace can be made of the thief.

UNION GROVE

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me space in your valuable paper to say a few words of this place.

Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching days. Two interesting sermons were delivered by our pastor, Rev. W. P. Lowery.

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a very good crowd, considering the weather, and we had a good singing. Directors for the afternoon were E. L. Glasscock, Gresham Lowery, O. B. Robinson, Enoch Foshee, Akins Collins and A. H. Glasscock. Organists were Misses Emma Campbell and Myrtle Dorminey.

We had with us Rev. Robert E. Massey of Tarrant City, who made a very interesting talk after the directors had sung. Bro. Massey has been helping in a revival at Oak Hill for the past week and we were glad to have him with us.

The society will meet with Collins Chapel next Sunday. Let's every body go and help keep our society going and growing.

Miss Myrtle Dorminey of Birmingham spent the week end with home folks.

Misses Pearl Chandler and Vergie Cost spent Sunday with Miss Delene Collum.

Misses Mollie and Hattie Vinzant of Siluria spent Sunday with Misses Iris and Edna Robinson.

Messrs. Arthur and Bernie Chandler spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Eunice Harris and mother, of Calera spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Martin and family of Siluria was visiting in this community Sunday.

Misses Rebecca Dorminey and Amy Robinson dined with Misses Florence and Lula Cofer Sunday.

Mr. Leonrd Martin and Misses Euna Davis and Eunice Harris motored to Lock 12 Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

Miss Annice Davis spent a while with Miss Amy Robinson Sunday evening.

Mrs. Greene Dorminey spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Edna Robinson.

Miss Pearl Chandler visited Miss Lessie Vinzant Saturday afternoon.

ONE DAY'S COTTON RECEIPTS BREAK PREVIOUS RECORDS

Twelve Hundred Bales of New Crop Received by Alabama Farm Bureau; Better Prices Predicted.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 16.—12 hundred bales of new cotton were received by the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association Monday, making a new high record for one day's receipts in Montgomery.

Allen Northington, manger of the association, stated that four times as much new crop cotton had been received up to Monday as in the same period of last year. This statement was verified by President J. S. Kernachan and Treasurer H. S. Houghton of the association.

Mr. Northington added that he had just returned from a trip through Limestone, Madison, Marshall, Etowah, DeKalb and Cherokee counties and that the members of the Cotton association there were feeling very much satisfied over the prospects. The association will get considerably more cotton from these counties than last year, but will not be "dumped" on the present market, he said.

W. E. Ellsberry, well known planter of Montgomery county, who has been doing field work for the cotton association in ten counties of this district, reported Monday that the farmers are well satisfied with the work of the association and that all the cotton of the members will be pooled again this year. In addition many new members have been obtained throughout the district.

Better Prices Predicted.

The cotton association officers are not alarmed by the drop in cotton prices during the past ten days. They say that no power on earth can keep many farmers from rushing their cotton to market as fast as ginned in the fact of a forecasted 13,000,000 bale crop, and that there is no hope for better prices as ong as this dumping continues. While buyers in the country districts can get all the cotton they want at practically their own prices, the market is in a slump, but the volume of cotton offered is going to drop off in October, according to the best authorities, and later in the year the prices will be back to normal.

The fact that other states have suffered from prolonged drought and that the drought in Aabama has played havoc with the expected big production, is taken to indicate that cotton prices will be on the upturn after the next government estimate is published. Men close to the cotton farmers do not now look for a crop of 13,000,000 bales, in fact, thep say that if the other states were hit as badly as Alabama, they will be surprised to see the season wind up with 12,000,000 bales.

In view of the early restoration of European trading on a big scale and the probable demand of the world's consuming centers for twelve million bales, cotton association officers look to the future without any misgiving and they figure that good prices will be obtained by the time the association's cotton is marketed.

SOUTH CALERA

Miss Dora Campbell is now at home visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Campbell.

Miss Ruth Mooney of Columbiana come down Sunday to be ready to take up her school Monday morning. We are glad to have her back again in the community this year as a teacher.

Mr. E. D. Crim returned to Cherokee Bluff Thurgday to take up his work there.

Little Miss Aileen Crim returned home on last Sunday after a three week's visit to her aunt, Mrs. Badie Watts of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby of Pelham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. John Roberts of Pelham and Miss Inez Roberts spent Monday with Mrs. Vader Roberts of South Calera.

The revival meeting at the Methodist church in Calera closed Sunday night. Rev. Steil assisted Rev. Thornburg in the meeting.

Mrs. Jessie Cox spent last Thursday with Mrs. H. L. Foshee in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Badie Watts and children of Ensley were down last week visiting Mrs. Watts' mother, Mrs. E. D. Crim.

Mr. G. T. Lee and daughter, Olene, went to Birmingham to spend a few days this week.

MUSIC TEACHING

I am giving piano lessons Tuesday and Friday of each week across street from high school building in the Ed Plier residence. If interested please see me and arrange for lesson period. Examination and credit units will be given.

16-d MRS. M. C. NORRELL.

CLANTON SECTION IN BIRMINGHAM NEWS

Last Sunday a full page of buildings, people and natural scenes of Clanton was run in the gravure section of The Birmingham News. These pictures were very beautiful and showed very strikingly some of the beauty of our little city.

The Birmingham News is to be commended for the spiendid work it is doing in placing before the public the beautiful side of the towns and cities of the State. Their gravure section is quite an attractive adjunct to that great publication.

FORD TURNED OVER

Last Saturday morning Allie Easterling, son of Lewis Easterling, brought his father to town in their Ford car. As the boy was returning something went wrong with the car in front of the home of Mr. John Parrish and it turned over. The top and wind shield of the car were demolished, but Allie was unhurt. It hurt Lewis worse than it did Allie, although he was in town when it happened.

PAUPERS FEWEST IN LAST 20 YEARS IN UNITED STATES

Number Drops from 84,198 in 1910 to 78,090 on January 1, Last Year.

Washington, Sept. 16.—There are fewer paupers in alms houses in the United States than there have been in the last 20 years and the number per 100,000 of population is smaller than it ever has been in the history of the country as far as the government's records show.

There were 78,090 paupers in alms house on January 1 last year compared with 84,198 in 1910, when the last census of the kind was taken the census bureau announced today. The number per 100,000 of population was 71.5 as compared with 101.5 in 1910 and 130.0 in 1880.

WM. R. BAKER PETITIONED FOR COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

At the mass meeting last Saturday at the court house, there were more than one hundred Republicans present from every beat in the county. As announced, the purpose of the meeting was to consider and advise regarding the filling of the vacancy on the school board caused by the resignation of L. A. Calloway. A petition was drawn up at this mass meeting and unanimously signed by those present requesting that the name of Wm. R. Baker be entered on the official ballot next November.

Mr. Baker was a candidate for the county board of education in the Republican primary election in May, this year, he having stood second among the four candidates for this office. In the primary election Mr. Baker received 212 first-choice and 7 second-choice votes. The meeting expressed itself as being very much in favor of Mr. Baker being the candidate for this vacancy.

CHICAGO-FLORIDA HIGHWAY TO PASS THROUGH CLANTON

Representatives of the Association Were In Clanton Last Thursday In Interest of Road.

Representatives of the Chicago-Florida Highway Association, A. B. Steward, the assistant manager, and B. D. Robinson, special correspondent for the Pensacola News, in a talk with the editor last week, stated that it is the intention of the association to include Clanton on the route of this cross-country highway.

They arrived in Clanton and remained here over night last Thursday. Mr. Steward is driving the Pathfinding Car of the association north to Nashville on a logging trip. The Route, or Log Book which they are compiling will contain write-ups of all the towns and cities along the way, as well as detailed tourist information concerning roads, hotels, garages, etc. The mention of hotels, garages and tourist camps along the way will compose the Log Book's nearest approach to advertising, as the Chicago-Florida Highway Association will defray the expenses of compiling and distributing these books by the thousands.

The aim of this association is, of course, the directing of tourist travel from the Middle Northern and other states north of the Ohio through the towns along their route during the fall and winter season of tourist travel to the peninsula of Florida. The association is composed of influential men in the towns along the way who see no reason why this, the most direct route from Chicago to Florida, should not be made to pay large returns in traveling expenses paid out by tourists on their way south.

The highway is being adequately pathfound, posted with signs, and extensively advertised in those sections where the traffic originates and it is confidently predicted by the traffic experts sponsoring the highway that at least fifty thousand cars can be routed south over this route during the coming season.

The state of Alabama will be crossed from its northern to its southern boundary by the highway, and every possible means of co-operation with the association should be taken advantage of by the towns and people along the way.

NEWS NOTES FROM THE CENTRAL ALA. HOSPITAL

Mrs. Charlie Lee Bailey is doing nicely and will be out in a few days.

Bill Stephens Mahan, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mahan, is apparently much improved.

Mrs. Della Ellison was admitted last week and is improving.

Mrs. Lucian Duncan and little daughter, Betsy Anne, are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Mattie Cooper was discharged Tuesday.

Mrs. John Mims, who is suffering from a severe burn, is resting well.

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GOD'S PROVISION FOR MAN'S NEED

Editor Union-Banner:

It has been in my heart for some time to write a few lines to your paper in regard to God's provision for fallen man. God has provided thru His son, Jesus Christ, salvation for every man. We see in Genesis, man is created in the image and likeness of His creator. We see him disobeying God; we see him outside of Eden fallen in sin.

We see him in Exodus not only out side of Eden but we see him fallen into the hands of an awful enemy. Now, how is he to escape? How is he to be justified and redeemed? How is he to be brought back into Canaan? Only God could answer such questions, and this he did in the blood of the slain lamb, which was a type of the lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world in the person and work of our Lord Jesus Christ. There is an infinite fullness in the blood of the everlasting covenant. Heaven's highest claims are met; man's deepest necessity is met, both as a sinner and as a worshiper through the precious shed blood.

God is glorified, man is redeemed, saved, justified and brought into fellowship with God to be kept near His wounded side. Man in himself is guilty, unclean and sinful, and he needs a sacrifice to remove his guilt, cleanse him from his sins and to fit him for the holy presence of God. Man finds all in the precious shed blood of the Son of God. Without the shedding of blood, there is no remission. In order to approach God we must have our sin cleansed and by that shed blood we are cleansed from all sin.—1st John 1:7. God is holy and man must be made like God to come into his holy presence; so we see in the blessed son of God that He provided redemption for man by his precious shed blood. He purged our sins, and being purged of our sins we can come into His holy presence and worship him in spirit and in truth.

After we have come and worshiped Him in his own way, we can go with out the camp witnessing to the world of His mighty power to save and to ceanse us from all sin.

May the Lord put His blessing upon this little message, and may somebody's heart be moved to seek the Lord, for there is redemption for all through the provision that God has made. Jesus accomplished all on the cross and went back to heaven, there to appear for us. And it won't be long until he appears in glory with us. May this lead you to seek Him. Amen.

W. P. MIMS.

Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

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"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

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CANDIDATE GETS ELECTED

Editor Union-Banner:

You know that we have got several candidates out for office, but little is being said about them. None of these candidates will know what their fate will be until November. But we have had one other candidate out up in this part of the county who has been kept very quiet. He has been a candidate for marriage more than a year and his companion for a running mate has been very eagerly sought. He has extended his canvassing through Bibb County, Autauga, Jefferson and Chilton.

He continuously announced that he stood for woman suffrage, but had almost given up the campaign. But finally he succeeded in locating one in Jemison; so on last Sunday morning about 8 o'clock Mr. O. P. Scott and Mrs. Sallie Reynolds were quietly joined together in matrimony in the presence of several friends, by Rev. J. N. Scott at his home. At 9:20 the bride and groom left on their honeymoon to spend a few days in Jefferson County. Of course their friends wish them much happiness and joy in their last days.

A FRIEND.

MISS MARION SEAWRIGHT

Whereas, God in His infinite wisdom saw fit to take from us, on August 12, 1924, a beloved member and co-worker in our Sunday School and church, Miss Marion Seawright, and whereas, we, the members of the Methodist Sunday School of Clanton, Ala., wish to make a public expression of our love and appreciation for her faithful services while with us and pay tribute to her cherished memory; be it threfore resolved:

First. That, in her death the Public School, Sunday School and church have lost a useful, esteemed and trustworthy friend, member and teacher, and that we mourn her loss.

Second. That we shall remember her with love and loyalty; that we may be convinced by her life and example that in a Christian life, death is but the passing from finite to eternal life; that we may draw a lesson from her noble character that Christian service is the outward expression of an inner life consecrated to the Master; and may be reminded that while to us the spare of her years was incomplete, to God her task was finished, so he called her to the fulfillment of the blessed promise, "Enter thou into the Joys of thy Lord.'

Third. We, the members of the Clanton Sunday School wish to extend to the family our deepest sympathy, hoping that it may comfort and console them in their bereavement.

Fourth. That a copy of these resolutions be read before the Sunday School, one sent to local papers, and another sent to the Alabama Christian Advocate, for pubication.

Respectfully submitted,

J. D. ATKINSON,
Mrs. BARNEY ROBERTS,
Mrs. R. C. McDAVID.

OLIVER - MANNING

A beautiful wedding of much interest to the many friends throughout this and Jefferson County was that of Mr. Cecil Oliver and Miss Bertha Manning, which was solemnized in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Manning, last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Buford Lawrence officiated.

The hall was artistically decorated with ferns and potted plants. She was becomingly attired in a beautiful fall suit of bue, and carried a large bouquet of roses at her left side. The groom wore a beautifu suit of blue, and also the little flower girl, Floritta Edwards, wore a beautiful dress of blue.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride put on a beautiful fall suit of gray, and they left for thir honeymoon. They will go to Monegomery and on to New Orleans and Miami, Fla., and back to Birmingham, where they both take up their same positions nd make their home.

Mrs. Manning is an accomplished young lady of this county and is loved by all who know her. She holds a position with the McCormack Bros. Motor Co., of Birmingham and has been there several years and has made lots of friends there.

Mr. Oliver is a fine young man of Mississippi. He is holding a high position with the First National Bank in Birmingham. He has been there several years, and after he went, his father and mother moved there.

The many friends and relatives of the couple wish them a long and happy life together.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"These up-side down pipes ain't no new innovation, sez Tim Murphy. He's been smokin' his that way f'r the last twenty years--"

W. A. Ruffin is the new entomologist for the Alabama Extension Service, with headquarters at Auburn. In extension work he succeeds Dr. W. E. Hinds who resigned last April to go to Louisiana.

SHILOH NEWS

In spite of the unfavorable weather the singing at this place Sunday afternoon was quite a success and enjoyed by a large crowd.

The society was called to order by chairman J. I. Bice who directed one song, led by prayer and appointed a committee to arrange the program.

The directors for the afternoon were: Misses Sela Hayes, Minnie Bice, Ila Mae Owens, Prof. F. I. Popwell, Charlie Carter of Clanton and Olen Bice. Organists for the afternoon were: Misses Josephine Vinson, Lela Hayes and Prof. F. I. Popwell.

We were very glad to have so many out, especially did we appreciate the presence of so many visitors from Clanton, Billingsley, Sardis and various other parts of the county. Here is hoping you will come again and bring your friends. You will always find a hearty welcome among these good people.

This society will meet on the third Sunday afternoon of each month at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

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POOR OR

FIELD SELECTION OF SEED CORN PAYS

Is the Only Place Where Seed Can Be Selected Intelligently; Rules Stated.

Auburn, Ala., Sept. 16.—Contrary to general practice, the proper time and place to select seed corn is in the field in the fall of the year rather than in the crib just before planting time in the spring, says Frtnk E. Boyd, Extension Agronomist.

There is no easier way to increase the yield per acre of corn than by selection of seed in the field. In this way ears from high-producing plants are selected. After all the crop is gathered and thrown into the crib it will be impossible to select choice ears from vigorous plants.

To insure a good stand of vigorous plants in the spring the best method is to lay away a good supply of fall selected seed. Any surplus on hand when planting time arrives can be disposed of at a fancy price as there is always a good demand for choice seed corn.

The following are six important points that should be heeded in selecting seed corn:

1. Select only from stalks having two good ears.
2. Select strong vigorous stalks which are neither broken, leaning, weak, nor diseased.
3. Select from hills having no missing hills adjoining.
4. Ears should be borne not too high on the stalk, and preferably hanging downward at maturity.
5. Make an effort to secure ears with long, close-fitting shucks.
6. Avoid excessively long or short shanks.

County agents assist farmers in this work.

Mr. W. S. Clark of Mt. Creek was in attendance at the mass meeting here last Saturday.

For 56 years the standard remedy for Chills, Fever and Ague, Dengue and other fevers has been Wintersmith's Chill Tonic. Taken at the first sign of these troubles, it wards them off. Fine to take after almost any illness; its tonic effect is always good. At your drug store; popular size, 60c; mammoth size big value, $1.00.

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OAK HILL.

Rev. R. E. Massey, pastor of the First Methodist church of Tarrant City, Ala., assisted by the pastor, Rev. Thornburg, has just closed one of the most successful revivals ever held at this place. Bro. Massey preached the old time gospels so forcefully that he kept his hearers almost spell bound throughout all his discourses, and it had its effect on both old and young alike. Many hearts were moved to rejoice in so much that they shouted praises to God in the old fashioned way. Souls were born into the Kingdom of God, back-sliders were reclaimed and the spiritual strength of the church greatly increased and wonderfully built up. Not only this particular church but all mmbers of other denominations who attended resolved by the grace and help of God to live closer and do more for Him than ever before.

An old time love feast took the place of Sunday School Sunday morning which was enjoyed by all present. It made us think of our childhood days when our fathers and mothers would go for many miles in wagons drawn by oxen to attend such services, for they were very much interested about the salvation of others as well as themselves. But how different it is now, for some people living in sight of the church will not go. They say they work so hard in the week days they don't feel like going on Sundays and by so doing bury the talents the Lord gave them. Others will not go because they have no automobile, and some who have automobiles do not have time.

It was our intention to run the meeting ten days or two weeks, but Bro. Massey had to go back and prepare for the annual conference which meets at his church soon. But he has promised to come back again some time in the near future and preach for us. Come and be with us; it will do you good.

WILL SING AT FRIENDSHIP ON FOURTH SUNDAY P. M.

The singing society of Friendship Baptist church will meet in regular session the fourth Sunday afternoon. It has been announced that Prof. W. M. Devaughn, Prof. L. T. Grant, Prof. O. L. Devaughn, and Prof. A. A. Beaird will be there to sing. All the good singers and lovers of sacred music are asked to meet these directors and join in singing praises to Jehovah. Everybody is invited.

UNCLE DOCK WELLS MARRIES COUPLE

On last Friday at the home of the bride's parents near Sardis, Mr. Albert Chadwick was married to Miss Ida Headley, the ceremony being performed by Uncle Dock Wells. The bride is the daughter of Mr. Bud Headley.

SARDIS NOTES

Rev. C. A. Taylor filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. He has faithfully served this church seven years.

The singing convention will meet here Saturday and Sunday. Everybody invited to come and co-operate with us as it is not often we have the pleasure of hearing singing in the old books. There wil be refreshments sold on Saturday, proceeds to go for benefit of church.

Our singing society still meets every first and third Sunday afternoon. Twenty-two of the class attended the singing at Shiloh Sunday afternoon. They report a nice time, but were disappointed as they were expecting to meet their teacher, Prof. I. D. Huett there.

Mr. H. L. Ratliff motored to Thorsby Saturday on business.

Mr. Arch Fisher and wife have returned to their home in Corbin, Ky.

Messrs. Charley Burnett, James Devers and E. J. Motes of New Cedron were visiting here Saturday night.

Mr. John Ratliff of near Selma was the guest of his parents Saturday night.

Mr. Charley Carter of Clanton spent Saturday night with his friend, Mr. H. L. Ratliff.

Mr. David Weaver of Selma Route 1, was visiting here Sunday.

Mr. Lee Smith has for his guest this week his brother from Dothan, Ala.

Mr. John Foshee of near Stanton made a pleasant call here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stenson and children, James and Woodroe, from California, visited relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. Holsey Hayes, wife and baby of Stanton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Klinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Milford have returned to their home in Birmingham after a pleasant visit to his parents and sister, Mrs. H. L. Ratliff, here.

Rev. C. A. Taylor and wife of Verbena spent Saturday night at the home of Mr. John Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Broadhead were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chambers of Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miford announce the birth of a fine baby boy.

Misses Ada and Irene Adams and Annie Mae Favors of Selma attended the revival meeting here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Walker of Burnsville were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. George Roebuck and children have returned to their home near Selma after an extended visit here.

Mr. G. B. Cran has bought him a new Ford truck.

Mr. John Ratliff and charming little children, Ruth Kate and Ismel, and sister, Miss Ola Ratliff made a pleasant call Saturday p.m. to Mrs. J. H. Hayes of near Maplesville.

Mr. Oscar Skinner of Selma was visiting home folks Sunday.

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THE FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION AND POLITICS

A few weeks ago there appeared a letter in this paper under the heading: "The F. C. A. is Democratic and Clean." Unfortunately some people missunderstood the way in which the word "democratic" was used and for the benefit of these people we wish to make this explanation. In the first place let us state there was no thought whatever of politics when the above mentioned heading was used. In stating that this organization is democratic, we mean that the members of the organization have full control of the organization instead of its being controled by any one person or only a few persons. It was used in the same sense that we would use it when we say that our church or school or lodge is democratic, because the members of these various bodies manage their own affairs.

We were very much surprised to learn that anyone thought we had ny reference to politics, for the idea had not occurred to us. We believe that if anyone will carefully read the letter in question they will see that the manner in which the word "democratic" was used is explained in the letter.

For the benefit of everyone let us state that this association is not in any way connected with any political party and that it has not and will not take sides with any political party, but leaves that up to each member for himself. This is purely a business organization having for its purpose the marketing of farm products and buying of supplies for its members.

FARMERS CO-OPERATIVE ASS'N

UNCLE DOCK WELLS TO PREACH

Uncle Dock Wells asks us to announce that he will preach at Jackson Chapel nezt Sunday at 11 o'clock and at the poor house at 3 o'clock. Everybody has an invitation to come out to these services and hear Uncle Dock preach.

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"I am sorry I did not hear of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy a few years ago, as it would have saved me several hundred dollars. Five years I suffered from indigestion and severe bloating. I grew worse all the time. My doctor said an operation would be all that could save me. I took a course of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy instead and for the past year have been entirely well." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Aired Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and all good druggists.

REVIVAL AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

The announcement has been made that the revival at the Clanton Baptist church will begin on Sunday, October 12th. Dr. David M. Goldner of the First Baptist Church of Ensley will do the preaching for these services.

W. M. U. ANNUAL MEETING

The W. M. U. annual meeting of Chilton County Association will meet at Liberty Hill Church, Sept. 25, 1924, Thursday before the fourth Sunday in September. We request each church in this Association be represented at this meeting.

Mrs. W. J. BILLINGSLEY, Supt.

Messrs. W. A. Glass, J. D. Sutley J. O. Glass, Russell Sutley and W. H. Boyd of Oak Grove, brought six bales of cotton down Tuesday and sold it through the Farmers Co-operative Association. They received 20.50 for these six bales.

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For your own sake, and for the sake of your children, your community and your God, can you afford to fail? Be present at 9:45 a.m., and you will never regret it. Let's fill the church.

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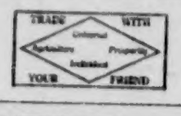

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For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

Senator Hale, Republican of Maine, got 27,000 majority in 1922, and Mr. Fernald, also Republican, got 50,000 plurality over his Democratic opponent in the recent election, yet the Democrats say in percentage they are gaining in Maine. We fail to see how they figure it.

How did Bob La Follette acquire the title, "fighting?" It must be because he has always fought to keep from fighting. When we were in war with Germany Mr. LaFollette refused to support his country in order to retain his support of foreign constituency. That does not sound much like fighting to us.

The spirit manifest at the meeting at the court house last Saturday afternoon shows that the Republicans of Chilton County have a deep interest in the general welfare of the county from an educational standpoint. There were men here from every nook and corner of the county to participate in the proceeding. The Republicans believe in the rights of the people being recognized, and they demand that same be done.

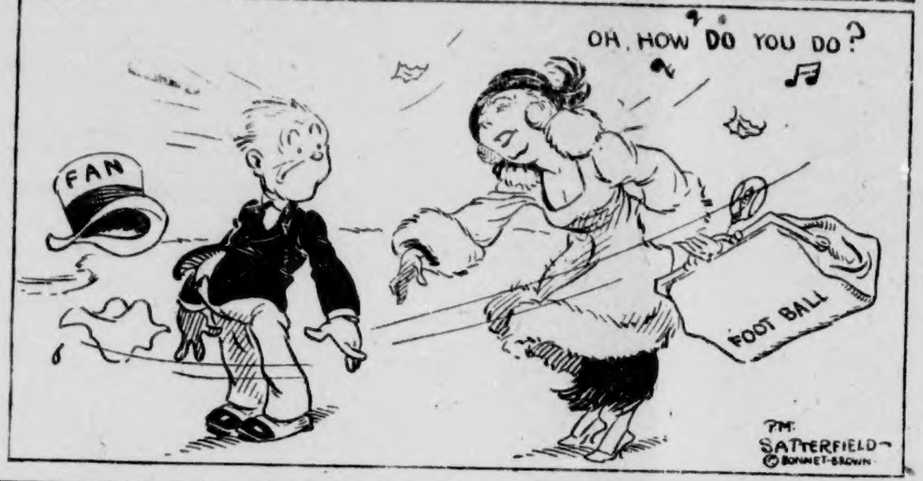
The Democratic national convention and the nominee which it finally had to accept to head its ticket has been trying to force President Coolidge to assert himself one way or the other regarding the Ku Klux Klan. The Republican National Convention deemed it wise to leave the Klan question alone; Coolidge has followed suit, which is the only wise thing to do. Religion and politics won't mix and there is no use trying to mix them.

Since the Republicans came into power on March 4, 1921, the United States has concluded no less than 58 international treaties. On that date "It would be difficult to imagine a worse tangle in our foreign relations than that with which the Republican administration was required to deal," in the opinion of Secretary Hughes. Those 58 treaties solved the tangle while maintaining American independence of the League of Nations, and fully protecting Amrican rights without sacrificing the good-will of Europe.

It is gratifying news that the Alabama Power Company has come under complete control of American interests. It has been a political handicap to this great company that a big percentage of its stock was owned by Canadian and British interests, but it has all been taken over by American capitalists and the company is now all-American. Most of the property of this great public utility is located in Chilton County, and we are indeed glad to know that it is all owned by our own American people.

A few weeks ago Mark Sullivan allowed that if the election should come off then, neither Coolidge nor Davis would get elected, which would throw the choosing of the president to the House of Representatives. But now he concedes that Coolidge is in the lead. Of course, Coolidge is in the lead. No man can ever see the White House, who caters to any religious or fraternal faction. The president of the United States is president of all the people and to attain this high position a man has to be broad enough to cover the whole country. No man in the race today can even approach such a breadth except Calvin Coolidge, and he will be our next president.

GOOD-BYE—AND HELLO!



GENERAL DAWES DEFENDS KLAN'S PROTESTANT IDEALS

The antics, attitude, and posturings of the several candidates for the Presidency are a proof of the manner in which alien influence has corrupted the dignified standards of Washington and Jefferson.

John W. Davis, Democratic candidate, is disclosing himself as a straw man through whom the Roman Catholic political machine is expressing itself. Since the convention of his party refused to take papist Al Smith as its candidate, and also voted against a condemnation of the Ku Klux Klan, the enraged Roman Catholic subject of the Vatican enrolled in the Democratic Party have been exerting their peculiar mental suasion and hyponotic will-power over Mr. Davis. He failed to condemn the Klan in his speech of acceptance, thus conforming to the policy estabished by the action of the convention held in New York. But the justice have given him no rest; they have threatened him with loss of their votes, and have cajoled, frightened, or mesmerized him into taking a position suitable to them. In his recent speech at Sea Grit, N. J., candidate Davis denounced the Klan by name, and this maneuver, together with his hint that he will appoint plenty of Papists and Jews to office, is evidence that he is responding to "His Master's Voice."

Candidate La Follette, representing a constituency largely German Roman Catholic in complexion, had previously attacked the patriotic movement of the native American Protestants. His third party includes the Bolshevik and Socialist allens who march under the red flag, working for revolution and for the overthrow of the Constitution of the United States. Mr. La Follette has announced his desire to make numerous fundermental changes in the Constitution. His egotism sees within himself a wisdom beyond that of Washington, Jefferson, Franklin, and Hamilton. He embodies the desire of the Jewish Bolsheviks and other alien Socialists to change radically our form of government, with its inspired safeguards against autocratic human tendencies.

President Coolidge, conservative, careful, and deeply imbured with reverence for traditional Americanism, so far as he understands it, has behind him a sound American ancestry and an excellent record of material achievment. How much real understanding of the Roman Catholic question, and how much courage he may have to act for Americanism against Romanism, when the issue comes to a climax, remains to be seen.

His running mate, General Charles G. Dawes, made a statement in Maine regarding the Klan issue, which has been interpreted by the bigoted Romanists as a defense of the Protestant fraternity, or at least a sympathetic attitude toward the patriotic movement. For this he is being bitterly scored in such papal organs as The New York World, which screams out the worlds liar and coward. The hand of priestcraft, in The World's editorial page, writes:

Openly and unblushingly Mr. Dawes volunteered for the defense of the Klan. . . He gave the Klan his endorsement by saying that "if there could be an excuse for law-abiding citizens to band themselves together in secret organizations for law enforcement, it was in Oklahoma." After praising the members of the Klan as "brave men," he said that "if a secret organization to uphold law and order is justifiable any-where in our county, it was justifiable there" (in Herrin, Ill.) In this campaign there has been nothing approachingshamelessness in Mr. Dawes' praise of the Klan as representing "only an instinctive groping for leadership, moving in the interest of law enforcement."

General Dawes has greatly honored himself by incurring the fanatic hostility of The New York World. To be opposed by the newspapers which worked 24 hours per day in the vain effort to "put over" Al Smith is a badge of character and a certificate of merit. The leading journalistic spokesman of Rome in America has assailed General Dawes for showing even a lukeworm and guarded sympathy for Portestantism.

The General has the reputation of being a plain-spokesman and courageous American. If he and President Coolidge will abandon the guarded attitude and come out squarely and openly for America Protestant ideals, THE AMERICAN STANDARD predicts that they will be elected by an overwhelming majority next November. If they will cast away entirely the Wilson-Tumulty policy of meddleing in Europe will adopt the sound, traditional policy of Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Adams, Jackson and Cleveland, of "no entangling alliances," and will take the political leadership in the protection of our country from the Roman Catholics, protocol Jews, and other aliens, they will go down in history among the great patriots whose memory is enshrined in millions of grateful American hearts.—American Standard.

WELL VOUCHED FOR

"Both Coolidge and Dawes are economically sound and are a wonderful balance wheel for this country." That is the opinion of Thomas A. Edison. His view is shared by Henry Ford and Harvey Firestone. They have been traveling around the country together and find that the people are wholly satisfied with the Coolidge administration. The opinion of such men is worthy of special notice. They are all employers of labor on a huge scale, and have the reputation of having great solicitude for the welfare of their workers. They view public affairs both from the standpoint of business and of the wage earners. They believe the Republican ticket meets the best interests of all concerned.

CUTTING THE INTEREST

The Treasury is selling $350,000,000 worth of temporary certificates to aid in the operation of refunding and paying the national debt. The rate of interest is 2 3-4 per cent, the same as the last issue. It is a return to the prevailing rates of the pre-war period, made possible by the drastic economy and sound business management of the Republican administration. On March 4, 1921, when the Democratic administration ended, the Government was paying 6 per cent for its short term loans. That was the peak of the cost of government borrowings. It forthwith began to drop and has fallen steadily ever since.

EATING MORE MEAT

During the last fiscal year there were about 80,000,000 animals slaughtered in this country for food. That is 6,000,000 more than were killed in any previous fiscal year. The fact points to a higher standard of living, more money with which to buy meat and other foods, and greater prosperity among our stock raisers. Why change the administration under which all this has been possible?

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of Sept. 14, 1899.

Mr. Thomas Gullahorn was married to Miss Alice Nabors of Shelby county Monday night.

Cotton is selling at 5.67 1-2c in money and 6c on debts.

Miss Myrtle Moore of Davenport is visiting the family of Capt. W. A. Middleton.

Mr. Joel Gulledge of Verbena spent Sunday in town.

Messrs. H. Touro and A. Kanter are observing the Jewish holiday in Birmingham.

Married this week:—Emmit Smitherman and Miss Mary Fox; J. W. Brown and Miss Minnie Boatfield; C. M. Bearden and Miss Mary Parlee Lovelady; W. H. Thrash and Miss Lizzie Campbell; J. A. Campbell and Miss T. C. Glasscock.

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THE FIGHTING GAME

An interesting article appears in this week's issue of Collier's weekly, regarding the prize fighting game.

Since Jack Dempsey has been the world's champion boxer, he has actually fought only 117 minutes three minutes less than two hours, and has received well over a million dollars for his work. When figured down he received approximately $179.00 per second of fighting. Less than twenty years ago the world was astounded when it heard that two men had fought twelve rounds for a purse of $10,000.00. Jack Dempsey's last fight guarantee, at Shelby, Montana, was for $100.000. Over a hundred thousand fans paid over a million dollars ao see Dempsey and Firpo less than fifteen minutes and when the fight was over, not a single one of them complained of being skinned.

$14.95 buys an all-wool men's or young men's $20.00 suit Saturday at Chicago Sales Co., next to First National Bank.

REMOVE UNCERTAINTY

In order to avert throwing the election into the House of Representatives thereby possibly creating a long deadlock in the choice of a President, the New York Times declares that "The hope of sensible citizens will be that one candidate or another will receive a majority in the electoral college." And all sensible citizens must perceive that the pre-election standing of the three candidates shows Coolidge first, Davis second, and LaFollette a poor third. Any candid observer concedes that President Coolidge will get more votes than either of his two opponents. It is the evident duty of sensible citizens to turn a certain plurality into a majority and not permit the efforts of third party supporters to nullify the popular election and create a state of affairs where a small radical minority can dictate the result.

Drop in today and see one of those beautiful Pearl Necklaces at Clanton Mercantile Co., to be given in exchange for each $100 worth of coupons.

"Chuckle" Column

Love is a wonderful thing. Before a man marries he tells his prospective bride—"Dearie, you won't have to do a stitch." And, after he's married, he hollers like h—— if the "stitch" doesn't appear where it's needed.

Over in London they had a diver singing songs under water. H-m-m, tha's not so much. A lot of our singers over here gargle them above water.

Some women have the knack of telling a lie the minute they hear one.

"Man Shot In Triangle" reads screaming newspaper headline. Oh, doctor. What part of the anatomy is that? And how come they didn't shoot him in the kitchen or the garage?

WAS MR. CLOUD WITH HIM?
(From the Jonesboro, Ark., Daily Tribune)
"J. L. Rainwater left last night for Paragould where he will call on his trade today."

A Massachusetts judge has ruled that "a pedestrian is not legally obliged to jump out of the path of a motor car." Dem's kind words, yer honah, but we prefer to do the yumpin' and let the other guy do the "insisting on his legal rights."

VOLSTEAD POME
Of all the words
From tongue or pen
Sad memories in these—
"I knew him when—
He was a bartender!"

Over in Japan, they have all their speeches before dinner is served at public banquets. That's ne good way of keeping the hall from being emptied before the last speaker on the program is heard. Toastmasters—please note!

Webster's dictionary defines "bob" as something "used in angling." Why so many bobbed hair ladies roaming around loose, no wonder they call men "poor fish."

"I'm just wild about her," says the young man about his future "better half." But just wait. When the bills come in, you'll be wilder.

EXPERIENCED?
"Loss of privacy is one of the penalties of city civilization."
—Chicago American.

That's right. Ask the man whose wife bounced in on him just when he was "waisting" his arm on the stenographer and telling her "what wonderful eyes" she had.

"The hen comes from the egg and not the egg from the hen" we're informed by a university professor. There's a dizzy one for you. We always thought both came from cold storage.

Ho! Hum! There goes the factory whistle. Time to quit.

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POOR OR

THORSBY SECTION

(Hattie M. Gerald, Assistant Mgr.)

Mr. Foster Williams, wife and two children are visiting with relatives in Thorsby for a couple of weeks.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet this week, Thursday, with Mrs. Dyrhood.

Mr. Earl Meade of Birmingham spent Sunday with parents.

Mr. C. R. Foss was a visitor in Birmingham last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Esther Johnson left Monday morning for Demorest, Ga., to take up her studies at Piedmont College.

Mrs. S. P. Kelly and son, Coy Gibbons, left Tuesday for a visit to Mrs. Kelly's son, Ivan Gibbons, at Eldorado, Kansas.

Mr. John Johnson of Birmngham spent the week-end with his family.

The Ladies Guild will meet next week, Thursday, Sept. 25, with Mrs. E. F. Mead.

Mr. Nels Peterson and Miss Nell Shannon motored to Miss Shannon's home at West Point, Ga., last Saturday. Mr. Peterson returned Sunday, bringing his wife and children, who have been spendng several weeks visiting in West Point.

Mr. M. Bostrom died September 12, at his home in Thorsby. Mr. Bostrom was one of the oldest settlers of this community, having come here about 28 years ago.

Mr. K. Lander and family of Ensley were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson on Sunday last. Mr. Lander returned to Ensley while his family remained for several days' visit.

Mrs. E. M. Hall and Mrs. Shimmel, daughter and grand daughter and two little great grand children of Mr. and Mrs. David Paxson, were visitors at the Paxson home for the week end.

Rev. J. M. Graham will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church next Sunday evening, Sept. 21. Mr. Graham and family expect to move the arly part of next week to Montgomery where they will make their home.

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A CHILD IN PAIN runs to Mother for relief. So do the grown-ups. For sudden and severe pain in stomach and bowels, cramps, diarrhoea
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It has never been known to fail.

Mrs. Wm. Billingsley spent several days last week at Billingsley, with her father, who has been quite seriously ill.

Miss Lois Abernathy of Birmingham is spending several days with her friend, Miss Lorena Graham. She will remain for Miss Graham's wedding September 18.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Harper were visitors in Birmingham the latter part of the week. Their little grand son, Hermon Harper, accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Aldrich were visitors last week at the home of their aunt, Mrs. E. Piper. They and Mrs. Piper made a trip to Montgomery on Wednesday.

Mr. Waldemar Lefstead left Friday for Columbia, S. C., where he will take up a three-years course in the University and Theological Seminary located there. Mr. Lefstead expects to receive two degrees when he has completed his work.

Mr. F. E. Gronquist of Birmingham was a visitor in Thorsby Tuesday.

At the town election held Monday the following were elected to serve the city for the next two years: J. D. Cleckler, Mayor; C. C. Peterson, J. W. Littleton, G. L. Foshee, C. R. Foss and W. C. Martin, aldermen.

Mr. Carl C. Peterson and wife will leave Friday for a trip to Chicago and Kenosha, Wis.

Mr. W. C. Martin, who has taken over "Thorsby Inn," appears to be making a success of it, as he already has worked up quite a little business. Mr. and Mrs. Gorman, who are to be the teachers at Pate's Chapel the coming year, are located with him and will go back and forth from their school. Mrs. Gorman was a teacher in the Public School of Clanton last year.

The boarding students of Thorsby Institute enjoyed a social given in the dining room of the girl's dormitory. This was sort of a get-acquainted social, and a general good time was enjoyed. Games were payed in which all could participate.

The Ladies Guild of Thorsby will give their annual reception Saturday evening, September 20, promptly at 7:30 at Bates Hall, to which are invited the teachers of Thorsby Institute, its students, the trustees and families, the alumnae, all former pupils and contributing patrons. A pleasing program will be rendered.

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LIBERTY HILL

The singing society will meet at this place next Sunday, September 21 at 2 p.m.

All singers and lovers of music are invited to come and bring your Showalter and Ganus song books.

THORSBY INSTITUTE OPENS

Thorsby Institute opened on September 10th at 9:30 with the principal, Miss Jenkins, presiding. After the opening hymn, Rev. Joseph Each read the scripture and offered prayer. It was expected that Rev. W. P. Lowery would be present to read the scripture but he was detained, so Mr. Each kindly consented to do this. Mrs. Loveland and Miss Fairbanks, from the faculty, made appropriate remarks for the opening of school, after which the alumni were represented by a vocal solo by Miss Esther Johnson and remarks by Mr. H. R. Maddox, who is also a teacher this year at Thorsby Institute. After the singing of the Alma Mater song, Mr. Butler made the principal address, after which the faculty were introduced, there being only one new member, Mr. Maddox. The exercises closed with the Lord's Prayer.

After a short intermission the school was called together and the registration began under the supervision of Mrs. Loveland, who is Registrar. The enrollment is 81, and more are expected.

The only new member of the faculty this year is Mr. H. R. Maddox, who is English and history teacher and also athletic coach. Mr. Maddox is a graduate of Thorsby Institute and of Piedmont College. He taught one year in Chilton county before entering Piedmont. Mr. Maddox won this spring the medal given by the College to the one who writes and delivers the best oration.

It may be interesting to know that according to a letter from the State Department of Education that Thorsby Institute is one of the six private schools of the State whose graduates did not fail in their Freshman year at college the past year.

.. $1.00 buys two full cut work shirts Saturday at Chicago Sales Co., located next to First Nationa Bank. ..

FARM FACTS

Let us never forget that the cultivation of the earth is the most important labor of man.—Daniel Webster.

The next farm income in cotton and tobacco areas ranks lowest, yet we call them "the great money crops."

Fire in the buildings destroys present wealth; fire in the woods is worst—it destroys present and future wealth.

If you want rich land next year plant hairy vetch seed this fall. Your county agent will tell you how if you will ask him.

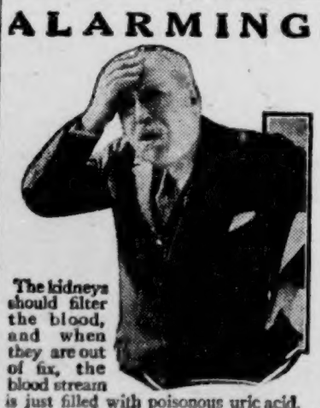
Don't forget to bring all machinery in from the field and store it in a dry place. Negligence here is very expensive.

A good way to make larger yields next year is to select seed in the field this fall. They should be stored in a dry place where rodents and insects cannot get to them.

It is a significant fact that farmers who have adopted co-operative marketing as a practice are the most prosperous farmers. Notable xamples of this are found in the United States and in Europe.

.. $1.00 buys 10 yards of 36-inch width Sheeting at Chicago Sales Co., ocation next to First National Bank.

ALARMING!



The kidneys should filter the blood, and when they are out of fix, the blood stream is just filled with poisonous uric acid.

Carried to all parts of the body, this poison causes backaches, headaches, rheumatic pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability or depression and distressing bladder troubles.

But that isn't the worst of it. In chronic neglected cases, the excess uric acid is apt to form into gravel or kidney stones, and to cause gout, sciatica, dropsy and even Bright's disease.

Let the first pain in the back be your warning. Get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's new An-uric tablets (anti-uric-acid). Your druggist can tell you about this new discovery for bad kidneys. Or, send 10c for a trial package to Dr. Pierce, Pres., Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

Take
Calotabs
TRADE MARK REG
for the liver
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

WE SHALL SLEEP

We shall sleep but not forever;
There will be a glorious dawn.
We shall meet to part no never
On the resurrection morn.
From the deepest covers of ocean,
From the desert and the plains;
From the valley and the mountain,
Gauntless throngs shall rige again.

Jesus, the very thought of Thee
With sweetness fills my heart,
But sweeter far thy face to see
And in thy presence rest.
But when darkness came on
And the earth seemed wrapped
Beneath the dark curtains of gloom,
My mother would sing
And lull me to sleep;

But now she lies cold in the tomb.
Her sweet, soothing words
And kind loving face
Were always consoling to me.
In reverence to God
I was taught to pray,
While kneeling at mother's knee.

When we see a precious blossom
That she tended with such care,
Rudely taken from our bosom,
How our aching hearts despair.
Round its little grave we linger
Till the the setting sun is low,
Feeling our hopes have perished
With the flower she cherished so.

We shall sleep but not forever
In the lone and silent grave.
Blessed be the Lord that taketh,
Blessed be the Lord that gave.
In the bright eternal city
Death can never come.
In his own good time he calls us
From our rest to home sweet home.

$2.89 buys your choice of a lot of Shoes, values up to $4.95 at Chicago Sales Co., Saturday, location next to First National Bank.

PLEASANT GROVE

The singing society at Pleasant Grove met for the first time Sunday afternoon with a full class and a nice crowd of visitors, considering the threatening weather. Following Sunday school a committee was appointed to arrange a program. The following directed one song each: Mrs. Nettye Mims, Eula Culp, Callie Culp, and Misses Lucile Culp, Gladys Jackson, Vergie Henley, Ruth Cox, Kathryn Headley, Ora Dell Wilkins, Ruby Cox, Ruth Williams, Susie Huett and Master Albert Headley.

We were indeed glad to have with us our teacher, Prof. A. D. Huett and wife and sister, also other visitors from their community.

Last but not least, we had Prof. Boswell of Coopers with us, who very interestingly sung one song. We also had Uncle Will Williams of Route 7 with us. Come again, Uncle Will; we were glad to have you.

Our society will meet the second and fourth Sundays in each month. We especially nvite all singers and lovers of music to be with us.

Big lot of little boys' hats Saturday at Chicago Sales Co., for 49c, location next to First Nationa Bank.

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Mrs. Anna Jones asks us to announce to her friends that she is now empoyed by the Leader as saleslady. She gives a special invitation to her friends to visit her at her new location.

BOX SUPPER AT STANTON

There will be a box supper at the Stanton School House on Friday night September 26th. The Parent-Teachers Association will serve lunches. Proceeds will go to school.

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WITH A COMBINED CAPACITY OF 128,200 HORSEPOWER

Strategically located to supply deficiencies in water power which sometimes arise as a result of drought such as we are now having in consequence of reduced stream flow. The present dry period is almost unprecedented.

These eight plants located at Gorgas, Gadsden, Montgomery, Selma, Huntsville, Tuscaloosa, Decatur and Marion were built at a cost of many millions of dollars to safeguard continuous power service for Alabama.

In emergencies, Alabama Power Company may also use the power stations of certain customers. These available stations will produce 23,700 additional horsepower.

The company also leases from the United States government the Sheffield Steam Plant with a capacity of 80,000 horsepower, giving Alabama

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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Believing that public schools as conducted in New Jersey, and something of New York City schools would interest many readers of The Union-Banner, we have spent considerable time during the past week visiting class rooms, talking with teachers and principals, and reading official literature giving detailed and definite information on school matters.

We wish to state emphatically at the beginning that is it not the purpose of the writer to make comparison with Alabama schools, which would be unjust, because conditions in these two states are entirely different.

As near as we can learn, New Jersey devotes just about the same proportion of her receipts from taxes to support education in the state, as Alabama does. But New Jersey has an area so small, that it would take six and a half New Jerseys to cover Alabama, and yet within this small area New Jersey has about four times the population of Alabama, mostly white folks, and a wealth per capita. The latest statistics available are for the school year 1921-22, 10 months ending June 20th, 1922.

Enrollment in public day schools in the state, which means from kindergartens, commencing at four years old, but not compulsory, at five pupils may begin the first grade, but compulsory attendance begins at seven, and continues until fourteen years of age and until sixteen if the pupil has not completed the 8th grade. Attendance at high school is elective, but these are a component part of the free public school system of New Jersey.

The total enrollment for the school year ending June 30th, 1922, in all the various departments was 678,734, requiring 20,874 teachers, at an average salary of—average salaries per month, for day school teachers, men $176.40; women $142.61. The average cost per year for each pupil, runs from $75 to $100 per year, and includes tuition, free text books, paper, pencils and transportation for those living within the district, and more than two miles from the school. If pupils living nearer want to ride they pay 3c each day. For pupils living outside the district, as many high school pupils do, the tuition, transportation and other expenses are paid by the district from which they come.

It is the purpose of the State that education shall be free of cost to all pupils from kindergarten through high school. To offset this the State demands that each child between the ages of seven and sixteen, if physically able, shall be in school every day the schools are in session, unless they have finished the 8th grade and have a certificate to that effect. Attendance officers are employed, at a salary of $2500 per year and expenses, to see that the compulsory education laws are enforced. These laws deal not only with the pupil, but any person resopsible for them who permits absences from school without the statutory reasons, is liable to heavy fines or imprisonment. As a consequence few are absent.

The total expenditures of the Ntw Jersey board of education for the school year 1921-22 was $42,856,-195.63, an average of upwards of $5 for every man, woman and child in the state.

The New Jersey department of education is a big business organization, controlled by a board of education, consisting of ten members, appointed by the governor, half from each of the two leading political parties, two of the members are to be women. The appointment is for eight years, and no two of them can be residents of the same county. This board control all educational matters pertaining to public instruction, and are responsible only to the governor in their acts and decisions. The board employs an educational expert as commissioner of education to carry out the plans and orders of the board. The commissioner in turn employs assistant commissioners, having supervision over various departments. Then come county superintendents, who are under the direction of the commissioner of education, or his assistants. Next they have district boards of education for each district, or if districts become consolidated there is one board having jurisdiction in the consolidated district. These boards have control of school matters in the district, under state laws and rules and regulations of the board of education. They employ a district supervisor, a medical inspector, principal for each school in the district, and all regular or special teachers. No person is employed as a teacher who has not graduated from a high school and taken a normal school course of three years, or its equivalent except, that special teachers may be employed who give satisfactory proof of thorough qualification, for the work for which they are employed.

To get down to specific cases, and know just what is being done in what may be termed rural schools of the state, we have visited more than once the Roxbury Township Consolidated school, located within a few hundred feet of our temporary home. This district comprises the township of Roxbury, with an area of 85 square miles, and a population of 3500. Mr. Will G. Atwood is supervising principal, a genial man and a live-wire. He took pains to show us what they have and how they use it. There are two or three grade schools in the district that have as yet, not joined this consolidated school, though they are under supervision of Mr. Atwood, but all high school students in the district, and quite a lot from adjoining districts, having no high school, attend this school.

The total enrollment, in all departments of the Roxbury consolidated school, is about 700. 23 teachers are employed, exclusive of Mr. Atwood and his assistant. The buildings and grounds are worth approximately $200,000, and aside from school purposes, are used as a community center, for lectures, movies, athletics, dancing, public meetings and whatever may tend to promote the welfare and enjoyment of the community. There is no large town within the district, and the auditorium of this school, which is beautifully furnished, will seat 500 to 600 people. No other auditorium in the district so large. The money collected for admissions to movies or other entertainments, for which admission is charged, goes for furnishings or expenses for other entertainments. The movies, the dancing, or whatever may be the attraction are all under the supervision of some reliable person or people, and are conducted in a respectable and orderly manner and closed at a reasonable hour.

The class rooms are superb for the purpose intended. Nearly one whole side of each of them is filled with big windows, having just the right shades to diffuse and soften any glare of sunlight, and yet fill the room with a soft even light, very pleasant to the eyes. High grade black board extends around the three remaining sides of the room, while above and below them the walls are finished in a soft shade. Ventilating fans, run by electric motor, force fresh air into each room and draw off the bad air. No need to manipulate the windows for ventilation during winter. Water is provided from a well on the grounds, with electric power pumps, shower baths are provided and dressing rooms for the boys and the girls. Inside sanitary toilets and lavatories are a part of the equipment.

The teaching force are young men and women who are trained for their work, and keep the children interested. They have a system of tests by which they are able to determine who among the pupils are what is termed sub-normal, which means that they are of slow development mentally, not necessarily fools, but below par, intellectually and apt to be a drag on normal children, if kept in the same casses. So they are put in a department by themselves. Don't think for a minute, that they are neglected here, they have a teacher specially trained for such work, who draws a higher salary than any teacher in the school, below the principal. We were convinced that New Jersey is making great progress towards having an educated citizenship. We had an opportunity to look over the list of graduates from the Roxbury high school from its organization, to 1924, 17 years. This list gave the present address of nearly all of them and we find that very few of them have left the state, or even the county. In other words, they have not been educated AWAY from their homes or at least their state.

We had intended to say something about the great public school system of New York City, but since that is another story we will not begin it now.

ROYAL JAPANESE BEAUTY

THERE are many beauties in the far-east "Land of the Rising Sun" but none more charming and beautiful than the Princess Tomoko Kuni, sister of Crown Princess of Japan. Her wonderful features and grace attract attention wherever she goes and she is immensely popular with her people.

The above photograph of her was taken in Tokoyo recently when she and her husband spent some time at the Imperial Hotel visiting her imperial sister, the crown princess. Her husband, who is shown at her right, is Kocho Otani, son of the abbott at Higashi Hongan Temple in Kyoto.

PROGRAM BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Unity and Chilton County Associations to be held at New Cedron Church, 4 Miles East of Billingsley, Sunday, Sept. 28th, 1924.

Morning Session.

10:00.—Devotional, Bro. E. E. Edwards.
10:10.—Temporary organization.
10:20.—Who Should Belong to the S. S. and How to Enlist Them, H. A. Harris.
10:40.—Report of delegates.
10:55.—Address (speaker to be supplied.)
11:20.—Address, Rev. B. W. Mims.
12:00.—Dinner.

Afternoon Session.

1:20.—Devotional, Bro. W. J. Patrick.
1:30.—The S. S. As a Teaching Force, and the Teachers Preparation, B. W. Davis and Mrs. J. C. Hughes.
2:05.—Address by Rev. S. J. Ezell.
2:35.—My Duty As a S. S. Teacher, J. L. Johnson.
2:50.—The Value of the S. S. and How to Get the Best Results, open discussion by the Superintendents of the Convention, led by G. C. Armstrong.
3:30.—Business session.
4:00.—Adjournment.

WALKER CHALLENGES DORMINEY IN RAISING CORN

Commissioner C. T. Waker of Lawley says that until it is proven to the contrary, he has the Governor of Stumps Hills "skint" when it comes to raising corn. As evidence for his statement Mr. Walker left at the Banner office a stalk of Hastings Prolific corn with seven good sized ears. Mr. Walker states that there were two suckers at the root of this same stalk and each of them had a full grown ear, which makes a total of nine ears of corn grown from one seed. He says that Mr. Dorminey will have to play "hookey" from several sessions of commissioners court before he can pull down a corn record equal to this. What do you say, Governor?

Mr. Walker states that he has a field of corn which will come up to this average, and not a bit of fertilizer was used under it. Although the ears are not as large as some we have seen, the amount per acre will show up mighty well.

Next Sunday the Men's Bible Class of the Clanton Baptist Church will conduct the devotional exercises of the Sunday school. All the members of this class are urged to attend Sunday school next Sunday.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.—Circuit Court In Equity.

Bertha Bice, Complaint, vs. Chester Bice, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Omar L. Reynolds, that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in The Union Banner, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said Chester Bice to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 22nd day of September, 1924, or, in thirty days thereafter, a degree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 21st day of August, 1924.

SPIGENER,
Register.

8-28-4tc

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct 15, Chilton County, Alabama on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924. Said stock law election shall be held for the purpose of determining by the qualified electors of said precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said precinct as provided by law. Said election shall be held at E. G. Caldwell's Storehouse at Pletcher, Alabama, and also at Culp's School House in said precinct.

Said election shall be held in accordance with and as provided by Article 1 of Chapter 345 of the Code of 1923 of the State of Alabama.

This the 11th day of August, 1924.

W. S. COX,
M. L. MILFORD,
Petitioners.

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There will be a Horse and Automobile Trading Convention at Midway on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 19th and 20th. Free Camp Houses, pastures and water for your stock. Saturday, the 20th will be Auction day. W. W. Fox, the famous auctioneer, will be there. Bring anything you have to sell and buy anything you want to buy. Good old-fashioned camp stew and barbecue served on the ground, and all kinds of refreshments. Everybody come and lets have a good time.

Judge L. H. Reynolds will make a public address on Friday, the 19th. Be sure and hear it.

B. B. COOPER.

PUBLIC SALE

On Saturday, September 20th, 1924 at 10 A. M. I will sell to the highest bidder for cash the Barbour School property which includes three acres of land in the Southeast corner of the Southeast fourth of the Southwest fourth of Section 8, Township 21, Range 14 together with the building thereon and the crop raised during the year 1924. Sale will be held on the property.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Evidence of the activity of the state law enforcement department was furnished in the report of Chief McAdory for the month of August, submitted to Governor W .W. Brandon. The report showed a total of 305 arrests during the month, destruction of 144 stills, 79,850 gallons of beer, 1,480 gallons of whisky, 105 gallons of wine and 1,411 bottles of home brew. Twenty-six automobiles, one house boat, one mule and one wagon were confiscated during the month. Of cases made by the state officers tried during the month, 156 resulted in convictions, 16 were nol prossed and 13 acquitted. Cash fines assessed amounted to $17,966.80, while expenses of the department were $8,833.27. A total of 14 prison sentences were imposed. Of the arrests, 56 were for distilling, 6 for possessing a distillery and 134 for violating the prohibition law.

Judge Ben D. Turner, of Chatom, of, the first judicial circuit, has been appointed by Chief Justice John C. Anderson of the supreme court to preside at trial of a legal action involving title to certain property in Mobile county to be utilized in the Mobile seaport development. All Mobile circuit judges are out of the city. The hearing will take place on Sept. 26 in Mobile. The appointment was made at the request of the state docks commission. The property in controversy is that upon which the tracks of the L. & N. Railroad Company will be located, when they are moved from their present location to make room for the docks development.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Anniston, it was decided that it would be impracticable for the Junior Chamber to attempt to stage the county fair, which had been planned for several weeks without the protection from circus and other tent show competition by the city council. Formal action was taken to stop all activity pertaining to the fair after the directors had expressed their keen disappointment at the failure of their plan to materialize and the failure of the council to pass the circus exclusion ordinance.

After wandering about for the best part of a year, Dewey Wynn, escaped convict, was recaptured at Phenix City, in the same county where he was convicted. On April 8, 1921, Wynn was convicted in the Russell circuit court, of grand larceny and sentenced to from 2 to 3 years. In 1922, he made his first escape but was apprehended within a short time. On Jan. 30, 1923, he and another prisoner, Howard Ivey, Tuscaloosa county convict, made their escape from Speigner prison. Ivey was caught in May of the same year and returned to prison.

The Alabama Conservation Association was organized at the Exchange Hotel, in Montgomery, with E. F. Allison, of Bellamy, first president. Other officers of the association chosen at the night session, which took the form of a banquet, were R. J. Goode, of Gastonburg, Wilcox county, first vice president; Dr. W. B. Holmes, of St. Clair county, second vice president, and John M. Goudelock, of Jefferson county, secretary and treasurer.

The oldest stove in Walker county still in use is at Marylee, according to Jim Ryan. It is a heater which was brought to South Lowell by Col Woolhouse 50 years or more ago and has been in use ever since. It has been owned and used by the Masonic lodge at Marylee for a number of years. It is not known how long this heater had been used before it was brought to Old South Lowell in 1872.

C. A. Cary, state veterinarian, was elected president of the Southern Cattlemen's Association at the closing session of its 15th annual convention at Montgomery. C. B. Heineman, of Atlanta, Ga., was elected secretary treasurer of the association. Atlanta was chosen as the convention city for 1925.

At a meeting of the Etowah County Post of the American Legion Kennett McDonald was elected scoutmaster of the Boy Scout Troop being supported by the post.

Colonel Pegram Whitworth is expected to arrive at the state university within a few days from Portland Ore., to take charge of the military department at the university.

Decision to foster a junior writers conclave was voted at the third day's session of the annual Alabama Writers' Conclave at Florence.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—One house and lot in Gowan Addition to Clanton. If interested apply to T. M. Bates, Clanton, Ala. 9-18-3t-pd

HOUSE FOR RENT—One six-room house on Eighth Street, in front of Mr. Shaw's home. Apply at home of Sheriff Littlejohn, Clanton, Ala. tf

FOR SALE—1 6 room house and 2 lots four blocks of depot, Thorsby, Ala. Apply to D. M. Paxon agent Thorsby, Ala. 9-11-5t-p.

LOST—On Aug. 25th, black leather suitcase containing ladies' and six-year-old boy clothes. Lost at or near Ellis' Filling Station. Finder will be paid liberal reward for their return to The Union-Banner office, Clanton, Ala. 11-2t-c.

LAND FOR SALE—80 acres, 1 mile east of Coopers, 1-2 mile from a church, 3-4 mile of good school; 2 good dwelling houses 3 rooms each, good barns, good running lasting water; will produce 1-2 bale cotton to acre or more; 35 acres open land, good pasture. If interested, apply to J. B. Jones, Cooper, Ala., 8-29-5t-pd

LOST MULE—Left my place about six and one half weeks ago; dark red color with big long ears and long tail about 6 or 7 in. main, right shoulder enlarged, weight about 950 age about 12 years, few gray hairs in face and touchless about ears; will pay $10.00 reward for his recovery.

P. D. HEADLY,
Jemison, Ala.
9-11-2t-p Route 4, Box 38.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, 10 acres level orange land, well improved truck and poultry farm, good 4-room house and out buildings, 1-4 mile of corporation line of Robertsdale, Ala. Reason for selling, going into other business. J. W. HARRELL,
9-11-4t-pd. Robertsdale, Ala.

FOR SALE CHEAP—12-h.p. International Gasoline Engine, in good shape. Call and see W. E. Plier, Clanton Route 8. 9-11-2t-pd

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BIG STATE FAIR AT MONTGOMERY

The sogan of the State Fair is "Meet Me There" and manager Mort L. Bixer says that all who come to Montgomery between Nov. 3rd. and 11th. will find sure enough State Fair as it has the cooperation of the Governor, and heads of the different departments; President O'Neal of the Alabama Farm Bureau; Prof. L. N. Duncan, head of the State Extension Forces at Auburn; Roy L. Nolen of the Board of Administration; Mayor Gunter and the city and country officials. Exhibits are assured from more than 50 countries in the state.

The entertainment program will include six days Horse Racing, two days Auto Racing with Auto Polo, six nights of Fireworks; Big Circus, Free Acts for seven days in front of the Grand Stand; Three Bands of Music; a great Aerial Display on Armistice Day and two nights of a Horse Show, with Rubin and Cherry's Shows on the Midway, providings an entertainment program worth two dollars but costing only fifty cents admission.

We have no hesitancy in saying "Hurrah for the State Fair—We will meet you there".

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TAX NOTICE!

COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924, and assessing Taxes for the year 1925.

Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 2, 1924
Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 3, 1924
Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 4, 1924
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 6, 1924
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 7, 1924
Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 8, 1924
Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 9, 1924
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 10, 1924
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 11, 1924
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 13, 1924
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 14, 1924
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 15, 1924
Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 16, 1924
Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 17, 1924
Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 18, 1924
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 20, 1924
Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 21, 1924
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 22, 1924
Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 23, 1924
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 24, 1924
Mt. Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 25, 1924
Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 27 to Nov. 8, 1924

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

RIGINAL

Big Sale For This Week End

TAKE A GLIMPSE AT A FEW OF OUR LOW PRICES WE ARE OFFERING:

1 lot Ladies' $2.00 Gingham Dresses, special at **$1.59**

A beautiful line of House Dresses for only **98c**

1 lot of Men's New Fall 3-piece Suits, worth anybody's $20.00, for this spec'l sale **$13.98**

A beautiful assortment of Percales for only, per yard **9c**

Best grade heavy Sheeting, yard wide, special, per yard **12½c**

Best grade triple stitch, full face Sleeves, all sizes, special **69c**

1 lot of 20c Ginghams, special, per yard **13c**

Big line of new Fall Sweaters for the whole family, for ..... **95c to $4.95**

We are offering a big reduction on all new Fall Ladies' Hats.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Children's Party Enjoyed.

Mrs. Percy Pitts entertained in honor of her little daughter, Jane Pitts, on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Reynolds. The little honoree met each guest with a smile as she received the numerous gifts. Many juvenile games were played on the lawn. Later in the afternoon the guests were invited to a beautifully decorated table, with the color tones of pink and white. The central ornament was the birthday cake holding four lighted pink tapers, each child trying to blow out the candles furnished much merriment. The cutting of the birthday cake created much excitement, Bill Hodges being the first to cut the cake.

The favors were baloons of pink and white. Cake and cream were served later by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and Mrs. Guy Roberts. The little guests were Olive Rainer Elmore, Helen Roberts, Jane Neighbors, Nell Nighbors, Nell Ross Mullins, Sophie Courtie Jones, Peggy Page, Gertie Will Vinson, Calen Alred, Bill Hodges, Jane and Myrtle Pitts.

Card Club Meets.

A lovely meeting of the Card Club was held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Jones on last Wednesday afternoon. The apartments were made bright with garden flowers. After a series of rubbers, the top score was held by Mrs. Hugh Simpson, who was given a deck of congress cards. Late in the afternoon a salad plate was served to the club members and guests.

$1.98 buys a brand new men's or boy's new Fall Hat, worth us to $3, at Chicago Sales Co., Clanton, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Duncan are receiving congratultions this week over arrival of a little girl.

Mr. Broadus Connatser, who has spent several days with his uncle, Mr. W. W. Fox, will leave Wednesday to attend school at the University of Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Prince have named their baby Wibur Steadham.

Spigener - Farrior.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren D. Spigener of Clanton announce the engagement of their daughter, Warrene, to Mr. William Laurie Farrior of Birmingham, the marriage to take place in October.

Mr. Sam Upchurch left Tuesday to attend the Alabama Military School at Anniston, for the next year.

Miss Mary Upchurch will leave for New Orleans Friday, where she will be in school for the next term at Newcomb College.

Norman Roberts will be in school at the University of Alabama for the year. He will leave Friday.

Mrs. John T. Ellis, Mrs. Upchurch, and Mrs. Latham Ellis motored to Columbiana Thursday afternoon to attend the shower given to the new bride, Mrs. Judge Longshore.

Mrs. Earl Robinson of Birmingham is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cox.

Mrs. L. H. Moots of Albany spent a couple of days with Mrs. Claude Jones recently.

Piece goods gingham 10c a yard, outing 12 1-2c a yard, all-wool crepe 98c a yard, Shan Tung silks 59c a yard. Come to see us. We haven't space to list all prices. Chicago Sales Co., location next to First National Bank.

A. J. SHOWALTER DEAD

Nationally Known Song Book Writer and Music Publisher Succumbs Tuesday.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 16.—A. J. Showalter, nationally and world known song book publisher, of this city was found dead in his room at a local hotel today. Death was believed to be due etiher to heart failure or acute indigestion.

TO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—One set of 20-inch mill rocks practically new; in good condition, price reasonable; may be seen at Clanton any time, or see, write or call J. Mat Johnson, R 1. 9-18-3d

FOR SALE — One Hoozier Grain Drill, good as new, at a bargain. If interested, see W. A. Kemp. tf

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Judge Thomas W. Coleman, judge of probate for Calhoun county, has gone on a vacation motor trip to points in Florida. He is accompanied by Charles R. Bell, president of the Commercial National Bank, and expects to be gone about 10 days.

Dr. George Irving Adams, professor of geology and mineralogy at the University, has just published a book on geology entitled "Common Economic Minerals and Rocks." The book will be used as a manual in geology laboratory work at the University.

Paul G. Cazalas, sheriff of Mobile county, against whom impeachment proceedings were ordered instituted by Governor Brandon, announced that he will resist the ouster proceedings to be filed against him in the supreme court.

The James H. Dunklin Camp of Confederate Veterans will hold its semi-annual meeting in Greenville Wednesday, Oct. 1. Gen. J. B. Stanley, commander of the camp, has announced that Attorney General Davis will deliver the feature address.

Construction of a bridge across Mobile bay at some point near Mobile took a further step along the path of probability with the announcement that an outside company has proposed to back up the project to $2,500,000.

Solon a Grubbs, charged with slaying John Henry Horton, was convicted by a jury in Morgan circuit court of second degree murder and sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary. The defense gave notice of an appeal.

Marshal Welch, former Anniston policeman, charged with having shot two fellow officers, J. T. Holliday and C. B. Hurst, to death on April 26 1922, is free, the case having been nolle prossed.

Andy R. Williams, a soldier stationed at Fort Oglethorpe and absent without leave, was killed by passenger train No. 2 on the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railroad, near Lons Island, Ala.

Two mules driven by Ira Stewart a farmer living near Troy, stumbled and fell into a ditch on Brundidge street and broke their backs.

Mrs. D. C. Rosser was fined $102.50 in the Bessemer mayor's court for violation of the prohibition law. City Officers Charlie Williams and Andy Eubanks made the arrest. They testified they found 100 gallons of beer two gallons of whisky and six gallons of wine at her home in Thompsontown.

Miss Florence Bruto, of Piedmont Ala., has been appointed primary supervisor for Cleburne county, and is expected to arrive in Heflin within a few days to meet with the county board on September 26.

You will find the very newest thing in sweaters for the whole family at Chicago Sales Co., next to First National Bank.

HELP WANTED—A man to work around a store, who is ambitious, and is willing to work. Common school education necessary. Wages small but chance to rise. Will not employ one who smokes or drinks. Must be strong, quick, honest, and with good record. Apply in own handwriting to "Employer," care The Union-Banner, Clanton, Ala.

A business deal that included the transfer of large bodies of timber to the south and west of Tuskegee has been closed. The Sinclair & Ridenhour Lumber Company, of Harris county, Ga., bought all the Segrest Milling Company interests at, Liverpool and now are moving five sawmills from Georgia to their timber near Tuskegee. This company will operate about 10 sawmills and will run something like 25 trucks to put the lumber on the market. The Mitchell Lumber Company has started to place timber on the plot of ground selected for its new plant, and in a few days 100 men will be employed in the erection of the houses and the construction of the mill foundation. Already a crew of men is busy opening the right of way for a track from the Rich plantation to the mill site at King's Ridge, on the Eufaula Creek.

Paving of the streets of Haleyville has been started in the main section of town and will include the two main highways of the town before the project is completed. The Muscle Shoals Construction Company has the paving under construction, and is to have the work completed within 120 days. Curbing is to be also laid. City Engineer P. H. Hamner, of Sheffield, is in charge.

Grady Heaton, 12-year-old son of James Heaton, is lying in a local hospital with a hattered right arm and an ugly gunshot wound in his right side as the result of the accidental discharge of a double-barreled shotgun in the hands of his 14-year-old brother, Norman.

The public service commission cancelled a hearing scheduled for September 16 to hear complaints of Bessemer, Ala., citizens of alleged excessive water rates. It was understood that agreement was reached with the Alabama Power Company for reduced rates.

Boss Henderson was acquitted in the Shelby county circuit court for the killing of Tom Brown, in September, 1923. The jury's verdict sustained the plea of self-defense. In a previous trial, Henderson had been given 10 years. The case was reversed by the supreme court.

Castleberry farmers have found a new use for their surplus calcium arsenate, which they bought to poison the boll weevil. They are using it now to kill grasshoppers which have been playing havoc with strawberry foliage.

Mr. Chester Mims and family went to Sylacauga Sunday.

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HARRY J. WALKER IS SHOT BY B'HAM OFFICER MONDAY

Alleged Bootlegger who Killed little Watley child near Jemison Recently was shot Monday a.m.

Harry J. Walker of Birmingham, who was tried a few weeks go in Clanton for the killing of the little child of Mr. Sy Watley near Jemison on July 27th in an automobile smash-up, was shot by a Birmingham policeman early Monday morning. This same fellow was tried in Clanton a few days ago for the alleged killing ob the baby of Mr. Sy Watley and the injury of Mrs Watley, however, Walker came clear of the charge preferred against him.

It is reported that Policeman Derrick of Birmingham has previously arrested W. R. Henderson, a close friend of Walker, on a charge of violating the prohibition laws, as a result of which Walker is said to have attempted to assault the officer, but was interrupted by the approach of a police car. A man by the name of Dovel was with Walker at the time the assault was attempted.

Police stated that they believed Walker and Dovel continued to cruise about throughout the night looking for Derrick. They finally located him at 5:30 Monday morning and asked him to get into the car. This, he refused to do. With this they attempted to drag him into the car. A fight followed, during which Derrick fired a shot in an attempt to scare his assailants. Being unsuccessful, Derrick then fired at Walker, hitting him in the right temple. Dovel, according to reports, disappeared during the skirmish and Derrick took the wounded man to the Norwood Hospital, where he later died.

Walker is said to have had a police record and had been arrested on a charge of vagrancy and violating the prohibition laws.

SEE MIDDLETON AS DISTRICT ATTORNEY

J. O. Middleton of Clanton will be the next assistant district attorney to succeed Lee Clayton if a rumor heard at the federal building Tuesday is correct. It is reported that Mr. Middleton has been recommended for the place by District Attorney Grady Reynolds of Clanton.

Mr. Reynolds was not in his office Tuesday. Assistant District Attorney Clayton said he had heard nothing to indicate who his successor would be.

Mr. Middleton is well known in Republican circles in Alabama. He has taken a leading part in Republican politics in the state for a number of years. He is regarded by lawyers as an able attorney.—Montgomery Advertiser.

FOOTBALL GAME AT HIGH SCHOOL GROUND FRIDAY

On next Friday afternoon the foot ball team of the Fourth District Agricultural School of Sylacauga will play the Chilton County High School team at Clanton. The game will begin at 3:00 o'clock. This is the first foot ball game of the season, and you should come out and see it. Chilton High has a team with the appearance of "fighters," so come out to this game and see what they are going to do.

WORK STARTED ON PAVING CHILTON SECTION OF ROAD

Concreting Link In Montgomery Birmingham Route Begins Tuesday

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 20.—Special.—Col W. A. McCalla, a state highway engineer, said Saturday that the contractor, Miller, has the forms laid at the north end of the project, for placing the concrete surface on the Chilton County link in the new Montgomery-Birmingham highway.

A full line of equiptment is on hand, it is stated and a camp has been established at Wessington, where a siding has been put in for the receiving of materials. Placing of the concrete will begin Thursday. Starting at the Chilton County line the work will be carried south as rapidly as possible.

W. T. Taylor Const. Co., which is building the Shelby County link in the new highway, is now engaged in laying asphalt pavement near the Jefferson County line working south. Four miles of pavement have been completed near Calera and a portion near Siluria. Two crews will be put to work on this job next week, it is announced.

Mr. C. B. Cox reports that the surfacing of the highway through Shelby county will be finished by Christmas. Mr. Cox has the job of putting on the stone and the other fellow does the packing down and finishing of the surface.

REPUBLICANS CERTIFY LIST OF CANDIDATES

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 20.—Names of Republican candidates for several Alabama state offices and Republican electors were certified last Saturday by the Republican state executive committee.

The list follows:

John B. Isbell, Ft. Payne and P. E. Alexander, Prattville, associate justices of the supreme court; J. I. Abercrombie, Birmingham, court of appeals; J. I. McKinney, Montgomery, president of public service commission; J. B. Sloan, Oneonta, commissioner of conservation; Frank H. Lathrop, Birmingam, United States senator. Electors from the state at large: J. A. Bingham, Talladega, and Mary Hodges, Odenville. District electors: Dr. W. T. Henderson, Mobile; Frank Barchard, Foley; J. R. Dawsy, Dothan; J. A. Jackson, Columbiana; J. C. Kilgore, Lineville; Allison P. Scroggins, Tuscaloosa; J. Frank Slone, Cedar Bluff; C. O. McEniry, Athens; D. D. Trimble, Birmingham, and J. M. Holliman, Fayette.

FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at Friendship, and Rev. W. W. Robinson will preach both at both the morning and evening services. The morning service will begin at 11:00 o'clock and the evening service at 7:30. Sunday school will be held at the usual hour.

The singing society will meet in the afternoon at 2 oclock. Some of the best singers of the county have promised to be at the singing. All singers and lovers of good music are cordially invited.

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AT CLANTON, OCTOBER 6 - 7 - 8

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Fourteen Different Attractions --- Season Tickets: Adults, $2.00; School Children $1

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Proceeds will be Divided Between the two Churches of Clanton.

ATOP THE ELEPHANT BOUND FOR THE WIRE

PROPHESIES, handed the press from the various Republican campaign camps throughout the country, run along about the same line. "It's all cut and dried. Cal will win in a walk" they say. And, satisfied that there's not a questin of doubt about it, the campaign managers are content to sit back and wait the mere formality of voters going t othe polls on Nov. 4 to confirm those predictions.

The Republican leaders point to Pres. Coolidge's activities in office since the death of the late Warren G. Harding as positive proof that he not only is capable of filling that esteemed position but that he has actually won the approval of all citizens. In his acceptance speech, he left no issue untouched and stated definitely then and since then, just where he stood on important questions of the day. And, his backers say, the judgment of the American people will put him back in office.

The above photo shows the president with his campaign manager, William M. Butler; and his running mate, Charles Dawes, Republican candidate for the vice-presidency. The picture was snapped after one of their many conferences of the campaign.

RADCLIFFE CHAUTAUQUA TO BE HERE OCT. 6, 7-8

Fourteen Educational and Instructive Attractions on Program For These Three Days.

To those who enjoy first-class, clean, refined, instructive and interesting entertainment, it will be good news that the Radcliffe Chautauqua is coming to Clanton again to entertain for them. The programs will consist of lectures on vital topics of the day, musical features, and performances of different kinds by artists. The Radciffe promoters place especial emphasis on their lectures, which are very fine indeed. Dr. Wirt Lowther, nationally known as one of America's greatest and most brilliant orators, will deliver some vital messages. Dr. Guy Morse Bingham, eloquent educator, well known to Chautauqua audiences from coast to coast, is booked to lecture also. Mr. Charles A. Horr, a dynamic young lecturer of "personality plus," will impart his clear-cut ideas to the audiences.

For the past several years Clanton has been the dump-heap for dirty, trashy, immoral and unrefined shows of low character. These questionable people have come here and carried our good money away by the thousands of dollars, and have left the dirty stain of their immoral jokes and stage attractions on the minds of our people to gradually grow into shame and disgrace against their lives. Young people and old ones as well are going to have some kind of entertainment, and when they can't get wholesome and refined pastime they are going to get whatever kind they can. The general trend of morality among or people is on the decline, in which dirty shows has played its part. We need to cultivate moral and religious refinement among our people, and one of the best ways in the world to do it is through wholesome entertainment. The Chautauqua is just this kind of entertainment. No smutty jokes are pulled, and no immoral scenes are staged in the Chautauqua. So, it behooves the good people to do all they can to promote this kind of refined entertainment for our people, and thus instill in their minds the desire for things uplifting and elevating instead of things degrading and immoral.

Let's everybody do all we can for the success of this Chautauqua. There have been one or two Chautauquas pulled off here which did not measure up to the specifications all the way around, but it was not this one. Several who have seen these programs put on in other towns speak very favorably of them. So, we need not fear to lend the Radcliffe Chautauqua our whole-hearted support. It will do our people good to hear its splendid lectures and to see the refined entertainment which it offers. Lets accord these entertainers good audiences and thus show that Clanton as a whole is still willing to support right and justice as against the onward approach of immorality and shamelessness. The date is October 6, 7 and 8, which is Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, week after next. Set your stakes now to attend these programs.

COTTON GOES UP $10 BALE AFTER THE GOV. REPORT

Report Estimates Yield of 12,596,000 Bales—21,400 Bales Less Than was Expected.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 23.—The cotton market experienced a very exciting time in today's session after the government issued its report making condition of the crop as of Sept. 16th, 55.4 per cent of normal, indicating a yield of 12,596,000 bales exclusive of linters. Prices which had been as low as 20.88 for October and 21.02 for December early in the morning shot up 100 points immediately and within about seven minutes, the March position which had traded as low as 21.37 reached the 200 point limit at 32.37 and the nearer months gained 195 points, October advancing to 22.83 and December to 22.97.

After the first rush of buying and covering prices eased off and December, the most active month in the list at one time, receded 70 points from the previous high to 22.27. Later in the day and particularly in the afternoon another buying wave struck the market being helped in a meaure by private reports of a tropical disturbance east of Cuba. Prices advanced rapidly and in the last few minutes of trading October, December, January and May successively reached the limit of 200 points and March finally also reached the limit for the second time in the session. The close was at the top showing net gains compared with yesterday's close of 170 to 178 points.

The advance was helped by the total ginning to September 16th providing only 2,900,000 bales or more had been expected.

The reason the government condition and estimate produced such surprise and led to such a drastic advance was that the trade generally had looked for a crop of 12,800,000 bales or more and a condition average in the neighborhood of 56. Moreover a very considerable short interest had been created in both the trading markets. Frantic efforts were made to cover this interest but the market advanced so rapidly it is very doubtful if the feat was successfully accomplished. It was the eagerness to cover that forced values up so rapidly both immediately after the report was issued and in the afternoon when all months were forced to the limit of 200 points allowed in a days trading.

NEWS FROM LAWLEY

Farmers over here are busy picking cotton. There is a very good supply of cotton made over here, but corn crops are not so good.

On the second Sunday and Saturday before, Rev. C. H. Littlejohn, pastor of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, filled his regular appointments, and we want to commend him for the good sermons he delivered.

Mrs. Clyde Bearden of Montgomery is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henderson.

The little five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bearden happened to a severe accident last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Bearden's parents. He fell out of a peach tree and broke one of his thighs.

MERRELL IS GIVEN 20 YEARS IN PEN FOR KILLING MAN

Shelby County Jury Finds Calera Man Guilty of Second Degree Murder Last Saturday.

Columbiana, Ala., Sept. 20.—It took about three hours Saturday afternoon for a Shelby county jury to decide that Bob Merrell killed N. L. McElroy, of Calera, and to give him 20 years in the penitentiary for second degree murder.

The jury, by its verdict of guilty of second degree murder, doubted the statements of Merrell, who charged Reggie Lucas with the actual killing. Lucas in his testimony had accused Merrell of the crime, the testimony of the death of McElroy thus being exactly contradictory. The balance was swung against Merrell by other evidence.

An appeal of the verdict was announced by attorneys for the defense.

The case went to the jury at 2:00 o'clock and the verdict was brought in shortly after 5 o'clock.

Lucas was never indicted for the murder, but has been held under bond as a material witness.

In the arguments of the case, Solicitor John J. Haynes compared the case with that of Leopold and Loeb, of Chicago. He said the widow of the dead McElroy had no money to hire good lawyers, as the defense had, to assist the state in obtaining justice. The statement provoked objections and finally Judge Lyman ordered that part of the speech ruled out.

R. C. RIGGINS IS FINED $250.00 IN BAD CHECK CASES

R. C. Riggins Faces Charges in the Court of Common Pleas on Tuesday.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 23.—R. C. Riggins, charged with issuing "fraudulent checks" amounting to $304 in connection with the purchase of an automobile from the Hobbie Motor Co., was given an aggregate fine of $250 and sentenced to 10 months at hard labor in three cases by Judge J. Winter Thorington Tuesday in the court of common pleas.

During the trial he admitted signing the checks, but stated that his name was G. G. Riggins, and that the initials "R. C." were assumed. The case is among the first to come up since the new Alabama code making fraudulent cases a misdemeanor, became effective August 17th. The court of common pleas now has the authority to pass a hard labor sentence and maximum fine of $100, whereas before only a fine could be assessed, the maximum amount being only $30.00.

AL SMITH LIKELY WILL BE NOMNATED BY N. Y. DEMS.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 23.—Renomination of the entire Democratic ticket was generally accepted tonight as being assured, and the scores of the party chieftains included Governor Alfred E. Smith. An anti-Klan pronouncement and a plank seeking the modification of the prohibition laws are to be included in the program.

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Beginning Saturday, September 27th, our Entire Stock of Goods will be Put on Sale. Prices will be Reduced on All Items in this Store. Everything must be Sold some way.

This Stock consists of Dry Goods, Shoes, Mens and Boys Suits, Underwear, Hosiery, and Notions for all. A full line of Groceries will be disposed of.

LOOK--Here's a few of the Bargains--LOOK

Mens $15.00 Suits, reduced to **$11.98**
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Mens $4.25 Work Shoes, reduced to **$2.48**
Mens $3.50 Work Shoes, reduced to **$2.48**
Mens $6.75 Dress Shoes, reduced to **$5.65**
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Ladies $5.00 Satin Slippers, reduced to **$3.98**

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You can save Money by buying your Children's Winter Shoes while they are Cheap.

WE HAVE ABOUT 100 MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS FROM WHICH YOU CAN SELECT. EVERY SUIT A GOOD STYLE AND A BIG BARGAIN. SEE THEM.

Mens $26.00 Suits, reduced to **$22.48**
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To everyone who Purchases one pair of Shoes from us, we will sell Twelve Pounds of Granulated Sugar for One Dollar.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE ORGANIZED

On Sunday September 21st, the boys and girls of the M. E. Church met at the church and organized the Epworth League the following were elected as officers: President, Reese Mullins; Secretary, Julian Evans; Treasurer, William Simpson; Corresponding Secretary, Mary McSwain; Organist, Loris Calloway.

DEPARTMENTS.

1. Department of Spirtual works Arthur Broadhead.

2. Department of Social Service, Wilhelmina Kittrell.

3. Department of Recreation Culture: Loris Calloway.

4. Department of Missionary: Mary Sue Marlow; Epworth, Eva Agent; Leola Calloway.

This League was organized by Mrs. C. C. Wilkerson. It meets every Sunday afternoon at 4:30.

FORESTALL DREADED CHILLS AND FEVER

No one need suffer the seasonal recurrence of Chills and Fever, with its terribly weakening effect. Wintersmith's Chill Tonic will kill your Chills and take all the Malaria out of your system. If you are subject to Malaria the best plan is to take Wintersmith's Chill Tonic beforehand. It will often prevent development of the disease. It puts rich, red blood into your veins, giving you the strength necessary to ward off Malaria.

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The system easily assimilates Wintersmith's Chill Tonic and there are no bad effects on the stomach or nerves. You should have a bottle in your home. Popular size, 60 cents; mammoth size, $1.00. All drug stores. Wintersmith Chemical Company, Inc. Louisville, Ky. —Adv.

EXPLOSIVE READY FOR ALA. FARMERS

Auburn, Ala., Sep. 25.—Farmers of Alabama now have an opportunity to get an explosive at a very low cost. Through the county demonstration agent the Federal Government has allowed 150,000 pounds of pyrotol, a war salvage explosive, to land owners and occupants of land in Alabama at cost of distribution and cartridging plus freight from Gibbstown, N. J.

Conditions of the offer are outlined in a statement by L. C. LeBron, Agricultural Engineer of the Extension Service. By pooling their orders and buying a carload (minimum 16,000 pounds) farmers may obtain pyrotol at a cost of $7.00 per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Gibbstown. If they purchase in less than carlots the cost will be $9.50 per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Auburn, Alabama.

Alabama has been allotted also 92,000 of No. 6 blasting caps which will be distributed at the rate of one cap to each pound of pyrotol. The cost of the caps will be 50 cents per shipment regardless of the size of the shipment.

Under the rules laid down by the Government not less than 50 pounds and not more than 1,000 pounds of pyrotol can be allowed to any one land owner or occupant of land either individually, partner, corporation, or association.

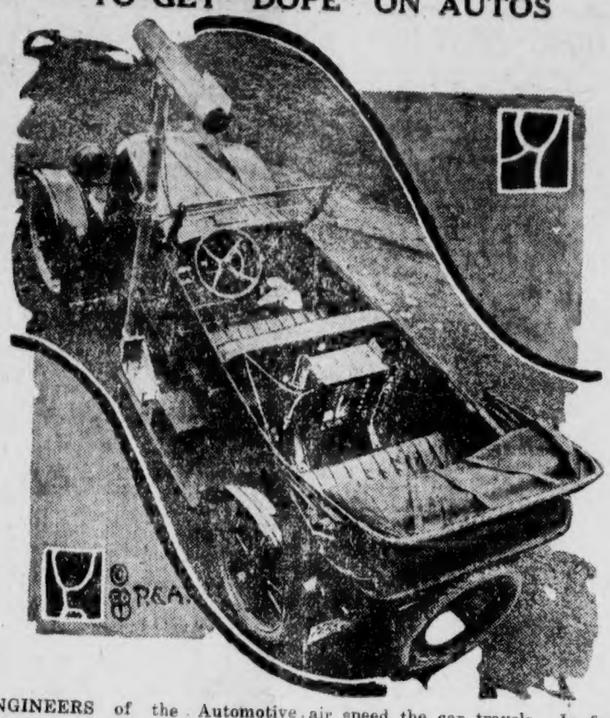
Pyrotol is a powerful explosive and is very practical for ditching, stumping land, and for other purposes for which dynamite is used.

CEDAR GROVE

The singing society will meet at this place Sunday afternoon Sept. 28. We are expecting a large crowd and we invite anyone who will to come and help us out in the singing. Your help will be appreciated any time.

BONNIE LITTLEJOHN.

TO GET "DOPE" ON AUTOS



ENGINEERS of the Automotive Power Plant section of the Bureau of Standards at Washington, D. C., have just completed the above pictured apparatus for obtaining data on the road performance of autos.

The periscope-like contrivance shown near the front of the car is to be used for measuring the relative air speed the car travels. In front of the rear seat is a device with 18 automatic pens in its workings for recording any incidents that occur while the car is in operation. The unique outfit also has a camera in it for photographing the flow of gasoline on the carburetor. Quite an invention!

AUBURN ALUMNI

Plans are being made at Auburn for a big home-coming of alumni and former students on October 4 when the Auburn football Tigers will clash with Clemson Colledge. The game promises to be one of the best of the season and all Auburn men are urged to be on hand.

Prior to the game the alumni will enjoy a luncheon together and discuss ways and means for being of greater service to their Alma Mater. Judge W. H. Samford of Montgomery, president of the Alumni Association, will be master of ceremonies.

REJOICES DAUGHTER CAN RESUME STUDIES

"Everything my little 12-year-old girl ate distressed her; even a glass of water would cause her to belch gas and she was unable to go to school for nearly a year. I bought her a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, and since taking it she is eating us out of house and home and is attending school again." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

FREE—One Leonardo Indestructible Pearl Necklace with each $100 purchase at Clanton Mercantile Co. No need to trade it all at once—save coupons.

W. H. Robinson of Providence was among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday of this week.

Mr. A. L. Robinson of Verbena, Route 2, member of the county board if education, was in Clanton Saturday.

Drop in today and see one of those beautiful Pearl Necklaces at Clanton Mercantile Co., to be given in exchange for each $100 worth of coupons.

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Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

FARM FACTS

Cooperative thinking among farmers is as important as cooperative marketing of farm products.

If you want poor land next year don't plant vetch seed this fall. —Frank E. Boyd, Auburn.

If you are looking for a buyer for something on your farm try an ad in your local paper. It will reach hundreds and perhaps thousands of people at a very small cost.

The farmer who has produced an outstanding crop of some kind or a good animal and then fails to show it at his community or county fair is hiding his light under a bushel.

Long winter nights are approaching and all the family will have more time for reading. You will want your local paper, a daily paper, a good farm paper or two, a magazine for the wife, and one or two for the children. Your local editor will assist you in selecting and subscribing for them.

The following food rules, issued by the Extension Service of Auburn for school children, are good enough for all.

Drink at least one glass of water before berakfast; drink 4 to 6 glasses daily.

Drink a quart of milk each day.

Do not drink tea or coffee.

Eat one vegetable in addition to potatoes each day.

Eat meat only once each day.

Eat some fruit-fresh, dried, or canned-each day.

Eat candy only immediately after meals.

Do not eat between meals.

MR. THILO FIERING OF CHICAGO IS HERE

On last Monday morning The Banner man was pleased to have our friend, Mr. Thilo Fiering of Chicago, Ill. call to see us. We had never met Mr. Fiering before, but his name was very familiar to us, he having been a subscriber to The Union-Banner for many years. Mr. Fiering is a former resident of Chilton County, he having left here a number of years ago. While spending a few days back in his old home county he is visiting Mr. Ben Edwards of Clanton Route 6. We were indeed proud to meet this distinguished gentleman and talk with him.

Facts About Child-birth

IT has been proven conclusively that much of the suffering, pain and dread experienced during *expectancy*, as well as at *child-birth* is entirely unnecessary.

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BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

On Sunday, Sept. 28, there will be a Special Service at the Clanton Baptist School to which every church member and every parent in Clanton are earnestly invited to come.

The officers and teachers are especially anxious to meet you all at Sunday School at least one time during the year.

For your own sake, and for the sake of your children, your community and your God, can you afford to fail? Be present at 9:45 a.m., and you will never regret it. Let's fill the church.

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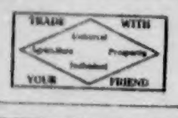

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For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH

W. J. Bryan, July 9, "Davis is impossible."

W. J. Bryan to Davis, July 10, "I am at your service."

There are fifteen hundred people in Clanton who do not attend Sunday school anywhere. Let's have a good attendance at the Baptist Sunday school next Sunday. A special program will be rendered. You should attend it.

Judge L. H. Reynolds is away from his office a good portion of the time now attending to the duties of State campaign manager for the Republican party. It is quite a large task to manage this campaign in Alabama, and the duties of that job together with his office duties here keep the Judge on the run pretty well all the time.

The further President Coolidge and Mr. Dawes run, the faster they get, and the longer they run the further they get. The indications now are that Coolidge will get about as many votes this year in the presidential race as Harding did in 1920. The country knows where Coolidge and Dawes stand, and it does not know where the aspirants on the other tickets stand. Consequently, Coolidge and Dawes are going to poll the votes.

Clanton always has a plenty of dirty, immoral street shows, which serve to tear down morality and Christian refinement among our people. The Chautauqua is just to the contrary. Its programs are just as entertaining, and the object of such entertainments is to build up Christian character and the desire for things moral and inspirational. Let the good people of Clanton boost the Radcliffe Chautauqua to be here in a few days, and give our people a chance to see some entertainment that will be an inspiration to them instead of a degredation.

WORTH READING—THE BIBLE

The Bible contains the mind of God, the state of man, the doom of sinners, the way of salvation and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding, its histories are true, and its decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, and the soldier's charter. Here paradise is restored, heaven opened, and the gates of hell disclosed. Christ is its grand subject, our good its design, and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart, and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently, prayerfully. It is a mint of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, will be open at the judgment, and be remembered forever. It involves the highest responsibility, rewards the greatest labor, and condemns all who trifle with its holy contents.

After reading the above, set your plans to come to the Clanton Baptist Sunday school next Sunday. A special missionary program will be rendered, and it is hoped that a good attendance will be present.

$14.95 buys an all-wool men's or young men's $20.00 suit Saturday at Chicago Sales Co., next to First National Bank.

FRIEND OR FOE?

SCISSORETTES

Public Ledger.—Since the Versailles treaty the two great steps taken have been the Washington Conference and the Dawes plan. This has come to be the considered opinion, not of America alone, but of the world. In assailing these actions John W. Davis is writing himself down either as a bemussed partisan or as being no more than an amateur in both statesmanship and practical diplomacy.

Fort Wayne Sentinel—One cannot read the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States without realizing that the nation's founders did not separate "human rights" from "property rights", as the Red demagogues of the present are seeking to do.

Los Angeles Times.—General Dawes told his old neighbors at Lincoln that the Republican Party could not promise any miracles. Others are not so conservative. The Democrats and the La Follies promise miracles of all kinds—even to turning water into wine.

Burlington (N. J.) Enterprise—The Democrats had hoped to advocate radicalism in the West nd conservatism in the East to play both ends against the middle, and now General Dawes exposes their hand, and no Democrat knows how to answer him.

Jacksonville (Ill.) Journal—It is said that the particular task assigned General Dawes in this campaign is to eliminate the bunk. That's a job for which the General is qualified. His whole record shows how much he despises sham and inefficiency.

Philadelphia North American.—It was of Senator La Follette that Colonel Roosevelt said in 1917: "He is acting in such fashion as to make him one of the most potent enemies of this country and a sinister enemy of democracy."

Dubuque Times-Journal.—Senator Wheeler now claims that one of his star witnesses is a liar. It generally turns out that way when several patriots conspire together to bunco the public for their personal advantage.

Somerset County (Pa.) Star—The farmer needs from the Government none of the quack remedies which half-baked, vote seeking politicians advocate. What he needs is just simplified, economical government.

Omaha Bee—All the vociferation of the opposition fails to draw out the noise of the wood sawing being done down in Washington by one Calvin Coolidge.

Buffalo Commercial—Dawes is himself a personification of a campaign of "brass tacks" as opposed to "bombast".

Albany Journal—No nation can gain by buying abroad and closing down its own production in the process.

Wilmington Journal—Republican economy made possible the Treasury surplus and tax reduction.

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WHAT OTHERS THINK

N. Y. Herald-Trbune—Some of Mr. Davis' friends ought to remind him that the deflation policy of the Federal Reserve system, which he blames for all the ills which befell the farmer, was not entirely a Republican scheme. Mr. Davis himself gives as the date upon which this policy was initiated June 30, 1920. It really started earlier than that. But even on June 30, 1920, the Federal Reserve Board was exactly 100 per cent the creation of President Wilson. It was presided over by W. P. G. Harding, a Southern Democrat appointed by President Wilson, and it included, as ex-officio member, Mr. Wilson's Secretary of the Treasury and his Comptroller of the Currency.

Christain Science Monitor.—The duty of every voter is plain. It should be regarded as a privilege, rather than as a task to record this expression of one's mature judgment at the polls. The temptation is to believe that one vote or a half dozen votes will not change the result. But the grand totals are made up of single votes cast. One can speak as emphatically and as decisively as another, and the result, if there is a full and free expression of the popular will, can never be forecast.

St. Louis Times.—The country wants a constructive administration. To be constructive the executive and legislative branches of government must work in harmony. We must have a Republican President and a workable Repubican Congress or we shall have a repetition of what we have had at the two ends of Pennsylvania Avenue in the last year.

Omaha Bee.—The American people have experimented with but four Democratic administrations since the Civil War. Each of them brought deflation to the farmers—stoppage of work and low wages to labor.

Waterloo Tribune.—No matter what we did to help unravel the entanglement in Europe, we would not be thanked. If we settled all their debts and started them off clean, we feel they would "tell the world" they had it coming to them.

Marion Star.—Senator Wheeler still sort of clings to Roxie as being quite all right but then the Senator is running for public office and we'd like to know what Roxie really thinks of the Senator, confidentially.

Kansas City Journal.—The pleasing feature of the greeting extended to his royal highness is that it is not founded merely on snobbery and the desire to see a prince of the blood, but upon a genuine administration for a young man who in his own right appeals to popular regard. His wholesome and unaffected democracy is proverbial and Americans have accepted him as a "regular fellow."

Dubuque Times Journal.—Everywhere today the call is for the man who can make himself busy in ne ways to reach old ends. The burden of civilization is he who means well, but means well feebly.

Minneapolis Journal.—If Republican legislation and administration had been responsible, as Brother Charles Bryan charged in his acceptance speech, for the spell of agricultural depression, it would be only fair to assume that the same nefarious agencies have brought about the present prosperity-promising prices.

A MUTE INGLORIOUS END

Two hundred and eighteen ships of the Government's wooden fleet have been sold to ship breakers and will be burned in one great bonfire in order that the metal they contain may be more profitably extracted. The boats cost the taxpayers $235,000,000. They have been sold for $262,000, about one-tenth of one per cent of their cost.

Thus is "finis" marked over one of the most monumental prices of Democratic stupidity and extravagance of the many that featured the efforts of that party in the world war.

Not a single wooden ship carried a soldier or a piece of munitions to France. Not one of them ever made an overseas voyage, and but few attempted to engage in the coastwise trade.

Practical men freely predicted that such would be the outcome when the wooden shipbuilding program was entered upon. But Mr. Wilson had confined his shipping policy to the tender care of political supporters totally innocent of any special knowledge along that line. Sharp disagreements prevented the adoption of any program for many months, but in the end the politicians prevailed, and the ridiculous wooden fleet was the result. The boats will soon be but a memory, but let us hope that that memory will persist and prevent the return to power for all time of the pernicious influences that saddled such a totally unnecessary burden upon the people.

TANGIBLE EVIDENCE

Such demonstrations as those that took place in all of our cities and towns on Defense Day not only aid the Government in formulating plans for the National Defense, but are tangible evidence to our patriotic citizens tht the schemes of the pacifists amount to little. The columns of publicity that are accorded the pacifist movement from time to time are all out of proportion to its importance. They may be accounted for in much the same way as the quantity of news matter that followed the discovery of dinosaur eggs in the Gobi Desert and of white Indians in Darien. The people want to know all about anything unique or abnormal. And those words exactly desribes the pacifists. Practically all of our people are entirely natural, normal, patriotic citizens, always ready to respond to the call of the Government and to rush to its defense in time of need.

$1.00 buys two full cut work shirts Saturday at Chicago Sales Co., located next to First National Bank.

IT IS SALESMANSHIP

It is said there is likely to be a deficit at the British Empire exhibition at Wembley near London. But it is reported that 10,000,000 people have already visited the exposition, with two months more to go, and the information that they have absorbed and will transmit to others, of the vast resources of the Empire will be well worth the cost to those who backed the project. It would be worth a substantial appropriation if a similar exhibition of our own resources could be arranged in this country. Few people have a conception of the almost unlimited variety of products that come from America territory. While not the products of the British Empire.

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The Road To Better Health

PROTECT THE SCHOOL CHILDREN AGAINST DISEASE

BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

A healthy child will usually get plenty of exercise and have a good appetite. It is up to those who are responsible for the child's welfare to see that it gets plenty of rest, has a proper diet, and is suitably clothed according to the season and the weather.

Habits that are likely to result in either spreading or contracting disease should be corrected. In this respect it is important to remember that much disease gains entrance to the system through the mouth.

The prevention of disease as far as possible, and the detection and removal of all such defects as may handicap the child in its ability to learn, and later to work, are very important matters deserving serious consideration at the school age. Those are amongst the many problems that come with September and the opening of the schools.

Very in Precaution

Different communities vary considerably in the amount of precaution that is taken to prevent the occurrence and spread of disease among the school children. The result is that the amount of preventable disease occurring among the pupils of different schools shows considerable variation.

Aside from the ordinary measures of hygene that are practiced more or less widely, certain specific disease preventive measures have been instituted in many schools. These measures generally consist in rendering the individual pupil immune to certain infectious diseases. And, in overcoming conditions that favor the development of others.

Diptheria is a dangerous disease that occurs too frequently among school children. It causes too many deaths each year in spite of the fact that it can now be classed among the preventable disease.. Not only can diphtheria be prevented, but it is also possible to determine susceptibility by means of the Schick test, a harmeless procedure causing no inconvenience.

The Schick test is crried out by injecting a small amount of diphtheria toxin into the skin of the foreman. Within a day or two a slight redness and swelling appear at the point of injection if susceptibility exists. In those who are not so readily susceptible can be made resistant, or immune, to diphtheria by the administation of toxin-anti-toxin.

Iodine for Goiter

In those regions where the drinking water and the food are deficient in iodine some degree of goiter occurs aming a large number of the people, particularly children. Its frequency of occurrence can be considerably lessened by the scientific administration of small amounts of iodine, as prescribed by the physician or school authority.

Regular medical inspections of the school children are carried out in an increasing number of communities and offer much protection against the wholesale exposure of large numbers to dangerous contagious diseases. Such inspections also make possible the early detection and removal of many defects that may retard the child's progress. The sooner defective eyesight, adenoids, diseased tonsils, bad teeth, faulty posture and constitutional disturbances are detected and remedied, the better it will be for both the health and the education of the child.

Vaccination against small-pox continues to be strongly advisable even though it may not be compulsory. The number of severe cases and the high death rate among the un-vaccinated in some of the recent epidemics occurring in the western states and in Windsor, Ont., leaves little doubt as to the value of effective vaccination as a preventitive.

It is foolish for parents to object to having their chidren protected against small-pox, which has produced as many as one death in each three cases occurring among the unprotected in some of the outbreaks of recent years. Modern vaccination is clean and safe, and is the only thing that prevents small-pox.

Many communities have carried out some or all of these measures with excellent results. The means of disease prevention that are accepted throughout the scientific world should have a more widespread application in the schools.

HEALTH QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Ringworm

C. L. B. asks: "What causes ringworm and what does it look like? Is it contagious?"

Ans.—Ringworm is caused by a parasitic fungus called the trichophyton fungus. It may affect the scalp, the beard, the general body surface, or the nails. Ringworm begins as one or more rounded or irregular, reddened, scaly patches. It spreads around the edge in the form of a widening circle while the center has a tendency to heal, so the fully developed patches are usually ring-shaped. The margin is usually slightly elevated.

Ringworm is contagious, and may be transmittd from one person to another. Affected animals, such as dogs and cats, may also be the source of infection.

Styes

T. M. asks: "What causes styes? I am troubled with them quite often."

Ans.—"A stye is an inflammation of one of the little glands on the margin of the eyelid. It usually results in the formation of a small amount of pus. Some of the common causes are: eyestrain from some defect of vision; anemia; constipation; irr-i tation of the eyes by dust, wind and smoke.

Have your eyes tested to find out if you shoud wear glasses. Try to get your bowels regulated by attention to your diet, drinking enough water, and getting enough exercise. Eat vegetables, laxative fruits, cereals, bran; eat agar or take mineral oil if necessary.

Bathe your eyes with a warm boric acid solution, and put a couple of drops of a 10 per cent argyrol solution into the eye, night and morning. But be sure to have your eyes examined. It would also be a good idea to be examined by your doctor to make certain that you have no constitutional disturbance. Unless you remove the underlying cause you are likely to continue to have styes.

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Ford - Graham Wedding.

A pretty wedding was that of Miss Lorena Ruth Graham of Thorsby and Mr. John W. Ford, Jr., of Binghamton, N. Y. The wedding took place at the Congregational church of Thorsby at 9:30 Thursday morning, September 18th. The church was beautifully decorated with green and goldenrod and chrysanthemums. White tapers burned in antique brass candelabra on each side of the altar. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. C. R. Foss at the organ and Miss Eram Griffin of Montgomry at the violin, offered appropriate selections. At 9:30, as Mill Naomi Turnquist played the wedding march, Rev. Arnold W. Hayes, a returned missionary from Brazil, S. A., and brother-in-law of the groom, took his place at the altar. He was followed by the groom and the best man, Mr. Robert Ford, brother of the groom.

Miss Eloise Abernathy of Birmingham, maid of honor, entered alone from the opposite direction. Miss Abernathy wore a light blue silk and georgette dress with a large picture hat and carried a bouquet of roses. She was followed by the two little flower girls, Martha Ford Hounchell and Elizabeth Ford, nieces of the groom. They were daintily dressed in dresses of apricot and lavender, colored voile, and carried baskets of roses. Then came from the vestry room the bride, who entered with her father, Rev. J. M. Graham, and took her place at the altar beside the groom. he bride wore a white charmuse dress and tulle veil with a bandeau of orange blossoms. Her flowers were bride's roses. The ceremony was wonderfully bautiful and impressive. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham, for the out-of-town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford left on No. 1 for Montgomery for a couple of days stay, from whence they will leave for Savannah, Ga., and take the steamer for their future home at Binghamton. Mr. Ford's traveling costume was a three-piece suit of brown vel-a-seude with muskat trimming and a brown hat to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford spent several years together at school attending Thorsby Institute. Mrs. Ford afterwards graduated from Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., and then taught two years at Enterprise, Ala., where she made many friends. Mr. Ford is a graduate of Cornell University and is engaged in the floral business in Binghamton, N. Y.

The out-of-town guests were: Mr. John W. Ford, Sr. and wife, father and mother of the groom, of Montgomery, Mr. Frank Ford and family from Tennessee, Mr. Robert Ford of Mississippi, brothers of the groom, Mrs. Paul Hounchell and two little daughters, sister and nieces of the groom, Rev. Arnold Hayes and wife and little son from Brazil, S. A., Mrs. Chas. Ford of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Graham and wife of Anniston and James A. Graham of Montgomery, both brothers of the bride, the Misses Eram Griffin and Edna Alexander of Montgomery, Miss Fletcher Jacobs of Scottsboro, Miss Eloise Abernathy of Birmingham and Mrs. Bertha Abernathy of Montgomery. There were about 200 guests present at the ceremony.

School News.

Largely through the efforts of Miss Mae Stoddard, a former teacher at Thorsby Institute, enough money has been secured to finish putting new single desks into the assembly hall. These will be ordered at once. The double desks that are now in the assembly hall have been sold to one of the schools in the county.

The halls of Thorsby Institute and one of the recitation rooms have recently ben given two coats of paint and look very nice. A part of the money that the senior class gave to the school has been used to purchase black boards for one of the recitation rooms.

The Institute library, which as all know, is open free to the public, as one of the best libraries in the State outside of the cities, is being patronized more and more. It has a wide collction of reference books, histories, biographies, etc., as well as fiction for old and young.

Mrs. M. C. Post, who was connected with the school a few years ago as a volunteer worker, has again come to Thorsby Institute to help in various ways. The school is very glad to have her back with us again.

Mr. C. R. Foss and Mr. C. E. Lucas motored to Montgomery Tuesday on a business trip.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. E. W. Butler Thursday, October 2.

Mr. C. A. Norman, superintendent of concrete work on the new highway has moved to Thorsby and is occupying Mrs. Villadsens green bungalow.

Mr. M. E. Willis of Billingsley is one of our new comers. He is in the green house belonging to Mr. Gulledge south of Thorsby Inn. Two of Mr. Willis' daughters are students at Thorsby Institute.

Rev. J. M. Graham moved his family to Montgomery Tuesday. We are sorry to lose this good family and expect to see them returning to Thorsby sooner or later. Mr. Graham's son, James A. Graham, has a position there with the Durr Drug Co.

Mr. Herbert Peterson and family spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Graham of Anniston, spent the past week with Mr. Graham's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham and, took in the Ford-Graham wedding.

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Mr. L. H. Johnson, who was formerly employed on the highway here, returned with his wife last Saturday. They will be located here for some time and Mr. Johnson will continue his work on the highway. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are stopping at the Thorsby Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Bentley are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter, born Sept. 16th.

J. Scott Caverno, an old resident of Thorsby, has been on the street the past week. It is hard to forget Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan entertained the Ford-Graham bridal party at their home the night before the wedding, after the rehearsal at the church. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. Willie Scott spent several days in town last week.

Mr. O. C. Jackson visited last week with her sister, Mrs. Milliken at Talladega.

Mr. Carl Peterson and wife and little Jack, left last Friday for a visit in Illinois and Wisconsin.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen was a visitor in Clanton last Monday.

The Ladies Guild gave their annual reception to the students, faculty and others last Saturday evening. A very interesting program was rendered.

Rev. J. C. Whorton has left the work here at Thorsby and will take up his new field at Leeds, Ala.

The rally day service at the Congregationl church was largely attended and was represented by all the Sunday School workers from the cradle-roll class to the Bible class. An inersting and pleasant program was given to the audience. Rev. J. M. Graham occupied the pulpit in the evening.

LIBERTY HILL

Our singing society met Sunday afternoon with a large crowd and had good singing. The president, Mr. Leonard Culp, being absent, Prof. J. W. Lowery acted as chairman. The directors for the afternoon were: Prof. J. W. Lowery, Mr. Zack Lowery, Mr. Harrison Hayes, Misses Neacie and Claudie Smith. Organists were Miss Bonnie Littlejohn and Mrs. Paul Littlejohn. We had several special songs for the afternoon.

This society will meet with the Cedar Grove society next Sunday afternoon. All singers and lovers of music are invited to come and bring your 1924 song books with you.

NEW SALEM

The ladies social club of New Salem church will give a weight supper at the home of Mrs. Ernest Porter one-half mile south of Thorsby on Saturday night, September 27. Also a new quilt will be given away, so come and buy a chance on the quilt. Chances will sell for 10c, and lucky number will get the quilt. Everybody come.

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TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)	
Providence,	13	Oct.	1
Robinson's Store,	12	Oct.	2
Mullins Academy,	1	Oct.	3
Providence,	16	Oct.	4
Shoults,	7	Oct.	6
Riderville,	8	Oct.	7
Macedonia,	14	Oct.	8
Cane Creek,	11	Oct.	9
Enterprise,	6	Oct.	10
Stanton,	8	Oct.	11
Maplesville,	7	Oct.	13
Mars Hill,	2	Oct.	14
Jemison,	2	Oct.	15
Pletcher,	15	Oct.	16
Coopers,	10	Oct.	17
Mineral Springs,	12	Oct.	18
Benson,	3	Oct.	20
Thorsby,	9	Oct.	21
Kincheon,	6	Oct.	22
Culp Schoolhouse,	15	Oct.	23
Verbena,	5	Oct.	24
Mt. Creek,	5	Oct.	25
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov.	8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL LAND

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probte Court:

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Baker, as guardian of Gulma Brunice Baker-Powell, has filed his petition in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to sell, for re-investment, the following described real estate, situatd in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14) and running thence east on the Forty line 220 wards, thence north 220 yards, thence west 220 yards, thence south along the Forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, and containing Ten acres more or less.

And that Saturday, October 11, 1924 is the day appointed for the hearing of said petition.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

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1 lot Ginghams, per yard, ... **12 1|2 c**
1 lot Satin, worth $1.50 a yard, now **$1.29**
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NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

While "Listening in" on the Radio last night, we heard a man giving a story of a "Tour by Radio," in which he told of an automobile trip from New York city to Saranac Lake in the Adirondack Mountains in the north-eastern part of the state of New York.

Having at one time in the past covered practically the same route in a more interesting way, and spent nearly three months amid the beauties and wonders of that region, we can give an account of it that will be quite as interesting to readers of The Union-Banner, as the story we heard last night was to the vast audience of Radio Fans.

One interesting feature of such a trip is the fact that although one may take it, he still leaves it for as any as choose to come afer him to enjoy! Modes of Travel may change and the puny efforts of men may make some slight changes in the landscape as time goes on, but the glories of nature in mountains, valleys, lakes and streams will endure for centuries.

In the summer of 1911 the writer with his wife and 11 year old son Edwin, were invited to become the guests of our brother Edwin Norton, of New York, for a sojourn in the Adirondack Mountains where he had 1000 acres as a play ground Mrs Norton was so ill as to scarcely be able to sit up or travel, but we felt that such a chance would be beneficial and chose to go by water, as much of the way as possible, going by rail to Savannah, and by steamer on the ocean to New York. One who enters New York harbor early on a clear summer morning, gets a view never to be forgotten; In this setting one obtains the best and most picturesque view of a scene equalled nowhere else in all the world. Coming up the ever narrowing shores of the outer bay lying between Long Island and Governors Island until we reached "The Narrows" where the channel is about half mile wide, but soon opens out again to view of the fast receding shores covered by the city of Brooklyn on the right, and the great forts and government buildings at the left. The ever growing Statue of Liberty in the foreground and lower New York nd the New Jersey shores for a background, we thread our way through an armada of water craft of all shapes and sizes, from all parts of the world and finally dock at one of the great piers lining the Hudson River.

As we land on the pier we are met by our brother H. N. Norton, who escorts us to the New York Central terminal station, where we take a train for his suburban home at Mount Vernon, 20 miles out from New York. It being Sunday we spend the day quietly visiting with the family, all of whom were then at home, the brother his wife and oldest daughter, we were never to see again, they have all passed away. After a good night's rest we got an early start back to the city, to embark on a daylight trip up the Hudson River. Two magnificent River steamers are used alternately for these daylight trips up and down the river. One of them is named Robert Fulton, in honor of the man who invented the Steamboat and first ran it on the Hudson River. There are no scenic water routes in this country, and few in the world, that are more picturesque, or filled with so many historic objects along the way. As a consequence this trip is taken by tourists from all over the world, and there is never any lack of passengers, when the weather is suitable for outdoor travel.

Leaving New York about 8 a.m., the river banks on either side seem to be sliding past in an endless panorama of exquisite landscapes and important cities, villages and historic places that keep one who cares for them always busy, yet unlike train travel there is scarcely any perceptible motion of the steamer, and there is plenty of time to get a good look at any object before it vanishes. In other words one has more time to take in th passing show.

At 5 P. M. we reached Albany, the Capitol city of the state of New York, where we were to spend the night, but having sent no notice that we were coming, it looked for awhile as if we would have to sleep on the grass in the park. Some convention was on at the time and the hotels were running over. However, at one of the best ones we finnaly found a suite of rooms so swell that ordinary people would not pay for it, but as it was getting late they let us have it at a big reduction and we had a good nights rest.

Next morning we took a train for Westport, N. Y. away up on the shore of Lake Champlain near the Canada line where we arrived about 2 P. M. and took a stage about twenty miles back into the mountains, to a hotel named Hunter's Home.

One might judge from its name that it was not a Tutwiler, or a Gay-Teague, but it was good of its kind. In the arrangement made for us we were given our choice to stay at this hotel or go to a camping bungalow, which our brother had prepared, on his land further up in the mountains, for a daughter recently married he entertained a lot of her friends at a camping party.

We stayed one night at the hotel, then got a pony and Buckboard and went up to see the camp Bungalow. Although Mrs Norton had stood the trip pretty well she was still too ill to sit up long at at a time or do much walking. We found the place ideal and completely furnished for camping comfort. After Mrs. Norton had looked it over, we got her an easy chair for her out on the porch, where she could see the mountains and valleys and breathe the health giving air. After taking in what she could of the situation she said in a weak voice "You may bring up the trunks, I'm Not going back to that hotel".

We had no trouble to get supplies, the groceryman visited us regularly and we got fresh butter milk and eggs from farmers in the vicinity. The writer was camp cook, and we lived well. Mrs. Norton began to improve from the first and in three weeks time she was climbing over the mountains with us. There were no roads to most of the places we wanted to go, and our little Edwin was a good scout to follow a trail, even when there was no path, but only blazed trees to mark the way. Here we could see floating below us and once we saw a thunder storm from the top side.

One time we climbed a steep and long trail and came out on a level tract where there were great flat rocks some of them very comfortable seats. Here we saw what we found by climbing everywhere we went. We got views of other heights beyond and hitherto undreamed of beauties in valleys we had never seen. Always our labor was rewarded by new and beautiful scenes or objects. Once we discovered a charming small lake nestled in one of these mountain valleys, with Edwin for a guide we found a trail over the mountain, to this lake and afterwards made several fishing trips to it. In another direction the Boquet river comes tumbiing down over rocks and waterfalls adding its scenic beauty to the landscape. This is one stream on which the Government has so far permitted no dam to be built. At flood times it becomes a raging torrent. And the safety of the people living along its lower reaches must be considered. It is also a stream that abounds in Brook Trout and other toothsome fish, as it has not been polluted by refuse from factories, like many of our New England streams.

Had our Edwin lived we should probably have returned to visit these scenes more than once. For we know of no more delightful and health giving place on earth. Our summer there was one long season of rest and recuperation. When the September days and nights began to wax too cold for comfort, with such facilties as we had for heat at the camp, we moved to a farmhouse lower down, where we had all we needed to be comfortable, here we staid until October, when with nerves and health restored, we turned our faces toward our Southland home. We had no desire to experience a winter in a locality where the mercury goes to 35 degrees below zero, as it did in this very place the winter before our visit there.

The scenes, the trip and incidents are as fresh in our mind as though a glimpse of the fascinating picture stored in our memory we shall be glad of it. One of the joys of travel is the pleasures of memory. Somehow the things that may annoy for the moment, are forgotten, but the beautiful and the good, "NEVER".

PROGRAM BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Unity and Chilton County Associations to be held at New Cedron Church, 4 Miles East of Billingsley, Sunday, Sept. 28th, 1924.

Morning Session.

10:00.—Devotional, Bro. E. E. Edwards.
10:10.—Temporary organization.
10:20.—Who Should Belong to the S. S. and How to Enlist Them, H. A. Harris.
10:40.—Report of delegates.
10:55.—Address (speaker to be supplied.)
11:20.—Address, Rev. B. W. Mims.
12:00.—Dinner.

Afternoon Session.

1:20.—Devotional, Bro. W. J. Patrick.
1:30.—The S. S. As a Teaching Force, and the Teachers Preparation, B. W. Davis and Mrs. J. C. Hughes.
2:05.—Address by Rev. S. J. Ezell.
2:35.—My Duty As a S. S. Teacher, J. L. Johnson.
2:50.—The Value of the S. S. and How to Get the Best Results, open discussion by the Superintendents of the Convention, led by G. C. Armstrong.
3:30.—Business session.
4:00.—Adjournment.

MUNCHER-JACKSON WEDDING

On last Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson of Lomax, their daughter, Miss Jessie Jackson, was married to Carl Muncher of Bessemer. There was a large crowd present to witness the ceremony, which was performed by Judge L. H. Reynolds.

The bride was dressed in a beautiful traveling suit, and Mr. Muncher wore a black tailored wedding suit. A ring was placed on Mrs. Muncher's finger, and she was told that her love should be as binding and as endless as the ring.

After the ceremony a splendid supper was set for all. The wedding cake was cut by Judge Reynolds. Mrs. Muncher, the bride, cut the ring. Everybody enjoyed the occsion very much. Shortely after they were married the couple left for Birmingham, whre they will make their future home.

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Mrs. F. A. Ellison, whose home is a mile north of Clanton, is in the Central Alabama Hospital, she having undergone an operation last Thursday. The operation was a very serious one, but late reports say that Mrs. Ellison is improving nicely.

REVIVAL AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

The announcement has been made that the revival at the Clanton Baptist church will begin on Sunday, October 12th. Dr. David M. Goldner of the First Baptist Church of Ensley will do the preaching for these services.

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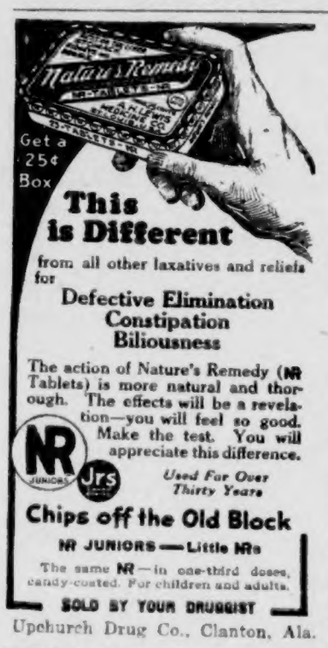

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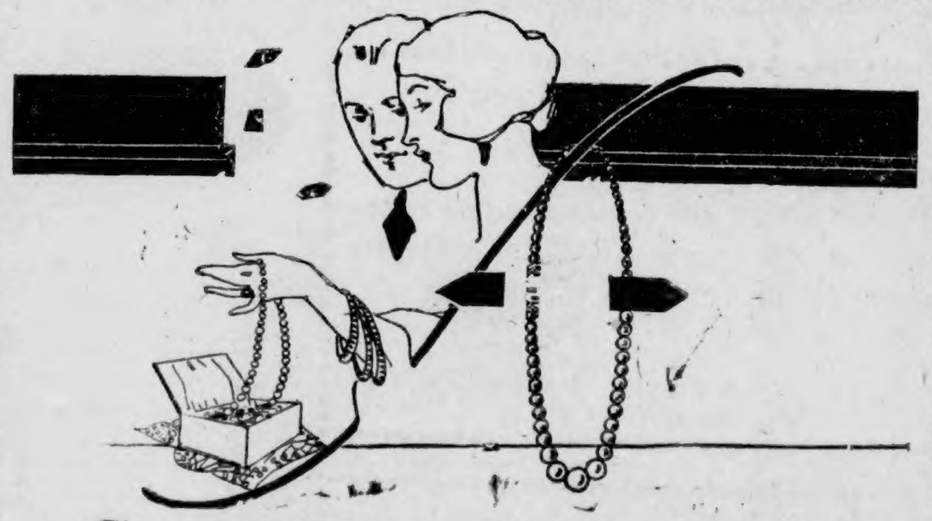

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The home was beautifully decorated, the color scheme being pink and white.

A lovely four-course dinner was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gwin, Mrs. J. M. Collins; also a number of young people.

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I want to render my many thanks to you all for your kind and hospitable treatment toward us at the death of my baby. All the white citizens of the town as well as the colored, spared no pains in coming to our rescue. I want to thank you one and all, and pray the Lord's blessings upon all who assisted me.

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SARDIS CONVENTION

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Sardis sure did her part. The kindness of the people was unbounded. Our visit there will be remembered with pleasure all through life. We never can say too much in praise of the good people of Sardis.

The convention was pleased to have as visitors Mr. J. A. Deason and daughter, Miss Yuell, and Mr. M. C. Holmes of Talladega. All good singers. Miss Yuell nicely directed several selections. The convention on learning of the illness of Mr. W. J. Morris, as a token of sympathy, joined in singing one of his favorite old songs, "Angel Band." It was a very touching occasion.

Mr. Hayes, chairman of the Sardis modern singing society, has our many thanks for his great kindness.

The next session of the convention goes to Cedar Grove in May, 1925.

THE CHAIRMAN.

OBITUARY

Deatsville, Ala., Elmore County: Whereas, in the providence of God, our sister, Mary Florence Hicks, has suffered the loss of her father, Mr. Joe Price, and a sister, Miss Lizzie Price, and whereas, the members of our Chapter deeply deplore her sorrow, Be it Resolved: That the Florence G. Newsom Chapter No. 324 Order Eastern Star, Deatsville, Ala., send a letter of condolence and sincere sympathy to our sister in her great bereavement.

And be it further resolved, that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Chapter, and a copy be sent to the Chilton County papers.

Respectfully submitted,
LULA CARPENTER, Cond.
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LAND FOR SALE—80 acres, 1 mile east of Coopers, 1-2 mile from a church, 3-4 mile of good school; 2 good dwelling houses 3 rooms each, good barns, good running lasting water; will produce 1-2 bale cotton to acre or more; 35 acres open land, good pasture. If interested, apply to J. B. Jones, Cooper, Ala., 8-29-5t-pd

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, 10 acres level orange land, well improved truck and poultry farm, good 4-room house and out buildings, 1-4 mile of corporation line of Robertsdale, Ala. Reason for selling, going into other business. J. W. HARRELL, 9-11-4t-pd. Robertsdale, Ala.

FOR SALE—One set of 20-inch mill rocks practically new; in good condition, price reasonable; may be seen at Clanton any time, or see, write or call J. Mat Johnson, R 1. 9-18-3d

FOR SALE — One Hoozier Grain Drill, good as new, at a bargain. If interested, see W. A. Kemp. tf

FOR SALE — One Hundred Forty two acres land. Good community, near high school and churches. Running water; good pastures. 40 acres in cultivation, balance cultivatable. Near proposed graded road. For further particulars and price, address, C. R. Burkhalter, Verbena R 1. 3d

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What is the Value of the Railroads

In order that the reader may have a clearer idea as to the real value of the railroads, and whether or not legislation should be enacted which would reduce their valuation, to the great detriment of the carriers, the following figures are presented:

There are approximately 400,000 miles of track, including switches and side tracks. It is certainly not unfair to figure the value at $25,000 a mile (the cost to-day to build a mile is about $50,000), which would make this one item alone total	$10,000,000,000
There are about 70,000 locomotives in use. The value of these at $30,000 each (the 6,600 or more locomotives bought in the last two years have cost on an average of about $60,000 each for freight and $50,000 each for passenger) totals	2,100,000,000
There are nearly 2,400,000 freight cars which, valued at $1,200 each (the average cost of a freight car to-day is about $2,000) would total	2,880,000,000
There are some 60,000 passenger-train cars which, valued at only $15,000 each (all-steel passenger cars now average $35,000 each) would bring this item to	900,000,000
These four items of roadway and equipment give us an *extremely conservative valuation* of $15,880,000,000. Yet they do not take into consideration many important items, chief of which are as follows:	
Value of terminal yards, often located on highly valuable city property—of all stations, roundhouses, shops, terminal freight and passenger stations, general office buildings, countless section houses and other buildings—of all equipment employed by the railroads for maintenance, such as work cars and locomotives, machinery, tools and derricks—of a vast quantity of current supplies needed in the operation—of telephone and telegraph lines and equipment. Certainly the value of these countless items would amount to at least	4,120,000,000
Bringing the total valuation to not less than	$20,000,000,000

The tentative valuation of the railroads, at the end of 1919, was found by the Interstate Commerce Commission to be $18,900,000,000. This valuation was based on cost and prices up to 1914, and therefore includes no war-time inflation of values. The subsequent investment of nearly $2,000,000,000 makes the valuation for rate-making purposes more than $20,000,000,000.

With the above figures before you, do you consider a reduction to $13,000,000,000 in the valuation of American railroads, now being attempted by certain interests, fair; or does it not appear to you that such a confiscation of values would, in effect, be a denial to the railroads of their chief means of keeping pace with the development of the country?

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Card Club Entertaind.

At her home on Tenth Street, Mrs. Willis Lyman entertained the members of the Wednesday Card Club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon. A variety of autumn flowers ffectively brightened the entire interior. Bridge was played at four tables, and afterwards delicious refreshments were served. After a sries of rubbers the top score was held by Mrs. John Browder, who was given a couple of decks of congress cards. The club members and guests were: Mesdames H. Alred, Browder, N. S. Johnson, Hugh Jons, Oscar Jones, G. Reynolds, Simpson, Frank Callen, Arthur Johnson, Hosea Downs, Guy Higgins, Bowen Jones, and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Mrs. Jessie Chandler and Mrs. Claude Jones organized a Junior Missionary Society last Wednesday afternoon, at the new Methodist church. A very interesting program ws planned. The society will meet once a month at the homes of the different members on Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. After the work was planned for the society, the members were invited to the home of Mrs. Chandler, where different games were played. Afterwards an ice course was served.

Miss Lucile Calloway is visiting Clara Calloway this week.

Mr. John Fox is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox.

All the members and teachers of the Baptist Sunday School are requested to be present next Sunday.

Miss Roberta Curry, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Clint Jones, in Ashville, N. C., came home last week.

Mr. Clarence Evans from Birmingham spent a few days with his mother recently.

The Baptist and Methodist ladies met Tuesday afternoon to make arrangements to sell tickets to the Radcliffe Chautauqua, which will be in Clanton October 6, 7 and 8.

The members of the Philathia class are urged to meet at the home of Mrs. Mallie White next Friday afternoon.

You will find the very newest thing in sweaters for the whole family at Chicago Sales Co., next to First National Bank.

"HOW DREAMS COME TRUE"

The women of the W. M. U. S. of the Baptist Church wish to extend a cordial invitation to all interested in this cause. Quite a unique way has been devised for drawing the members for the circles for another year.

A beautiful pageant of clear-thought and deep spiritual insight illustrating the title "How Dreams Come True," will be put on at the church on Tuesday afternoon, September 30 at 3:30.

A treat is in store for all who attend as the pageant has been very painstakingly worked out by Mrs. Ezell, and is a subject so vitally a part of that cause for which she has so patiently and faithfully labored during the two years of her wonderful leadership. We feel that it is not only a child of her brains but the child of her heart as well, and it therefore expresses that inward touch of love which draws us closer to the work of the Master.

This pageant will be very beautifully depicted by the girls of the Young Womens Auxiliary, whose efforts we should feel it our duty to encourage.

MRS. HAYES.

LAWLEY NEWS

I am glad to say that Lawley is improving. Mr. H. C. McKinney of Centerville has located here and has started the old gin, that people will remember as Mr. J. M. Collins', and he is now putting in a planning mill.

Mr. J. N. Mitchell has put up a garage here.

We are glad for anything new to start here for we feel that it will help the place.

We have had visitors here from Quincy, Florida, for the last week, Messrs. Eddie Hawkins, Austin Frazier, C. B. McGee and Irvin Johnson motored through in a car. They will start back to Quincey this morning and we hope they will have a successful trip.

Miss Olivia Latham leaves this morning for Montevallo, where she will enter the Alabama College. We regret so much to see so many of our young people leaving for school for we will miss them so much. Miss Latham will be missed in our B. Y. P. U., where she has served as president so long; also she has had charge of a S. S. class almost a year.

Mr. Charley Collins, who holds a position as barber in Tuscaloosa, spent Sunday at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Collins.

Mr. Moody Collins, who has been in Quincy, Fla., since Christmas, came home Sunday. We all welcomed him back. He says he is going to stay in Alabama for a while.

The school here opened up last Monday morning and we feel that it will be a successful school with Mr. J. W. Cleveland, Misses Lexie Jones and Virginia Mount as teachers.

On Wednesday night, Sept. 11, a most delightful party was given by Miss Cornelia Jefferson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Jefferson. The guests were ushered into the living room by Miss Jefferson where they were entertained with some games and music. Afterwards they were carried into the dining room, where it was beautfiully decorated with ferns and flowers and was served with cream and cake. Everyone reported a mighty good time.

We are glad to announce that the people of Maplesville, who have just given a minstrel down there for the benefit of the school, will bring the same minstrel to Lawley Thursday night, September 25th, and have it for the benefit of our school. We think it will be mighty nice of them to help us out, and hope that they will have a large crowd out to greet them. We are going to entertain them as best we can while they are in our community.

$1.98 buys a brand new men's or boy's new Fall Hat, worth us to $3, at Chicago Sales Co., Clanton, Ala.

Eight men were arrested in Montgomery when state law enforcement officers raided two stills in Shelby County. Nine hundred gallons of beer and 32 gallons of whisky were destroyed.

Morgan County Kiwanis Club members at a recent meeting discussed plans for aiding school children who need assistance to remain in school this year. Several reports were made on cases which are thought worthy and plans made to render such assistance.

In the proportion of counties of the state with fully organized county public health units, and in the percentage of people served by public health organizations, Alabama is second in the United States.

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Practical Nurse Tells

Mrs. N. E. Snow, of Route 1, near Paris, Tenn., tells the story of her experience as follows:

"I am 62 years old and I have been a practical nurse for more than 20 years, taking mostly maternity cases. One of my daughters suffered from cramping at . . . She would just bend double and have to go to bed.

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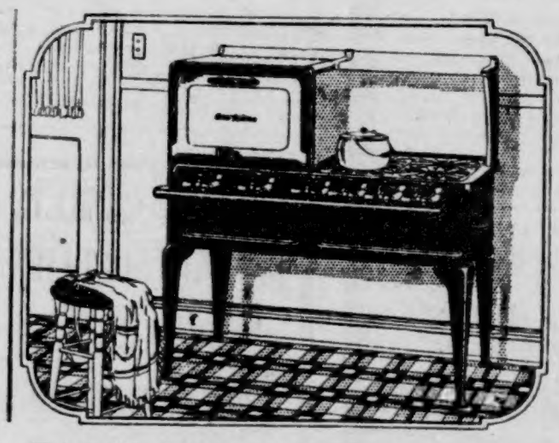
I am going to give away a $96.00 Red Star Oil Cook Stove to my Customers. With each $1 cash purchase you will receive a ticket good for one chance on this beautiful Stove, to be given away December 25th, 1924, at 3:00 o'clock. This is the greatest prize ever given away in Jemison. This Stove is on display in our store. Come in and look it over. We have many bargains for you. You will be welcome.



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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE HELD AT CO. HIGH SCHOOL THIS WEEK

150 Teacher Attend One of Most Spirited Institutes Ever Held In Chilton County.

The Chilton County Teachers Institute, under the supervision of Miss Dannylu Belser, State Supervisor of Elementary Education, was held at the high school building in Clanton Monday and Tuesday of this week. there were only two or three teachers of the county unable to attend the institute, there being 150 present. Reports say that the institute was very fine in every respect, all the teachers as well as the visiting speakers taking considerable interest in the work.

On Monday, after the opening exercises and enrollment, introductory remarks were made by the Conductor, after which the subject, "How to reorganize Schools on the 6-3-3 Plan was ably discussed by Miss Belser. Prof. A. W. Shelton of Jacksonville Normal School, was present and addressed the teachers Monday. Dr. H. W. James of the Alabama College, Montevallo, also spoke.

Tuesday morning the opening exercises were conducted by C. M. Williams, Miss Evelyn Beck and Mrs. J. A. Peterson. "How to Use the Course of Study, was discussed by W. E. G. Sutton, H. A. Harris, and T. C. Sephens. "Health and Physical Education with Demonstration of Exercises and Games," J. A. Peterson. "Testing Achievement in Primary Reading" was spoken to by Miss Belser, after which came Primary, Intermediate and High School Departmental Meetings.

Great importance was attached to the discussion of "Silent Reading" by Dr. Sherrell. Other speeches were heartily received from Dr. Palmer of the Alabama Educational Association, Dr. H. W. James from the Alabama College and Prof. A. W. Shelton of the Jacksonville Normal School.

The session was closed about 1:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with some pointed remarks by the County Superintendant of Education, Prof. H. L. Foshee.

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Slow Mail to Mr. Slow

Seattle, Wash.—James L. Slow just received a postcard mailed to him in New York, August 1, 1922.

CLANTON CHAUTAUQUA HERE MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

The Radcliffe Chautauqua opens in Clanton Monday of the next week, and will exhibit twice daily for 3 days. The plan of the arrangement committee are to locate the Chautauqua on the vacant lot just below the Lawrence Garage on Sixth Street. This phase has not yet been definitely settled, but it is almost sure that this is where the Chautauqua will be held.

The good citizens of Clanton who are sponsoring this Chautauqua deserve the hearted support of the entire citizenship of our town. They have gone to lots of trouble and expense in getting this series of wholesome entertainment for our people, and all the people should appreciate their efforts enough to make the thing a decided success.

The numbers on every program will contain ideas that will be uplifting and inspirational to the populace, and this fact alone should warrant its support from all. One needs not look far away to perceive the dire need for things that will tend to inspire and elevate the morality and rectitude of people in general, and nothing will afford this much desired effect more than good, clean and refined entertainment, such as is afforded by the Chautauqua. So, let all good citizens line up with those who are pushing the Chautauqua and make it a success, thus doing our bit toward the betterment of our community in general.

The price of season tickets for adults is $2.00. Season tickets will be furnished to students attending any school in the county for $1.00. There will be fourteen performances by the best talent in the country. Remember, Chautauqua opens at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoons and 7:30 at night.

CHILTON COUNTY NEGRO TRAINING SCHOOL OPENS

The Chilton County Training School opened its fist session Monday, Sept. 29th, 1924, with a packed auditorium of bright-faced boys and girls. Many parents were present to greet the faculty, county and state supervisors. Our principal's advocacy for a goodly number of students and better work will deter many piessing cries of knwledge-stricken pupils entering in this term.

Among the spekers at the opening xercises were: Miss: Mary Foster, State Supervisor, Miss Creagher, Co. Supervisor, and Rev. N. C. Shepard, pastor of the Hopewell Baptist Church, Clanton, Ala. Miss Foster expressed her congratulation upon having a school of this kind in the county. She spoke many encouraging words concerning the marked progress that the Negro Training Schools are making in the various counties of the State. This is the first event that she or anyone else has witnessed where the children in a town were transported to the country for the purpose of getting a higher education. The first school in Alabama where public funds have been given for the transportation of Negro boys and girls.

Let us all look forward to a most successful school termt with the prospects looming brighter each day.

REPORTER.

Messrs. Luther Driver, Archie Mims and Mrs. Archie Mims of Gorgas, and Mrs. Whit Mims and Mrs. Essie Hagen, of Birmingham, were in Clanton Monday.

EVERYBODY BOOST THE

Radcliffe Chautauqua

AT CLANTON, OCTOBER 6 - 7 - 8

3:00 P. M. AND 7:30 P. M.

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Fourteen Different Attractions --- Season Tickets: Adults, $2.00; School Children $1

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Proceeds will be Divided Between the two Churches of Clanton.

LOUISIANA HIT BY DESTRUCTIVE FOREST FIRE

Families Living Near Swamps are Forcer to Flee for their Lives.

Ponchatoula, La., Sept. 30.—Families living near the swamps a mile south of here and on small farms to the east were forced to flee from their homes yesterday and last night when forest fires, fanned by hign winds, were raging in those sections. Valuable timber and farm possessions have been destroyed.

Several members of a logging train crew were severely burned when their train was stalled and hemmed in by the fire near Rathborn. They were rescued by a relief locomotive which dashed through the fire to where the men nad been trapped. Loaded cars of the stalled train were burned.

The fire started four days ago but made slow progress until yesterday when the high winds caused it to spread rapidly.

3-CENT SLASH IN GAS PRICES IS ANNOUNCED

Gulf Refining Company Effective In Five States Yesterday

Reduction of the price of gasoline from 21 to 18 cents was announced Tuesday by P. H. Acosta, Birmingham manager of the Gulf Refining company, effective Wednesday. This reduction takes effect in Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas and Alabama, he said.

D. H. Bohler, district manager of the Standard Oil company, stated that if the cut by the Gulf Refining company, goes into effect, the price will be met by the Standard. He stated, however, that he had not received any price of 18 cents a gallon, it is said.

NEWS ITEMS FROM THE CENTRAL ALA. HOSPITAL

Mrs. Curry Thomas, who was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday, is doing well.

Mrs. F. A. Ellison is rapidly improving.

Bill Mahan is improving nicely.

Mrs. C. R. Moates, who was recenly operated on, will soon be out again.

Arbie Ratliff, son of C. S. Ratliff, who was seriously hurt by a loaded wagon passing over him, is getting better.

Mr. Posey Williamson, who was in the hospital, has returned home.

Everee, daughter of Mrs. Lula Jones, who was kicked on the head by a horse, is muh better.

THREE BOYS ENGAGE IN CUTTING SCRAPE FRIDAY NIGHT

As a result of a fuss between three boys, Posey Williamson of Pinedale was rather severely whittled up last Friday night. The racket occurred in front of Sam Littleton's home near Macedonia church. The other two boys engaged in the affray were Robert Cleckler and Horace Mims. It is not known how the racket started, but reports say that there was whiskey in the affair.

Williams was cut so severely that he was brought to the Central Alabama for treatment, but was released in a short while. The officers went out and arrested Cleckler and Mims and brought them to jail. They made bond Monday for $500 each and were released.

SAVINGS DEPOSITS IN U. S. SHOW A GREAT INCREASE

Growth for August in 909 Banks of Nation is More Than $18,000,000.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Savings deposits in 909 banks distributed throughout the United States increased nearly $18,000,000 during August, 1924, according to reports to the federal reserve board. Increases occurred in all federal reserve districts except Chicago but amounted to less than 0.5 per cent, in all expect Cleveland, where an increase of 1.5 per cent followed an increase of 2.5 per cent in July.

Total savings deposits were 0.2 per cent greater on September 1 than on August 1, and 7 per cent greater than on September 1, 1923.

Mrs. S. H. Brown of Birmingham spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roper.

BULMER ANSWERS BEDDOW CHARGES

Birmingham Dairy Chief says that Attorney did not Stick to the Facts in Argument.

Charge made against L. C. Bulmer, chief of the health department's food and dairy division, by Attorney Roderick Beddow in his argument before the city commission in behalf of the milk code amendments sponsored by a group of raw milk dairymen, drew heavy fire and an emphatic denial from Mr. Bulmer Tuesday night.

COL. J. O. MIDDLETON TO REMAIN IN CLANTON

Editor Union-Banner:

A report seems to have gained industrious circulation over the county that I am going to move away from Clanton. This is a mistake. Under no circumstances do I intend to leave here. I will continue to be on the job in my office here, where I shall be glad to see my friends.

Sincerely,
J. O. MIDDLETON.

SEPTEMBER MARRIAGES

During the month of September, the following marriage license were issued by the Probate Judge of Chilton County:

Wm. Andrew Jones and Miss Gertrude Devaughn.

Albert Chadwick and Miss Ida Headley.

Jno. Wm. Ford, Jr., and Miss Lorena Graham.

W. E. Scott and Miss Bernie A. Webb.

O. P. Scott and Miss Sallie Reynolds.

Abb C. McMinn and Miss Pearlie Littleton.

Charlie R. Moore and Miss Mary Deramus.

Reece Blewster and Miss Mavis Killingsworth.

Auburn Varden and Miss Jewell Lowery.

Jafie Jones and Miss Ola Mae Owens.

W. C. Muncher and Miss Jessie Jackson.

Horrice Dennis and Miss Eva Boatfield.

Obie Moates and Miss Loretta Mims.

Archie Deloach and Miss Emmilee Wright.

Phelman Smith and Miss Medie Sansom.

G. C. Forsman and Miss Gustina Leedsdale.

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS SOWELL ARRESTED WITH SOME WHISKEY SATURDAY

On October 12, 1492, Christopher Columbus made a great discovery, so history tells us. But on Saturday, September 27, 1924, Christopher Columbus Sowell, negro explorer of Clanton, attempted a "wet" expedition, but he did not meet with the encouragement which the fifteenth century Columbus met with.

Deputy Will Culp arrested Sowell at Popwell's Gin last Saturday with two soda water bottles of whiskey in his pockets. Sowell was brought to jail but made bond and was released the same day. He will be tried at the circuit court.

AN ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE OF ALABAMA

On another page of this issue of The Union-Banner, is carried an address by L. H. Reynolds, chairman of the State Republican Campaign Committee, directed to the people of Alabama. This address contains information of vital civic interet to the people of our entire State.

The unspekable way the last Democratic Legislature messed up its business, the tactics of Senator Underwood and his cohorts to control the Alabama delegation to the Democratic national convention, and more recently, the crazy and disgusting manner in which the Democratic national convention was conducted at Madison Square Garden, has caused some of the good heretofore "Solid Democrats" of Alabama to open their eyes. The Democratic party has functioned in Alabama and propagated its poisonous political tactics, playing upon the prejudices of the people, for many years, but the day is dawning when the people of "Here we Rest" are going to demand their rights as citizens of a free country. Our people have lived here in political slavery for a long time, but they are gradually waking up to the situation, and ere many years, they are going to revolutionize political conditions in the State.

The argument used to hold forth that one political party could do more good than two. Of course, this kind of propaganda has never been spread by anyone except those political tarleeches who had the reins and knew that with any opposition at all they would lose out. The people are fast becoming educated along this line. No political party will render its best service unopposed. If we had a reasonably strong Republican party in Alabama, even though we never succeeded in electing a candidate to office, you would see the Democratic office-holders give more service to their constituents. Yes, indeed, Alabama needs two strong politcal parties, and the day is dawning when we are going to have them.

Turn to this address by Judge Reynolds and read it. It will do you good whether you are a Democrat or a Republican. It contains some vital facts that every vote in the State ough to know.

CREAM & CAKE SUPPER AT NEW CEDRON CHURCH

There will be an ice cream supper at New Cedron Church nex Saturday night, October 4th. Cold drinks and cake will be served. Proceeds will go to benefit of the church. Everybody come.

M. F. WAGNER, Deacon.

ROOSEVELT PICKED AT ROCHESTER TO HEAD G. O. P. TICKET

Will Oppose Alfred E. Smith in Race For Governor of New York.

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the Navy, was nominated for Governor by the New York Republican state convention here Thursday. The choice was made upon the first ballot.

Colonel Roosevelt had a majority over the combined votes for his three competitors, Col. William Hayward of New York, District Attorney Guy B. Moore of Buffalo, and Justice Arthur S. Tompkins of Nyack. The vote was Roosevelt, 563; Hayward, 187; Moore 101; Tompkins, 134.

H. ALLEN MIMS DIES SUNDAY AFTERNOON

On last Sunday evening, September 28th at 7 o'clock, the death angel visited the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Mims of Temple Community and wafted away the spirit of their son, Allen. The young man was born August 14, 1900. He had been in bad health for the past few months, but the stroke and death came as a great surprise to his many friends.

A short while after arising on Saturday morning, he was stricken with something like paralysis, and lay unconscious for 37 hours before death laid its relentless hand upon him.

Before he passed, his father and several others testified to having received an assurance that he was going to a place of rest.

Interment was made in Temple Cemetery, with Martin, undertaker, in charge. Rev. G. B. Golden of Walnut Creek conducted the funeral ceremony. That his friends were many, was proved by the throngs who visited during his short illness and attended the funeral.

The young man leaves a father, mother, one brother, and three sisters to mourn his death.

Always, generous, gay and fun-loving, he leaves a vacancy never to be refilled.

100,000 BALES OAL OF THE ALABAMA FARM BUREAU

Albama Association Expects 11 Per Cent of 1924 Crop.

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 30.—The Cotton Association of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation will handle approximately 100,000 bales of cotton this season, or 11 per cent of the state's estimated yield, acrording to a report by Edward A. O'Neal, president of the Federation, and Allen Northington, general manager of tne association.

Mr. O'Neal and Mr. Northington have just returned from a series of conferences of cotton growers in the various parts of the state, and based their estimates on the information obtained in these meetings.

Mr. D. O. Manning, of Mulberry, was in Clanton awhile Monday.

Mr. Finn Jones is having a new house built on third avenue.

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POOR ORIGINAL

NOTES OF TRAVEL
(By S. E. NORTON)

Most people have very hazy ideas of the origin of a lot of things they commonly use in their day's work. Newspapers and magazines seldom give descriptions of manufacturing process. This cannot be, that there is nothing interesting about it, but it is possibly accounted for, by the fact, that few men or women, who through experience are competent to tell the story for the press. That is not in their line. However since my "Notes of Travel" are usually descriptive of things we see enroute, and knowing that people who are alive are very much like children and always want "another story," I will tell you this time what we saw in a factory at Middletown, Connecticut, during our visit to Mr. and Mrs. Yancey Kelley, at Portland, Conn., which is just across the Connecticut river from Middletown, which has a population of 15,000.

Nearly everybody uses more or less enamel ware about their homes, with no thought of "how come." But the New England Stamping and Enameling Company, at Middletown makes a great variety of such ware.

First, we must consider the material used—sheet steel. Many of The Union-Banner readers have visited the blast furnaces and rolling mills at Birmingham and vicinity, where the iron ore is melted and run from the furnace in a molten stream, into crude molds made in sand on the floor of the building—when cooled it is taken up in pieces of triangular shape, about four inches across each face and thirty inches long, each weighing upwards of 50 pounds. These ingots are called pig iron, and they are made in many places in this country and other parts of the world. Being the base of all iron and steel products, they constitute a very important article of our commerce.

The next process is the conversion of the pig iron into steel. This is also done in a blast furnace of a different type called puddeling furnaces where certain chemicals and minrals are melted together, in just the proper proportions, with the pig iron, to make the particular grade of steel desired for the purpose intended. For the work we are considering a very soft or malleable steel is required. When properly melted and thoroughly mixed it is drawn from the furnace through a series of heavy rollers which form it into bars of different shapes and sizes. For our use we want material that will make sheet steel, and the bars must be of just the desired width and thickness, to make a given number of sheets of the required number and thickness and of the size wanted. A process which in the beginning can only be determined by test because no one can tell jus how the metal will work in the processes to follow. When once the sizes of bars are determined, each to make a given number of sheets, of a required size, a record is made for future use and becomes a part of the formulae for the pieces into which the steel bars are cut which are called "blooms," varying in size and weight to make the size and thickness of sheets wanted with a minimum of waste of labor or material.

These "blooms" are also an article of commerce, being the product of rolling mills, which make steel bars and shapes. The "blooms" next go to sheet rolling mills where they are again subjected to intense heat, but not melted. As they reach a proper stage, they are quickly removed and put through heavy rollers which reduces the thickness but increases the width and length. While still very hot they pass through one or two more sets of rollers, set closer together. Before they become too cool they are doubled end wise, again it is heated, and put through other rollers and again doubled end wise between each passage through the rollers, until it forms a bunch of sheets called a "pack," somewhat longer than needed on account of the folded ends, which are cut by heavy power shears to exactly the length wanted, the width has been obtained in the process of rolling, which also makes the sheets very hard like tempered steel. To draw out this temper and leave the sheets soft and pliable, these packs are piled on big hand trucks made entirely of metal and rolled into a room called an annealing oven, where they are subjected to a slowly increasing heat until the whole mass becmes almost red hot. The heat is then shut off and left to cool down until the lot, in the oven, is entirely cold, when the sheets are ready for the next operation, pulling loose from the pack. Rolling under pressure makes them stick together more or less, one corner is turned up enough to grasp it with a pair of pliers and it is then pulled off with a sound very much like that made in tearing a piece of cloth.

Rolling in packs does not make all sheets the same thickness, as they must be, approximately to work properly in the process of manufacture of the various articles to be made from them. Hence they have to be sorted, putting sheets of about the same weight, in separate piles, when they are ready for boxing up, and the manufacturer buy those best adapted, by weight, for his purpose.

If you go into a blacksmith shop you will see every time the man heats his iron or steel, and begins to pound it on his anvil, it gives off a shower of sparks, which means that thin scales of the metal have become oxidized in the air, and are jarred loose. Repeated heating and cooing leave just that kind of scale on the sheets of steel, which must be removed before the sheet is ready to use either for tin plating or for enameling. Otherwise blisters would be formed. To remove these scales the sheets are placed in iron racks and submerged in a bath of sulphuric acid, properly diluted with water. This is called pickling, and removes all scale, leaving the sheets smooth and bright. Tinning and the use of tin plate is quite another story from this point on and we will leave that for another story.

We now have the material we must use for enamel ware. Suppose we are making enameled coffee pots. The flaring body is made of our pickeled steel. Also the bottom, the handle, the spout, the cover and the hinge, each is cut and formed with a set of dies made for the purpose and used in a press of suitable size and make. The body takes the biggest and most complicated one. A combination of dies in this press, cuts from the sheet a piece the proper size and shape. Other parts of the die are operated to draw or form the body, upside down, and the top is punched out when the die reaches the bottom of the stroke, as the revolution of the press mechanism is completed the disk made from the bloc in the top falls out below the press, and the coffee pot body is lifted and falls out at the back of the press. All is done at one revolution which takes about as long as to wink your eye twice. Another quick operation with a die punches the holes for the spout. The body is then put in a machine having rollers which trims the bottom of it smooth and turns up a narrow flange. In the same operation a flange left standing inward where the hole for the top was punched out, is rolled inward and looks as if it had been wired. Each of the other parts are made of one piece of metal in their respective dies, all except the hinge for the cover, which requires two pieces. If the knob of the cover is not a separate piece, it is made an integral part of the cover. Next comes the attachment of the various parts to the body. The bottom is cut and formed with a small edge turned up and is just of a size to slip on over a flange standing out from the bottom of the body; it is then put into a machine which neatly rolls it into a double seam, very strong and smooth as a button. The spout, handle and hinge are held firmly in place and welded, or fused, on by a process known as electric welding. No rivets are used. We have described the process of making one coffee pot, but in actual manufacture thy are made by the thousand.

We now come to the enameling. Silicate of soda (liquid glass) with certain pigments for white or colors is the material used and it is usually painted on with a brush, when it sets, which it quickly does, the ware is put on racks and goes into the electrically heated enameling ovens, where it is subjecteed for two minutes, to 1600 degrees of heat when it is taken out left to cool, inspected, wrapped in paper and packed for shipment.

We have selected a coffee pot for our illustration because it is more complicated than any other ware we saw, but the processes are practically the same on dish pans, soap dishes, slop jars, kettles, pails and other articles too numerous to mention.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., has in its midst two youthful Filipinos—Lucio and Semplace Godino—who are attracting no small amount of interest and attention. You see, the pair was born together—joined for life by a large segment of backbone which can never be severed. Doctors, who have examined the twins, say they must stay attached, for, were an operation to be performed, neither one could survive it.

The twins, who are sixteen years of age and weigh 260 pounds between them, are musically inclined and are now furthering their education along that line at the capital. Previous to their coming to his country, they were students—and very bright ones, at that—at the government school in the Philippine Islands.

CANE CREEK

Last Sunday and Saturday before was our regular preaching days, and Bro. Parrish delivered two excellent sermons.

Everybody is requested to meet at this place on the second Sunday in October for the purpose of attending to some business.

Miss Hernie Gentry spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Delene Lambert.

Mr. Thilo Fiering from Chicago, Ill., has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lula Giles and other relatives.

The school begins here Thursday. We hope all the children are present the first day.

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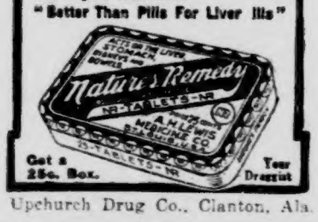

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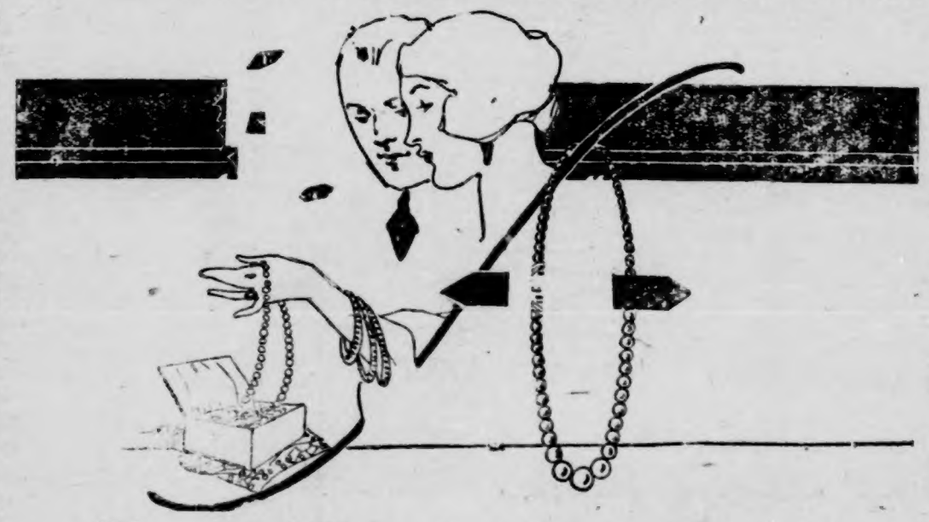

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JAPAN REJECTS LEAGUE PACT

DELEGATION GIVES NOTICE THAT JAPAN IS UNABLE TO ACCEPT PROPOSED ARBITRATION IN PRESENT FORM

Geneva.—The Japanese delegation has notified the League of Nations first commission that Japan is unable to accept the proposed arbitration, security and disarmament protocol in its present form.

The announcement Friday followed the refusal of the first commission to accept a Japanese amendment to the protocol that would permit the Council to endeavor to conciliate disputes arising from domestic legislation, such as the immigration legislation in the United States.

Japan's attitude resulted in the most critical situation yet encountered in the three weeks' negotiations over the arbitration project.

Through M. Adachi the Japanese withdrew the amendment. This is interpreted to mean that Japan will refuse to sign the protocol.

The amendment would have permitted Japan to carry the immigration dispute to the League Council if The Hague Court declared it to be a purely domestic question. It is predicted that The Hague Court would certainly make this ruling in this dispute.

Sir Cecil Hurst, of Britain, together with representatives of Australia, Brasil and France, opposed the Japanese amendment, declaring that it would make the League a super-state.

Following Adachi's announcement, M. Louis Loucheur of France, requested Adachi to confer with him, together with Sir Cecil Hurst, in an effort to reach a compromise before the commission is obliged to report the final text of the arbitration, securfity and disarmament protocol to the assembly Monday.

The League of Nations' project for the control of international traffic in arms will be submitted immediately to all governments, including the United States, and the governments will be asked whether they are disposed to participate in a conference on the subject to be held in April or May, 1925.

This decision was reached Friday by the League disarmament commission which has been studying the question of international control of arms traffic. General De Martins, of Italy, president of the commission, said the project has been prepared with special reference to the question of permitting the United States to accept the plan.

The League assembly Friday passed resolutions ordering the League Council to appoint a special committee of experts to perfect a workable basis for the Italian project of international assistance to calamity stricken nations.

Liquor Piracy Exposure Threatened

Brest, France.—The case of Max Jerome Phaff, New York, charged with piracy on the high seas, is likely to develop some sensational relations concerning the wholesale smuggling of liquor into the United States, it was learned when the defendant arrived here. The defendant, who faces death on the gallows if found guilty, declares he is "willing to be made the goat," and says he will implicate men "higher up" in America as well as reputed reliable firms in Great Britain. The charge against Phaff, who is a German-American, grew out of the boarding of the French freight steamship Mulhouse, off the Canadian Coast, last July by alleged pirates who held up the crew and robbed the cargo of nearly 36,000 cases of whisky.

Divides Estate By Lottery Plan

Falls City, Neb.—Putting eight slips of paper which called for "chances" on property worth more than $400,000, into a box, George W. Fisher, wealthy farmer, portioned to his six children and two heirs of two deceased daughters a majority of his land, 1,700 acres in Nebraska and 500 in Illinois. It took less than ten minutes to dispose of the property, which Fisher said had become burdensome in his advanced age.

U. S. Seizes $7,000

Chicago. — Postal inspectors have seized $7,000 in currency from a safety deposit box in Kansas City, Mo., on the supposition that it may be part of the $2,000,000 loot of the mail train robbery at Rondout, Ill., last June. The money was found in a vault held in the name of Miss Helen McNeil, a niece of Herbert Holliday, one of the men held in connection with the robbery.

Train Kills 27 Cows

Totteridge, Eng.—A passenger train ran into a herd of 27 cows and all of the animals were killed.

Plane Race Called Off

Baltimore.—With the plane to which Great Britain pinned her hopes damaged during a trial flight at Felixstowe, recently, and the Italian entries withdrawn, the flying club of Baltimore announces that the Schneider Cup seaplane race, scheduled for October 24 and 25, at Bay Shoe Park, near here, will not be held.

Rifle Crucify Spaniards

Tangier.—Five Spanish soldiers captured by [illegible] were [illegible]

The hunting season for squirrels comes in November 1st.

TEN DAYS' STUDY BY ANTI-CHRISTIANS OF "WHAT IS GOD"

London.—What is God? Representatives of religions other than Christianity and Judaism have begun a ten-day study of that age-old question here.

The adherents of their many faiths number more than a billion souls. Here are a few of them, and the followers they claim:

Buddhism	488,000,000
Mohammedanism	300,000,000
Hinduism (largely Brahminism)	217,000,000
Sikhs	3,238,803
Jains	1,178,596
Parsis	101,778

India alone is represented by Sikhs, Jains, Parsis and smaller and newer Brahmo-Somaj and Arya-Somaj faiths. Other religions, or branches of religions included in the study are Sufism, found everywhere in the world of Islam; Bahaism, which originated in Persia and has spread widely to the United States and other Western countries; the Chinese religions based on the teachings of Lao-Tze and Confucius, and the primitive faiths of the Maoris, Bantas, and East and West Africans.

It is said to be the first conference of its kind ever held, inasmuch as a native or actual adherent of each religion will himself explain the tenets of his belief and what they mean to him and the life of his people. It is being held under the auspices of the school of Oriental studies and Sociological Society. A distinguished list of native lecturers will discuss the biological, anthropoligical, geographcal, psychological, historical, scholarly, and synthetic approaches to religion.

Credit for Wives Withdrawn

London.—Many natives of Pondeland, South Africa, are likely to lose wives purchased on extended credit during the last three years, because they claim to be unable to complete their payments. The purchase of wives on credit is not usually allowed among the natives, as there is too much inclination to return the wives in lieu of the purchase price, but a matrimonial moratorium has been in effect during the period of mourning for the death of a paramount chief. This perod is now over and the natives who obtained wives on credit must pay up or return the women to their parental kraals. A mysterious shortage is reported in cattle and horses, with which such payments are usually made.

Liquor To Philippines Banned

Manila.—Instructions issued by the State Department at Washington ordering all foreign Consuls to refuse to issue bills of health to vessels carrying liquor to the Philippine Islands for beverage purposes, were received here, it was stated officially. The ruling of the State Department, based on an interpretation of the Eighteenth Amendment by the Department of Justice last June, was contrary to the interpretation placed upon the Volstead Act in official circles here. It was believed the dry law of the United States did not apply to unorganized territory, in which category Manila falls.

"Terrible Ten" Murder Plot

Rockyford, Colo.—A murder pact in which 10 youths ranging from 11 to 13 years of age, had bound themselves to slay W. A. Wiley, truant officer of Rockford, has been discovered here. Bill Staley, 13, leader of the gang, was arrested after the plot had become noised about and admitted that the only point of difference in his gang was "how to slaughter" their intended victim. After spending a night in jail, Staley agreed to guarantee safety to the truant officer. Butcher knives, bandanas and a revolver are said to have been seen on members of the "terrible ten."

Denby To Testify

Cheyenne, Wyo.—The Mammoth Oil Company and Harry F. Sinclair will use the testimony of Edwin Denby, former Secretary of the Navy, in their fight in United States District Court here in next month against annulment of the lease of Teapot Dome naval oil reserve to the Mammoth Company, as sought by the Government, according to information made public.

News Advertising Best

Atlantic City, N. J.—Charles W. Meyer, director of trade relations, Armour & Company, Chicago, who came here to address the American Bakers' Association and the National Association of Wholesale Pie Bakers, stated that the outstanding successes in the baking industry were the result of continued use of newspaper advertising.

Off To Oxford

Troy, Ala.—Hugh Bradley, winner of the Rhodes scholarship for Alabama, and 32 other Rhodes men sailed from New York Saturday for England. They will spend three years at Oxford University, Cambridge, Eng. studying nine months and traveling on the continent in vacation.

Parley Suspended

Berlin.—The German foreign office has issued a statement explaining that the Anglo-German commercial negotiations had not broken down, as reported, but only had been postponed. They will be resumed shortly, the statement adds, with every prospect of a satisfactory conclusion.

Death Due To Fear

Chicago.—Shock due to fear of an operation caused the death of 13-year-old Mathilde Mendel in a local hospital.

Winston Mims of The Banner force was in Birmingham last Saturday.

QUESTIONNAIRE ON COTTON TARE IS SENT OUT TO COTTON MILLS

Montgomery, Ala.—Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries J. M. Moore has directed a questionnaire to the cotton mills, from Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee, asking if cotton reaching these mills, from Alabama, complies with the provisions of the Alabama law as to tare on baled cotton.

If it does not, he asks that the mills report the private mark of each bale, and the origin of the cotton. This information, the commissioner states, will assist the Agricultural Department in putting an end to unnecessary expense of excess tare absorbed in the price paid to the farmers, and will enable the mills to purchase cotton on the basis of a uniform tare.

Bank President Routs Robbers

Kincaid, Ill.—President Bruce Shaw, of the Kincaid Trust and Savings Bank, drove bank robbers away from his bank with a revolver. They escaped empty-handed. President Shaw suffered a gunshot wound in his hand. One tall, blond robber led the band of four men, President Shaw reported. He forced Shaw into the vault, but failed to secure the vault door, whereupon Shaw slipped out while the robber was occupied looking for loot, and started firing at him. The robber ran, returning the fire. The bank president was struck in one hand. Three men waited for the blond outside, in an automobile, in which they made their escape.

Steamship Line Consolidation

Washington.—The Carolina Company, of Charleston, was designated by the Shipping Board to operate the Consolidated Service from South Atlantic ports to the United Kingdom and Continental Europe. The service will be known as the American Palmetto Line. Disposition of the South Atlantic Consolidation wound up the program of the Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation for combining services traversing the same ocean routes to increase economy and efficiency. Fourteen consolidations have been affected.

"Hands on Wheel," Order

New Orleans.—Both hands on the steering wheel and eyes to the front. That, in effect, was the order issued to the traffic squad of the local Police Department. "Several complaints have been received of automobile drivers keeping their right arms around their female companions while driving," said the formal order. "This constitutes reckless driving and the safety of the public is endangered by this practice. You will break it up by making affidavits against the guilty parties."

Captive Given Reward

New Orleans.—Herman Moose, 23, a patient at the United States Veterans' Hospital at Algiers, who was arrested as a fugitive from justice from Fort Meade, Fla., was given the reward offered for his apprehension by the detectives who made the arrest when they learned he was ill and without funds. The detectives are veterans of the Spanish-American War. Moose is wanted in the Florida town to answer a charge of forgery.

Radio Damage Suit

New York.—Suits charging conspiracy and wholesale infringment and applications for injunctions and an accounting involving millions of dollars were filed at Philadelphia and Wilmington by the De Forrest Radio Telephone & Telegraph Company against the Radio Corporation of America, the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, and the Westinghouse Lamp Company, according to Samuel E. Darby, Jr., of Darby & Darby, this city, counsel for the DeForest interests.

$1,000,000 Hotel Fire

Del Monte, Cal.—The Hotel Del Monte, center of a playground known internationally to tourists and sports men for its beauty and golf links, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin which started in a tower in the front of the building. The fire alarm sent 600 guests scurrying from the building in scant belongings to gather outside and witness the destruction of the main structure, valued at approximately $1,000,000 by Carl S. Stanley, the manager.

The Kaul Lumber Company is considering making extensive improvements at its plant at Kaulton and an engineer is making preliminary plans. The output of the plant is now 175,000 feet of lumber a day and instead of increasing the output the company desires to refine the product and add a higher grade of material. If the improvements contemplated are made it would require, it is said, a large appropriation.

Recommendations that grand jury be empanelled October 6 to go fully into the alleged Birmingham City Hall shortages and that, in connection with an attack on Mrs. Blaney Collins, of Lewisburg, and the slaying of her seven-months old baby boy by John Milton, negro convict of the Morris Camp no "trustics" be made of convicts with past criminal records, featured the final report of the Jefferson County July Grand Jury.

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J. M. SMITH
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Business conditions in Chilton County have put on new life during the past two weeks, due to the fact that the large cotton crop has been mostly put on the market. The farmers of this county as a whole, have made a fair cotton crop this year, and with the good price they have received, quite a bit of money has been put into circulation.

THERE'S A REASON

What's the matter with Russelville?, nigger once said of his church. "De church am all right,—hit's de doggone people." Any community that is not making the progress that it should, can always find the source of its troubles in the "doggone people." And now listen, Bo, let's you and I not forget that we are one of 'em, and maybe the "doggondest" of the bunch. Let's get right. — Franklin County Times.

COTTON CLOTH IMPORTS

The Democratic candidates say they want more competition for the American producer. They want more foreign goods imported, so that the American producer will have to cut his production, his prices and his wages. Cotton textiles are mentioned as an illustration of commodities in which the Democrats think more competition is needed. But they overlook the fact that in the year ended June 30, 1924, we imported nearly 200,000,000 square yards of cotton cloths as compared with 43,000,000 square yards in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913, which was also under a Republican tariff. If the present tariff permits an importation of nearly five times as much cloth as we imported in 1913, how can the tariff be called prohibitive or unduly high? If that quantity can be imported under a Republican tariff, what would become of the home industry if the tariff were reduced and foreign iportations further encouraged?

$50,000,000 PROFIT FOR FARMERS OF NORTHWEST

The farmers of Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Montana are expected to make a profit of $50,000,000 on their 1924 spring wheat crop. That is five times the amount loaned them by the Agricutural Credit Corporation. This corporation, by the way, was formed as a result of conferences with President Coolidge at Washington. It has a capital of $10,000,000 contributed by commercial, industrial and financial interests, and has been granted the authority to borrow ten times its capital from the War Finance Corporation. It was one of the instrumentalities through which the Republican administration extended aid to the sorely pressed wheat growers. That aid was given at the right time and in the right form, as attested by the experience of the farmers of the Northwest. How can the voters of that region cast their ballots for the third party, with its specious appeal to the farmers, when they all know that Republican policies have given them such subsantial support?

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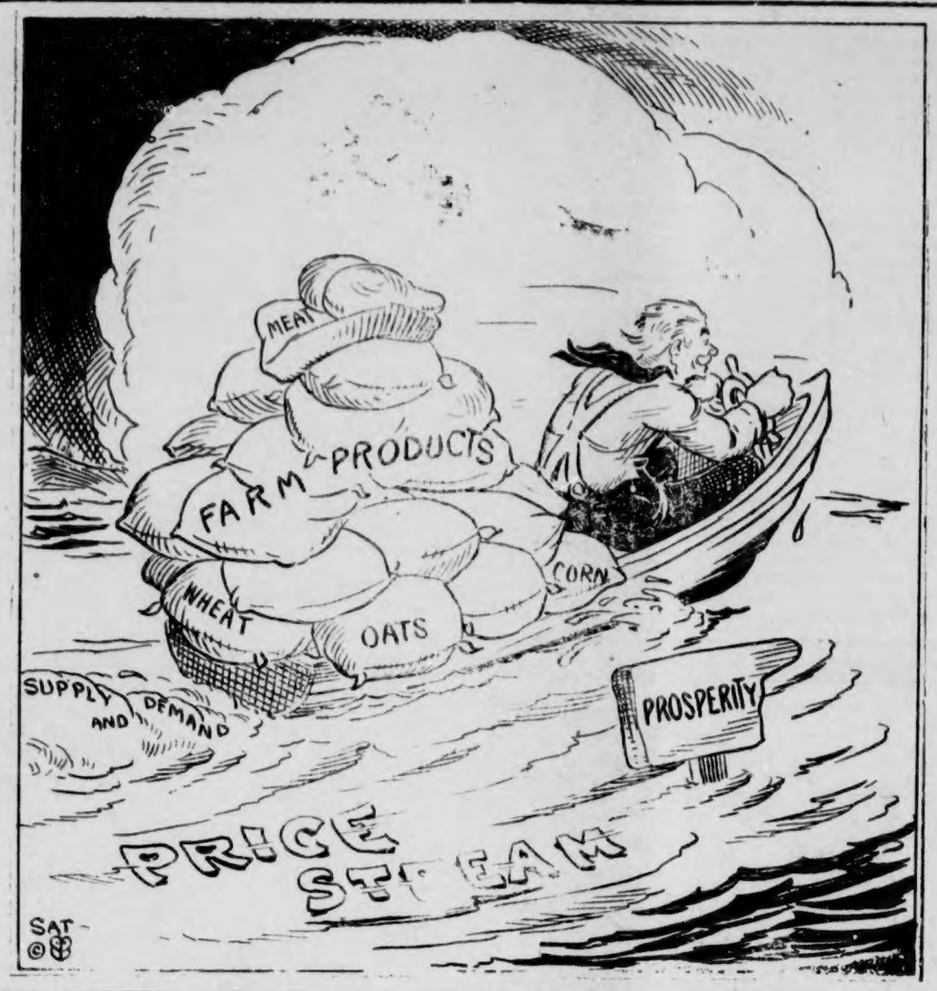

Press Clippings

Huntington, (W. Va.) Herald-Dispatch.—The West Virginia miner and factory worker and the West Virginia farmer will not be found eagerly embracing "effective competition' from Germany, Italy, China, India and the rest of the world, where wages are as nothing compared with wages paid here, and where caste is still depicted by the graduated standards of living., which leaves the masses in poverty.

National Republican. — President Coolidge has a standing with the great body of the American people almost unprecedented in the history of his high office, because he embodies in the average mind the thing which his Democratic opponent for the Presidency says is his issue in this campaign, namely common honesty.

New Bedford Standard.—In 1912, in the course of his attack upon Theodore Roosevelt, Senaor La Follette said: "No party was ever successfully organized about a man." We expect to see further confirmation of that statement in November.

Kearney (Neb.) Hub.—Two red letter dates on the Democratic campaign calendar stand out as follows:

July 9.—"Davis is impossible."—W. J. Bryan.

July 10.—"I am at your command."—W. J. Bryan.

Los Angeles Times.—The cost to the taxpayers of government operation of railroads is still so fresh in mind that it makes an advocate of government ownership more of a Bourbon than a real progressive.

Albert Lea (Minn.) Tribune.—President Coolidge said "I believe in the American Constitution." We want a President who BELIEVES in the Constitution—not one who wants to frame a new one.

Houston Post-Dispatch.—Some 50,000 people attended the Davis barbecue in Missouri. Lord, if we could only get our patriots to rally at voting time as they do at eating time.

Newcastle (Ind.) Courier. — The Coolidge-Dawes campaigners do not care whether the issue be common sense or common honesty—the Republican candidates are unsurpassed in both respects.

Omaha Bee.—The one way to make certain that the government of the United States will move orderly along its appointed way after March 4, 1924 is to vote for Calvin Coolidge. The alternative is chaos.

Wellston (Ohio) Sentinel.—Under the Republican budget system, the government has used less money than was provided for it, which in turn was less than was sought from Congress.

Spencer (W. Va.) Times-Record.—When the Democratic speakers cry out "corruption," they must certainly hearken back to the Wilson administration and the cost plus contracts and the airplane scandals.

Atlanta Constitution. — The New York Evening Post says "there never was a time when money was so abundant and so cheap in the United States as today." (Now will you just cheer up?)

DO YOU LIKE THIS PLAN?

Democratic and Third Party leaders see their best hope of success in throwing the Presidential election into Congress, where they can fight it out among themselves after mutual agreement on the elimination of Coolidge and Dawes. What do the people think of that plan? There is not the shadow of a doubt that a big plurality of the voters favor the Republican ticket, and it is highly probable that a substantial majority will vote that icket. Were either the Democrats of the Third Party to withdraw from the field there would be no question of the victory of the Republicans. That means that if the popular election could take the form of an elimination contest, Pres. Coolidge would certainly stay in the White House. Very few Democrats or Third Party supporters will dispute that assertion.

On th other hand, if the election is thrown into Congress for want of a majority for any candidate in the popular vote, President Coolidge and Mr. Dawes will certainly not be elected, and the fight will rage around Davis, La Follette, Bryan and Wheeler. Or possibly they may all be eliminated and an individual who did not get a single popular vote may be chosen. No patriotic citizen can contemplate such a prospect with equanimity. Loyalty to country comes before loyalty to political parties. The test of patriotism will come on November 4, when the voter can choose between continuing the present highly efficient administration or inviting pollical and economic chaos.

DEER TO BE GIVEN AWAY BY THE FOREST SERVICE

The United States Department of Agriculture, through the Forest Service, has some thousands of deer to give away, according to an announcement made today. These animals are part of the large herd of mule deer, estimated at over 30,000 head, found on the Kaibab National Forest in northern Arizona on the northen side of the Grand Canyon of the Colorado. This area was set aside as a national game preserve by President Roosevelt in 1906 in order to preserve the deer herd which at that time was threatened with total extinction because of illegal hunting.

Under the protection of forest rangers, however, the deer have increased in numbers to a point where the entire herd is threatened with starvation and prompt efforts must be made to reduce it to a number that can be supported by the vegetation on the Kaibab Plateau.

To accomplish this the Forest Service desires first to give away as many deer as possible. The expense to the applicant will be crating and transportation charges, a sum estimated to be about $35 per animal. Young animals only will be shipped. The estimated weight of one animal crated is 250 pounds. These figures are only approximate. Final figures must be secured from the Forest Service.

Shipments will be confined to east of the Sierra Nevada and Cascade Mountains as the introduction of mule deer into regions already inhabited by a sub-species would result in a herd very inferior to native stock.

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25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of Sept. 28, 1899.

A welcome visitor arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mead of Thorsby Monday morning.

Mr. Durwood Foshee and Miss Sallie Fuller were married this week.

Married Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents near Jumbo, Mr. F. Davis and Miss Abbie Little, Rev. I. O. Retherford officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Dunlap of Coosa recently visited the family of Patrick Smith in Clanton.

Mr. Bass Jones has opened up with a stock of goods at the Edwards old storehouse.

Mr. J. E. Evans and little son, John visited Birmingham this week.

The Teachers Institute was held at Union this week. Prof. R. O. Meek of Wetumpka was the main speaker.

Mr. John Crumpton of Macedonia had a corn shucking Thursday.

Mayor VanDerveer of Clanton went up to Thorsby Friday.

Married this week, John A. Maddox and Miss P. J. Anderson, Wm. N. Rogers and Miss Beulah Bristow, Ose Holloman and Miss Rosa Lee Cleckler.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS— FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

The Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Sale will be conducted throughout Alabama during the Fall of 1924, the same as for the past several years, by the Alabama Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated county associations, assisted by the women's clubs and local civic organizations.

We expect a larger sale than ever and ask the help of the public which has always been so generously given.

The Association has secured the services of Miss Emily R. McBride as chairman of publicity. Miss McBride is experienced in general publicity and advertising. She is a social service worker, having served with the American Red Cross during the entire period of the War.

Miss McBride is also a member of the National League of American Penwomen, serving on the Publicity Committee of that organization. She was one of the three women on the program of the National Real Estate Convention at Washington 1924, being on the Committee of Advertising on the Farm Lands Division.

Meat Market Has Trouble!

Carl Muller reports that his Meat Market was infested with roaches. He lost customers on account of them! He heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder, used it and got immediate relief. Wipe out these disease spreading pests TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder for quick results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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The Road To Better Health

AVOIDING HEART DISEASE

BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

One of the pamphlets distributed by the Association for the Prevention and Relief of Heart Disease makes the following classification of the causes of heart disease:

1. Infectious diseases.
2. Intoxications and poisons.
3. Improper modes of living.

Rheumatism is the infection most frequently causing damage to the heart in the young, though other infections also have a considerable part in the production of such damage.

Under the heading of intoxications and poisons, alcohol and obacco are mentioned. It is only fair to state that there are some who do not believe that either of these are noticeably injurious when used in moderation by healthy individuals. The "rub" is in what is meant by their "moderate use."

Opinions Differ

There is no difference of opinion about the evil effects on the body of excessive usage. Oliver T. Osborne, in his book on Disturbances of the Heart, says in regard to tobacco —"No rule can be laid down as to what is enough and what is too much. Theoretically, two or three cigars a day is moderate. Anything more than five cigars a day is excessive. Even one cigar a day may be too much."

What is a moderate amount for one person may be an injurious excess for another. But whether or not alcohol and tobacco are always harmful to the heart, they are not regarded generally as being of any benefit to it. Athletes do not use alcohol or tobacco when training for "good wind." And, having "good wind" is largely a matter of having a sound heart.

Improper modes of living include lack of fresh air, insufficient exercise, food of the wrong kind and in the wrong amount. The wrong amount is generally too much rather than too little. Food taken in an amount beyond the requirements of the body adds to the burden of work thrown upon the heart and blood vessels. It causes an accumulation of fat that is unfavorable to the continued health of the whole body, and —consequently, the heart. Excesses of any kind are injurious.

How To Avoid It

The logical way in which to avoid heart disease is to avoid those things that are known or supposed to cause it. Among the causes mentioned—Infection is probably the most important. It often gains entrance to the system through diseased teeth, tonsils and adenoids. These are often found closely associated with attacks of rheumatism, the disease very frequently causing injury to the heart.

Growing pains in children are usually symptoms of rheumatism, and should not be neglected. Diseased teeth, tonsils, and adenoids should be treated or removed. Condition that favor the development of rheumatism, such as getting wet and chilled, should be avoided. Whenever infecions do occur, they should be promptly treated so as to eradicate them as soon as possible and lessen the chance of damage being done to the heart.

A well regulated life favors the development of a healthy body, including, a sound heart. The heart muscle, like other muscles, is kept in good condition by getting enough exercise, by plenty of fresh air, and by living on a diet that is well balanced and not in excess of the needs of the body. Sufficient rest is necessary.

Heart disease is now one of the most frequent causes of death. Many of the cases of heart disease could be prevented by efforts to avoid the causes, and prompt treatment to remove any of the causes when they are present. Many people with damaged hearts learn to live hygienically within the limits of their capacity. By taking precautions to avoid additional damage they live long and useful lives.

HEALTH QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Vaccination Always Advisable

Mrs. R. B. L. writes: "My little girl is four years old. Is it advisable to have her vaccinated before she goes to school? Is the vaccination likely to do her any harm by making her blood impure?

Ans.—It is strongly advisable to have your little girl vaccinated because you never can tell when she may be exposed to small-pox. She may be exposed before she goes to school. There has been quite a high death-rate among the unvaccinated in some of the recent epidemics of small-pox. Vaccination does not make the blood impure; its one effect is to confer a considerable degree of immunity against small-pox.

Suspenders or Belt?

W. N. asks: "Which is healthier, a belt or suspenders?"

Ans.—Anything that exerts pressure upon the abdomen would not seem to be healthy. If the belt is not tight, perhaps it does no harm. Something probably depends upon the construction of the individual. It appears to me that a fat man with considerable abdomen should not wear a belt.

I would answer your question directly by saying that a tight belt may do harm to the abdominal viscera; a loose belt or suspenders will not. The more the clothes are supported from the shoulders instead of from the waist, the healthier it is.

Foods Containing Iron

M. B. S. asks: "What foods contain the most iron?"

Ans.—Red meats, spinach; oatmeal; apples. Wheat, rye, beans, peas and eggs also contain a fair percentage of iron.

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To The People of Alabama

—By—

Judge L. H. Reynolds
Chairman Republican State Campaign Committee.

How Long Will the People of Alabama Continue to Vote a Dead Tradition and a Living Fear?

True Americanism Demands Repudiation of the Democratic Party and the Election of Coolidge.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALABAMA

The election in November, 1924, will be the most nportant we have had in years. The voters have an nparalleled opportunity for genuine patriotic service. ur country is rapidly recovering from the effects of e world war, the most demoralizing the world has ver experienced.

Mr. Wilson insisted upon the program which he rought back from Versailles, stubbornly refusing to cquiesce in the changes proposed by the Senate and onsored by the American people. On this issue, the mpaign was fought out in 1920 and the Wilson poliies met with a positive rebuke by the votes of the ople.

arding Administration

Mr. Harding, upon taking office in March, 1921, mmediately began to devise ways and means to revenate business, and to give stability to Europe. By e election of Harding, this country decided once and r all against entering the League of Nations. Four onths after his inauguration, President Harding sumoned the world powers to meet in Washington on rmistice day, 1921, to discuss the limitation of armaents and kindred subjects. This conference proved be the most practical step ever taken towards the tual elimination of war. Six treaties were submitd and signed; practical steps were taken eliminating val competition, thereby saving to the people of this untry millions of dollars in the construction of war ips and other preparations for war. No other agency s ever contributed so much to the peace and contment of the world.

Secretary Hughes has made wonderful strides in inging about peace and understanding among the tions of the earth.

neral Dawes

General Dawes, our candidate for Vice-President, th his associates, worked out a financial program ich has been accepted not only in Germany, but all Europe. This one accomplishment, within itself, is complete and sufficient answer to all Democratic ticisms of the foreign policy of the Republican rty. Political history records the fact that the Reblican party is a party of construction and a friend all the American people.

mocratic Party, One of Factions

The Democratic party is a party of factions and is, of varfous ideas and inclinations, and this fact s forcibly illustrated at the last Democratic Nation- Convention, where the biggest men in the Demotic party spent days and even weeks, forgetting the untry's interest, wrangling and abusing each other, their own and their country's injury.

The Republican Party is united and believes in the icy of protection. The Democrats stand for free de. Our country has never prospered under a Demratic tariff law.

untry Prospers Under Protection

The Birmingham district has advantages in miner- beyond that of any place on earth. Steel rails can bought in Belgium and shipped to Birmingham as ap as they can be produced in Birmingham district. t for the policy of protection advocated and pressed the Republicans, the Birmingham district would t be able to cope with the Belgian producers and result would be that the steel indusry of Birmingn would be paralyzed, plants closed and thousands workers thrown out of employment and the city of mingham wrecked by financial panic. What is true Birmingham district is true of every section of our intry and of every kind of business.

Our country is enjoying an unprecedented prosper- ; capital is receiving a just return upon its investnt; labor is employed everywhere at the highest peace-time wage yet known. Business of every kind is in a prosperous state, and all over the land is heard the busy hum of the whirling wheels of industry.

Does the country really desire a change in the administration of its affairs?

Coolidge, the Man of the Hour

When Calvin Coolidge succeeded to the Presidency, it can be truly said that the man and the hour met. The country is fortunate in having Calvin Coolidge to take the place of the loved and lamented Harding. The first act of Mr. Coolidge, upon being sworn in as President of the United States by his father in the little New England farm house in the sturdy hills of Vermont, was to announce that he would carry out the policies of his dead chief. Business men rejoiced at this proclamation, and the laboring people knew it meant continued peace and prosperity for them.

President Coolidge does not believe in government by any class; he does not stand for a government by corporations, nor for a government by any particular bloc; but he stands for a government of common sense, for all the people, and within the limits of the constitution.

A former distinguished Governor of Alabama has made famous the word "environment," and we do know that character is duly influenced by environment. It is interesting in this regard to make character study of the three presidential candidates. The National Republican in a recent issue carried photographs of the homes of the three candidates. The Washington home of LaFollette, the Socialist candidate for the presidency, looks as if it might have been built especially for the Kaiser, or some other crowned head of Europe. The ancestral home of John W. Davis, the Democratic candidate, looks as if it might have been built for Pierpont Morgan, or some other money baron of Wall Street. Then there is reproduced the little five-room farm house of Col. John Coolidge in Vermont, where Calvin Coolidge was born, and where he received the oath of office as President, administered by his father; there is also reproduced the unpretentious, humble cottage at North Hampton, the half of which for more than fifteen years was occupied by Calvin Coolidge as a home and for which he pays $23.00 rental per month. He lived in this apartment while Governor of Massachusetts, and he maintains it now, as President, as his home. Truly environment is a powerful influence. It is evident from the picture of these homes that the Socialistic and Democratic candidates by their environment are far removed from the common people of America—from those who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow. The environment of Calvin Coolidge, by birth and by inheritance, is such as to make him one with the common people. Reared, as he was, on a little farm surrounded by the rugged hills of Vermont, he has locked in his heart the interests and traditions of the common people, and they are his forever. It was here on this farm that Calvin Coolidge, already second in command of this great nation, was engaged in a farmer's toil when he received the sad intelligence that his great chief had fallen. It was here on this farm, within this humble farm house, lighted by the dim rays of a kerosene lamp, that this great man of the people became President of the United States, and assumed the leadership of the Republican party.

Democratic Party Stifles Education

The South, in spite of itself, has been made the beneficiary of Republican rule. The most pitiful thing in all political history is the slavery and serfdom of the South to the Democratic party; but the South pays the price by being fifty years behind the progress and advance of the other sections of the country. Time and space precludes any adequate discussion of the treachery of the Democratic party in Alabama toward the people. More than twenty years ago, the Democratic platform begun to declare for better schools and longer terms. In a statement by Governor Kilby on April 13, 1922, we have figures showing money appropriations for schools as follows:

From 1903 to 1906	$ 5,254,000.00
From 1907 to 1910	9,309,000.00
From 1911 to 1914	11,798,000.00
From 1915 to 1918	13,287,000.00
From 1919 to 1922	19,000,000.00

It will be seen from these figures that each succeeding legislature increased the appropriations approximately $3,000,000.00. The last was an increase of nearly $6,000,000.00. Has the length of the schools been increased in proportion to the increase in taxes? Mr. G. T. McEldery says in a letter Sept. 3, 1923, which was published, that 42% of the appropriations for education is for overhead expenses and increases in salary. In 1902 the average length of common schools was about four and a half months with from eight to ten hours per teaching day; now with the vast increase of money, we still have about four and a half months with about six hours to a teaching day, and sometimes three hours of this time is spent in athletics. And the parents of Alabama school children are now paying a most onerous tax—the excessive price of the required text books, and this evil has grown to such an extent that many poor parents are in the painful situation of keeping their children out of school because they cannot meet this outrage that is being heaped upon them.

The appropriation for the higher educational institutions has been increased about the same proportion as the common schools and yet it takes about two years longer to educate a man or woman now than ten years ago. Hon. Sidney J. Bowie was appointed in 1919 by the Governor to investigate the educational conditions of Alabama, and in his report he made the astounding statement, that there was more illiteracy in Alabama among the white people today than there was in 1860.

Democrats Increase Taxation

Our State taxes have increased about 300% in twenty years, and yet we do not get any more out of our government now than we did twenty years ago.

For the last sixteen years Democratic platforms have pledged the party to give the people relief from this excessive taxation, and each administration has pledged to abolish the tax gatherers. Although each administration was pledged to this reform, all they did was to change the name of the machine and increase its powers and make it possible to burden the people with greater taxes.

For years and years the Democratic platforms have pledged the party to take the convicts from the mines, but the convicts are still in the mines, and will continue there as long as the Democratic party remains in power.

A Dead Tradition and a Living Fear

Will the people of Alabama and the South never wake up to a proper realization of their political duty? Will they always be slaves to prejudice and the Democratic party? How long will they continue to vote a dead tradition and a living fear? For sixty years with characteristic faithfulness, the South has given its electoral vote to the Democratic party; during this time, two voting generations have passed into the great beyond, bowed and warped with faithful service to the Democratic party, and yet, during all this time, and now, the South has no more influence in the councils of the nation than if it were a mere province instead of an integral part of this great nation.

Paucity of Democratic Influence

Distinguished Democrats are without influence in national affairs. Southern statesmen, by reason of character and ability, are the peer of any, but the solid South constitutes a political barrier over which they cannot pass. The only hope of the South is to break up its solidarity and resort to the two party system. The Montgomery Advertiser in its issue of September 14, 1922, in an illuminating article on the "Statesmen in Alabama and Ohio," pointing out the number of Ohioans who were at that time occupying high offices, including William Howard Taft, Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, and Warren G. Harding as President, the Advertiser said among other things:

> "But what we started out to say is that if Alabama occupied Ohio's position, not less than a dozen of our public men within the past 25 years would have been seriously considered for the presidency. We have produced the men equal in character, brains and leadership to the men who usually bid for the Presidency, men in fact who were, and are, equal to the best in the country. But with the exception of Senator Underwood we have not put them forward in Presidential years for the reason that they were politically unavailable, owing to their geographical situation.

The Price of Democratic Loyalty

> "In a state like Alabama, when a Governor is nominated the best he can hope for is an ultimate promotion to the United States Senate, or a seat on the bench. * * * *
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> "It is a big price which the statesman pays to live in Alabama. But of course there are unmeasured compensations for the deprivation. We could write two columns on that, but for the moment we are thinking only of the comparative Presidential prospects of the average statesman in Alabama and Ohio. Ohio produces no bigger men than Alabama, but it produces a greater possibility for candidates in national elections."

Action of Democratic Committee

And yet in the face of these conditions and in the teeth of this remarkable editorial, the Alabama Democratic Executive Committee a few days ago, passed a resolution providing if any voter in Alabama voted for any other Presidential electors in this election than the Democratic electors, such voter could not participate in Democratic primaries, nor counsel with the party for a period of four years thereafter. The Democrats know that their party robe is beginning to hang loosely all over Alabama, and they fear that if the voters in this election are given political freedom that they will vote for Republican electors.

The Women Voters

The women voters in Alabama have a great opportunity of service. Let them profit by the political serfdom of the men in our State, and not permit their hands to be manacled by the political chains of Democratic slavery.

Republican Organization in Alabama

The Republican party organization in Alabama compares favorably with any other political organization. In 1920, from the Official Count, the writer polled 77,337, as against 154,666 for Oscar W. Underwood, for the United States Senate. We believe in the freedom of the ballot box, and the untrammeled right of franchise, to vote for whomsoever the dictates of conscience would direct, and the desire for good government would demand. And thus we open our doors to every voter, and extend to you the glad hand of welcome, even though you might have been expelled from the Democratic party, and we sincerely assure you and concede you the same freedom, without any penalty or punishment whatever. And should you become dissatisfied, or desire to vote for another candidate we gladly concede this right as being the salvation of good government, and we shall not brand you a traitor, but bid you God speed on your way. Truly no political party could offer less.

The President of the American People

Mr. Coolidge is president of all the American people; he favors no faction, sect or religious organization, and he denounces none. Being a Christian man, and an honest servant, he feels that the mighty and the low, the rich and the poor, should be governed by the same standard of justice and the same sense of honor.

A Plea For Patriotism

We plead for a patriotism in peace as well as in war. Let us not merely have that patriotism which burns in the souls of men only when their country is in the dangers of war, but the patriotism of good citizenship, in low places, high places, in season and out of season. Let us have the patriotism which moves men to make their country's welfare their highest business, and in times of peace interest themselves continually in the politics of their community. Good government is certain in no other way. What we need in this country is not less politics, but more attention to politics. There must be two great political parties in Alabama and the South and the nation, and both should be strong and virile. If a political party cannot stand for those things which will bear the severest scrutiny, it is not entitled to succeed and it will not endure. Let a political party determine its acts by how it can contribute most to the country's good. Let the individual membership give attention to party affairs, which is the one instrument through which all individuals can apply their patriotism.

Party Not Condemned by Individual Wrong

Occasionally a bad man will slip into office in either party, but the party as a whole for that reason cannot be condemned. A few years ago, a high Democratic official in Alabama, in broad daylight, walked off with one hundred thousand dollars of the peoples' money, securely packed in a pine box,—yet, it cannot be said that all Democrats in Alabama are bad simply because this one man proved to be a thief. Even now, an investigation is being made as to who stole the money in Birmingham,—yet, it cannot be said that all the people of Birmingham are dishonest because some one has gotten away with the money. But there is no zone of twilight in politics; right is right and wrong is wrong, and the same standard, righteous conduct, must obtain as in any private business or professional matter. With our politics entirely on this basis and living our patriotism daily, we will do a citizen's full duty, and not until then.

Republican Party, Party of the Future

The Republican party is the party of the future. It was born a national necessity, and from that hour has been a party of patriotism with its loyalty measured only by its possibilities. And now, with our eyes solely on the country's welfare, we will measure our steps by the movement of the new needs of the nation, continuing to be the instrument to apply to changing conditions, the wisdom of experience and the efficacy of honest, valiant service. With a determination for an execution consistent with our record squaring our performances with our promises we will proceed to the fulfillment of the party's mission under the leadership of Calvin Coolidge and Charles G. Dawes.

Citizens' Duty to Vote

The exercise of the right of franchise is the highest duty and noblest privilege that devolves upon the citizen. It is the duty of every man and woman, of voting age, throughout the length and breadth of this Union to qualify themselves for the privilege of the ballot; it is the solemn duty of every qualified voter beneath the flag to go to the polls on election day and exercise this privilege.

In conclusion, let me earnestly appeal to all Republicans to see that our friends go to the polls and vote, and make the most vigorous campaign we have ever made in Alabama, and I trust you will feel free to discuss and advise with me freely and frequently, in this campaign. If we can be instrumental in relieving Alabama from the disadvantages of one party rule, and thus advance our State industrially as well as politically, we feel our efforts will have been repaid.

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The Golden Rule Society will hold Introductory Session, or services, Lillie Hill Baptist Church, Thurs-, Nov. 27, 1924, Thanksgiving. s is an incorporated society under Laws of the State of Alabama, ctioning in Chilton County. The pose for which this corporation is anized is to take care, provide for administer to the sick, bury the d, pay sick and death benefits, to such as are entitled to same under the rules and regulations of the society. And generally to do all such acts of charity and benevolence as it may be the policy of such society to undertake or engage in.

We do sincerely desire that the colored people of Chilton County will join in with us and build a corporation that will be second to none in Alabama.

(Signed)—E. V. Watson, E. M. Hickmon, P. DeJarnett, Ben Tyus, Milton McGovern, Trustees. 10-2-4tc

HUNTERS REQUIRED TO OBTAIN HUNT LICENSE

Probate Judge Gives Notice of Open Season on Game in Alabama.

With the open season on birds and other game beginning within the next new weeks, sportsmen who expect to spend a few days hunting this Fall and winter must provide themselves with licenses. These are issued by the probate judge and are for the season beginning with October 1. No license is required for fishing.

Under the law, ownership of all wild birds and game vests in the State and it is only by permission of the state that any person may kill or possess any of these. This permission is given in the form of a license. The fee for a hunter's license is $3 a year for residents and $25 for non-residents. The open season for the different wild birds and game, as fixed by law, follows:

Deer, male, Nov. 1 to Jan. 1; squirrl, black, gray, fox, Nov. 1 to Jan. 1; wild turkey, gobbler, Dec. 1 to April 1; quail, partridge, bob white, Nov. 20 to Feb. 20; ruffled grouse, pheasants, introduced pheasants or other imported game bird, protected to Sept. 1; turtle dove to Jan. 31; duck goose, brent, black bellied and golden plovers, Wilson snipe, yellow legs, coot, mudhen, Nov. 1 to Jan. 31; rail and other coot and gallinule, Sept. 1 to Nov. 30. The game laws prescribe that not more than one buck a day or five in a season, may be killed by the same person; not more than one gobbler a day, or 10 in a season, and not more than 15 quail a day.

Heavy penalties are provided for violation of the game laws.

STATE GAME COMMISSIONER TO SPEAK IN CLANTON OCT. 4

On Saturday, October 4th, three cases of violating the State game and fish law will be tried at the court house in Clanton by Justice of the Peace, J. W. E. Gulledge. The trials will be held in the morning part of the day, at which trials Mr. I. T. Quinn, State Commissioner of Game and Fish will be present.

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Mr. Quinn will make a speech at the court house on the subject of conserving the game and fish of the State. As the season will open before many weeks for killing wild game, it will be of interest to several of our people to come and hear what Mr. Quinn has to say on the subject.

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Grand Dragon of Alabama Issues Official Statment Regarding Votes Of Klansmen for President U. S.

Numerous requests have come to my office relative to the Klan's attitude toward the Presidential nominees, Messrs. Coolidge, Davis and La Follette. As an organization, we have no attitude toward these gentlemen who are seeking the highest honor that can be bestowed upan any American citizen. We are trying to educate you as Klansmen in order that you may know how to vote intelligently. The Klan is not supporting any particular party, but the Klan has members in all parties; and I say here and now that we need two great political parties in this country, as we have, and the Klan is not seeking to form any new party, nor is it attempting to dictate the policies of those that are already formed. These Presidential candidates do, from time to time, publicly advise all citizens of their attitude in public affairs as well as their attitude toward the Klan. Messrs. Davis and La Follette have both openly declard themselves as opposed to the Klan. Mr. Coolidge has made no declaration. I am not, and will not attempt to dictate to any Klansman how he shall vote; but all that I do ask is that he remember his oath of allegiance and let his conscience be his guide.

All Klan By-Laws or amendments thereto must first be sent in duplicate to the office of your Grand Dragon and approved by him before they become operative. This, however, does not apply to resolutions which are adopted at open Klonklave.

GRAND DRAGON.

(The above is a clipping from The American Sentinel, published at Birmingham, Ala.)

CHILTON DEFEATS SYLACAUGA IN FOOT BALL GAME RRIDAY

The foot ball season opened in Clanton last Friday afternoon when the Chilton County High School Tigers defeated the Sylacauga Aggies by a rather decisive score of 18 to 0. The Aggis never got in a really scoring position during the entire game, since the thirty-yard line was never reached.

The whole Chilton team played in mid-season form, performing as if they had been practicing together for months.

Clanton plays the Marbury High School team on the local gridiron on next Friday afternoon.

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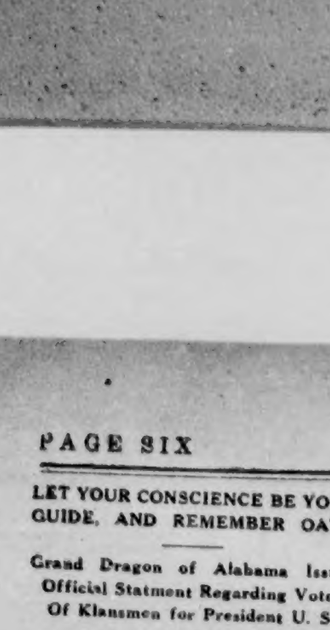

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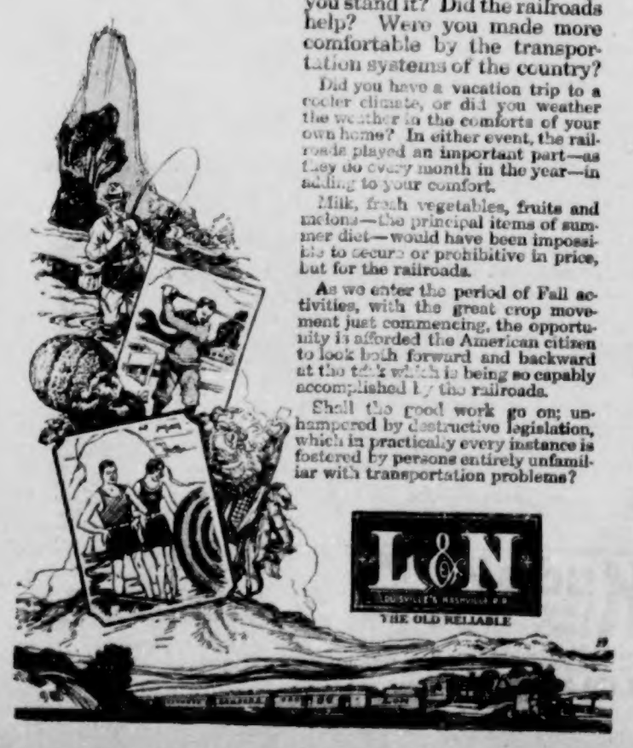
Vacation days are over and the hot spell has broken. The weather bureau tells us that the summer of 1924 brought to the South more intense heat and a longer heated period than any in years. How did you stand it? Did the railroads help? Were you made more comfortable by the transportation systems of the country?

Did you have a vacation trip to a cooler climate, or did you weather the weather in the comforts of your own home? In either event, the railroads played an important part—as they do every month in the year—in adding to your comfort.

Milk, fresh vegetables, fruits and melons—the principal items of summer diet—would have been impossible to secure or prohibitive in price, but for the railroads.

As we enter the period of Fall activities, with the great crop movement just commencing, the opportunity is afforded the American citizen to look both forward and backward at the task which is being so capably accomplished by the railroads.

Shall the good work go on; unhampered by destructive legislation, which in practically every instance is fostered by persons entirely unfamiliar with transportation problems?



STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Certificates of election and award of a contract for construction of a new storm sewer were the principal objects of business before the Albany council at its regular meeting. The official tabulation of ballots cast last week, in the election, showed little change from the unofficial count. The council awarded to C. E. Malone the contract for construction of the new storm sewer on Sixth Avenue, West.

The State Normal School of Jacksonville, was opened with a very large enrollment and more students are arriving on every train.

Robert McCormick, who was locked up at Gadsden on a warrant sworn out by his wife, Mrs. Allie McCormick, charging him with non-support, has been released when it became apparent that he is unable to work. The man had a convulsion after his arrest and another soon afterwards. Sheriff Leath reported the incident to Judge Gilliland, who ordered the man released and ordered Mrs. McCormick to take him back to their old home in Marshall County and nurse him back to health.

Further proceedings in the Alabama Power Company's application for the extension of the availability of the service transportation D have been postponed by Alabama Public Service Commission until Nov. 5. This classification carries rates for feeding and lighting service which it is proposed to extend to domestic consumers. Objection to the application has been raised by the Tri-City Gas Company, of Gadsden, and the Huntsville Gas Company, of Huntsville.

Denial that she was lured from her home at Anniston has been made by Myrtle Bland in a letter published in Anniston Star in reply to a report from Gadsden a few days ago to the effect that J. O. Haynie and his brother had been jailed on a charge of luring Miss Bland from her home. The girl declared that neither men had anything to do with her leaving home and that she left of her own accord.

The Tuscumbia fish hatchery now has close to 200,000 minnows. Seventeen cans of fish have been received from the government hatcheries, including bass, rainbow trout, blue gills and croppies. Game Warden Dr. G. W. Brown has received notice that the sun fish he recently asked for will be shipped soon.

W. J. Buffington, former well known resident of Gadsden, has been surrendered by his bondsmen in a prohibition case, having been brought to Gadsden from Tuscaloosa. On his arrival he was served with two warrants, charging him with passing worthless checks, one at Birmingham and one in Newton County, Miss.

By a compromise agreement between counsel representing the two parties, an increase of $15,000 in the real estate assessment valuation for taxation of the Anniston City Land company has been made, ending a suit which was being tried in circuit court here between the State of Alabama and officials of the land company.

That Joe DeMarco, young white man held at Anniston on a charge of using obscene language in talking with a girl, is abnormal and not responsible, is the opinion expressed by Dr. E. L. Curles, local physician, at the trial of the youth in circuit court here. DeMarco will be sentenced or freed by Judge S. W. Tate next week, it is announced.

Mrs. Kate Stephenson, of Danville, was given a judgment in the circuit court at Decatur for $3,000 against Mrs. Euria Stephenson, her mother-in-law, in a suit alleging alienation of the affections of Mrs. Kate Stephenson's husband, a son of Mrs. Euria Stephenson.

The Tuskegee Normal Institute opened with about 1,300 students registering. Dr. Moton is confident that he will have a student body of 1,400 when all the late comers have registered. This opening compares favorably with the openings of other years.

A group of 150 radio fans at Selma will attempt to form an organization at an early date to adjust interference from local sending stations and to standardize the methods of operating sending stations will be the chief aim of the club.

After Sheriff Blair and Deputy Sheriffs Leath and Reed had arrested F. D. Moore, a traveling salesman at Cedar Bluff, on a charge of carrying a concealed pistol, residents of the town swore out a warrant charging Deputy Reed with the same offense, and the sheriff arrested him.

An explosion of naptha and other chemicals used in asphalt flooring in the department store building of the Beeland Brothers Mercantile Company at Greenville, which is in course of construction, caused a disastrous fire recently, with a loss of approximately $25,000.

A new lumber company, capitalized at $20,000, is making preparations to establish a large planing mill and lumber yard on West Nineteenth Street, near Phillips and Stanley's warehouse, at Jasper.

Tom Johnson, charged with the killing of Deputy Sheriff Ed M. Aldridge at the former's home in December, 1923, was acquitted by a Fayette county jury recently.

Lee Clayton, assistant United States district attorney for the middle district of Alabama, has submitted his resignation to the attorney general to become effective when his successor is named.

The Ku Klux Klan conducted a naturalization ceremony at the municipal park at Bessemer recently.

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Five full tickets, including candidates for mayor, president of the council, eight aldermanic places, chief of police and city clerk have been nominated for the Boy Scout election by the Rotary, Civitan, Kiwanis Axis and Business and Professional Women's Clubs at Gadsden. The candidates for mayor are Melvin Brod Herbert Rosenblum, Walter Murphree Arthur Hardin and Sam Brooks. The successful ones will have full charge of the city government for one day Oct. 4.

Alabamians turned on on National Defense Test Day in a manner which surpassed estimates of their performance, according to figures furnished by Major S. C. Phelps, regular army instructor of the 31st infantry division. Figures compiled by Major Phelps for submission to corps at headquarters showed a grand total of 66,997 persons participating in the parades and assembles, exclusive of spectators, which exceeded the estimation by about 7,000. The number of one-day volunteers in particular was ahead of what was anticipated for the day.

Announcement of the arrival of $300,000 at Mobile as the first proceeds from the $10,000,000 port bond issue, the expenditure of over $30,000 for property owned by John T. Cochrane and the Mobile Shingle Company, and needed by the state for port use and the decision of the First National Bank to sell its one-ninth interest in water frot property at the appraised price, has been made by the state docks commission.

Permission has been granted by the Alabama Securities Commission to the Montgomery Loan and Savings Company to sell $100,000 of its common and preferred stock, selling price $25 a share, par value, $20. The commission also granted permission to the Morgan Plan Company, of Mobile, to sell 850 shares of common stock, par value, $20 a share, selling price, $25; also 1,650 shares of 8 per cent cumulative, participating preferred stock, par value, $20; selling price, $25.

Floyd D. Kellum, manager of a collecting agency in Tuscaloosa, has been lodged in jail there charged with threatening, in the name of the Ku Klux Klan, to run certain debtors of the agency from Tuscaloosa unless they paid He was arrested, it is said, on warrants issued on information obtained by the klan. A number of threatening letters were sent through the mail, it is said.

Dr. W. S. Seymore, superinterdent of the Baptist Hospital, will reach Selma soon to take charge. Dr. Selmore, with his wife and two children are from San Antonio, Texas, where he has been pastor of the Baptist Church of that place. Dr. Selmore, before going to Texas, had charge of a prominent church in Montgomery and left for Texas on account of the health of a member of his family.

COMMUNITY SINGING AT VERBENA SUNDAY

The Verbena Community Singing, inaugurated last Sunday evening by Mrs. Sam Scott and Mrs. H. B. Oliver at the Verbena Community House, drew one of the largest audiences seen in this neighborhood in some time.

Mr. Lee Robinson, widely known for his musical attainments as a singer and organist, had charge of the singing and after leading several numbers he called upon Mr. Creighton Norris and Mr. R. Miller, who also ably conducted several selections.

The song leaders were assisted by Miss Sarah Maude Patillo at the piano and S. L. Gibson with the violin. The service was opened with prayer by Mr. J. C. Pattillo.

Almost every one of the large audience took part and enjoyed the music. The local audience was augumented by music enthusiasts from Mitchell Dam, Coopers and other nearby places.

Just before the closing prayer by Mr. Phil Mitchell, it was decided to make a permanent institution of the Verbena Community Singing, with Mr. Lee Robinson in charge. The "sing" will be held at the Community House the third Sunday evening of each month at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited to attend.

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CHILTON CO. TRAINING SCHOOL OPENS LAST MONDAY MORNING

The Chilton County Training School for colored pupils, opened its doors Monday morning for the enrollment of pupils. A large crowd of visitors from all parts of the county were present. The principal speakers were Mrs. M. E. Foster, State Supervisor of Colored Schools; Rev. N. C. Shepherd, pastor of Hopewell Baptist Church. The enrollment was 158 for the day, with 47 children being transported by truck. A splendid session for the first year of the county training school is predicted.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The State Department of Archives and History has received from Mrs. Joseph E. Aderhold, of Anniston, State Historian of the Alabama Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, a number of lists of Confederate soldiers compiled by historians of the U. D. C. chapters in the respective counties. The information was collected from various sources, including the records of United Confederate Veterans camps and from the memory of those who lived during the stirring days of the sixties. The lists received comprised those from Dale, Talladega, Pike, Fayette, Mobile and Calhoun Counties, as well as a history of the Fourteenth Alabama Infantry.

The banner for the highest percentage of thrift among the school children of Anniston, as shown by their savings during the summer months was presented by the six award school at Oxanna by W. P. Acker, Chairman of the City Board of Education. The Glenn Addie school took second place. Before the presentation was made C. R. Bell, President of the Commercial National Bank, delivered an address to the large audience of school children and townsmen.

The survey of Selma's postal routes is nearing completion by Inspectors Yates, of Selma, and Rittelmeyer, stationed at Mobile. The results of the survey will lead to a change of schedule and possibly bring about improvement. The recent addition of a motor truck for the parcel post department has been of benefit to this branch of the service.

When the North Alabama Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church meets in Talladega October 29, recommendations made unanimous by the hospital board of the two conferences that a children's addition be made to the Montgomery Memorial Hospital will be placed before that body.

Reduced rates for water service in the Bessemer, Brighton and Lipscomb territories in Jefferson County, provided for in a schedule agreed upon by the Alabama Water Company and representatives of citizens to be served, were approved in an order issued by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

Dr. Roland M. Harper, of the Alabama Geological Survey, has made two botanical discoveries in Elmore County. In the bed of the Coosa River, near Wetumpka, he has found an entirely new species of flowering grass. He also discovered in Elmore County, a species of hickory tree never before reported from a point so far South.

The new school building for Decatur negroes is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy soon. It will have four rooms and is built with the idea of additions as they are needed later. The building is of brick and stands on a tract of land given by the City of Decatur from its park area.

Miss Ethel Sudlow, secretary of the Child Welfare Association, is spending several days in Morgan County in connection with the work of the Association. Miss Sudlow plans to take several children of that county to Birmingham headquarters, later to be placed in homes.

Frederick Henderson, Jr., the 8-year-old son of Fred Henderson, of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank, of Troy, was seriously injured when he was struck by an automobile. The car which struck the boy was driven by Ray Davis, connected with the Williams Produce Company.

At the funeral of Mrs. Mattie Parker, 86 years old, who died at Gladstone, in Madison County, after a long illness, there were two sons, 31 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and two great great-grandchildren. The pallbearers were grandsons and great-grandsons.

Miss Emma Mathis, of Gadsden, is suing the Western Union Telegraph Company for $1,300 damages, alleging delay in the delivery of a telegram offering her a position as teacher at Emberton, Ga. It is claimed that the delay caused her to lose the place, the salary of which was $1,300 per session.

Cleburne County Baptist Association will convene at Old Hopewell Church for a three-day meeting Friday, October 2, instead of October 17, as previously announced. Rev. William Barr, of Bell Mills, is moderator and expects a large attendance.

The public school at Pelham is to be remodeled. Part of the building has been torn away and new wings will be added. School will be held in the Baptist Church until the work is completed.

It is announced at Gadsden that certain insurance companies are now insuring automobiles against confiscation if captured in the act of rum running.

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The man who wants to make every dollar buy the most clothing-value will be wise to do some thinking.

CURLEE and TRI-HEX clothing are backed by a reputation of more than a quarter century, for style, quality, and long, satisfactory service at a very reasonable price.

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We will take pleasure in showing you these suits, whether you want to buy or not.

"Get in the Well Dressed Circle"

We have Sweaters for the entire family, on which we can save you money. Just a look will convince you.

We have a complete stock of Outings, Cotton Flannels, Sheetings, and all other piece goods.

SHOES FOR ALL

When it comes to Shoes, we can outfit the family in good ones. We buy nothing but STANDARD lines — lines that are absolutely guaranteed.

HATS AND CAPS

We have a new shipment of men's and boys' hats, caps and gloves—all the new styles and colors.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. L. NORTON, Manager).

(Hattie M. Gerald, Assistant Mgr.)

Mr. Poulson and son, Otto, and J. Greason, all of Selma, were visitors in Thorsby last Wednesday. Mr. Poulson is engaged in the florist business there, and was here making arrangements to secure carnations from the Howard Brothers for the coming season.

The putting in of Junior High studies at the public school has necessitaed getting another teacher. Miss Mamie Sue Stewart of Lafayette has been hired to teach the 4th and 5th grade subjects, and Miss Franklin has taken some of the junior high studies. Miss Stewart is located at Mrs. J. H. Goddard's home.

Mr. Earl Diefenderfer has been enjoying a few days visit from his mother, whose home is in St. Paul, Minn.

Messrs. William Billingsley, G. L. Harper, Ben Davenport and Wilder took in the W. M. U. at Liberty last Thursday. An unusually good meeting was reported.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Christine Christenson of Birmingham.

The Christian Endeavor will give a social at the home of Mrs. E. W. Butler Saturday evening, October 1, to which are invited the members of the C. E. Society and the boys and girls of the boarding department of T. I.

Mrs. S. C. Wood was a visitor in Birmingham Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Sylvester Robinson was visiting friends in Thorsby last Sunday.

The children of the public school are enjoying a two-days holiday Monday and Tuesday while the teachers are attending Teachers Institute at Clanton.

The Baptist Ladies Aid will meet next week, Thursday, Oct. 9, with Mrs. Enoch Adams. It is urged that every lady of the church make a special effort to be present.

J. E. Franks, a student from Howard College, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church last Sunday.

Rev. Nels McQuarrie, Congregational field worker in Alabama and Florida, stopped over in Thorsby last Tuesday night and spoke to the students of Thorsby Institute at chapel Wednesday morning. We are always glad to see Rev. McQuarrie.

Rev. Each and his wife proved to be a very enjoyable host and hostess to the boys and men teachers of the boarding department of Thorsby Institute, when they entertained them at their home last Saturday evening.

Mr. S. E. Norton and wife arrived home Tuesday from a delightful trip, covering about four months, to Kenvil, N. J., where they have been visiting their son, Sereno, and other friends and relatives.

Rev. Arnold Johnson fron Silver Hill, occupied the pulpit in the Lutheran church both morning and evening last Sunday. He expects to be here again in about two months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harrison of Wilton, Ala., were in town last Sunday. They came to attend services at the Lutheran Church.

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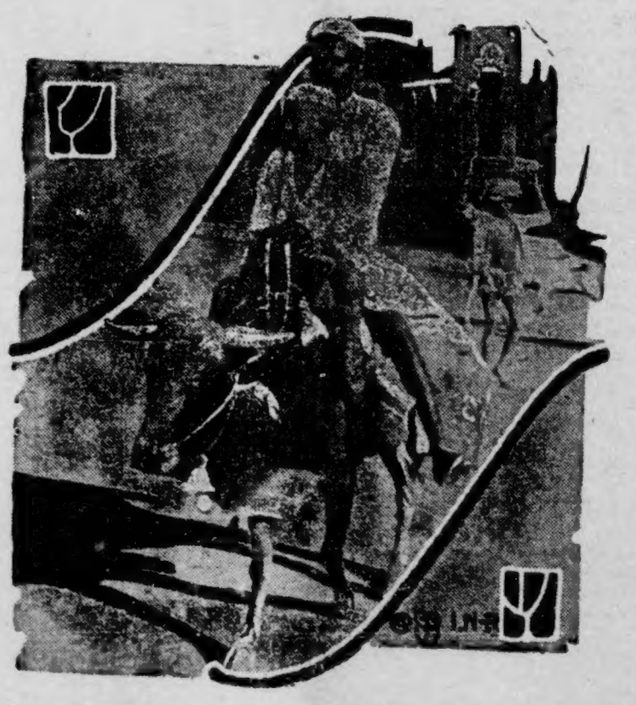

OXEN still play an important part in the life and customs of natives in the ancient city of Gwalior, India. Not only for plowing and hauling purposes but equestrian activities, too.

The photograph here shows an Indian with his son astride a docile ox. Of course, it's not what you would call "rapid transit" but then—the people over there have all kinds of time and they get there just the same.

One consolation, at least, in this method of transportation. It may be slow, but you're safe from reckless drivers in crossing the streets. Then too, there's no "high cost of gasoline."

At a meeting of the County School Board last Friday, they approved and appointed two members of the Town School Board, J. D. Cleckler and J. C. Pate, who were nominated by the people of Thorsby.

Mrs. S. P. Kelly and son, Coy Gibbons, returned last Friday from a 2-weeks trip to Kansas. Mrs. Kelly's oldest son, Ivan Gibbons, and family returned with them for a visit in our town.

Mrs. Palmer Dahl and Gladys Flummer were week-end visitors at their respective homes last week.

Mr. R. A. Turner left for Birmingham last Friday night and will be gone several weeks.

Save coupons and get a beautiful Pearl Necklace Free at Clanton Mercantile Co.

Exports at Mobile Heavy

Mobile, Ala.—Mobile had half a million dollar export movement through the port for the week ending September 26, with five outbound steamers for foreign ports taking the large freights. A Shipping Board freighter, the Clavarack, operated by the Mobile Oceanic Line, took a quarter of a million dollar consignment, with an Italian tramp steamer second for the honors. Exact figures were $499,002.

Sleep Walk to Death

Elgin, Ill.—A Coroner's jury decided 14-year-old Lydia Colston was killed by a fall while walking in her sleep.

Confesses To Poisoning Husband

Marion, Ill.—Confession that she had poisoned her former husband, Joseph Herrington, 34, in a plot with Robert Tate, whom she married twenty days after Herrington's death was made by Mrs. Ruby Herrington Tate, 30, in the Williamson County jail here.

The date by which time C. W Whiteside, Tax Collector, of Calhoun County must furnished a bond of $50,000 required by the State for the office was set by Probate Judge Thomas W. Coleman, as October 6. If Mr White does not furnish a bond within 15 days after the date set by Judge Coleman he must vacate office, it was stated. The American Surety Company through its attorney, H. D. Logan, filed a petition in the Probate Court asking to be allowed to withdraw its $50,000 bond furnished for Mr. Whiteside when he took office several years ago.

F. F. Tidwell, of Albany, has in his possession an old day book used soon after the Civil War, which shows butter then sold at 25 cents per pound, eggs at 15 cents, "two wool hats for $1.75," calico at 15 cents, four gallons of whisky for $6.50 and one box of paper collars for 40 cents.

Determined to have at least the nucleus for a library at the Gadsden High School, Superintendent C. A. Donahoo announced that a drive will be made for books. The classrooms will contest for prizes to be offered for those bringing in the largest number of books.

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LEGAL NOTICES

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)
Providence,	13	Oct. 1
Robinson's Store,	12	Oct. 2
Mullins Academy,	1	Oct. 3
Providence,	16	Oct. 4
Shoults,	7	Oct. 6
Riderville,	8	Oct. 7
Macedonia,	14	Oct. 8
Cane Creek,	11	Oct. 9
Enterprise,	6	Oct. 10
Stanton,	8	Oct. 11
Maplesville,	7	Oct. 13
Mars Hill,	2	Oct. 14
Jemison,	2	Oct. 15
Pletcher,	15	Oct. 16
Coopers,	10	Oct. 17
Mineral Springs,	12	Oct. 18
Benson,	3	Oct. 20
Thorsby,	9	Oct. 21
Kincheon,	6	Oct. 22
Culp Schoolhouse,	15	Oct. 23
Verbena,	5	Oct. 24
Mt. Creek,	5	Oct. 25
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov. 8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

$1.00 buys 10 yards of 36-inch width Sheeting at Chicago Sales Co., ocation next to First National Bank.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores of Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

"If Your Pain Is There, What You Need Is a Good Tonic For the Kidneys"

The kidneys are the scavengers and they work day and night in separating and the poisons from the blood. Their signals of distress are easily recognized and include such symptoms as lumbago, backache, depressions, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, dizziness, rheumatic twinges, dropsy.

People are realizing more and more every day that the kidneys, just as do the bowels, need to be flushed occasionally. The kidneys are an eliminative organ and are constantly working, separating the poisons from the blood. Under this continual and perpetual action they are apt to congest, and then trouble starts. Uric acid backs up into the system, causing rheumatism, neuralgia, dropsy and many other serious disturbances. It means that you are a victim of uric acid poisoning. Then ask your druggist for Anuric (anti uric acid) and you will very soon become one of hundreds who have been helped by this powerful enemy to uric acid.

Dr. Pierce manufactures Anuric (kidney-backache) tablets and you can obtain a trial pkg. by enclosing 10c and addressing Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL LAND

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probte Court:

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Baker, as guardian of Guima Brunice Baker-Powell, has filed his petition in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to sell, for re-investment, the following described real estate, situatd in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14) and running thence east on the Forty line 220 wards, thence north 220 yards, thence west 220 yards, thence south along the Forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, and containing Ten acres more or less.

And that Tuesday, October 21, 1924 is the day appointed for the hearing of said petition.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-25-4t-c Judge of Probate.

LICENSE NOTICE

All automobile tags will be ready by the first of October. Remember that everybody who gets a new tag will first have to procure a certificate of title to the car. If you have lost your cerificate of title you can get a duplicate from this office.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

The Fayette County Teachers' Institute will convene in the high school auditorium at Fayette October 11 Miss Danylau Belser, of Montgomery is expected to represent the State Department of Education, assisted by J A. Kirkandall, County Superintendent

The Alabama Power Company has taken over the electric lighting system of Bellevue Highlands, Gadsden, which has been under the management of private interests since it was built It will be rebuilt to give complete service to all the highlands.

Fire, which originated from the explosion of the dynamo motor adjoining the Berry Masonic hall, destroyed the building, together with Masonic, Odd Fellow and Eastern Star equipment valued at over $4,000. It is stated that no insurance was carried.

Announcement is made that a course in public speaking has been instituted at the Gadsden High School with Superintendent C. A. Donahoo as teacher.

The history of Walker County is to be portrayed in pageant some time in November, if plans being worked out by Superintendent of Education J. A Moore and associates materializes.

A large delegation of Alabama dairy men and persons interested in the dairy business are attending the National Dairy Show in Milwaukee, Wis

Save coupons and get a beautiful Pearl Necklace Free at Clanton Mercantile Co.

Smilin' Charlie Says

"We notice that Bill Binks "th' hair pin manufacturer" ain't speakin' t' Tony "th' barber" any more ---"

FLIERS REACH END OF WORLD FLIGHT

LEFT SEATTLE LAST APRIL 6, MADE COMPLETE CIRCUIT OF THE GLOBE, RETURNING SEPTEMBER 28

Seattle. — The American army around-the-world fliers completed the circuit of the globe Sunday afternoon, landing at Sand Point Field at 1:36 p. m., Pacific time. They started their flight here April 6.

Lieutenant Smith was the first to land. He was followed by Lieutenant Wade, then Lieutenant Nelson. The commander landed at 1:36, the others at 3:37:50 and 1:38:35.

The conditions on landing and aloft for the fliers were ideal at the Sand Point Field. The sun was shining brightly as the airplanes came down and the weather was warm, approaching sultriness.

One of the first to greet the three famous airmen and their three mechanics, Lieutenant Leslie P. Arnold, Lieutenant Henry H. Ogden, was Major Frederick L. Martin, the original commander of the flight, whose airplane met disaster in the Aleutian Islands.

A family reunion took place on the field a few minutes after Lieutenant Arnold got out of his airplane. He was hugged and kissed by his mother, Mrs. Cora Arnold, and his sister, Mrs. Frances Cole, of Spokane, Wash., who had not seen him since he started on the flight that made aviation history.

The airplanes on landing taxied in a large circle to the reviewing stand with the Chicago at the left, Boston II in the center and the New Orleans at the right.

Ropes were strung around the famous machines and the Reception Committee gathered to greet the flyers.

Lieutenant Smith stepped from the cockpit of his craft and made a short address to the assembled committee. The crowd that gathered around the roped-off airplanes was so great that the reception at the landing field was curtailed to merely a shaking of hands of the fliers and expressions from the Reception Committee of "glad you are here." Each of the fliers received at the field a large bouquet of dahlias which they took with them to a private luncheon aboard a yacht.

A huge welcome sign one hundred and fifty feet long spelled in letters twenty feet high greeted the aviators as they circled over Sand Point. On the field hundreds of automobiles, whistles from scores of boats and yachts anchored on Lake Washington off Sand Point and cheers from the thousands of spectators contributed to the noisy return.

Among the vessels in the lake awaiting the fliers' arrival was the Canadian destroyer Patrician. The officers aboard had been delegated by dominion officials to extend the greetings of the Canadian government officials.

The world circles were accompanied on their flight from Eugene by Lieutenants J. A. Brookhurst and George W. Goddard who made a photographic record of the flight across the country and Lieutenant Burdette Wright and Sergeant J. F. Kennedy. Lieutenant Wright acted as advance officer of the flight and he was the first of accompanying airplanes to arrive at 12:55 p. m.

Following informal ceremonies immediately after the landing, the fliers were taken to Madison Park and greeted by approximately 50 000 persons. From here they went by automobile to Volunteer Park for a formal reception. Lieutenant Smith rode in a car covered with flowers. His name was spelled out with dahlias in front.

Reservation for Waterway Banquet

Chicago—Delegates from numerous cities in the Mississippi Valley have made reservations for the Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico waterway banquet here October 6, and more than 2,500 persons are expected to be in attendance. William Hale Thompson is in charge of the arrangements announced.

Friedrichshaven, Germany—Preparations for the trans Atlantic flight of the ZR-3, the Zeppelin-built giant dirigible which is to be turned over to the American Navy after its voyage across the sea to Lakehurst, N. J. are under way in anticipation of beginning the long air journey October 5 or 6.

Big Steel Orders

Birmingham.—More than $5,000,000 worth of Ensley steel rails were ordered during the week-end, following the announcement of the Louisville & Nashville that the company had bought a total of 62,129 tons of rails from the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Company.

Drowned Man's Watch Running

New Orleans.—A cheap watch found in the clothing on the body of a white man picked up in the Mississippi River here was still running. The body apparently had been in the water only a few hours. Police could not identify the man.

Killed by Stingaree

Moss Point, Miss.—Charles Stauter, 38, of this city, died from the effects of being stung by a stingaree while fishing. Poison set in and he lingered several hours.

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1 lot Mens Dress Shoes, worth $4.50 to $5.00, now **$3.95**
1 lot Womens Dress Shoes, worth $4.50 to $5.00, **$3.95**
1 lot Womens Dress Shoes, worth $3.50 to $4.00, **$2.75**

We have the best Childrens Shoes we have ever had. You parents who have been having trouble with your children's shoes, it will pay you to buy here. Come let us show you before you buy. We are making special prices on quantity buying.

PIECE GOODS

1 lot 36-inch Domestic, per yard, ... **12 1|2 c**
1 lot Blue Denim, worth 30c a yard, now **24c**
1 lot Outing, worth 20c, a yard, now **14c**
1 lot Ginghams, worth 20c a yard, now 3 yds. for **50c**
1 lot Ginghams, worth 30c a yard, now **25c**
1 lot Ginghams, per yard, ... **12 1|2 c**
1 lot Satin, worth $1.50 a yard, now **$1.29**
1 lot Silk Taffeta, worth 1.75 a yard, now **$1.29**
1 lot Silk and Wool Crepe, per yard, ... **$1.89**
1 lot Canton Crepe, per yard, ... **$2.29**

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I. Vanderstyle, campaign manager for the Baldwin County Kiwanians, who have assumed the task of raising a fund of $30,000 for the State Normal School at Daphne, is making visits to the several towns and communities in Baldwin County. At a recent meeting at Bohemia a large crowd was present and pledged its active support Meetings have also been held at Bell Forest and several other places.

The Athens College for young women was opened with a good attendance and many yet to enroll.

Invitation has been extended to Gov. W. W. Brandon by the city commission of Birmingham to deliver the formal address at the opening of the auditorium on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 19, according to information at the city hall.

Eczema

OH! The joy of a peaceful, restful night. What a wonderful "up and going" feeling follows such a night of undisturbed slumber.

Oh! What tortures — what agony —what despair—goes with the nights where eczema and other skin diseases hold power and drive away rest and peaceful slumber. For under the cover of darkness like crafty beings of the underworld these eruptions work their most serious havoc.

S.S.S. is the established conqueror of these annoying skin diseases. S.S.S. drives these ever disturbing elements from your system—elements that carry in their wake—lack of energy—undermining health! You may try in vain to get rid of them by using salves, lotions, washes, all to no purpose. You can't do it that way—the seat of the trouble lies deeper—impure blood trying to throw off poisons through the tender skin.

S.S.S. purifies the blood. It aids Nature in creating new red-blood-cells by the million! Blood-cells that send new rich blood coursing through your system. Red blood that drives away eczema—drives away pimples, blackheads, boils and rheumatism, too. An increase in red-blood-cells means added strength, added vitality and renewed vigor. Because the medicinal ingredients of S.S.S. are purely vegetable, it may be taken with perfect safety. Start taking S.S.S. today and watch it rout that annoying, skin destroying, health undermining army that holds your system in its grasp! Learn again what it means to enjoy peaceful, restful nights of slumber.

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Hogs Had Cholera!

H. T. Jackson of Georgia reports, "Several hogs died before I could trace the source of their disease. They had cholera transmitted to them by rats. I put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around, it killed all the rats. The hogs have been healthy ever since. Destroy all rats. Use Royal Guaranteed Rat Kake. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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1 lot of good Wool Sox 25c
1 lot of good all-leather Work Shoes for men $1.79
We are headquarters for Ladies' and Children's Coats—
1 lot of Ladies' Coats, special at $5.45
1 lot of Children's Coats, special at $2.45
We have coats from $5.45 to $39.50. To see them means money in your pocket.
1 lot of good Gingham and Percale, special, per yd. 9c
Best grade of Men's Overalls, best grade denim $1.39
Best grade of heavy blue Sheeting, sells everywhere at 20c; our price 15c
Best grade of heavy Outing, in all colors, per yard 16c
1 lot of good heavy Sweaters 98c
Men's heavy grade triple stitch Work Shirts, with full face sleeve, will **not rip**; special, our price 69c
Just received a new supply of large remnant bundles for quilting; special at 98c
1 lot of heavy quilts, special $2.95
1 lot of good heavy grade Sheeting, sells regular at 16c; our price 12½c
We have a complete line of Blankets, priced for everyone from ..... 98c to $4.95

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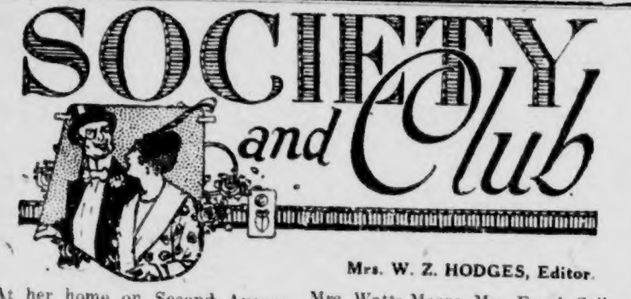

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

At her home on Second Avenue, Miss Kathleen Mullins entertained the members of the Wednesday Card Club and a few friends last Wednesday afternoon. The dining room was made beautiful with dahlias and cut flowers. Bridge was played at four tables, and afterwards delicious refreshments were served. The club prize, a couple of decks of congress cards, was won by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, while the guest prize, two dainty hand-made handkerchiefs, fell to Miss Bettie Mullins. The club members and guests were Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Miss Roberta Curry and Miss Bettie Mullins.

Mrs. Claud Jones took the Junior Missionary and Chrisian Endeavor Societies on a hike Tuesday afternoon. They were all girls, but looked like boys, as they were dressed in knickers.

Sunday, October 5th, is the beginning of the Sunday School work for 1925. Pupils will be promoted and diplomas will be given, so all the children are urged to be present.

Mrs. Latham Ellis is visiting Miss Polk at Columbiana this week.

Rev. C. C. Wilkerson, Mr. McDavid and Watkins are attending the Ford convention in Atlanta this week.

Mr. Herbert Davis returned home Saturday from Texas, and left Sunday for the University, where he will be in school for the year.

Miss Roberta Curry, after a brief visit to her parents, will leave the latter part of this week for New York, to resume the study of voice under her former teacher, William Stickles.

Mrs. Curry Thomas was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday morning at the Central Alabama Hospital, and is reported to be doing nicely.

Miss Ruth Jones of Jumbo is visiting friends in Clanton this week.

Miss Mullins Entertains.

FARMER NOT AID IN ORGANIZATION OF THIRD PARTY

International Labor Unions Excluded From LaFollette Convention All Except Own Followers.

RADICALS IN POWER BAN SOIL TILLERS

Blacklist Includes Their Defenders in Congress.

LaFollette was entered in the race for President by an aggregation of national and international labor unions. The public, and particularly the farmer, had no voice whatever in his so-called nomination. There has existed for over three years an organization known as the Conference for Progressive Political Action, composed of 16 or 18 national and international labor unions, the majority of them railway labor organizations.

The officers of this Conference for Progressive Political Action are on the whole the national and international officers of the labor organizations composing the conference. The chairman or president of this conference is William Johnston, president of the International Machinists' union, and the director of the railroad strike in 1922. Mr. Johnston was recently candidate for governor of Rhode Island on the Socialist ticket. The headquarters of this conference is in the Machinists' building, Washington, D. C., a building owned by the International Machinists.

This conference held its annual meeting in St. Louis in February, 1924, adopted a platform, pledged itself to launch a third party, and adjourned to meet in Cleveland July 4 for that purpose. The convention in Cleveland on July 4 was therefore nothing but the adjourned meeting of the Conference for Progressive Political Action. The delegates to the Cleveland convention were merely delegates from the labor organizations comprising the Conference for Progressive Political Action, plus a few scattering delegates from the Socialist party and a few radical organizations such as the League for Industrial Democracy. The Conference for Progressive Political Action established its own rules regarding whom it would admit as delegates and these rules were so framed that no one not in hearty accord with the views of the labor organizations comprising the conference was admitted. Out of approximately 1,000 delegates, less than 25 were farmers or representatives of alleged farmer organizations.

The officers of the Conference for Political Action were the officers of the convention. William Johnston, Socialist leader, was the temporary and also the permanent chairman. After organizing the convention, a resolution was drawn up and sent to Senator LaFollette asking him to lead in a fight for a third party. Not a single farmer or representative of a bona fide farmer organization signed this petition.

The funeral services of "Aunt Polly" Douthard were held by the Methodist minister at the county almshouse at Jacksonville recently. Aunt Polly was a coolred woman, 107 years old. She remembered as far back as 1818 and talked quite frequently of the Indian tribes in Talladega, where she was born.

Mississippi leads the list outside Alabama, with 34. Florida is second, with seven students; Texas, third, with five; Virginia has three; Georgia and Pennsylvania, two each; while Minnesota, Arkansas, Wisconsin, New York and Tennessee each are represented by a single student.

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An attempt on the part of the state highway commission to have the state of Alabama pay the traveling expenses incurred by W. S. Keller, state highway engineer, on a trip to the Democratic national convention at New York has been formally disapproved by Attorney General Harwell G. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haynes, owners of a cafe at Talladega, owe their lives to the plaintive meows of two pet kittens. It was the crying of the pets that awakened the couple early in the morning when their cafe was destroyed by fire. They escaped through a window, but the kittens were burned to death.

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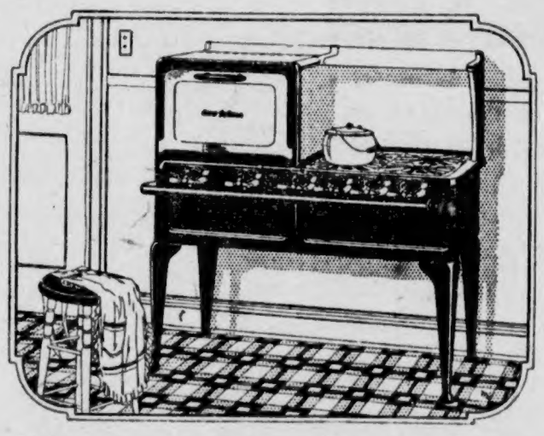

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ELECTION NOTICE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

I, T. J. Littlejohn, Sheriff of Chilton County, Alabama, in conformity with Section 357, page 329, of the Political Code of Alabama, (1907), hereby give notice that a General Election of the qualified voters of Chilton County, Alabama, will be held in the several election precincts of said county on **Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1924,** for the election of:—

Twelve Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States; one United States Senator from Alabama, two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of Alabama, one Associate Judge Court of Appeals of Alabama; State Commissioner of Game and Fisheries of Alabama; President Alabama Public Service Commission; Representative in Congress from the Fourth Congressional District of Alabama; County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Third District of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Fourth District of Chilton County, Alabama; two members of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama; two Justices of the Peace for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama; one Constable for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama;

Also whether the following amendments to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, viz:

Proposed Amndment No. 1.

Shall the following proposed amendment, Section 194 1-2 of the Constitution of Alabama, be adopted?

"No person who honorably served in the military or naval service of the United States, between January 1st, 1917 and November 11, 1918, shall be required to pay the poll tax mentioned in the Constitution of Alabama; such persons shall be exempt from the payment of all poll taxes which have accrued or may hereafter accrue. This section shall be self-executing and retroactive. The Judges of Probate shall issue certificates of exemption from the payment of such poll taxes to the persons entitled thereto under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Governor."

Proposed Amendment No. 2.

Shall the following be adopted as Article XXI of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The Legislature may form of provide for the formation of districts for establishing and maintaining a drainage system; for the building and maintaining of public roads, and for building and maintaining a seawall or other protection against waves, storm or flood therein; and provide for the assessment of the whole or part of the cost of such improvements against the land in such districts to the extent of the increased value of such land by reason of the special benefits derived from such improvements, and may provide for the issuance of bonds by such district with or without any election. Provided the provisions as to road and seawall shall apply only to Mobile and Baldwin Counties."

Proposed Amendment No. 3.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"The County of Mobile, through its constituted governing authorities, may levy and collect for public school purposes, a rate of taxation, on the property situated therein, not exceeding the total of any one year, one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution of Alabama and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the said Constitution of Alabama, which said one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum shall be in addition to taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to the authority of Section 215 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, which Article XIX was added to the said Constitution by Amendment; and existing laws attempting or purporting to authorize, empower and direct the said constituted authorities of the County of Mobile to levy and assess such a special tax in addition to the taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Section 215 of the Constitution as aforesaid and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution as aforesaid are hereby validated and confirmed."

Proposed Amendment No. 4.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama?

"The municipalities of Thorsby, Piedmont, and Greenville, and Roanoke, and Greensboro and Calera, Florala and Opp, Evergreen and Fayette, and Clayton and Clio in the State of Alabama, shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of one-half of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation for the tax year ending on the thirteenth day of September next succeeding the levy; provided that for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness issued and outstanding at the time of the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness which may be issued or incurred after the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, and an additional tax of one-half of one per centum may be levied and collected by said corporations; provided further that a majority of the qualified electors of any of said municipal corporations voting at an election called for that purpose may vote a special tax not to exceed one-half of one per centum in any one year for any special purpose or purposes, which tax shall be used only for the purpose or purposes for which same is levied and collected; provided, however, that the total tax to be levied by any of said municipal corporations shall not exceed one and one-half (1-2) per centum in any one year. Alabama City shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of three-quarters of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation. Provided, further, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, or authority or right of either of said municipal corporations to levy and collect the special school taxes, now or hereafter vested in or conferred upon them, or any of them, under the Constitution or any amendment thereto; including the power of the city of Selma to levy and collect the taxes for schools and school purposes vested in and conferred upon said city of Selma by the amendment to the Constitution of Alabama adopted thereto at the general election held in November, 1916, and which was submitted under law Number 315, General Laws 1915, page 337, each election held under the provisions hereof shall be ordered, held, canvassed and may be contested in the same manner as is or may be provided by the law applicable to the municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The ballots used at such election shall contain the words: "For .....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years).....;" and "Against.....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years)....." The rate of taxation proposed in excess of the rate of one (1) per centum to be shown in the blank space provided therefor and the year or years in which the proposed rate is to appiy to be shown in the blank space provided therefor; and in the event different excess rates are proposed for different years the words mentioned shall be repeated as often as may be necessary to show separately the different rates proposed to be applied to the respective years.. And the voter shall record his choice, whether for or against the excess rate or rates shown by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his choice. Nothing herein contained shall in any wise change or affect the rights of any holder of bonds of municipal corporations heretofore issued. Elections to authorize the levy of such special tax may be held as often as ordered by the governing body of the municipality but when a proposition is submitted to the electors to levy a special tax for a specific purpose, and such proposition is defeated no second election for the same shall be held in one year thereafter."

Proposed Amendment No. 5.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

Proposed Amendment No. 290. "Mobile County man become indebted and may issue bonds for the construction or improvement of concrete or better than concrete surfaced public roads, and concrete or better than concrete public bridges in said county, and for the construction of bridges and roadway necessary to provide a public road for vehicular travel between the highlands of Mobile and Baldwin Counties, in an amount not to exceed six ane one-half per centum of the assessed value of the property situated in Mobile County. To pay said indebtedness and the interest thereon, Mobile County may levy and collect an annual tax on said property not to exceed one-half of one per centum of said value. The indebtedness, the bonds and the tax authorized hereby shall be in addition to those authorized by the Constitution of Alabama prior to the adoption of this amendment. But no such additional indebtedness shall be created, and no such additional bonds shall be issued, and no such additional tax shall be levied, until each improvement or construction proposed to be built thereby, its approximate location, estimated cost and time of completion, and the amount of the proposed increase, shall have been determined upon and made public by the Board of Revenue and Road Commissioners of Mobile County, and the proposed increase of indebtedness or issue of bonds or tax therefor shall have been first authorized by a majority vote by ballot of the qualified voters of Mobile County voting upon such proposition."

Proposed Amendment No. 6

Shall the following be adopted as Article.....of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The County of Walker, State of Alabama, shall have power to levy and collect a special road tax not exceeding fifty cents on each hundred dollars worth of taxable property in said county in addition to that now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized for the erection, construction or maintenance of the necessary public roads, bridges or ferries and in addition to that now authorized under Section 215 of Article XI of the Constitution, which special county tax so levied and collected shall be applied exclusively to the purpose for which the same was so levied and collected; provided, that the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and he purpose thereof shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county, and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election." Section 2. "Twenty-five per centum of all moneys derived from property lying within the municipalities and arising from the tax proposed herein shall be paid to such municipality and shall, by it, be expended for upkeep of its streets." Section 3. "The Court of County Commissioners, Boards of Revenue, or other governing body of said county may, or upon written petition of ten per centum of the qualified voters of Walker County, shall call and submit said election provided for and authorized by Section 1 hereof to the qualified electors of Walker County either at the time of the general election or at a special election called for that purpose; proivded that said election shall be called and held in accordance with the law now or that may be enacted governing county bond elections, and in conformity with the general election laws of the State."

Proposed Amendment No. 7

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"Town Creek School District No. 59, Landersville School District No. 23 and Moulton School District No. 28, in Lawrence County, Alabama, shall each have the right and power by vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such district at an election held fir that purpose to levy and collect for the purpose of acquiring, constructing or repairing of school buildings in such districts or paying for school buildings already built, a tax of not over five mills in any one year, in addition to all other taxes now authorized by law. The election in such district to determine whether or not such tax shall be levied shall be called, held and conducted as now provided by law for calling, holding and conducting of elections to determine whether or not a three-mill district school tax shall be levied and collected."

Dated at Clanton, Ala., this the 7th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff Chilton County, Ala.

The Chilton Tigers took the Marbury High School in tow on the former's field last Friday afternoon and defeated them 20 to 0. The game was an easy one for the Chilton boys, who completed forward passes almost at will. The sensation of the game was a pass, Hayes to Thompson, followed by Thompson's forty-five yard run for a touchdown. This makes two victories for Chilton this season, in as many games, and Chilton's line has not been crossed .

RADCLFFE CHAUTAUQUA ENTERTAINS CLANTON FOLKS

Musical Numbers and Lectures by Artists and Orators Proves Best Ever Witnessed Here.

Those good citizens of Clanton who were instrumental in bringing the Radcliffe Chautauqua here this season deserve the whole-hearted commendation of the people of this section. And judging from the way the people responded in attending the various programs, due appreciation has been shown for these noble efforts on the part of the local committee. Two performances were put on each of the first three days of this week, and good crowds were present each time. There was not enough seating room in the big tent to take care of the crowds even from the first appearance of the Chautauqua. More seats were brought in for the Monday night appearance, but still everybody could not be accommodated.

The people were promised plenty of fine, high class entetainment, and they were not disappointed in the least. The musical numbers and the artistic stunts were fine, and the lectures which were given at every performance were inspiring and elevating to the highest degree. The musical concert given Monday and Monday night by Mr. and Mrs. Gerl and Miss Gerl, Swiss Alpine Yodlers, was greatly enjoyed by everyone.

"That Something Within" Monday afternoon and "Broken Barriers" Monday night, by Dr. Guy Morse Bingham, were lectures worth anyone's time and deep consideration. Mr. Bingham spoke for about an hour each time, and none of his time was lost. He was saying something fruitful and inspiring every second he was on the floor.

Mr. Russel O. Berg, the crayon artist, displayed rare talent in drawing pictures in record time Tuesday afternoon and night. The concerts were also splendid as well as the lectures, "The End of the Rainbow" and "The Dawn of Civilization" by Dr. Wirt Lowther.

On Wednesday afternoon, a three-act comedy, "A Complicated Affair" was put on by the Pelletier players, which was sentimental as well as entertaining and interesting. "That Old Gang of Mine" and "The Better Tomorrow" were the subjects handled by Mr. Charles A. Morr Wednesday and Wednesday night. The closing number of the Chautauqua, a three-act drama, "Betty's Accounting" by the Pellitier players was well taken by the audience. This play is really and truly a masterpiece, and the Pelletier players depicted its plot and climax in a very striking manner.

It will be only a faint report of the Chautauqua to say that is was a success this year, because it was much more than a mere success. Dr. Ezell says that the only word to fully describe the numbers and the lectures is "wonderful," and most of those who attended the performances fully agree with him. The Chautauqua was just as fine as could be asked for, and the people responded nobly in coming out and witnessing it. It is hard to estimate the amount of good that has been done our community by this Chautauqua. Its numbers possessed the entertaining qualities of the best city, theatres, and they offered the inspiration and elevation of a religious revival. These two qualities embodied together make a very fine combination.

We have not learned what the proceeds from the sale of tickets were, but we are sure that all expenses have been paid and a nice little sum left over to be divided between the two churches of Clanton.

ALABAMA'S SCHOOL FUND APPORTIONED FOR 1924-25 TERM

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 7. —Apportionment of the general education fund of Alabama, to the counties of the state, for the year beginning Oct. 1, 1924 and ending Sept. 30, 1925, was submitted Monday to State Auditor W. B. Allgood, by State Superintendent of Education Dr. John W. Abercrombie.

The total amount of the fund is $ 3,500,805.32. Chilton County's share is $32,952.88.

These figures represented a slight increase in the fund over last year.

This does not mean however, it is stated, that every county will receive a larger amount than last year. Losses by some counties in school population as shown by the 1924 school census, will offset the amount gained by the increase per capita.

Compared with the census of 1922, it is stated, the 1924 census shows a gain in the state of 9,275 white children between 7 and 21 years of age, and a loss of 1,901 negro children.

We are paying 40c a dozen for Fresh Eggs. Bring them in. Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

Uncle Dock Wells has gone up to Sylacauga, where he will be for a few weeks visiting his children.

FREE—One Leonardo Indestructible Pearl Necklace with each $100 purchase at Clanton Mercantile Co. No need to trade it all at once—save coupons.

T. R. Jr., MAKES NINE SPEECHES IN ONE DAY

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., began his three-week up-state speaking campaign Monday with nine speeches, the last to a huge meeting here.

Mrs. Roosevelt sat with her husband on the platform after having climbed with him into motor trucks to speak beside the railroad in the afternoon. When State Senator J. Griswold Webb introduced her, the crowd applauded, but Mrs. Roosevelt merely said:

"I thank you very much but I shall leave the speaking of the family to my husband."

The colonel discussed national issues chiefly during the early meetings, dwellings on state questions at Poughkeepsie.

"I honor my father and try to follow his ideals," he said, "but I don't want any of you to vote for me on account of who my father was."

BAPTIST REVIVAL.

Beginning Sunday morning, Oct. 12th, at 11 o'clock, a revival will run for 10 days at the Clanton Baptist Church. Services will be held each day at 3:30, p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Dr. David M. Goldner of Bessemer is the preacher, and Mr. Thomas H. Pharr of the Home Board will conduct the singing. Everybody is invited and will be welcome.

Sunday night at 7:30 will be given a pageant by the G. W. A., "How Dreams Come True."

HOSPTAL NOTES

Mrs. C. R. Moates went home from the Hospital Wednesday.

Mr. Briggs Crumpton was operated on for appendicitis Monday.

Mr. J. Q. Sanders was brought to the hospital Sunday night as a result of being bored by a cow.

Mrs. Curry Thomas is now rapidly convalescing and will soon be in her school work again.

Mrs. F. A. Ellison was discharged the latter part of last week, on the road to complete recovery.

Master Bill Mahan went home last Saturday.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION COURSE

The University Extension Group will meet at the high school building here on Saturday, October 25th at 9, a.m. Dr. Thomas will be the instructor and the course will be given in "Socially Significant Literature." This course will give you credit in either the Department of Education or in regular college of arts and sciences. The course is primarily for teachers but any citizen will be admitted to the course that may desire to take same.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
Couny Supt. Education.

CHILTON CO. ASSOCIATION

The Chilton County Baptist Association will meet with Oak Grove Baptist Church, 2 miles north of Jemison, on October 15th and 16th, 1924. All churches in this Association are asked to send messengers.

W. J. BILLINGSLEY,
Clerk & Treasurer.

Mr. Amherst Powell of Providence has taken up a job in a garage in Evergreen, Ala. He likes his work fine and will move down there later.

AUTOMOBILE RUNS OFF YELLOW LEAF BRIDGE

No, it didn't run off the end of the bridge either, but it went through the railing and fell head foremost into the creek forty or fifty feet below. The accident happened some time early Sunday night at the high bridge over Yellow Leaf Creek between Lork 12 and Clanton. The automobile, a big Premocar, driven by Dock Evans of Lomax, carried three other men besides the driver, when something went wrong either with the steering gear or the steerer, and the car went off into the railing on the side of the bridge. Several feet of the railing were torn down, and the attempt to turn the car back on to the bridge was of no avail.

One of the passengers, it is said, jumped out of the car and stayed on the bridge, while the other three went off with the car. Enroute between the bridge and the creek two other of the men detoured, while the other one remained in the car and was pinned under it among the rocks and water in the bottom of the creek. Of course, the creek was nearly dry, so the three men outside got busy and lifted the fragments of the old car off the one man underneath, and all four came out with only slight injuries. The car was battered up considerably. We could not learn for certain who the other three men were, but it is said that two of them were Smitherman boys.

NEW YORK EVENING WORLD ON DEPRESSION OF 1914.

Free trade papers have been very free in claiming that there was prosperity under the Underwood tariff, but the American Economist, in showing the absurdity of these statements, quotes from the New York Evening World of December 16, 1914, the following as showing the condition in that city.

"Long bread lines in this city grow longer. Municipal lodgings and mission-houses are filled to the door each night. Recreation piers heated with big stoves have to do what tey can for the overflow. Efforts to find work for the unemployed are still behind the increasing army of the jobless."

This condition had been growing steadily since the introduction of the Underwood Tariff bill. It had brought forth more failure than the county had ever before known, and the only thing that saved the business interests of the nation from ruin, with not 2,000,000 only, but many millions of men out of employment, was the coming of the European war, which brought about in 1915 a purely war prosperity.

CHILTON HARDWARE CO. OPEN FOR BUSINESS

The Chilton Hardware Company, which was destroyed by fire a few months ago, has rebuilt and is now open again with a full line of hardware and furniture. The store has been enlarged from what it was before the fire, it now taking in the space formerly occupied by the City Bakery.

Mr. Oscar Jones, the proprietor, is a hustling young business man, and will not be discouraged but will try again. He has a fine store now, and is in position to serve his friends well in his line of goods. Read his big opening adv. in this paper.

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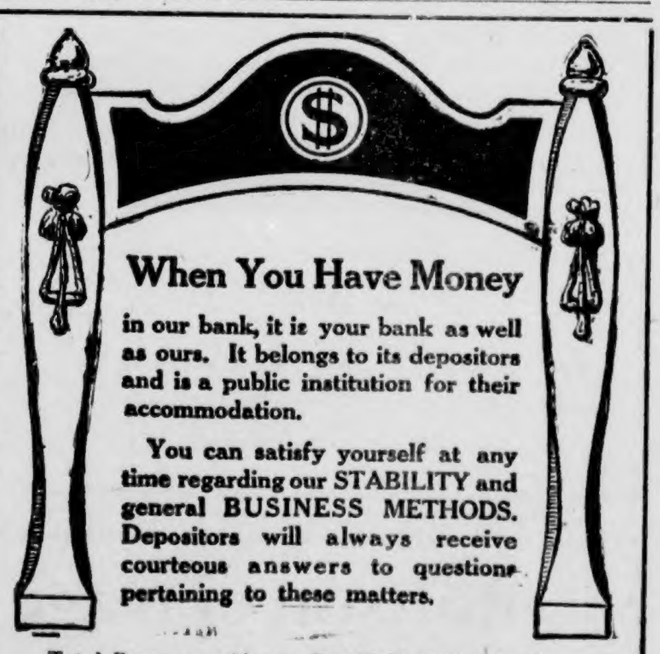

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(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

The first meeting of the Helen Keller Literary Society met Friday afternoon, October 3rd, at 3:10. The meeting was presided over by the president, Plato Deason. As the custodian nominated for this year did not return to school, Payne Bryan was elected in his stead. After the roll call by Iola Gerald, the secretary, Mr. E. W. Butler gave a short talk on parlimentary law and served as critic when motions were made. A new division has been made of the Literary Society this year. The Juniors and Seniors are in one division and the rest of the school in the other. They are to meet separately once a month and to have a union meeting once a month. These meetings will be held for the most part in the afternoons. There will be during the year a number of programs on Saturday evening, open to the public. Other events will be planned for Saturday evening from time to time.

There was a Parent-Teachers Association held at the Public School on Friday afternoon, October 3rd, in the charge of the newly elected officers: Mrs. C. S. Howard, President; Mrs. John Goddard, Vice-President; Miss Etta Foshee, Secretary; Mrs. J. E. Each, Treasurer. Funds in hand of the Association were reported to be $265.00, of which a certain sum was donated for very necessary equipment of the Public School. An interesting program was given. The Association has an enrollment of 40 members and will welcome all others who are interested in our school.

Thorsby Institute library is open to the public on school days from 9:00 to 11:30 in the forenoon and 2:30 to 4:00 in the afternoon. About six thousand good books of fiction, history, biography, science and many others are available. Patrons are permitted to keep a book two weeks without charge, when they may be renewed except in special cases. Now that the evenings are growing longer you should get these books from the library, which is run on ordinary free library rules.

The Christian Endeavors held a social on last Saturday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler. The social committee, with Miss Parker as chief assistant, planned the games which were played after the business session. Refreshments of lemonade and cakes were served. Everyone seemed to have a fine time.

Thorsby Institute is planning to have a Lyceum course of three numbers this year. The school is guaranteeing the numbers and they are to be of especially high grade. More will be announced later about the numbers and cost of tickets. The first number will be the first part of November.

Miss Helen Jenkins, principal of Thorsby Institute, entertained the teachers of Thorsby Institute and assistants at a party on Tuesday night in the living room of the dining hall. The room was decorated with pot plants and carnations. Various games were played, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton returned from their summer vacation in New Jersey last Tuesday evening, Sept. 30th, and they take this opportunity to extend greetings to their Union-Banner readers.

Prof. C. M. Williams, principal of Thorsby Public School, is reported to have sold his farm south of Thorsby and is also expected to bring his family into town early in November and have rooms in the Gulledge House.

From such reports as we have received, it is evident that the cotton crop in the vicinity of Thorsby has been unusually good this season. Most of it is being sold for higher prices.

Mr. E. F. Mead was a visitor to Birmingham Tuesday.

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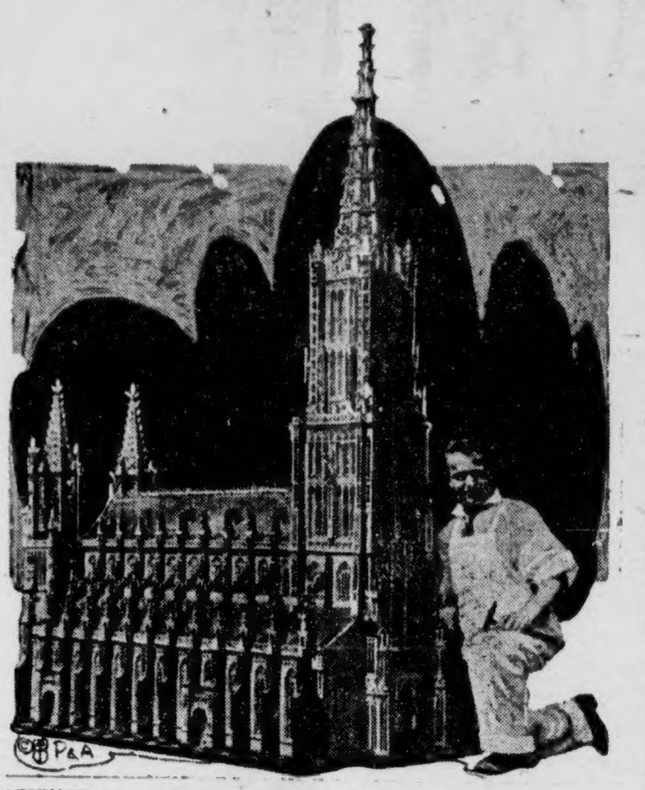

PATIENCE, an artistic eye, and unusual skill in manipulating a small hand scroll saw—the personal qualities of Michael Moltz of Los Angeles, Calif.—were responsible for the marvelous wood carving you see pictured above. It is a reproduction, said to be perfect in detail, of the highest towered church edifice in the world—the famous Ulm Cathedral on the border between Bavaria and Wurtemburg in Germany.

Mr. Molz, who is shown kneeling beside his wonderful model, built it in proportion to the dimensions of the original cathedral. It stands nine feet in height. Scores of visitors to Los Angeles have viewed it and pronounced it as, truly a wonderful work of art made possible by no small amount of painstaking labor on Mr. Moltz' part.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Martin of Montgomery are visitors of Mrs. Aaron Littleton.

Mrs. Littleton had a fall during the past week, from which she is now slowly improving.

Mrs. G. W. Horsley is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Littleton.

Miss Agnes Leary, who has been employed for several months in Birmingham has returned to her home in Thorsby, where she expects to remain for some time.

Mr. J. O. Johnson sold his farm last week to Mr. Robert Jackson. Mr. Jackson and family expect to move into town next month and have rooms in the Gulledge House.

Mr. H. L. Bradford is very ill at his home in Thorsby, with little prospect of recovery.

Mrs. Magne Anderson is again visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ivey Horn in Boyles.

One of the Miller brothers, who have the contract for paving the north half of the highway was a visitor in Thorsby Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen is spending two weeks in Birmingham.

Mrs. James Mims, who has been seriously sick for some time, was removed last week to Dr. Stable's hospital at Greenville.

Mr. Ivan Gibbons and family of Colorado, Kansas, returned home last Friday, after having spent a couple of weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. S. P. Kelly.

Mr. Carl Meade of Birmingham visited here last Sunday and Monday, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno Villadsen and children autoed to Montgomery for the day Saturday.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery was a week end visitor with his parents in Thorsby.

Messrs. A. B. Henning and Reno Villadsen made a business trip to Birmingham last Monday.

The United Singing Society met with the Thorsby society last Sunday afternoon. There was a large audience who much enjoyed the music.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet next Thursday, October 16th with Mrs. Joanna Lefstead.

We are glad to report that Mr. Glover Smith is recovering nicely from the painful accident with which he met several weeks ago in Birmingham. He fell 21 feet on a cement floor, breaking his hip.

Mrs. C. M. Williams visited in Birmingham last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Wilson.

Mr. Arthur P. Villadsen spent the week end at Lebannon, Tenn.

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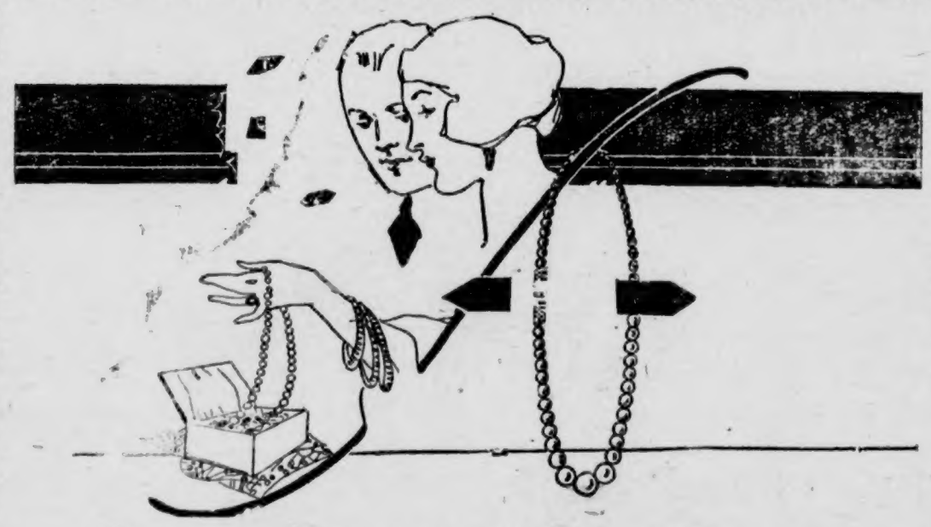

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

At a conference at the State Highway Department October 13, between State Highway Commissioners, the State Highway Engineer and the four maintenance supervisors of the Highway Department, placing of markers and signs on the highways of Alabama will be discussed. The kind of markers and signs to be employed will be decided on at this conference, also the method of placing them most advantageously. These markers will indicate to those using the roads the name of the road they are traveling over, distances between principal points, road intersections and dangerous curves to be negotiated.

Grady Hale, of Murrycross, was in Gadsden hunting for the man who drove a Ford automobile against his grist mill, completely wrecking the plant. He said one whole side of the mill was torn out and a corn crusher torn from its foundation. Some broken bits of glass from a windshield was all that could be found of the automobile. Parties living in the neighborhood say the Ford was racing to pass a large car, left the road and dashed into the mill, 50 feet away. It was able to continue on its way after the accident.

Mining and metallurgical engineers from various parts of the country, members of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers, one of the largest organizations of its kind in the country, will, on the occasion of their one hundred and thirteenth meeting, to be held in Birmingham October 13, 14 and 15, be shown some of the activities of Birmingham and the immediate district, including natural resources and what is being brought out of it.

W. L. Smith, of Gadsden, and associates are opening coal mines at Altoona which will soon be producing from 400 to 500 tons daily. A tipple 65 feet high is being completed and a spur track on the top of the mountain runs back to the opening, a distance of 2,300 feet. A new system of mining is being employed, it is claimed, which reduces the cost. The Underwood seam on the property is four feet six. The blue gem is also to be worked.

Thomas G. Riddle, prominent Madison business man and former vice-president of the Bank of Madison, which failed and has since been liquidated, is now in Kilby Prison, serving a term of from eight to 10 years, to which he was sentenced after he had been convicted by a jury on a charge of forgery. Conditional upon Riddle's acceptance of the term in prison, it is understood that other cases on the docket against him relating to Madison Bank transactions will be quashed.

A warning to warehousemen against carrying insurance on cotton stored with them, with unauthorized companies, has been issued from the State Department of Agriculture. N. H. Brown, Chief of the Division of Markets of the Department of Agriculture that examinations have revealed that in a number of cases warehousemen have placed insurance on cotton with insurance companies not qualified to do business in this State.

General M. B. Houghton, commander of the Alabama Division of the United Confederate Veterans, will wield a gavel, made from the keel of the Confederate battleship, "Merrimac," at the opening of the annual reunion in Mobile October 22. The gavel was presented to Jacob D. Bloch, of Mobile, general chairman of the reunion committee in 1910, by the late General J. W. Whiting.

"The Blind Tiger," another humorous publication soon to be added to the already long and ever growing list of college humorous productions, will issue its first number October 15, it was announced by the editor-in-chief.

The Alabama Traction Company will discontinue its street car service in Albany and Decatur on October 11, according to official announcement.

The payroll of the L. & N. Railroad shops at Albany, was largely increased October 1 by the addition of a large number of car builders, according to announcement. The total number of men now employed is nearly 1,800. The machine shop, roundhouse and boiler shops are now running on day and night shifts.

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Eight brand new pumps, never shown before, at $7 a pair!
School shoes at $2 a pair!
Pretty new leather handbags at $1.59!
75c Cretonnes at 39c!
Famous Alpine Axminsters, 9x12, at $19.95!
Real felt-base linoleum at 47c a square yard!
$150 Hartford-Saxony rugs, 9x12, at $97.50!
$1 Curtain Swiss at 59c a yard!
64-inch all-wool serge at $1.79!
40-inch satin crepe at $2.79!
Ivory, grain toilet ware at 79c $1.59 and (mirrors) $2.89 apiece!
Children's three-quarter Derby ribbed or Gloz (fiber silk)socks at 35c, three pairs for $1!
Val. lace edges at 39c a dozen yards!
Indestructible pearl necklaces at $1.19!
Pound paper at 15c a pound!
Men's two-trouser suits at $25.75!
Boys' two-trouser suits at $6.98!
Boys' slipover sweaters at $4.89!
Theodore Haviland 100-piece dinner sets at $79.50!
Women's fresh new coats, plenty fur-trimmed, at $34.75!
Almost every wanted piece of aluminum at 59c apiece!
Schoolgirls' warm, fashionable coats at $10!

—and so on, all through the store!

October 13-18

As our old friends throughout the South now, this is one of two STORE-WIDE sales in the whole year!

Of course every section of the store offers good values all the time—extremely special values more or less often—but this one week is the only time the WHOLE STORE puts its best foot forward to do a record volume of business in six days. But great as other October Record Weeks have been—

No other sale will hold a candle to this one!

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October Record Week is worth coming miles to share. Especially as—

We pay your fare!

To purchasers of goods (at wonderfully low October Record Week prices) to the amounts given below, we'll gladly refund railroad fares up to the mileage given in the table.

[for example, if you live as far as 100 miles from Birmingham, we'll refund your railroad fare on a total purchase here of $150.]

25 miles, total purchase of	$ 40	125 miles, total purchase of	$175
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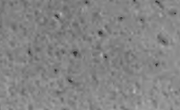

REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 11, 1924

For President of U. S.—
CALVIN COOLIDGE

For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH
WM. R. BAKER

Unhappy the candidate who must defend his war record.

Now comes the news that there are more automobiles than telephones in the United States. And yet our Demo-rad friends would have us believe that this nation is in a terrible condition of depression and want.

A man is known by the company he keeps. That is why practically all of the Roosevelt Progressives have refused to keep company with the motley crowd of extreme radicals who compose the Third Party.

The world looks on a pessimist with scorn, and we had much rather see a smile than a long face. But a fellow has to possess an awful stiff upper lip to face all the mean, immoral, licentious, loose and rakish practices that some people perpetrate now-a-days, with a smile and say that the world is growing better. We are sure that there are plenty of good people in the world today, but it is also a fact, a lamentable and deplorable fact, that there are also those here who care as little for decency, virtue and moral refinement as have ever lived in any generation, even since the dark ages.

The Roman Catholic hierarchy, although existing under the guise of a religious sect, is the greatest political organization in existance. This arch enemy of popular government has shattered to the ground practically every great power that once flourished in the old world, and its poisonous and deadly tentacles are slowly but surely closing up on this great commonwealth of America. Unless those in charge of our national government stay away from the alluring and deceptive political tricks of Rome's allies, this government of, for and by the people is going to be only history ere long. Rome is playing her cards presistently and cautiously, and unless our American citizens unite against the adversity, it will be only a matter of time until it will be too late.

THE PRICE IN MEN

In his last public address as an officer on the active list of the Army, General Pershing reminded us that every war we have entered, without exception, has found us totally unprepared. In every case we have paid the price in men and money unnecessarily sacrificed. It is to avoid those losses in possible future emergencies that Defense Day was observed. It is hoped that its observance may be made an annual event, that through it we may maintain an organization ready to leap to the national defense with a minimum of loss and delay.

CO-OPERATION AT LAST

Mr. Owen D. Young, temporary agent general for reparations payments under the Dawes plan, reports that he has met the most earnest good will everywhere in Germany. The members of the allied reparations commission also express themselves as well satisfied with what is being done. The Dawes plan has accomplished what for years seemed impossible, a means for winning the approval of all the contending factions in Europe. We have a Dawes plan in this country. It consists of hearty support of President Coolidge and the policies of the Republican Administration. Let us hope that it will receive a support no less widespread than the Dawes plan in Europe.

DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

THE NON-PARTISAN TICKET

In last week's issue of the Chilton County News, was carried the announcement of five Democrats of Chilton County for the five county offices to be filled by the general election in November, under the heading "Non-Partisan Ticket." The Editor of The Union-Banner is personally acquainted with most of these men, and they are all fine men and good citizens. So far as the men themselves are concerned, we would be far from attempting to offer aught against them, but there are a few things in regard to the "Non-Partisan Ticket" to which we wish to call the attention of the voters of the county.

In the first place, we notice that, although the ticket is called "Non-Partisan", all of the candidates are life-long Democrats, who have always been loyal to the tenets of the Democratic party. So the question at once arises, why the caption "Non-Partisan", instead of just plain "Democratic Ticket" which it really is? What is the use of "Whipping the Devil around the stump?" There must evidently be a catch in the business somewhere.

Upon being questioned as to what the Democrats would do regarding the primary election last May, the ring-leader of the Democratic party in Chilton county, Prof. J. L. Johnson, stated that he and his few close followers in Clanton could select a ticket later on that would be more satisfactory than one which might be nominated by the Democrats of the county. So no ticket was nominated by the Democrats in the primary. Now Prof. Johnson and his hand-full of cohorts in Clanton have "selected" their ticket, which job was "too intricate" for Democrats of the county to do in a primary. In other words the few Democratic ring-leaders in Clanton concluded that they were more competent to select the candidates to run in the general election than the people were, hence, the Non-Partisan ticket. Do such manipulations as this carry out the idea of popular government? No, indeed it does not, but it is exactly to the contrary. We believe that the people of this county have sense enough to select their own candidates for office, and that all the people can do the job better than any one man or any one set of men. We do not believe in just a few men ruling a whole county or a whole party, but that the matters of government should be submitted to all the people.

If such a thing should happen that one or more of these "Non-Partisan" candidates should be elected to the office to which they aspire, they would owe absolutely no responsibility to the people of the county, but they would be responsible to the men who put them out, namely: Prof. J. L. Johnson and a few other ring-leaders in Clanton. No matter how good a man is, he cannot render his best service without the backing of the people. If the people put out a man for office, it is natural to conclude that he will serve the people, but if he is put out by a "ring" it is also natural to assume that he will stand out for the "ring".

The Republican party announced it's primary andallowed anyone to announce for the various offices who wished to. After all who wished to had announced, their names were placed on the ballot and every Republican in the county was urged to come to the polls and cast his ballot for his choice. The results was the nomination of a county ticket, and no one was denied the privilege of saying whom he wished to be the nominee for the particular offices.

It is not a hard matter for anyone to see which of the two tickets now before the voters is a product of the people, and we feel sure that the good people of Chilton County are going to weigh the actions of the two parties when they go to cast their vote in the general election. It is a clear-cut matter of popular government against demagogism. Which appeals to you most as a citizen of Chilton county?

WHAT INDUSTRIES DOES DAVIS INTEND TO DESTROY?

Washington, Oct. 6.—Challenging John W. Davis to specify the industries he proposes to put out of business if his party gains control of the government as a result of the coming election, the Republican Publicity Association, through its president, Hon. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., says:

"In his speech at Des Moines the Democratic nominee for President denounced the Republican tariff law because it has 'tended to divert labor and capital from beneficial and profitable enterprise into industries ill adapted to American conditions.'

"That means, if it means anything at all, that if Mr. Davis and his party control of the government, they will enact a tariff law which will put an end to those ill adapted enterprises to which labor and capital have been diverted.

"Presumably Mr. Davis would not mention a matter of this kind unless it is of sufficient magnitude to be of national interest. He would not discuss trivial matters in a great national campaign campaign.

"Since, therefore, in Mr. Davis's opinion, the Republican tariff has diverted a considerable amount of labor and capital to a considerable number of industries which should be abandoned, it will be of interest to know what particular industries he has in mind. What enterprises does he wish to close down? What employees does he desire to throw out of their jobs to seek employment in other occupations which he deems adapted to American conditions?

"The mention of one or two industries will not suffice to justify his broad assertion. The laborers and the capitalists who are to be put out of business under the proposed Democratic tariff are entitled to fair warning of the impending cessation of their activities."

COOLIDGE WILL WIN

The present political campaign offers three distinct attitudes for the peoples's thought. One is an attack on industry and every form of success, on the theory that Big Business means the Money Power. Of course it does not. Another attitude attacks a dead administration, but the present one, and raises the slogan of "Honesty in Government," as if all the rascals were in one party and all the saints in the other. Of course they are not. The third attitude is that of counting straight along the common-anse road of America progress, extending the usefulness and prosperity of the American shop, enlarging the advantages of the American home, holding fast the established ideals of American liberties. This third attitude will win.

HENRY FORD.

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25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of October 5, 1899.

Mrs. Ida Horne of Montevallo is teaching school at Rideville this year.

Turn-Round Topics.

Rev. E. L. Manning filled Bro. Parrish's appointment here Sunday.

The county is having some good work done on the Knight's Ferry road this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones have been visiting relatives at Bozeman.

J. A. Freeman of Thorsby was arrested by Justice Bice yesterday in connection with some land promotors.

Dad's saw mill at Thorsby has shut down.

The telephone office is now located in the post office building.

Rev. F. M. Woods has moved his family into the McKee residence.

Mrs. Harry Kuner of Stanton died last Friday and was buried Sunday at Bethel.

Married this week, G. P. Thompson and Emily Mims.

Cotton is selling in Clanton today for $6.90 a hundred.

Men's suits, $2.95 up; Ladies' nice skirts, 95c and up; Cotton checks 4c a yard.—J. Damsky, Clanton, Ala.

Mr. Don Gandy has resigned his position in W. C. Dyer's store at Stanton, and Rev. W. J. Ruddick has secured the position.

FARM FACTS

Many American farmers waste as much as the average European farmer makes but the European farmer seldom gives a mortgage.

The easiest way to cut down feed costs is to save all the barnyard manure for the field.

Crop rotation with the use of legumes has doubled the yields on many Alabama farms during the past ten years.

Ten purebred cows averaging 8000 pounds of milk each, return as great a profit as will 60 scrubs averaging 4000 pounds, investigators have found.

A farmer who does not know if he won or lost at the end of a year's work cannot be expected to win much. It pays to keep a record of all incomes and expenditures. It's the business way.

A man cannot do his best work with his feet in bad shape, but many horses are expected to. It pays to keep horses' hoofs trimmed and well cared for, as often a horse is as strong as his feet.

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

YOUR TEETH AND YOUR HEALTH

BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

Visit your dentist every six months!

You will have less expense in the way of dental bills, less pain, and your health will be better safeguarded. Many people already do this, but there are still too many who are driven to the dentist only by the pain of a toothache.

If you suffer from neuritis, neuralgia, attacks of lumbago or wry-neck, do not overlook your teeth as a possible cause of your ailment. As a source of infection of the system the teeth are almost, if not equally, as important as the tonsils. And they should receive the same attention in searching for the cause of your trouble.

Cause Many Ailments

Dental infections may also be causing your stubborn rheumatism of the joints, your increased blood pressure, or those early symptoms of heart disease or disturbance of the kidneys. An X-ray examination may reveal infection or pus sacs at the roots of one or more of the teeth—even though you may not be aware of their presence because they are causing you no pain.

If you have any dental infections that can be dealt with successfully only by sacrificing some teeth, sacrifice them. Whenever teeth can be saved with safety, this should be done. But they should not be saved when their continued presence in the mouth is a menace to the health. It is much better to part with some teeth than to take chances of developing incurable diseases of such important organs as the heart or the kidneys.

Dead teeth especially, whether filled or crowned, will bear watching. They seem to be more liable to infection and should be regarded with suspicion whenever a focus of infection is suspected of being in the body.

Your teeth are intimately associated with your health, not only as organs of mastication, but as a possible cause of disease.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Enlared Glands of the Neck

Mrs. L. F. P. writes: "My little girl is seven years old and has some swollen glands on the sides of her neck. What do these come from? She has had no sore throats for a long time."

Reply

A safe guess would be that your little girl has chronically inflamed lymph glands or lymphadenetis, as this condition is called. The cause is almost always some infection or irritation occuring in one of the areas that drain into these glands.

Among the causative conditions are: tonsillar infections, inflammation of the pharynx, mouth, nose or ears, adenoids, dental troubles, and certain affections of the skin such as boils, eczema, and head lice. During the course of some infectious diseases the lymphatics of the neck are frequently enlarged. Tuberculosis is also a cause of such enlargement.

The cause of the trouble should be located and remedied. The condition of the glands will determine how they should be dealt with. Sometimes their complete removal is necessary. If they break down, they should be opened and drained. When no surgical treatment is necessary, general hygienic and tonic treatment is called for. This consists of an abundant nourishing diet, fresh air by day and night, sunlight, and the administration of such tonics as codliver oil, arsenic and iodid of iron.

The proper handling of a case of this kind requires the services of a physician.

Corns

A. S. F. asks: "Is there any way to get rid of corns?"

Reply

Since corns are caused in the first place by improperly fitting shoes, the first step in the treatment consists in the wearing of properly fitting shoes. Properly fitting shoes do not crowd the toes together, nor do they exercise pressure on any part of the foot. They are not so loose that they rub and cause irritation. Shoes that hurt when they are new, do not fit.

You may try painting the corn with a solution of salicylic acid in collodion. Apply this only to the corn, and whenever it wears off, paint on some more. Here is a time honored formula:

Salicylic acid	30 grains
Extract of cannabis indica	10 grains
Collodion	1-2 ounce

After using the preparation for several days soak the foot in hot water and scrape away the corn.

Pressure on the corn can be relieved by wearing a perforated felt protector with an adhesive side.

Second Attacks Are Rare

Mrs. A. H. asks: "Is it possible to have scarlet fever more than once??"

Reply

Osler says, "An attack as a rule confers immunity. In rare instances, there have been one and even two recurrences."

This seems to be the generally accepted opinion: It is possible to have more than one attack but it very rarely happens.

Small-pox

C. M. F. asks: "How long after exposure to a case of small-pox does it take one to develop the disease? What are the symptoms?"

Reply

Small-pox develops within 9 to fifteen days after exposure, if you are going to get it. Most cases develop about the twelfth day.

The early symptoms are chill, headache, vomiting, fever, and rather severe pain in the back and limbs. The rash usually occurs about the fourth day of the disease.

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BIG BARGAIN

NOW ON AT OUR STORE. SEVERAL DOZEN $1.25 HAPPY HOME DRESSES, FOR ONE WEEK ONLY 99c. DON'T FAIL TO SEE THEM AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS SALE.
WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED SEVERAL PATTERNS OF THE LATEST DRESS GOODS. ASK TO SEE THEM. WE ALSO CARRY A FULL LINE OF PETERS DIAMOND SHOES.
YOUR PATRONAGE APPRECIATED

Clanton Mill & Gin Co.

CLANTON, ALA.

POOR O

FIVE ARRESTS MADE BY SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES

During the past few days Sheriff Littlejohn and his Deputies have made five arrests of parties for various law violations, but none of them were very serious ones.

On last Sunday Willie Bowman was taken up near Coopers and arrested under the charge of driving a car while intoxicated. He was brought to jail by the Sheriff and Deputy Foshee, but was later released on bond. Arthur Brown was also arrester near Cooper, charged with public drunkeness. He also was brought to jail and was later released on bond.

On last Thursday near Mt. Creek, Monroe Patterson and Lige Brown were arrested in connection with the stealing of some cotton in that vicinity. Both were brought and placed in jail, where Brown still remains. Patterson made bond and was turned loose to await trial.

Erby Webb of Center Hill was turned over to the Sheriff Friday night, a warrant having been issued against him for disturbing public worship by Justice of the Peace, W. H. Killingsworth. Webb was lodged in jail, where he still remains. He has not disturbed public worship since he has been in jail, but the only reason that he has not is because there has been no public worship in reach of him. He has kept up some kind of fuss almost all the time.

Mr. J. R. Rucker, the road man of Maplesville was in Clanton Monday transacting business with the Commissioners Court.

MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic builds up and restores what the malarial fever has taken away. It enriches and purifies the blood, aids the appetite, tones up the system, hastens the return of health and strength.

Taken as you feel Chills and Fever coming on, Wintersmith's Chill Tonic gives prompt and certain relief; and a long siege of Malaria can often be avoided. Its beneficial effects have been proved in thousands of cases, over 56 years of continued use. At your drug store. Popular size, 60c; mammoth size, $1. Made only by the Wintersmith Chemical Co., Inc. Louisville, Ky. ---Adv.

THEY ARE SAFE

Sweetly 'neath the flowehs
In the City of the Dead,
Sleep my little darlings
In their narrow beds.
The pines they softly whisper
Their murmurings at eve,
While o'er their little graves
Their flickering shadows weave.

'Twas years ago, long years ago
I gave them back to Him,
Who took them in His arms,
And kept them free from sin.
Their little feet never to sttray—
They walk bright streets of gold.
Their little fingers tune the harp,
They sing sweet songs untold.

Oftimes in my searching
Find a little sock and shoe
A little cap and dress
Tied with a ribbon blue.
And as with gentle care
I place and fold away
The treasures of my darlings,
I only sigh and say—

'Tis better my darlings
Are where they are today.
If they had been left with me,
They might have gone astray.
And I believe, believe some day
I'll hold again upon my breast
My little darlings
That have entered into rest.

—Mrs. Birdie T. Smith,
Clanton, Ala.

MAN POSTPONES HIS FUNERAL

"I am 66 years old and for past two years have been suffering so badly from stomach and liver troubles, bloating and colic attacks that I did not expect to live more than a few monhs and was arranging my affairs and even my funeral. Three doses of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy have entirely cured me." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and druggists everywhere.

Meat Market Has Trouble!

Carl Muller reports that his Meat Market was infested with roaches. He lost customers on account of them! He heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder, used it and got immediate relief. Wipe out these disease spreading pests TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder for quick results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

THREE MEN FINED FOR VIOLATING GAME LAW

On last Saturday morning J. W. E. Gulledge, Justice of the Peace, tried three men, Rube Jones, Dago Ellison and Frank Paschal, all charged with violating the game law. All three of the men were found guilty of the charge and each fined $25.00 and cost. Hon. I. T. Quinn, State Game and Fish Commissioner of Montgomery, was present at the trial.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. Quinn spoke at the court house on the subject of conserving the natural resources of Alabama. Mr. Quinn made a mighty fine lecture on the subject, and quite a number of people were present to hear him.

OAK GROVE

There will be a cream and chicken supper at this place the 3rd Saturday night, October 18th. Proceeds will go to pay for seats for the church. Everybody come and bring some one with you. Don't forget the time and place. W. J. NORTHCUTT.

Farming is said to be a game of put and take. What you take from the soil depends largely upon the kind of seed, fertilizer, and care you put into it.

ATTENDING ASSOCIATION AT SAMARIA CHURCH

Last Tuesday morning the list of delegates from Providence Church stopped off in Clanton on their way to the Unity Association which was in session at Samaria Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. The Providence delegation this year consisted totally of the good old hoary-headed pioneers of the religious cause in that splendid old community. The delegates were: Rev. M. J. Parrish, Riley Robinson, Henry Ribinson, Jack Powell, Moses Robinson and Wiley Bice. Rev. W. W. Robinson was going with the delegation, he being the pastor at Providence.

Chester Mims and T. E. Wyatt enjoyed a pleasant motor trip over to Sylacauga last Sunday via Lock 12, Quincey, Weogufka and Stewartville. While in the Marble City, visited Mr. Comer's cotton mill village, the Wisconsin-Alabama Lumber Company area and the Gantt's Marble Quarry. The trip was very enjoyable and interesting.

SAXON & PITTS
Lawyers
Office in Johnson Bldg
CLANTON, ALA.

HIGHLAND NEWS

As I have not seen any news from this place in a long time, I will write a few lines to the Banner.

The third Sunday is our regular preaching day at this place.

Mrs. Mary Lester of Maplesville is visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Chadwick.

Mrs. Noah Chadwick made a trip down to Autaugaville Friday.

Elijah Chadwick and Misses Dessie Wyatt and Dovie Chadwick motored to Bethsalem Sunday afternoon.

L. D. POPWELL
Clanton, Ala.
Watches Repaired
Broken Lenses Duplicated and Spectacles Fitted
Frames Repaired.

Catarrhal Deafness

is often caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or Imperfect Hearing. Unless the inflammation can be reduced, your hearing may be destroyed forever.

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.

Sold by all druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. W. R. K. Stonford of Lawley, the stove man, was in Clanton attending to business Saturday. Mr. Stanford is the inventor as well as salesman of the best lines of stoves on the market.

Child-birth

JUST how to ease much *unnecessary* suffering for yourself is one of the most important things in the world for you to know, right now, mother-to-be! Learn the simple truth; follow the simple method of an eminent physician who dedicated his life's work to this *great accomplishment* for your benefit!

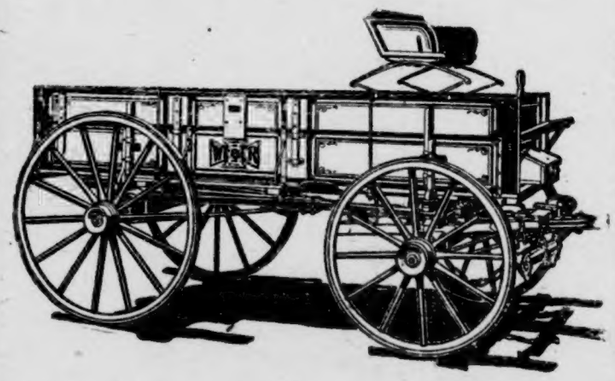
"I was in labor only 25 minutes with my last child, but suffered agonies with three previous children," writes an enthusiastic mother who used "Mother's Friend."

Right now, from this day on, and right up to the day of *childbirth* "Mother's Friend" should be used.

FREE BOOKLET

Write Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. BA 7, Atlanta, Ga., for *free* Booklet (sent in plain envelope) telling many things every expectant mother should know. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all good drug stores. Full directions will be found with each bottle. Begin now and you will realize the wisdom of doing so as the weeks roll by!

Received During The Past Few Days



1 Car of Weber Wagons
1 Car Galvanized Roofing
1 Car of Red Cedar Shingles

2 Cars Furniture, Rugs and House Furnishings.

We can please you in price, quality and service.

Jones Hardware Co.

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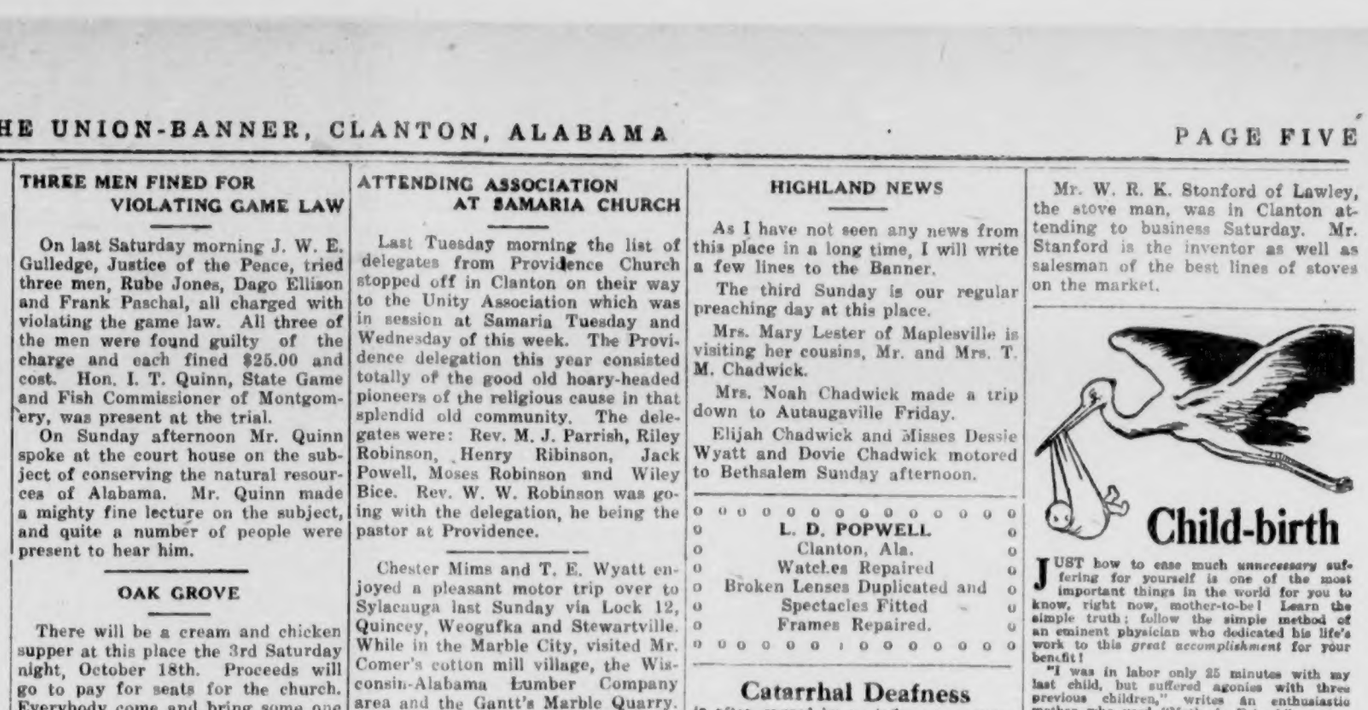


Ladies' and Men's New Fall and Winter Apparel

EXCELLENT Values and Service in relation to our prices bring customers back again day after day. Thus, the business of this store has grown day by day, year by year. There are many women who buy all their needs from us because of the service we give our customers. It's a good store that stands the test of experience.

LADIES AUTUMN APPAREL

FROCKS distinctly new and different. Charming models that denote in many "individualized touches their absolute newest and superior designing. The long tight sleeve has found instant favor and is a feature of the daytime models.

Exquisite trimming effects add an unusual attraction to these dresses. Satin, bengaline, crepe, tricotine, charmen and twill are the fabrics used extensively in the new Autumn frocks.

Men's Clothing

IT ALWAYS seems to us about this time of year that the lights are just a little brighter, laughter rings a little clearer, conversation is just a little better — at work, at the theatre at the dance, there is the sparkle we all like. There are lots of men all over Chilton County who know that it helps them to wear new clothes, that it makes them just a little keener to get the most out of living right now.

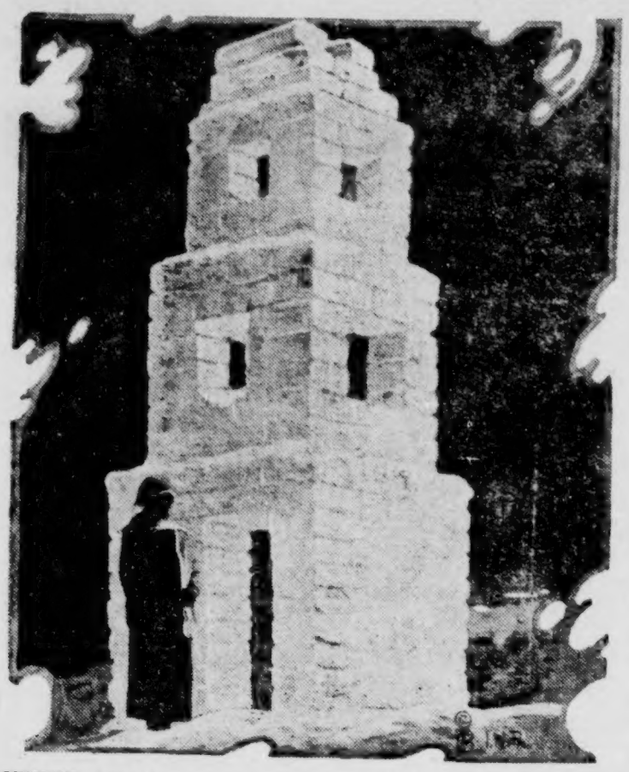
From our complete line of suits, overcoats and habashery you may make your selection for every need with pleasant friendly service that satisfies.

CLANTON MERCANTILE COMPANY

"The Big Bargain Store" CLANTON, ALABAMA

RIGINAL

A STOVE WOULD RUIN THIS LIGHTHOUSE



PICTURED here is a house that needs no janitor. It is no place for a stove, furnace or boiler, because it's built entirely of—ICE!

It's one of the features of the wonderful new Nevada Run just opened at Gatasd, Switzerland. And it's worth some money—were you to figure it by the prices, per hundred pounds, the ice men charged us in this county during the summer months.

POPLAR SPRINGS

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely under Superintending of Bro. William Gilland, total pupils present last Sunday was 55 collections 82c. Also had a number of visitors, following Sunday School we had some excellent singing: directors William F. Gilland, Grover Gilland, Lawton McDowell, Newton Gilland and organists Miss Jewel McDowell and Grover Gilland.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day and we hope to see more of our older people out to hear our noble pastor Rev. M. J. Parrish.

Mr J. W. Patterson and wife went over to Tallassee last Sunday.

Mr. Grover Gilland and wife from Sylacauga are visiting his parents.

Mr and Mrs. Willie Jones from Verbena visited the latter's parents, H. W. Devaughn last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox made a flying trip to Jemison Saturday.

Several of our young people attended the singing at Chestnut Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. T. Abbott of Pletcher was among those who attended commissioners court here Monday.

BUSINESS IN CLANTON GOOD SAY VARIOUS BUSINESS MEN

Yes, this Republican prosperity is very noticeably felt even by the merchants and business men away down here in Clanton, Ala. During the past few weeks the merchants of Clanton, and especially those who have been advertising, have been wearing smiles as broad as their faces. "Business is the best ever," is a common expression. Even the Democratic newspapers admit that prosperity is prominent everywhere.

And even the dear old Union-Banner has felt the result of prosperity among the people of Chilton county. During the past week, besides a good line of advertising from the local merchants, we have been accorded a good subscription business from our friends over the county. Below we are publishing a list of the subscriptions that have been written up during the past week:

R. H. Bean, Clanton, R. 8;
F. M. Moore, Plantersville R. 2;
Mrs. D. W. Cobb, Jemison R. 3;
J. H. Hayes, San Diego, Calif.;
Luther E. Little, Birmingham;
Whitt Moore, Billingsley;
L. H. Gentry, Mt. Creek;
Mrs. L. W. Thomas, Clanton R. 8;
Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Clanton;
Frank Lowei, Clanton;
Ruben Atchison, Clanton R. 7;
Mrs. J. T. Cox, Clanton R. 4;
Henry Fisher, Maplesville R. 2;
L. D. Easterling, Clanton R. 5;
T. W. Childress, Clantin R. 4;
E. C. Cox, Clanton R. 4;
E. E. Porter, Clanton R. 4;
R. J. Jackson, Thorsby;
J. I. Hudman, Verbena R. 1;
C. N. Parnell, Maplesville;
A. B. Jones, Plantersville R. 2;
T. L. Robinson, Verbena;
O. C. Hand, Clanton R. 1;
W. L. Chandler, Billingsley R. 1;
J. P. Milford, Maplesville R. 2;
J. W. Traywick, Haynes R. 1;
E. L. McKinney, Verbena R. 2;
R. A. Harris, Stanton R. 1;
W. J. Little, Clanton R. 6;
J. C. Knox, Clanton R. 5;
A. B. Baxley, Fayette, Ala.;
D. W. Jones, Clanton.

A. B. BAXLEY IN FAYETTE

Mr. A. B. Baxley, State Manager of the United Farmers of America, was in Clanton the first of this week, after having been up in Fayette County for about a month. Mr. Baxley went back to Fayette where he will remain until the present cotton season is over.

The Unied Farmers in Fayette County, says Mr. Baxley, is in a very thriving condition. For the past few weeks a membership has been put on up there, and gratifying results have come from the efforts of the officers. Some of the national speakers of the organization have been helping Mr. Baxley in the drive.

MT. CREEK

Editor Union-Banner:

Please announce through your paper that there will be an all-day singing at Messer's Chapel church the third Sunday in this month the 19th. one-half mile of Verbena. Everybody is invited to come and especially the leaders.

Everybody bring your 1924 song books and a well filled basket.

H. L. NATION.

Mr T. L. Robinson of Verbena was among the visitors to Clanton Saturlay. Uncle Till does not come to Clanton very often, so his many friends here were glad to see him. Mr. Robinson told the editor that he had four and one-half acres of cotton this year from which he had gathered four bales. This is a rather good record, considering the unfavorable weather conditions and the boll weevil.

Genuine Pure Texas Red Rust-Prof Oats, for sale by Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

ANTI-PHYMIN
THE HEALING GAS
Removes the cause of disease. Especially effective in treating Asthma, Catarrh, Hay Fever, Stomach and Bowel disorders, Liver, Kidney and Bladder troubles, and diseases caused by impure blood. At your druggist's or write
ANTI-PHYMIN, PENSACOLA, FLA.

The commissioners court of Chilton County was in session at the court house in Clanton Monday of this week. They met for the purpose of attending to road matters.

Subscribe for The Union-Banner.

WRIGLEY'S

Chew it after every meal

It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.

SEALED in its Purity Package

Whitens teeth, sweetens breath and it's the goody that L-o-o-t-s.

E4

Let Us Bob Your Hair

We have all the Necessary Tools and Supplies to take care of the Ladies' Barber Work. Let us bob your hair, Shampoo and Dry it.

Prompt and Courteous Service will be accorded both Men and Ladies.

Service Barber Shop

N. A. GRAY, Manager. CLANTON, ALABAMA

Cotton
Is Going to Market.

All over the cotton belt, loading platforms are piled high with "the staple of the South"; ready for shipment to the mills. The 1924 crop will bring millions of dollars to the growers, and the distribution of this money will benefit everybody.

Just at this time it is interesting to remember that U. S. Department of Agriculture figures for last year show that the average farm price paid to the producer for 100 pounds of cotton, was $27.80; whereas, the railroads received an average of 66c for hauling each 100 pounds to market.

These figures indicate that in cotton, as in all other commodities, the freight rate represents a relatively small percentage of the cost, and is not a controlling factor in the determination of prices.

The Louisville & Nashville Railroad directly serves more than half of the cotton-producing states; its tonnage during 1923 totaling approximately 9,000 cars.

L&N
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.
THE OLD RELIABLE

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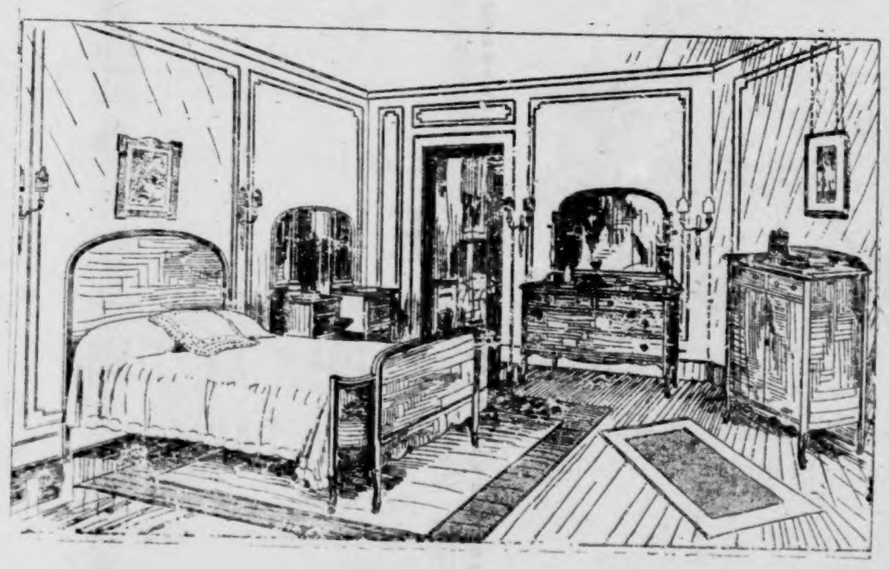
OPENING

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE TO OUR FRIENDS THAT WE ARE AGAIN OPEN AT OUR SAME OLD STAND, READY TO SUPPLY ALL YOUR NEEDS IN HARDWARE, HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS AND BUILDING MATERIAL. WE HAVE MORE SPACE NOW, AND ARE BETTER FITTED TO SERVE YOU THAN EVER BEFORE. DROP IN AND SEE OUR ARRANGEMENT.

Distinctive Furniture



We are now in position to serve the public with what they need in our line better than ever before. We can furnish you the material to build your house, sell you your home furnishings, and supply you with your tools and hardware to work with. Drop in and see us today. We will be pleased to see you.

Chilton Hardware Co.

CLANTON, ALA.

POOR O

CLASSIFIED ADS

Pure Clean South-Georgia Rye, for sale by Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Grist Mill and supplies, located back of The Union-Banner office. Apply to T. G. Taylor, Clanton, Ala. 9-25-6t-p

NOTICE—After the 15th of October I will change the dates of grinding to Wednesdays and Saturdays.—A. P. Robinson, Jemison Route 4. 9-9-4d

THOROUGHBRED JERSEY BULL for service, charges $1.00, payed when served.—J. L. McDowell, Clanton, Ala., R. 2. 10-9-3t-p

FOR SALE—1 6 room house and 2 lots four blocks of depot, Thorsby, Ala. Apply to D. M. Paxon agent Thorsby, Ala. 9-11-5t-p.

FOR SALE — One Hoozier Grain Drill, good as new, at a bargain. If interested, see W. A. Kemp. tf

FOR SALE — One Hundred Forty two acres land. Good community near high school and churches. Running water; good pastures. 40 acres in cultivation, balance cultivatable. Near proposed graded road. For further particulars and price, address, C. R. Burkhalter, Verbena R 1. 3d

SALESMAN with car to work agricultural trade. Exceptional opportuniy for right party. Experience unnecessary. The Lennox Oil & Paint Company, Cleveland, Ohio, Sales Dept. 11-2-2t-c

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children

In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nauseless Calomel tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.

One or two Calotabs at bed time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with eating, work or pleasures. Next morning your cold has vanished and your system feels refreshed and purified. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price ten cents for the vest-pocket size; thirty-five cents for the large family package. Recommended and guaranteed by druggists. Your money back if you are not delighted.—adv.

Smilin' Charlie Says

"The feller who's late one hour loses two - It takes an hour t' dope out a good excuse-"

The United Farmers of America, will shortly begin organization work in Walker County.

C. REESE MULLINS

For all Kinds of

INSURANCE

REAL ESTATE

AND SEWING MACHINES

From $5.00 Up.

C. REESE MULLINS
Before Another Storm. He writes TORNADO INSURANCE

C. REESE MULLINS
Before your Home and Automobile Burn. He writes Fire Insurance.

C. REESE MULLINS
If you want to Buy, Sell or Rent a House and Lot or Farm. He deals in Real Estate.

C. REESE MULLINS
Before you Die. He sells Life Insurance.

Office
CLANTON, ALABAMA

COFFINS CASKETS BURIAL SUPPLIES

Prompt Courteous
Consideration

MULLINS & MOORE

Clanton, Ala.

Children Cry for

Fletcher's
CASTORIA

MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children, all ages of

Constipation — Wind Colic
Flatulency — To Sweeten Stomach
Diarrhea — Regulate Bowels

Aids in the assimilation of Food; promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

J. MELL MARTIN

Undertaker Clanton, Ala.

FUNERAL SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS, INCLUDING METALIC CASKETS

I BUY RIGHT AND SELL RIGHT. NO ORDER TOO LARGE TO BE HANDLED NOR TOO SMALL TO BE APPRECIATED. SPECIAL PRICES ON HEARSE SERVICE.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Receipts of the office of Secretary of State for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1924, showed a big increase over the preceding fiscal year, according to figures furnished by Secretary of State S. H. Blan. The Secretary of State's office handled during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1923, the sum of $23,352.17. For the fiscal year ending September 30, 1924, this office handled $38,753.41, a difference of $15,401.24 in favor of 1924.

The Alabama City Council in special session made the paving assessments on Fourth Street final, after overruling objections from the Alabama Power Company and two individuals. The work will cost $25,500. The clerk was instructed to proceed to collect assessments as originally made.

The Dixie Automobile Show—Birmingham's first interstate motor exposition—will be held at the Municipal Auditorium for six days, commencing December 1, it is announced by G. P. Caldwell, secretary-manager of the Birmingham Motor Trade Association, which is sponsoring the event.

Ira A. Ezell, flagman on the Camden-Selma branch of the L. & N. Railroad, who slipped under the platform of the caboose at Nadawah and was badly mangled, died at the Baptist Hospital, in Selma. The body was sent to his home in Pensacola, Fla. He was married.

Several community fairs were recently held in Clay County. They have been organized by F. M. White, farm demonstration agent, and Mrs. Cicero Rudd, home demonstration agent. These communities are scheduled to put on exhibits at the County Fair at Ashland, October 15.

The Warrior Barge Line will handle several thousand tons of steel to Mobile soon for shipment to foreign ports. Birmingham manufacturers are planning to send a large part of the steel rails and other steel products manufactured to Cuba and other foreign countries for their use.

The Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company will build at Fairfield a new billet and sheet mill. The new works will be a continuous plant in line with the billet mill at Fairfield to produce sheet bars and small billets.

A half block on Fourth Street and Twenty-Third Avenue in Tuscaloosa, has just been purchased by the Tuscaloosa Packing Company, upon which the firm will erect a modern cold storage plant costing approximately $100,000.

R. A. Fuller, 45 years of age, was run over and instantly killed at Cherokee by an automobile driven by Hogue Sherrod of Cherokee. Fuller's body was dragged 75 feet and was said to have been considerably mangled.

Contracts for the construction of the addition to the Central Presbysterian Church, Anniston, have been awarded and work has already been started on the project. The cost of the construction work is given at $12,000.

The City Commission of Mobile has named City Commissioner Harry T. Hartwell Mayor of Mobile. The new executive succeeds Mayor R. V. Taylor. Mayor Hartwell will have charge of the Police Department.

Arnold Gipson, Jefferson County negro convict, who was paroled May 3, 1922, has been arrested in Youngstown, Ohio, and will be returned to the Alabama penitentiary to complete serving his sentence.

Of a total of 457 automobiles stolen in Birmingham during the fiscal year which closed October 1, all but 42 were recovered, according to a report filed with Fred H. McDuff, Chief of Police.

Open season for hunting 'possums with dogs extends from September 1 to March 1. The season for trapping the same animals does not open, however, until November 1.

Kilpatrick and Mashburn, Andalusia department stores, have furnished the cloth to cover all books of the local school children, a novel and very beneficial donation.

Ted Cotirell, special agent of the State Department of Game and Fisheries, has been appointed Chief Game Warden, according to announcement by Commission I. T. Quinn.

State Fire Marshal Chester E. Johnson appointed W. R. West, of Dothan, as deputy State Fire Marshal, to succeed F. M. Ousts, of Birmingham.

REYNOLDS & REYNOLDS
LAWYERS
Office in Gore Bldg.
CLANTON, ALA.

EGG LAYING RACE WILL BEGIN NOV. 1.

Nearly 1,000 hens will be in national at Auburn for one year.

Auburn, Ala., Oct. 6.— The stage is all set here for the opening of he first Alabama National Egg Laying Contest on November 1. Forty-eight houses are now complete and fences built. Each house is divided into two sections, each of which contains room for one pen of ten hens. Room is provided, therefore, for 96 pens of 10 hens or a total of 960 hens.

The houses are built of concrete with running water in each section. A lot 20 x 50 feet connects with each pen and these lots are now green with oats ready for the hens when they arrive to begin the contest.

J. E. Ivey, Poultry Specialist, says that hens should reach Auburn about the 15th or 20th of October in order to be in condition for the opening of the contest, November 1. All hens will be fed and managed exactly alike. Jazz scratch feed and laying mash, manufactured by the W. M. Cosby Flour & Grain Company, Birmingham, will be fed during the entire contest which will end October 30, 1925.

Contrary to an impression which has gone out, the contest is not for the purpose of winning prizes. The real objects re to stimulate a greater interest in poultry production and to impress on the minds of the people the importance of proper housing, feeding, breeding, and management of poultry. A few certificates and prizes will be awarded as announced, but these are negligible as compared with the educational value.

Each county in Alabama is expected to have one or more entries. Already a large number of the counties are represented and others are coming in almost daily. Nine states outside of Alabama have made entries.

Genuine Pure Texas Red Rust-Proof Oats for sale by Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

E. A. WILSON
M. D. & D. D. S.
Formerly B'ham, now Clanton
Office in New Hayes Bldg.

Hogs Had Cholera!

H. T. Jackson of Georgia reports, "Several hogs died before I could trace the source of their disease. They had cholera transmitted to them by rats. I put Royal Guaranteed Rat-Kake around, it killed all the rats. The hogs have been healthy ever since. Destroy all rats. Use Royal Guaranteed Rat Kake. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

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BOYS' SUITS—KNICKER PANTS

$7.98 will buy Juvenile 3-piece Suit. If you have a little fellow that comes within the ages of 5 to 9 years, you just can't afford to miss this opportunity of buying the very newest styles.

$7.49 will buy Sport made button suit. In this lot you will find some high grade suits, and they are really big bargains; age 8 to 16.

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HATS FOR MEN AND BOYS

$4.49 will buy fine quality, light color hats. Asbury Park styles, med. brim, suitable for all types of men and young men. Sizes from 6 3-4 to 7 3-8.

$3.95 will buy Saxon fur felt Hats in buck skin color, 4-inch brim; a very popular hat among the young men, sizes 6 3-4 to 7 1-2.

$1.98 will by saxon wool felt hats in all colors. This is the lowest price on these hats since 1914. Sizes, 6 3-4 to 7 3-8.

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$3.98 will buy Fancy, 2-tone leather upper, a very fancy, stylish pattern for well-dressed young men. Sizes 6 to 11.

$5.95 will buy high grade Calf Skin upper, semi-square toe last; light brown, dark brown, the newest in young men's Shoes. We have them in sizes from 6 to 11.

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$2.98 will buy a very high-grade boys' English Toe in brown color; solid leather. Sizes from 2 1-2 to 5 1-2.

$2.98 will buy Calf-Skin upper, orange color, stitched, medium toe lst, Goodyear Welt, seemed sole, rubber heel. Sizes 6 to 11.

$3.95 will buy Calf-Skin upper, perforated shield tip, semi-square toe last, Goodyear Welt sole, rubber heel. Sizes 6 to 11. Black and brown.

CAPS FOR MEN AND BOYS

We haven't space to list the price on our boys line of hats and caps, but we have them at prices ranging from **49c** up.

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

$24.95 will buy two-button, semi-English, smooth Cashmere, back yoke, 2 invert pleats half belt, patch breast pocket, twill lined, 5-button vest, semi-English pants, cuff bottom. Size 16 to 42.

$19.95 will buy dark blue, fine weave, soft finish Serge Suit, a 3-button model, half lined, a dressy garment. Sizes 34 to 44.

$14.95 will buy medium dark brown, all wool Cashmere Suit with dark gray and olive mixture, forming a very snappy pattern, 3-button young men's model, half lined. Sizes 34 to 42.

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LEGAL NOTICES

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)
Providence,	13	Oct. 1
Robinson's Store,	12	Oct. 2
Mullins Academy,	1	Oct. 3
Providence,	16	Oct. 4
Shoults,	7	Oct. 6
Riderville,	8	Oct. 7
Macedonia,	14	Oct. 8
Cane Creek,	11	Oct. 9
Enterprise,	6	Oct. 10
Stanton,	8	Oct. 11
Maplesville,	7	Oct. 13
Mars Hill,	2	Oct. 14
Jemison,	2	Oct. 15
Pletcher,	15	Oct. 16
Coopers,	10	Oct. 17
Mineral Springs,	12	Oct. 18
Benson,	3	Oct. 20
Thorsby,	9	Oct. 21
Kincheon,	6	Oct. 22
Culp Schoolhouse,	15	Oct. 23
Verbena,	5	Oct. 24
Mt. Creek,	5	Oct. 25
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov. 8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL LAND

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probte Court:

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Baker, as guardian of Gulma Brunice Baker-Powell, has filed his petition in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to sell, for re-investment, the following described real estate, situatd in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14) and running thence east on the Forty line 220 wards, thence north 220 yards, thence west 220 yards, thence south along the Forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, and containing Ten acres more or less.

And that Tuesday, October 21, 1924 is the day appointed for the hearing of said petition.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-25-4t-c Judge of Probate.

LICENSE NOTICE

All automobile tags will be ready by the first of October. Remember that everybody who gets a new tag will first have to procure a certificate of title to the car. If you have lost your cerificate of title you can get a duplicate from this office.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

The undersigned, convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton County for murder, hereby gives notice that she will make application to the State Board of Pardons and to his Excellency, the Governor, for pardon or parole.

Signed
10-9-3t-ch. HATTIE POPE.

NOTICE BANKRUPT SALE

Pursuant to an order made by the United States District Court, Northern Division, Middle District of Alabama, in Bankruptcy, I, as Receiver of J. W. Littlejohn, Bankrupt, will offer, to the highest bidder for cash, during legal hours of sale, subject to approval of said Court, on the 13th day of October, 1924, at the U. S. Government Building at Montgomery, County of Montgomery, State of Alabama, all right, title and interest Bankrupt had in and to stock goods, wares and fixtures and book accounts.

Stock of groceries	$ 254.98
Book accounts	2,123.95
Total	$2,378.93

Right reserved to sell separate or as whole. Inventory now on file.

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 2nd, 1924.

M. HUGH STUART,
1t. Receiver.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Eight in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

D. M. Apperson and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Seven in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

C. N. Parnell and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

STATEMENT

Of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Union-Banner, published weekly at Clanton, Alabama, for October 1, 1924.

State of Alabama,
County of Chilton.

Before me, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared T. E. Wyatt, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor of The Union-Banner, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, enbodied in section 443, Postal Laks and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are: Publishers, T. E. Wyatt and E. C. Powell, Clanton, Ala.; Editor, T. E. Wyatt, Clanton, Ala

2. That the owners are: T. E. Wyatt, Clanton, Ala., and E. C. Powell, Clanton, Ala.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Mergenthalare Linotype Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., and First National Bank, Clanton, Ala.

T. E. WYATT, Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of October, 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk Circuit Court.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

SOUTH CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenbalm from Lakeland, Fla., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Tate of South Calera this week.

Mrs. Jennie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Manual Dubose motored to Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. Angeline Busby from Birmingham has been the guest of friends for the past week in South Calera, also visiting her daughter, Mrs. Houlditch at Minooka for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Ellison visited Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby of Calera Sunday.

Miss Ruth Mooney spent last Thursday and Friday attending Teachers Institute at Columbiana, spending the remainder of the week-end as the guest of her parents.

Mr. E. D. Crim came home from Cherokee Bluffs last Saturday night where he has been engaged in work for some time.

Miss Mexa Tate, Mrs. Sarah Crim and Mrs. H. F. Virgin were in Columbiana last Thursday, Mrs. Virgin attending Teachers Institute.

Mr. Cecil Martin was home last week end visiting his family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown are new residents in the community. They will run the store formerly run by Mr. G. T. Lee, who is moving to Birmingham.

Mr. Alza Martin, Miss Lutie Jones and Miss Ethel Brown attended the singing at Oak Grove Sunday p.m.

Mrs. Coheley and little daughter have returned home in Piedmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rosenbalm and Miss Mexa Tate motored to Clanton Sunday.

Mr. Elmer Campbell spent last week end at home visiting his mother and father.

LOST — Black folding pocket book Monday night in Clanton, contained between $50 and $55, all in bills. The name and address of the owner was on an identification card under a picture. Liberal reward for return to Archie Devaughn, Verbena, Ala., Route 2. 1t--d

Dr. N. L. Wood of Birmingham, brother of Dr. S. C. Wood, was a visitor in Thorsby last week.

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S.S.S. stops boils and keeps them from coming. S.S.S. builds blood-power! That is what makes fighting blood. Fighting blood destroys impurities. It fights boils! It fights skin eruptions—pimples, blackheads, eczema! It always wins! S.S.S. has been known since 1826 as one of the greatest blood builders, blood cleansers and system strengtheners ever produced. There are no unproven theories about S.S.S., the scientific results of each of its purely vegetable medicinal ingredients are admitted by authorities. Begin taking S.S.S. today and clear your skin of those blood disorders!

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We have coats from $5.45 to $39.50. To see them means money in your pocket.
1 lot of good Gingham and Percale, special, per yd. 9c
Best grade of Men's Overalls, best grade denim $1.39
Best grade of heavy blue Sheeting, sells everywhere at 20c; our price 15c
Best grade of heavy Outing, in all colors, per yard 16c
1 lot of good heavy Sweaters 98c
Men's heavy grade triple stitch Work Shirts, with full face sleeve, will **not rip**; special, our price 69c
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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Wednesday Card Club.

Mrs. Grady Reynolds entertained the members of the Wednesday Card Club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon. Dahlias, zenias and pot plants were attractively arranged throughout the apartment. After a series of rubbers, the top score was held by Mrs. Frank Callen, who was given a couple of decks of congress cards, while the guest prize, too dainty hand-made handkerchiefs, fell to Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins. Late in the afternoon a salad plate with hot coffee was served to the club members and guests: Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. Victor Heard, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Lawrence Gerald, Mrs. Willis Lyman, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mrs. Higgins, Miss Kathleen Mullins and Miss Roberta Curry.

Mrs. Hugh Simpson will entertain the club next Wednesday afternoon.

Missionary Society Meets

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held its regular business meeting on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones, with Circle No. 4, as hostess. The devotional was led by Mrs. Wilkerson. The subject was "The Steward and the Community," with Bible reading from saiah and Luke. After the various reports were made, the members discussed and made plans for their annual Christmas Bazaar.

Study Club Meets.

On last Friday afternoon the Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Macy Jones. The election of officers and plans for the next year's work were effected. "Civil Government" will be the subject for the year 1925. Mrs. Victor Heard was elected president; Mrs. J. P. Hayes, vice-president; Mrs. Willie Lyman, secretary; Mrs. T. C. McSwain, treasurer.

Missionary Society Meets.

The Womans Missionary Society held its regular social and business meeting at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones on last Monday afternoon. The general routine of business was attended to and reports from outstanding committees were heard. Late in the afternoon refreshments were served.

The Halloween decoration was effectively carried out, also predominating in the dining room where the idea was very suggestive. A salad plate with ice course was served to Mesdames Ruth Gowan, P. D. Wilson, John VanDerveer, Willis Lyman, Grady Reynolds, Victor Heard, Barney Roberts, N. S. Johnson, John Page, Hugh Jones, Jessie Chandler, G. Broadhead, Thad McSwain, Bessie Harris, J. P. Hayes. The guests were Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. Wilkerson and Mrs. Ezell.

On Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Watts Moore will entertain the Civic Improvement Club. At 4 o'clock a reception will be tendered the faculty of both schools. "That which we are we shall teach, not voluntarily but involuntarily."

Dr. Neighbors, Victor Heard, S. C. Mathews, Ed Callen and Dick Hayes motored to Auburn Saturday to see the foot ball game between Clemson College, South Carolina, and Auburn. Also it was home-coming day for the Alumni of Auburn.

Miss Eloise Rasberry spent Sunday with her uncle at Jumbo.

Dr. N. S. Johnson and Mr. Gerald spent several days in Washington attending the World Series.

Mrs. T. L. Chandler of Douglas, Ga., is visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnson will make Clanton their home for quite a while. Mr. Johnson is civil engineer for the State Highway. We are glad to have them in our town.

Miss Marjorie Murphy and Miss Mae McElvee, who are teaching in Jemison, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy.

Dr. N. S. Johnson, on his way from Washington went by Danville, Va., to see his daughter, Sallye Johnson, who is in school there.

Mr. Raymond Marcus is spending several days with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Marcus.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton of Montgomery spent several days in Clanton this week.

Mr. J. C. Jones went to Montgomery Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lanier of Birmingham spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Eric Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dunn from Montgomery are visiting their sister, Mrs. Sallie Kicker this week.

Mr. Will Bean, who has been in the mercantile business for about 5 years, is closing out his stock of goods. He is now in school at Auburn, but was at home Saturday.

We are paying 40c a dozen for Fresh Eggs. Bring them in. Baker & Taylor, Clanton, Ala.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

COOLIDGE TO WIN OVERWHELMINGLY IS THE PREDICTION

Political Expert, Arthur Searls Henning, Finds President Will Have 115 Majority.

Chicago, Oct., 11.—Not only a decisive but an overwhelming victory for Coolidge and Dawes at the polls three weeks from last Tuesday is now the clearly indicated outcome of the presidential election, in my opinion.

The possibility of the election being deadlocked in the electoral college and projected into Congress has become extremely remote.

If the exhibited tendencies of the voters in the various States continue as now disclosed up to election day the result will be not far from the following:

	Electoral Votes
Coolidge	323
Davis	170
La Follette	38
Total	531

That would mean an electoral college majority of 115 votes for Coolidge.

I have toured the West finding Coolidge stronger and La Follette weaker than I had supposed was the case and finding the Democratic party virtually wiped out. I am now setting out upon a survey of the States east of Illinois.

How States Stand.

On the basis of my own survey of the West and of the information I now possess in conditions in the East I classify the States, with their respective electoral votes, as follows:

For Coolidge—Maine, 6; Vermont 4; Rhode Island, 5; New York, 45; Pennsylvania, 38; Michigan, 15; Iowa, 13; Colorada, 6; Utah, 4; New Hampshire, 4; Massachusetts, 18; Conneticut, 7; New Jersey, 14; Ohio, 24; Illinois, 29; Kansas, 10; Wyoming, 3; California, 13. Total, 262.

Doubtful but leaning to Coolidge—Maryland, 8; Indiana, 15; South Dakota, 5; West Virginia, 8; Minnesota, 12; Oregon, 5; Nebraska, 8. Total, 61.

For Davis—Virginia, 12; South Carolina, 9; Florida, 6; Alabama,12; Arkansas, 9; Texas, 20; North Carolina,12; Georgia, 14; Tennessee,12; Mississippi, 10; Louisiana, 10; Total, 126.

Doubtful but leaning to Davis—Deleware, 3; Missouri, 18; Kentucky, 13; Oklahoma, 10. Total, 44.

For La Follette—Wisconsin, 13; North Dakota, 5. Total, 18.

Doubtful but leaning to La Follette—Montana, 4; Nevada, 3; New Mexico, 3; Washington, 7; Arizona, 3. Total, 20.

New York's Swing.

I may revise this estimate considerably after studying the situation in the East and taking note of future changes in conditions in the West. But at this writing the foregoing is, in my opinion, a fair presentation of the political outlook.

Whether I am justified in placing New York in the Coolidge column may be questioned ,but I have done so in the light of information from authoritative Democratic sources indicating that the Davis managers practically have abandoned hope of carrying the Empire State for the national ticket, though they are confident Gov. Smith will be re-elected. That Davis is not strong enough to make the grade all by himself is conceded by the Democratic leaders. His only chance to win New York, according to the more optimistic Democratic managers, is to ride through on the Smith wagon.

It will be noted, however, that even if the President should lose New York he still would have an excellent chance of winning, providing he realized expectations materially in the group of States classed as doubtful but leaning to Coolidge. With New York, he would be on easy street and would need not more than one of the smallest of doubtful States leaning his way in order to go over the top.

BEAUTIFUL PROGRAM AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Last Sunday night the Clanton Baptist Church building, auditorium, gallery and aisles, was filled to capacity. The occasion, was the persentation by the Baptist Sunday School of a pageant, "How Dreams Come True" vritten and arranged by Mrs. S. J. Ezelle. This little play, forming the beginning of the annual revival which is to continue for 10 days, was very fine indeed. In the beginning of the pageant, "Ignoranre, "Indifferenre" and "Worldiness" represented by three girls dressed in bladk and wearing horns, entered and bound the arms and hands of the pastor, played by Rev. Ezell, with a strong rope. These three characters exerted their influence all through the play against the church and the progress of its auxiliaries. But representatives of the Women's societies, the Sunday School and the other auxiliaries of the church came forward and offered their assistance to the pastor, freeing him of the fetters and aiding him in the advancement of the cause.

The idea of the play was very fine and approproate, and the way it was presented made it very impressive upon the huge audience. Mrs. Ezell is certainly to be commended for her good work in composing the pageant and arranging its presentation.

REVIVAL AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH THIS WEEK AND NEXT

Beginning last Monday, Dr. David M. Gardner, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ensley, is preaching twice daily at the Clanton Baptist church. Mr. Theo. H. Pharr, singer from the State Board, arrived last Sunday, and is conducting the singing for the revival. Both the preaching of Dr. Gardner and the singing of Mr. Pharr, are being well taken by the people of Clanton and vicinity. Some great truths are being presented both in song and in story by these men of God.

Dr. Ezell and the members of the Everybody seems to be enjoying the all to come out and be with them in these services, which are held at 3:00 o'clock each afternion and at 7:30 each night.

ANNUAL W. M. U. TO MEET AT MARBURY

The annual meeting of the Womans Missionary Union of the Unity Association will meet at Marbury on October 28th. Dr. Ezell of the Clanton Baptist Church will speak at the meeting, and the pageant, "How Dreams Come True," which was presented by the Baptist Sunday School last Sunday night, will be played down there. The public has a cordial invitation to co-operate in the work.

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAM AT BAPTIST CHURCH

For Opening of Sunday School

Oct. 19th, at 9:45.

Chorus by Juniors and Intermediate Boys and Girls

Led by Bro. T. H. Pharr.

Something Worth While—Hear Them.

Attendance Last Sunday, 312.

Let's Make the Attendance Next Sunday Morning, 400.

PROUD OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL AT MULBERRY

Old Mulberry is feeling proud of her agricultural opportunities through the Vocational Agricultural School that has been placed there by the Federal Board, State Board and County Board of Education and that community cooperating. They feel that they have been greatly benefitted by the efforts of Dr. H. W. Caldwell, their vocational teacher through his efforts in the all day school classes, and the pupils follow up projects of corn and cotton and winter cover crops. His night school class, with their produce from their projects and the community at large just feel like they have something to show the farmers of Chilton County if they will come out and take a good look around their school Friday, October 24th. They are going to have a large time out there. Yes, they are going to have a barbecue dinner and also a supper. The exhibit hall will be opened at 9:30 and stay open till 11 that night, and every person is cordially invited to come.

There will also be several agricultural talks from men from the State department of Education and Auburn. A good time as well as a profitable one is expected.

The school opened at Isabella this year with more agricultural boys than they had last year, and are expecting to have another good year at Isabella and are laying their plans now for a larger exhibit and even more fun another year. Everybody go out and see what they are doing and carry some good points home with you.

AUTOMOBILES AND PROSPERITY

Recent advance in price of farm products which will increase the agricultural incomes approximately one billion dollars is cited by R. H. Grant, vice-president and general sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company, as one of the most optimistic signs of a steady staple demand for motor cars during the fall months.

"The cotton producing sections are assured of a large money return on this year's crop," he states, "and while a considerable part of this money will be used by the farmer and cotton growers to liquidate past debts and restore their credit, they will gradually be in the market for motor cars. A gradual but nevertheless steady recovery in general industrial activity puts a rosier complexion on the coming months for business.

"Two other factors in the motor car industry will make for stability for both dealers and manufacturer. The manufacturers are watching carefully their production, after having reduced the surplus of cars produced last winter and early spring, and the prices of cars are on the upgrade.

"During the last few months 20 manufacturers have raised the prices of one or all of their models.

"Despite the fact that total sales will run behind those of last year, still 1924 will be the second greatest production year in the motor car industry. Production statistics for the first eight months of this year make a much more favorable showing than is generally recognized. In this period output amounted to 2,537,517 cars and trucks, only 6.5 per cent smaller than for the corresponding period of 1923—yet representing an increase of 51.5 per cent over the same months of 1922, (the second previous best year in the history of the industry.)

"On the basis of present production there will probably be 3,250,000 motor vehicles this year. This would not only be second best to the 1923 record but would exceed the average of the last three years by about 700,000 motor vehicles."

BOX SUPPER AT COOPERS

There will be a box supper at Coopers, (Cross Roads) school house about 1 1-2 miles from Coopers, on Saturday night, October 18th. Every body is cordially invited to come. The proceeds will go to the school.

QUANTITY OF WHISKEY TAKEN FROM REYNOLDS BLDG.

On last Friday morning Judge Reynolds carried some parties over to show them some rooms up stairs in his building on the west side of the railroad, with the intention of renting them some rooms. Upon entering one of the rooms which was supposed to be unoccupied, the Judge noticed some bottles there and also got the whif of whiskey. Upon a closer examination it was found that it was real whiskey in the bottles. So Judge Reynolds called Sheriff Littlejohn, who immediately went over and took the matter in hand. On investigation of two or three of the unoccupied rooms, about three and a half gallons of corn whiskey was found. There was one five-gallon glass jug about half full, two half-gallon fruit jars each about half full, one quart bottle and four or five pint bottles full.

Little clew was had by the Sheriff as to who the whiskey belonged to. Two parties of Clanton had one room rented which adjoined the rooms in which the whiskey was found, but these parties denied knowing anything about the whiskey being there. So far, no arrests have been made.

FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

The members of Friendship church met last Sunday and elected delegates to the Chilton County Association, which meets this week at Oak Grove. This was not the regular preaching day, but Rev. Robinson was present and presided over the conference. At this meeting Rev. W. W. Robinson was re-elected pastor for the coming year, and Dudley Collins was re-elected church clerk. The letter to the Association was arranged, and a collection of a little over $11.00 was taken to send to the Association.

The Fourth Sunday being regular preaching day, there will be service at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. There will be singing in the afternoon, and it is promised that Prof. W. M. Devaughn and others will be present to sing. It was intended to have this singing last Fourth Sunday, but it was postponed on account of rain. Everybody has an invitation to come to preaching and the singing next Fourth Sunday. Also come to Sunday School every Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Henry Ford has withdrawn his bid to the government for Muscle Shoals. He says that now he will let the government make its bid. Probably the government will make Mr. Ford a bid and probably it will not. Mr. Ford says that he is going to turn his attention to the development of power and chemicels from coal in clean mining towns "in our own way and outside of political meddling." Mr. Ford owns about 160,000 acres of coal lands up in Kentucky, which he says he is going to develop for the interest of the South.

Mr. C. L. Rhyne of Benton, Ala., Lowndes County, has been in Clanton for a few days. Mr. Rhyne is one of the Rhyne Brothers, who own a big farm down in Lowndes. The farm was very poor a few years ago when these two brothers purchased it, but by the use of hairy vetch, this soil has been built up to a very efficient state. The farmers in Chilton County would do well to adopt Mr. Rhyne's method.

CARD OF THANKS

Editor Union-Banner:—Please allow us space in your paper to thank the good people of Cedar Grove community for their help and sympathy shown us during the death and burial of our little son, Howard. We especially appreciate the kindness and help of Bro. Each, who conducted the funeral sevice. May God's richest blessings be with each of you, is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Elland, Underwood, Ala.

C. B. KENNAMER TO SPEAK HERE OCTOBER 25.

Mr. W. G. Culp, chairman of the Republican County Executive Committee, gives out the announcement that a speaking in the interest of the Republican party of Chilton County will be held at the court house on Saturday, October 25th. Hon. C. B. Kennamer, United States Attorney, of Birmingham, will be the speaker. It is expected and hoped that a good crowd will be here to hear Mr. Kennamer.

Reynolds and Middleton to Speak

Judge L. H. Reynolds and Hon. J. O. Middleton will address the voters of the county in the interest of the Republican ticket at the following times and places:—

Enterprise, Tuesday, Oct. 21, 7:00 p. m.

Union Grove, Thursday, Oct. 23, 7:00 p.m.

Clanton, Saturday, Oct. 25, 2:00 p. m.

Mars Hill, Monday, Oct. 27, 7:00 p. m.

Cane Creek, Wednesday, Oct. 29, 7:00 p.m.

Culps School House Friday, Oct. 31, 7:00 p.m.

Thorsby, Nov. 3, 7:00 p.m.

The people of the county are invited to attend all these speakings and hear the issues discussed. They will all be of interest to you. People from all over the county should hear Mr. Kennamer at the court house on Saturday, October 25th.

W. G. CULP, Chairman.

C. C. H. S. FOOTBALL TEAM PLAYS PRATTVILLE

Last Friday afternoon the Chilton Tigers journeyed to Prattville to play Autauga County High School. The game was full of thrills. Hayes, Thompson and Gore were the stars for Chilton. Gore looks as if he has the makings of a good end, in that he caught two forward passes in succession, netting more than twenty-five yards. In the third quarter Thompson intercepted a forward pass on Prattville's 30-yard line, carrying it to the fifteen yard line. Four bucks put the ball on the goal line, but the referee seemed a little inclined to lean, and would not allow a touchdown. By the rule book, this is a touchdown, and application has been made to the State High School Athletic Association to have the decision reversed. Prattville never got within Chilton's 30-yard line.

Next Friday, (tomorrow), Chilton plays the Aviation Corps from Montgomery and a good game is expected. Go down and see it.

WILLIAMS—BOOCKHOLDT

On last Sunday morning at 9:30, Mr. Robert Williams and Miss Maggie Boockholdt were happily united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Boockholdt, Rev. S. D. Deloach performing the ceremony.

Both of these young people have a host of friends who wish them well.

MUSIC TEACHING

I am glving piano lessons Tuesday and Friday of each week across the street from the high school building in the Ed Plier residence. If interested please see me and arrange for lesson period. Examination and credit units will be given.

2t-pd MRS. M. C. NORRELL.

CHILTON IS AMONG COUNTIES DOING A LOT SCHOOL WORK

County Receives $5,780 from State In Addition to Regular Appropriation.

Many new State school buildings are under course of erection throughout Alabama. During the month of August applications for aid in the erection, repair and equipment of 182 buildings were approved by the State Superintendent of Education. 97 of these were for new buildings, 40 for the reqairs of old buildings and 45 for the purchase of equipment. These new buildings represent an expenditure of practically half a million dollars. The facts given indicate that there is renewed interest on the part of rural and village communnities to provide better educational advantages for the children in the erection of more modern buildings.

Chilton is among the 31 counties that have consumed the full amount of the State appropriation for the erection, repair and equipment of buildings, and have received from the other counties that failed to consume all of their appropriation, the amount of $5,780, which was in addition to the regular appropriation of $3,341.

Chilton, together with these other 30 counties, are carrying out excellent building programs and have qualified under the law for the large amounts of State funds.

These counties, representing every section of the state participated in this fund. Six counties, viz: Elmore, Walker, Dale, Cullman, Talladega and Chilton received more than $5,000 each. The largest amount was received by Elmore County.

County boards of education, county superintendents and good citizens in each of the 31 counties sharing in this fund are to be congratulated on the excellent building program being carried out.

ALABAMA STATE FAIR

It is announced by the management of the State Fair of Alabama to be held in Montgomery, Nov. 3-11, that everything is in readiness for the opening on Monday, Nov. 3rd. The Fair will be officially opened by Governor Brandon at 1:30 p.m., to be followed by the regular afternoon program which is made up of horse racing and big free acts in front of the grand stand. This entertainment program, says Manager Mort L. Bixler, will be the best ever seen at a Fair in Alabama.

There are several important special days as follows: Tuesday, School Day, when any one who attends school or teaches will be admitted for ten cents. Thursday is Shrine Day, and Saturday is Press Day. Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 10th and 11th, will be featured by Auto Racing and Auto Polo and there will be a Society Night Horse Show at night. Tuesday, Armistice Day will be featured by a program in which the Maxwell Field Aviation Corps will have prominent part.

The railways of Alabama have made a reduced rate for the occasion and preparations are being made to take care of thousands of visitors from all parts of the State.

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GIRLS WITH BOBS CAN'T STAY IN MY CHORUS — ZIEGFELD

Famous Theatrical Producer of N. Y. Insists Shorn Tresses Destroy Personality

New York, October 13.—Florenz Ziegfeld, producer of the "Follies," and international authority on feminine pulchritude, has declared war on bobbed hair, it was learned today, following his rejection of a number of applicants for chorus places.

"Papa" Ziegfeld last night nailed a bulletin in the chorus dressing rooms. It said that since bobbed hair was soon to be out of style, every Follies girl must immediately start letting her hair grow long, or wear stylish transformations.

"Members of the company who fail to comply with this order will soon find their places taken by young women who have let their curls grow," warned Mr. Ziegfeld.

"Personality Killed by Bobs

"There is more to my objection to bobbed hair among my chorus than the fact that it's becoming out of style," he declared today. I always did hate barber work on a girl's hair, and have fought it consistently.

"Bobbed hair has 'prussianized' American womanhood. It has made them all alike as two peas in a pod. It has destroyed that elusive and priceless quality which the woman of charm must have — personality.

"Bobbed hair is a symptom of that sheep-like imitateveness which distinctive women abhor.

"I first permitted bobbed haired girls to enter my chorus several years ago when I was seeking a slim, boyish type for a particular feature number. But in my tableaux I have always insisted upon truly feminine women with luxurious, uncut hair—because they personify the finest in American womanhood.

Oh, my dear! Dishonest!

"Bobbed hair is dishonest. It advertises to the world that a girl or married woman wants you to believe she is youthful. If a woman is really alive with youth—mentally and physically—she need not resort to the standardized, artificial mob-habit of hair mutilation."

Bobbed hair may be alright, according to Mr. Ziegfield, on the day time tennis court or in the swimming pool. But in the evening, at social gatherings, the immaculate woman of fashion insists on a charming coiffure that no bob can provide.

"Observe the distinctive women of allure and charm at fashionable events these days", he went on. "Almost invariably they have uncut hair—done in graceful fashion that harmonises and brings out their individual attractiveness, or else they have adopted graceful, pleasing transformations to hide their bobs.

"So I have told my girls that they cannot stay in the Follies chorus unless they let their hair grow. Bobbed hair will soon be out of style. My chorus must always be leaders in fashionable appearance."

MOBILE PREPARING TO WELCOME CONFEDERATE VETERANS AT REUNION

Mobile, Ala., Oct.13.—Confederate Veterans and their families visiting Mobile for the state reunion, October 22 and 23, will be taken for a ride on historic Mobile Bay aboard the largest steamer that carries passengers to the eastern shore. They will be shown the Confederate barriers and what remains of Batteries Gladden and McIntosh. The site of the State Docks Commission's activities will be visited, where General William L. Sibert is preparing for the construction of Alabama's $10,000,000 port terminal system.

Automobiles will be provided for those Veterans who desire to make a pilgrimage to the tomb of Father Abram Ryan, the Poet Priest, Admiral Raphael Semmes, Naval Hero, and other illustrious Confederate dead.

The first event of the reunion will be a reception by the Sons of Confederate Veterans, to the members of the U. C. V. and their families, Tuesday night, October 21, at the Elk's Home. A bivouac has been established in a spacious building on Royal Street for the Veterans to meet informally at all hours and more than a hundred Mobile homes have been listed where Veterans will be made to feel at home during their stay in Mobile; where they will be provided with room ann breakfast—the other meals being served by hotels and restaurants in tickets furnished by the Reunion Committee.

PLEASANT GROVE

Our singing society met Sunday afternoon, with a very large crowd, and had some good singing. We had several singing visitors with us. We were glad to have them with us and ask them all to come back again.

Directors for the afternoon were Miss Gladys Jackson, Messrs. Albert Headley, Furniss Sheppard, Olen Williams, Horace Williams, Hudson Williams and the two Boswells from Coopers. Organists for the afternoon were, Mr. Hudson Williams and Mr. Boswell.

We were very glad to have the Concord Quartette with us. They sang some pretty songs and we invite them back again.

Our singing society meets every Second and Fourth Sundays. Everybody is invited to come.

We also have good Sunday school every Sunday P. M. excepting the First Sunday which is preaching day we have it before preaching.

Everybody is invited to come, and let's make our Sunday School one of the best.

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MR. A. A. JACKSON WRITES INTERESTING LETTER

Clanton, Ala., Oct. 10, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

As our National election is near at hand, I wish to say a few words in regard to the several political parties that are trying to get the reins of our great government.

Today we have the best government in the world, and in this government we have two historical political parties, the Republican and Democratic parties, and each party has a record that shows what they have done for our country.

We have had sixteen years of Democratic rule in the past sixty years which was detrimental to the welfare of our country. The Cleveland administration was too bad to talk about, but what happened in 1913 when the Demorratic administration repealed the protective tariff law and brought about the return of free trade? It brought soup houses, the employment situation became serious, the operation of the law prostrated industry, the railroads laid off thousands of workmen their yards became filled with empty cars; factories and mills closed down; and at the close of the administration in 1921 when the Republican Administration took control of the government there were four and a half million unemployed.

Industry and commerce were stagnant; agriculture was prostrate; business was depressed; bonds of the government were selling below par; there was a lack of faith in the administration of government resulting in a growing feeling of distrust in the very principals upon which our institutions are founded.

Today industry and commerce are active; the door of opportunity swings wide open in our country; American wage earners now recieve more money, and more of the things that money will buy, for their work than any other wage earner in the world. We have here in the United States not only the best paid workers in the world but the best paid workers that ever lived in the world.

I have been closely associated with many lifelong Democrats of the Birmingham district, and many of them have told me that they could not support their party on account of its un-American policies, and that if they voted at all they would vote the Republican ticket.

The Democratic party cannot be a real American institution since it is mixing and co-operating with the most un-American institutions in the world.

There appeared an article in the Birmingham Age-Herald of Oct. 7th with large headlines: "Catholic-Protestant Club, a gathering of K. of C. and Masons." The new organization is to be a non-secret, non-sectarian, and non-partisan organization; I suppise something like the "Non-Partisan" ticket in Chilton County.

If there ever was a time in the history of our great country that voters should consider well before casting their votes, it will be on the 4th day of November, 1924; on that date the destiny of our country will be decided. To have a continuance of prosperity and a free and independent America, elect the whole Republican ticket. If you want depression, millions of people out of work, high money, cheap labor, cheap products and a government domineered by Roman Catolics and Knights of Columbus, elect the Democratic ticket.

Respectfully,
A. A. Jackson.

MONUMENTS

If you are interested in a monument see me. I handle the Georgia Marble and Granite and am going to make a specinl offer of 10% discount till Nov. 15. Place your order at once..

See or write Oliver C Duke, Thorsby, Ala., R. No. 1. 1t-pd.

VETCH PLANTING UP TO FORECAST

Farmers Have Bought 530,000 Lbs. Through Ala. Farm Bureau; Acreage Doubles 1923.

Auburn, Ala., Oct. 13.—In line with a forecast early this fall, Alabama farmers have set a new high record in the acreage planted in hairy vetch in one season. They have bought 530,000 pounds of vetch seed through Farm Bureau channels, and the amount purchased outside of the Farm Bureau will probably increase this to more than 600,000 pounds, or nearly double that of 1923 when the total planting of the State amounted to 315,000 pounds.

Leaders in agricultural work in Alabama attribute this enormous increase to the low price obtained by the Farm Bureau, to the activities of the county demonstration agents, and to Frank Boyd, of the Extension Service, who has lectured to farmers in most counties urging them to get started with hairy vetch this fall.

Dallas leads with vetch. Farmers in this county alone bought three carloads or over 90,000 pounds of seed through the Farm Bureau. Perry County is second with 30,000 lbs, and Calhohn is third with 21,000 pounds. Hale and Lee are tied for fourth place with 20,000 lbs., each.

Talladega, Pike, Tallapoosa, and Randolph rank next in order named. Talladega bought 17,000 lbs., and Randolph 12,000 lbs. Barbour, Cullman, DeKalb, Marshall, Lauderdale, Shelby, and Montgomery each bought 10,000 lbs. Not one of the 60 counties buying on the co-operative plan bought less than a ton.

Planting began late in September and will end by the last of October.

CEDAR GROVE

The singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon, Oct. 12th. There was a large attendance and also good singing.

Directors for the afternoon were: Mr. Zack Lowery, Leonard Culp, Claudie and Neacie Smith and Etta Foshee. Organists for the afternoon: Bonnie Littlejohn and Claudie Smith.

Two ladies' quartettes were sung by Claudie Smith, Lillie Smith, Frances Lowery and Neacie Smith. Also a sextette by Mr. Zack Lowery, Wilburn Ward, Leonard Culp, Alpheus Littlejohn, Herschel Lowery and Claudie Smith.

We appreciate the help of the Liberty Hill class as a number of them were present. We are requested to meet at Liberty next Sunday afternoon to organize our singing society. We would be glad all would attend that can do so.

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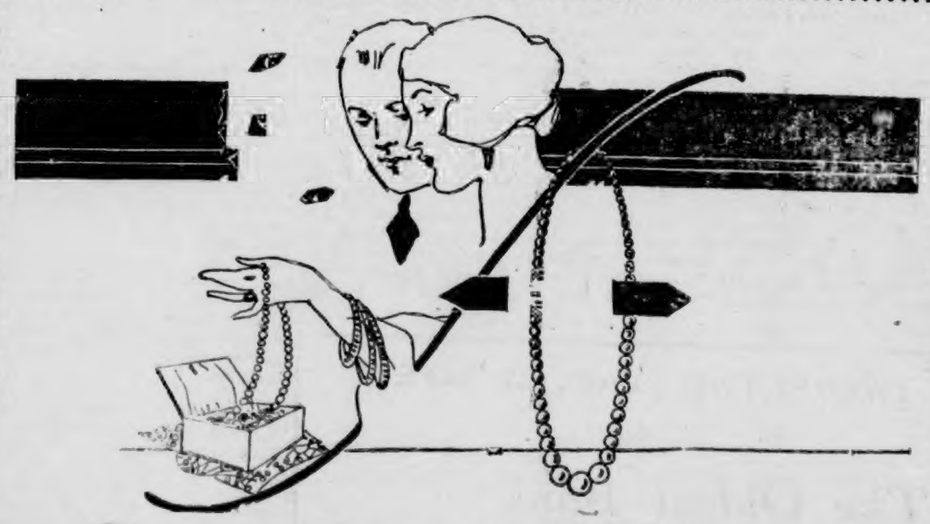
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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Mr. Hal Thompson Bradford, aged 54, died Sunday night, Oct. 12th, in Dr. Stabler's Infirmary at Greenville, Ala., having been carried there on Tuesday of last week as a last resort in the efforts of his friends to save his life.

Funeral services were held at Thorsby Congregational Church at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 14th, Rev. Joseph E. Each, pastor of the church, officiating.

Burial was at Thorsby Cemetery, under auspices of Woodmen of the World Fraternity, of which deceased was a member.

The floral decorations and emblems were profuse and beautiful. Mr. M. Martin of Clanton, was funeral director. Business houses in Thorsby were closed during the funeral hour, and the citizens of Thorsby in large numbers attended the funeral.

Mr. Bradford came to Thorsby several years ago, and engaged in the drug store business, which he successfully conducted until compelled by failing health to relinquish it. In May, 1920, he married Mrs. Ida J. Meroney, a widow living in Thorsby, who has faithfully attended and cared for him during a long and losing fight for his life.

Mr. Bradford leaves two grown sons and a daughter, by a former marriage. These sons were present during the funeral.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Trustees of Thorsby Institute was held in the parlor of Thorsby Institute dining hall at 9:30 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 9th. Rev. Frank E. Jenkins, D. D., president of Piedmont College, at Demorest, Ga.; also president of Thorsby Institute board of trustees, and Rev. Neil McQuarrie, Congregational Home Missionary Superintendent for Georgia, Alabama and West Florida, were the only out-of-town members of the board who were present.

Friends of Thorsby Institute will be pleased to know that steps are being taken to finish the exterior of the dining hall. An appropriation was made for this purpose and the buildings and grounds committee, consisting of Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. Norton and Miss Jenkins, were authorized to proceed with the work promptly. Other minor improvements are also contemplated in the near future.

Dr. Jenkins reported that eight graduates of Thorsby Institute are now enrolled as students at Piedmont College, and one other, Sumner Gerald, has taken their full college course and after teaching for a year in their preparatory department, has been promoted, and is now in sole charge of their senior class in sciences. Another Thorsby boy, Rascoe Maddox, after graduating at Thorsby Institute, took the full college course at Piedmont College, and is now an honored member of Thorsby Institute faculty.

Piedmont College has an enrollment of upwards of 600 students, and they report at frequent intervals that our Thorsby Institute graduates are among those who stand highest in scholarship and deportment.

On Friday, Oct. 10th, some of the many friends of Mrs. Martin Petersen gave her a surprise party on the anniversary of her birthday. Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. Joseph E. Each, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Goddard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mesdames Soberg, Norton and Miss Skinnis.

Messrs. R. A. Turner and Earl Meade spent the week-end at their respective homes in Thorsby.

The Berean Sunday school class of the Baptist church gave a moonlight social Saturday evening on the church lawn, the decorations being in pink and white. Punch was served.

Mr. Gresham Lowery, a 1924 graduate of Thorsby Institute, entered Howard College last Thursday.

Mr. E. F. Meade and Mr. Clyde Meade and wife made a business trip to Prattville Monday.

Misses Ella and Sue Simpson of Jemison spent last Thursday with Mrs. W. Tagg.

The Ladies' Guild social for October, will be held with Mrs. David Paxson, on Thursday, Oct. 23rd.

Mrs. Ruth and Elizabeth Deramus of Verbena, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. Ben Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson returned last week (Tuesday) from Wisconsin and Chicago, after nearly a three weeks trip. While in Chicago they visited with Mrs. Larson and children, Olaf, Thoswald and Dagmar, formerly of Thorsby.

The monthly praise service, singing, at the Congregational church, will be held Sunday night, Oct. 19th, immediately following the Christian Endeavor meeting. Everybody welcome. Come and help sing.

Mr. E. F. Mead spent a couple of days last week in Birmingham with his son, Earl, taking in the Kamram parade and doings, and visiting cement plants. Mr. Meade believes in progressing in the cement work.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade made an auto trip to Birmingham last Wednesday, returning Thursday evening.

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WEST CHILTON

Everybony seems to be enjoying the present wave of "Coolinge prosperity" now sweeping over the South Land.

Mr. Pratt Crumpton of Childersburg recently spent some days here on business.

Miss Mary Clements has secured the school at Freeman School house for another term.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of Thorsby visited here the 4th.

A young lady from Jacksonville, Ala., is teaching at Macedonia.

One of the twin babies of Herbire Smitherman was buried Sunday.

The address of Judge Reynolds in a recent Banner was a fine document, appealing to common sense, simple enough for a child to understand. It appeals particularly to farmers and business men.

Rev. Dykes has closed his pastorate at Macedonia. Rev. Lowery has been called to that church for next year.

Through private correspondence we have recently learned of the death of Prof. Neal A. Logan, well-known at Thorsby and other parts of the county. He died at his home in northwest Georgia September 22. To know him was to admire him. He was a student of phrenology, an excellent music teacher, a polished gentleman, one of the finest Bible scholars we ever met, a truth seeker on all questions. He lived in the highest realms of life. His friends will regret his passing.

Josheph Smith Sr. was burried at Macedonia a few days ago, he was a veteran of the Civil War, and carried an empty sleeve, a token of service in the lost cause.

D. G. Cofer and family came down from Siluria Saturday for a week-end visit.

James Franklin Jr. and family of Pleasant Grove visited here on the fifth.

Mrs. Clyde Champion and children of Pleasant Grove have been spendinf some days here.

On the fifth inst, we had the pleasure of attending an all day singing in Dry Valley, at Enon church, near Montevallo, it was quite an enjoyable day. Quite a number of singers were there. Among them the skilled Prof. Blankenship of Calera, who enlivened the occasion with his wit and song. Such a bounty of good eats was wonderful to behold. The Dry Valley people were so kind it was a pleasure to be among them. The music was the Christain Harmony, sweet and inspiring, enroute, reminiscence occupied our thoughts as we viewd the scenes of former days, with nature covered with the tints of autumn, those of the past in that territory, the Holditches, Brantleys and others, a few of whom linger this side the sitting sun, come vividly to mind.

Mr. Baily protracted his last service at Union Springs receiving two members.

Let the Mars Hill singing class remember their singing appointments third and fourth Sunday afternoons.

Rockett and Pate were over here the other day assessing and collecting taxes, they are model officers.

LIBERTY HILL

On account of the bad weather, and our directors being sick or away from the community, the singing society has been unable to meet as often as it wished. But if the weather is favorable, we shall meet Sunday afternoon, October 11th at 2 o'clock. We invite all singers and lovers of music to come and be with us.

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For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH
WM. R. BAKER

The probate judge of Chilton county entered the names of the Non-Partisan candidates on the ticket to be voted on in the general election, although there was a technical error in the petitions filed with him. In the recent municipal election, the Mayor and Council of Clanton declined putting the names of the opposing ticket on the ballot on account of a technicality in the filing of the petitions. Note the different view taken by the parties in charge of each of the different tickets.

The National Republican says: "Eternal Vigilance is the Price of Liberty." We wish to emphasize the truthfulness of this statement. And one of the questions on which we should be most vigilant is the question of Roman Catholicism. Some say they favor religious tolerance. We do too, that is the reason we are against Romanism. Rome stands for anything else but religious tolerance. They believe in and would perpetuate religious bondage, and therefore, we have no use for them in free America.

A man gets a little too much wildcat whiskey, gets to feeling too good and mutilates his neighbor's property. Said man is arrested at once and has to pay a fine. This is perfectly all right, except he ought to have to pay more. But a beast with the clothing of a man seduces a young girl or probably a man's wife into shame and misery for the rest of her life, probably throwing a dark shadow on a dozen good families, and gets away with it without the least punishment. We are not talking about New York or Birmingham, but we are referring to Clanton and Chilton County, Alabama. We need some laws and them enforced, protecting the morality of our people, and unless we have it, morality will be a lost jewel ere many years.

THE SPIRIT OF THE LAW AND TECHNICALITIES

In filing their petitions with the Probate Judge of Chilton County asking that the names of the Non-Partisan candidates be entered on the ballot for the general election, the committee in charge of the arrangement of the petitions made a technical error, which, if considered from a technically legal standpoint, the probate judge could have declined entering at least one and probably two of the Non-Partisan candidates on the ballot. According to the petitions, the candidates for Commissioner from both the third and fourth districts were filed as of the fourth district, which would have made the candidates running against each other, and one not being a resident of the district from which he was seeking office.

Of course, Judge Reynolds did not take advantage of the technicality, but went ahead and entered the candidates on the ballot as from the third and fourth districts, which he knew to be the intention of those filing the petitions. Thus is demonstrated the spirit of the law prevailing over technicalities. The election laws of Alabama are made more or less elastic, so that so long as the law in substance is followed, small matters like the above may be overlooked. Of course there are statutory regulations governing elections, but they are so numerous and so complicated that the average qualified voter cannot comprehend all of them, hence, the adherence only to the spirit and general intentions of the law in election matters.

DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

Press Clippings

Houston Post-Dispatch. — The greater efficiency of the railroads under private management is evidenced in the report that there are now 8 1/2 per cent fewer people employed by the roads than when the roads were under government control. And yet the roads during the past year have handled considerably more business than during the last year of Federal control.

Clarksburg (W.Va.) Telegram.—Mr. Davis has been worrying himself about the vehicle in which the Government should ride along for four years and, being desirous of riding in it, urges a change. Well, it is all right to change a vehicle, just as millions of Americans trade in or buy new motor cars, but when a man finds the make of car he likes he usually sticks to the same make. The American people should do likewise.

St. Louis Times.—It will be difficult for even good rock-ribbed Democrats to reconcile Davis' atack on "special privileges" and "big business" with his recent success as attorney for the Bell Telephone Company in getting telephone rates raised in New York City.

Leavenworth (Kan.) Times.— The people approve of what President Coolidge has done, and he will have no trouble in retaining their confidence by merely sticking to his desk and keeping to the high standards he has set.

Chicago News.— Considering how little he thinks of the Republican party nowadays, Mr. La Follette must have had frightful qualms of conscience during the forty years or so he held public office as a Republican.

Boston Transcript. — Gaston B. Means finds that one way of keeping in the lime light is to make statements on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and repudiate them on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Pocatello Tribune. — This administration will go down in history as the one that established practical transcontinental air mail service. But that is only one of innumerable accomplishments of the administration.

Providence Journal. — Mr. La Follette will have a hard time proving to Western farmers that his seeds of discontent will produce a crop that sells for $1.30 a bushel.

Boston Transcript. — General Dawes's "Coolidge or chaos" simply means that we all have to choose between clam Calvin Coolidge or Chaos W. Bryan.

Boston Transcript. — President Coolidge makes few speeches, but he says many things well worth remembering.

Omaha Bee.—The market quotations are depriving the Democrats of most of their political thunder.

Marion Star.—Up to a late hour this afternoon the "Gold Star" mothers had not come out with an endorsement of the La Follette candidacy.

His Eyes are open,
His mouth is shut;
Of silence he
Ain't nothing else but.

REPUBLICAN RETRENCHMENT RECORD

Washington, Oct. 6.—As an illustration of "getting down to brass tacks," there is nothing more impressive than the mathematical demonstration of Republican economy as set forth by Congressman Martin B. Madden, Chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations. If the American people want public money saved, as most of them do, they can find plenty of encouragement in that direction in the past record of the present regime. In his statement, Mr. Madden goes back to 1919 when the Republicans took control of Congress and began to cut the Democratic demands for appropriations. He says:

"The financial record made by the Republican Congress during the two years from 1919 to 1921, while the administration was Democratic, and by the Republican administration in full control of the executive and legislative branches of the government since 1921 is not surpassed in any period of history of the country.

"Upon assembling in extra session in May, 1919, the new Republican Congress was confronted with the duty of passing, before the commencement of the fiscal year on July 1, 1919, eight of the largest of the supply bills which the Democratic Congress had failed to enact into law before it went out of power. Those bills at the time of their failure were all pending in the Senate. The amounts carried in them at the time of their failure aggregated $3,768,000,000. The total of the same eight bills after their re-passage was $2,828,000,000. The first legislative action of the new Congress resulted in the passage of these bills before the fiscal year began and in the decrease of the appropriations proposed by the Democratic Congress for the fiscal year 1920 by $940,000,000. The estimates for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1921 and 1922, respectively and deficiency estimates for prior years, were prepared by the Wilson administration and submitted to the Republican Congress. The reductions made by the Congress in these estimates aggregate slightly more than $2,950,000,000.

"The total reductions which the Republican Congress effected in the amounts proposed to it by the Democratic administration for the fiscal years 1920, 1921 and 1922, reach $3,890,000,000."

Mr. Madden then shows that following these drastic cuts made by the Republican Congress in the demands of the Democratic administration, the Republican administration continued to reduce total appropriations, which reductions made possible two revenue bills reducing taxation. Along reductions of taxes there was also a reduction of the national debt to the extent of more than $5,000,000,000. Of this record, Mr. Madden further says:

"The Republican party has kept faith in its promises for retrenchment in government expenditures and financial reform. Its record is complete and unanswerable. From the assembly of the Congress in May, 1919, to the present date, every effort has been made to manage the affairs of the nation according to efficient, economical and sound business principles. The results speak for themselves. Appropriations have been reduced, erpenditures have correspondingly decreased, taxes have been lowered, the public debt and the interest charge have been lowered, the Budget has been balanced each year and has shown a comfortable margin on the surplus side, the number of employees has been cut, and the country has been given a Budget system. There is ample cause for approval of these accomplismments. The past few years have been critical in the affairs of the nations of the world. The present favorable situation of the United States is due in no small measure to the sound financial policy which has governed the management of its affairs. While other nations are struggling with overwhelming public debts that in some cases are as great or greater than their national wealth and are crying for relief from the taxes caused by deficits in their budgets, the people of the United States are enjoying the economic benefits which arise from sound financing on the part of the Federal government."

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of October 12, 1899.

On Saturday night the home of Mr. J. Bice of Thorsby was destroyed by fire.

Mr. T. U. Crumpton of Maplesville is adding a large wing to his store house. W. B. Garner and Wm. Atchison are doing the work.

Mrs. Fannie Culp, wife of Mr. E. H. Culp, died at Lily October 1st.

Miss Ola Davis of Energy visited in Clanton last Tuesday.

Miss Emma Potts has returned to school at Montevallo.

Mr. J. B. Farley of Pletcher was here last Friday.

COUNTY BUYS NEW 10-TON CATERPILLAR ROAD TRACTOR

To the road-working machinery of Chilton County has this week beed added by the Commissioners Court one ten-ton Taterpillar tractor. The county already had two 5-ton tractors, besides two or three army trucks which were given by the federal government. With the new big tractor, the road working machinery will be geting somewhere near adequate to take care of our county roads.

It takes improved machinery to work the roads with now-a-days when there is so much traffic by motor cars and motor trucks, and our court of county commissioners are awaks to this fact.

SELLS BIG HOG

Mr. J. D. Sutley of Oak Grove brought to Marcus' Market in Clanton Thursday a dressed hog which weighed 400 pounds after being dressed. The hog brought Mr. Sutley 10c a pound or exactly $40.00

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The Road To Better Health

WHAT ARE YOUR BABY'S PLAYTHINGS?

By Dr. W. J. Scholes

Are you careless about leaving pins, safety-pins, coins, buttons, corks or other small objects where babies or small children can get hold of them?

Dr. Russell S. Rowland of Detroit, says that cases in which such objects are swallowed or sucked into the air-pasages are more common than is generally supposed. Such accidents are often readily recognized because of a fit of choking or strangling occurring after a foreign body is known to have been placed in the mouth.

But it sometimes happens that babies or small children aspirate small objects into the windpipe and that no one knows about it. The symptoms at the time of the accident may not be noticed or are soon forgotten. After a period of apparent freedom from trouble, symptoms resembling those of certain diseases may develop, according to Rowland.

Other Disease Suspected

He states that croup, diptheria, tuberculosis asthma, pneumonia and more less common diseases have been suspected when the trouble was caused by a foreign body lodged in the windpipe, bronchial tubes or lungs. Objects lodged in the esophagus for any length of time may cause ulceration which is dangerous.

Attention is called to the danger of babies playing with powderboxes, and spilling some of the powder on the face. It may get into the bronchial tubes and lungs and cause serious trouble or even result in death.

Dr. Chevalier Jackson of Philadelphia, says that about 90 per cent of the cases of this kind are due to carelessness that is avoidable. Extreme care should be exercised to keep objects of such size that they are easily put into the mouth away from babies and small children. The bad habit of putting things into the mouth should be corrected as soon as possible.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Neurities

Mrs. C. E. E. writes: "For over a year I have had a pain in one arm and shoulder. Different doctors have told me that I have neuritis, but I do not get any permanent relief. What causes neuritis? Is there any cure for it?"

Reply

Neuritis seemes to have many different causes. The list includes: Infections of the teeth, tonsils, sinuses, appendix, gall bladder and pelvis. diseases such as diabetis, anemia, tuberculosis, syphilis, and Bright's disease; chronic poisoning from lead, arsenic, alcohol, and tobacco; and the effects of strain, injuries or pressure on the nerves.

The way to a cure lies in finding and removing the cause. This may require a careful examination including laboratory tests of the blood and urine and X-Ray examinations.

Applications of heat, the therapeutic lamp, and massage often give some temporary relief.

Has A Floating Cartilage

A. M. writes: "Every little while my right knee gets 'locked' and causes me a lot of pain. I have been told that I have a floating cartilage in the knee joint. Is there any way that this can be cured without an operation?"

Reply

The only way that the cartilage can be removed IS by operation.

Chalazion

Mrs. W. B. H. writes: "Our three year old son has a swelling on one of his eyelids. When it first started we thought it was a stye. It has gradually gotten larger but does not seem to hurt him. Is there anything we can put on it to take it down."

Reply

The eyelid contains some small glands, the ducts of which open onto the lid margin. If one of these ducts becomes stopped up, the retained secretion results in a distention of the gland, which causes the swelling on the eyelid. This condition is called a chalazion, and is probably what your son has.

A small chalazion is sometimes treated by massage; a large one will require removal. Do nothing with it except on the advice of your doctor.

Has Asthma

L. A. G. writes: "I have suffered from asthma for two years. I have taken a lot of medicine for it, both from doctors and patent medicines, but keep on getting attacks. Some of the powders that you burn give me some relief during the attacks. Is there any cure?"

Reply

A permanent cure depends upon finding out just exactly what is causing the asthma in any individual case. This can often be determined by a series of skin tests which will show to what substances you have become sensitized. Pollen, dander of animals such as the horse, animal hair, bacteria, and the protein of foods are among the frequent causes.

When you have determined the cause, you can either avoid it, or undergo treatment to produce desensitization.

Foods to Increase Weight

T. L. S. asks: "What are the best foods to eat when one wishes to put on more weight?"

Reply

Bread, potatoes, sweet potatoes, milk, butter, cream, cereals, rice crackers, and things made with flour such as biscuits or muffins.

Be sure to try to build muscles and not merely accumulate fat.

Cancer Not Contagious

Mrs. F. G. asks: "Is cancer contagious, I am caring for a relative who has one."

Reply

Cancer is not regarded as contagious.

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FINE PEARS

Last Saturday Mr. W. M. Poole of Route 2 brought into the Banner Office a rather exceptional display of pears. Mr. Poole had one little twig about six inches long on which hung seven full-developed pears, the whole weighing 2 3/4 pounds. He had another bunch which contained four pears. Both bunches were left at the Banner office for display. Mr. Poole told us that as the pears ripened and fell off, we could eat them. So if you doubt the truthfulness of this story, come to our office and we will show you the stems.

OAK GROVE

There will be a cream and chicken supper at this place next Saturday night, Oct. 18. Be sure and come and bring someone with you and let's have a good time.

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ELECTION NOTICE

The State of Alabama,
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I, T. J. Littlejohn, Sheriff of Chilton County, Alabama, in conformity with Section 357, page 329, of the Political Code of Alabama, (1907), hereby give notice that a General Election of the qualified voters of Chilton County, Alabama, will be held in the several election precincts of said county on **Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1924**, for the election of:—

Twelve Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States; one United States Senator from Alabama, two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of Alabama, one Associate Judge Court of Appeals of Alabama; State Commissioner of Game and Fisheries of Alabama; President Alabama Public Service Commission; Representative in Congress from the Fourth Congressional District of Alabama; County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Third District of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Fourth District of Chilton County, Alabama; two members of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama; two Justices of the Peace for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama; one Constable for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama;

Also whether the following amendments to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, viz:

Proposed Amndment No. 1.

Shall the following proposed amendment, Section 194 1-2 of the Constitution of Alabama, be adopted?

"No person who honorably served in the military or naval service of the United States, between January 1st, 1917 and November 11, 1918, shall be required to pay the poll tax mentioned in the Constitution of Alabama; such persons shall be exempt from the payment of all poll taxes which have accrued or may hereafter accrue. This section shall be self-executing and retroactive. The Judges of Probate shall issue certificates of exemption from the payment of such poll taxes to the persons entitled thereto under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Governor."

Proposed Amendment No. 2.

Shall the following be adopted as Article XXI of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The Legislature may form of provide for the formation of districts for establishing and maintaining a drainage system; for the building and maintaining of public roads, and for building and maintaining a seawall or other protection against waves, storm or flood therein; and provide for the assessment of the whole or part of the cost of such improvements against the land in such districts to the extent of the increased value of such land by reason of the special benefits derived from such improvements, and may provide for the issuance of bonds by such district with or without any election. Provided the provisions as to road and seawall shall apply only to Mobile and Baldwin Counties."

Proposed Amendment No. 3.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"The County of Mobile, through its constituted governing authorities, may levy and collect for public school purposes, a rate of taxation, on the property situated therein, not exceeding the total of any one year, one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution of Alabama and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the said Constitution of Alabama, which said one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum shall be in addition to taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to the authority of Section 215 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, which Article XIX was added to the said Constitution by Amendment; and existing laws attempting or purporting to authorize, empower and direct the said constituted authorities of the County of Mobile to levy and assess such a special tax in addition to the taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Section 215 of the Constitution as aforesaid and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution as aforesaid are hereby validated and confirmed."

Proposed Amendment No. 4.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama?

"The municipalities of Thorsby, Piedmont, and Greenville, and Roanoke, and Greensboro and Calera, Florala and Opp, Evergreen and Fayette, and Clayton and Clio in the State of Alabama, shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of one-half of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation for the tax year ending on the thirteenth day of September next succeeding the levy; provided that for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness issued and outstanding at the time of the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness which may be issued or incurred after the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, and an additional tax of one-half of one per centum may be levied and collected by said corporations; provided further that a majority of the qualified electors of any of said municipal corporations voting at an election called for that purpose may vote a special tax not to exceed one-half of one per centum in any one year for any special purpose or purposes, which tax shall be used only for the purpose or purposes for which same is levied and collected; provided, however, that the total tax to be levied by any of said municipal corporations shall not exceed one and one-half (1-2) per centum in any one year. Alabama City shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of three-quarters of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation. Provided, further, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, or authority or right of either of said municipal corporations to levy and collect the special school taxes, now or hereafter vested in or conferred upon them, or any of them, under the Constitution or any amendment thereto; including the power of the city of Selma to levy and collect the taxes for schools and school purposes vested in and conferred upon said city of Selma by the amendment to the Constitution of Alabama adopted thereto at the general election held in November, 1916, and which was submitted under law Number 315, General Laws 1915, page 337, each election held under the provisions hereof shall be ordered, held, canvassed and may be contested in the same manner as is or may be provided by the law applicable to the municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The ballots used at such election shall contain the words: "For .....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years).....;" and "Against..... excess rate of taxation for the year (or years)....." The rate of taxation proposed in excess of the rate of one (1) per centum to be shown in the blank space provided therefor and the year or years in which the proposed rate is to apply to be shown in the blank space provided therefor; and in the event different excess rates are proposed for different years the words mentioned shall be repeated as often as may be necessary to show separately the different rates proposed to be applied to the respective years. And the voter shall record his choice, whether for or against the excess rate or rates shown by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his choice. Nothing herein contained shall in any wise change or affect the rights of any holder of bonds of municipal corporations heretofore issued. Elections to authorize the levy of such special tax may be held as often as ordered by the governing body of the municipality but when a proposition is submitted to the electors to levy a special tax for a

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specific purpose, and such proposition is defeated no second election for the same shall be held in one year thereafter."

Proposed Amendment No. 5.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

Proposed Amendment No. 290. "Mobile County man become indebted and may issue bonds for the construction or improvement of concrete or better than concrete surfaced public roads, and concrete or better than concrete public bridges in said county, and for the construction of bridges and roadway necessary to provide a public road for vehicular travel between the highlands of Mobile and Baldwin Counties, in an amount not to exceed six ane one-half per centum of the assessed value of the property situated in Mobile County. To pay said indebtedness and the interest thereon, Mobile County may levy and collect an annual tax on said property not to exceed one-half of one per centum of said value. The indebtedness, the bonds and the tax authorized hereby shall be in addition to those authorized by the Constitution of Alabama prior to the adoption of this amendment. But no such additional indebtedness shall be created, and no such additional bonds shall be issued, and no such additional tax shall be levied, until each improvement or construction proposed to be built thereby, its approximate location, estimated cost and time of completion, and the amount of the proposed increase, shall have been determined upon and made public by the Board of Revenue and Road Commissioners of Mobile County, and the proposed increase of indebtedness or issue of bonds or tax therefor shall have been first authorized by a majority vote by ballot of the qualified voters of Mobile County voting upon such proposition."

Proposed Amendment No. 6

Shall the following be adopted as Article.....of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The County of Walker, State of Alabama, shall have power to levy and collect a special road tax not exceeding fifty cents on each hundred dollars worth of taxable property in said county in addition to that now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized for the erection, construction or maintenance of the necessary public roads, bridges or ferries and in addition to that now authorized under Section 215 of Article XI of the Constitution, which special county tax so levied and collected shall be applied exclusively to the purpose for which the same was so levied and collected; provided, that the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and he purpose thereof shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county, and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election." Section 2. "Twenty-five per centum of all moneys derived from property lying within the municipalities and arising from the tax proposed herein shall be paid to such municipality and shall, by it, be expended for upkeep of its streets." Section 3. "The Court of County Commissioners, Boards of Revenue, or other governing body of said county may, or upon written petition of ten per centum of the qualified voters of Walker County, shall call and submit said election provided for and authorized by Section 1 hereof to the qualified electors of Walker County either at the time of the general election or at a special election called for that purpose; proivded that said election shall be called and held in accordance with the law now or that may be enacted governing county bond elections, and in conformity with the general election laws of the State."

Proposed Amendment No. 7

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"Town Creek School District No. 59, Landersville School District No. 23 and Moulton School District No. 28, in Lawrence County, Alabama, shall each have the right and power by vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such district at an election held fir that purpose to levy and collect for the purpose of acquiring, constructing or repairing of school buildings in such districts or paying for school buildings already built, a tax of not over five mills in any one year, in addition to all other taxes now authorized by law. The election in such district to determine whether or not such tax shall be levied shall be called, held and conducted as now provided by law for calling, holding and conducting of elections to determine whether or not a three-mill district school tax shall be levied and collected."

Dated at Clanton, Ala., this the 7th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff Chilton County, Ala.

MT. CREEK

Editor Union-Banner:

Please announce through your paper that there will be an all-day singing at Messer's Chapel church the third Sunday in this month the 19th. one-half mile of Verbena. Everybody is invited to come and especially the leaders.

Everybody bring your 1924 song books and a well filled basket.

H. L. NATION.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Of J. T. Fowler, Executor of Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, Deceased.

J. T. Fowler, Executor of the Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, having appeared on this, the 14th day of October, 1924, and filed his petition, accounts, vouchers and evidences for a final settlement of his said administration:

It is ordered by the court that the 8th day of November, 1924, be, and it is hereby the day set, on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested may appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

This the 14th day of October, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

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LETTER FROM PITTSFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS

The Union-Banner, and those who remember me as Lettie Walker:—

I've been thinking of writing from this part of the earth for some time, at least it seems a long way from old Chilton, anyway, I have my Banner once a week and beleive me I always look forward to it.

October is here and soon we shall have snow, loads of it. I shall always remember my first winter here and how I used to sit at the window and gaze at the beautiful snow. We had no rain from October until April. It seemed to me it snowed every day. We had fifteen feet of snow in front of the house, had a tunnel dug from the porch to the street. I could imagine I was in Eskimo land. Honestly, I never dreamed there was so much snow this side of Greenland, and I dared not get out; if I did I would either slip on ice or go under. I had always wanted to see lots of it, but before my first winter was over I was entirely satisfied. I often wondered why people did not freeze to death. They didn't seem to mind at all. The children were out all day with their sleds and snow shoes.

Now that I am accustomed to it, I like it. We have all kinds of winter sports and it is very healthy in the Berkshires, which by the way, our little city is surrounded by. And then our three months of summer and the beautiful drives, and lakes for swimming. Pittsfield is a summer resort and we have people from all over the States here for vacations.

I should certainly miss the mountains now. There is something friendly about them. Mt. Greylock is our highest and my husband and I chaperoned a bunch of young people up there one night to watch the sun rise. We climbed for five miles (I thought it was ten), but believe me, I was repaid for my sore limbs; the sunrise was gorgeous. It was in July and I almost froze from the cold, but I shall always feel glad that I went. One can stand on the tower and see into eight different states. I saw the Catskills very plainly. Most school children have read the story of the great stone face. I have been fortunate enough to see that and so many other places of interest. The roads are so good here that anyone can travel about 200 miles and take in all these places and get home in good season.

Next summer I am planning on seeing Niagara Falls, which is only about three hundred miles from here.

I hope anyone from Chilton county, who wishes to take a vacation, will come to Pittsfield and look me up. I should do everything in my power to assist them in enjoying the beautiful Berkshires.

With many good wishes to The Banner and my friends.

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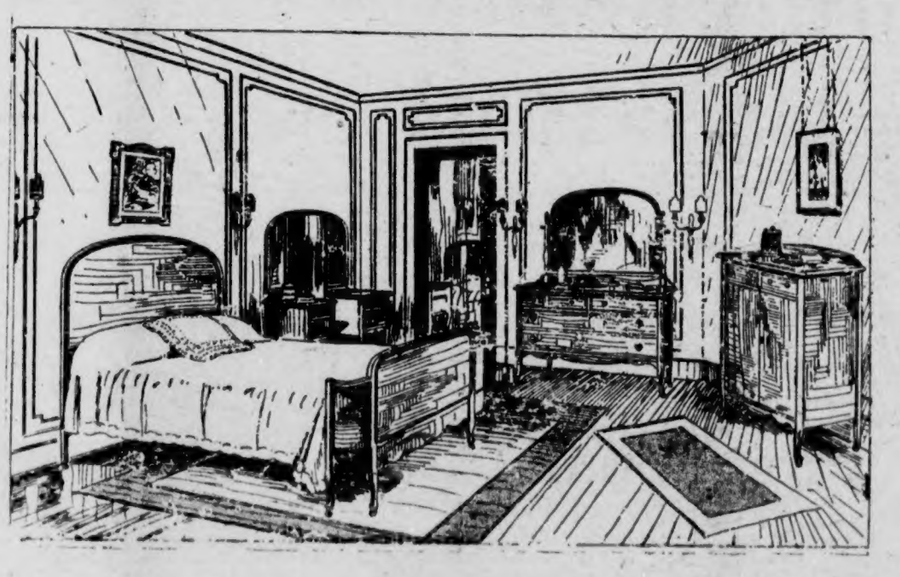

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF CHILTON COUNTY

HOWARD L. FOSHEE, County Superintendent
For Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 1924.

Include under Receipts and under Payments all expenditures by Board of Revenue, etc., for supplies for superintendent's office or for any other school purpose; local funds for school libraries, for supplementing teachers' salaries, for erection, repair and equipment of buildings, etc.; even though these funds are not handled by county treasurer of school funds. If exact figures are not available, estimate as closely as possible.

	RECEIPTS	Give Dollars Only
I. Revenue receipts:		
1.	State apportionment; bonus fund; erection, repair and equipment fund; library fund; illiteracy fund; revolving fund, etc.	$ 38337
2.	County tax; poll tax	39822
3.	District tax	32168
4.	Amount received from county board of revenue	0
5.	State and Federal funds for vocational education	1199
6.	From other districts for tuition	0
7.	Matriculation, incidental fees, gifts, bequests, contributions, fines and penalties, rent, interest, etc. (include Rosenwald, Jeanes, and General Education Board money here)	0
	Total (Items 1 to 7)	$ 111526
II. Non-revenue receipts:		
8.	From loans, bond sales, and unpaid warrants (do not include money borrowed and paid back during same fiscal year)	188
9.	From sales of property and proceeds of insurance adjustments	426
10.	Other non-revenue receipts	0
11.	**Balance on hand from previous year**	1104
	Total (Items 8 to 11)	$ 1717
	Gross Receipts (Total of Items 1 to 11)	1132443
	Deduct apportionments to cities, $.....; to county high schools, $2,000; and to state secondary agricultural school, $.....; totaling as follows	2000
	Net Receipts Available for Use in County Schools During Year	$ 111243

	PAYMENTS	
I. General control (overhead charges):		
12.	School board (per diem, office expenses, etc.)	$ 276
13.	Superintendent (salary and expenses, salaries and expenses of office force and assistants—not supervisors)	3135
14.	Compulsory attendance (salaries and expenses)	109
15.	Total (Items 12 to 14 inclusive)	3520

		White Schools	Colored Schools
II. Instruction in day schools:			
16.	Salaries and expenses of high school supervisors	$ 2391	$
17.	Salaries and expenses of elementary school supervisors	0	16
18.	Salaries and expenses of high school supervising principals	0	0
19.	Salaries and expenses of elementary supervising principals	0	0
20.	Salaries and expenses of male high school teachers	8748	0
21.	Salaries and expenses of female high school teachers	4804	0
22.	Salaries and expenses of male elementary school teachers	10833	960
23.	Salaries and expenses of female elementary school teachers	39679	3190
24.	Salaries and expenses of female kindergarten teachers	0	0
25.	Text-books—high school	0	0
26.	Text-books—elementary school	0	0
27.	Supplies and other expenses of instruction—high school	0	0
28.	Supplies and other expenses of instruction—elementary school	88	0
29.	Total (Items 16 to 28 inclusive)	$66543	$ 4166

		Give Dollars Only White Schools	Colored Schools
III. Instruction in evening schools:			
30.	High school	$ 0	$ 0
31.	Elementary school	0	0
32.	Total (Items 30 and 31)	$ 0	$ 0
IV. Operation of school plant:			
33.	Wages of janitors, engineers, etc., in high schools	$ 0	$ 0
34.	Wages of janitors, engineers, etc., in elementary schools	182	0
35.	Fuel, light, water, power, janitor's supplies and other expenses in high schools	0	0
36.	Fuel, light, water, power, janitor's supplies and other expenses in elementary schools	372	0
37.	Total (Items 33 to 36 inclusive)	$ 554	$ 0
V. Maintenance of school plant (repair, upkeep and replacement):			
38.	High school	$ 114	$ 0
39.	Elementary school	453	0
40.	Totals (Items 38 and 39)	567	0
VI. Auxiliary agencies:			
41.	High school libraries	$ 0	$ 0
42.	Elementary school libraries	100	0
43.	Promotion of health in high schools	0	0
44	Promotion of health in elementary schools	0	0
45.	Transportation of pupils to high schools	0	0
46.	Transportation of pupils to elementary schools	5409	0
47.	Lunch rooms, recreation centers, playgrounds, etc., at high schools	0	0
48.	Lunch rooms, recreation centers, playgrounds, etc., at elementary schools	0	0
49.	Totals (Items 41 to 48 inclusive)	$ 5509	$ 0
VII. Miscellaneous:			
50.	Fixed charges (pensions, rent, insurance, etc.)	$ 843	$ 0
51.	New grounds and buildings, alteration of old buildings—not repairs	9138	325
52.	New equipment—not replacements	1628	0
53.	Liquidation of debts	15496	0
54.	Interest on indebtedness	42	0
55.	Refunds	0	0
56.	Total (Items 50 to 55 inclusive)	$27147	$ 325
	Total payments (Items 15, 29, 32, 37, 40, 49 and 56)	**$103840**	**$ 4491**

57. Payments to other counties or to cities for tuition of transfers, $0.
58. School bonds outstanding $2,000.
59. Other forms of debt (including overdrafts) $0.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE, Superintendent.
October 6, 1924.

SUPPLEMENTARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF CHILTON COUNTY

For Fiscal Year Ending Sept. 30, 1924.

State Dept. Education, Montgomery, Ala.
Dear Sirs:

The regular financial report hereto attached shows only the funds handled directly by the County Board of Education, such as state, county, and district funds. The following additional amounts have been used for school purposes during this fiscal year:

Library Funds raised locally	$ 100.
Library Funds, State aid	100.
Stanton Dist. No. 4 for Equipment—	
Raised locally	960.
State aid	480.
Enterprise Dist. No. 13 to Complete Building—	
Raised locally	1000.
Verbena Dist. No. 15 to Begin Building—	
Raised locally	5100.
County Training School—	
Raised locally	3560.
Rosenwald Funds	1300.
State aid	2140.
Collins Chapel, Dist. No. 46, to Begin Building—	
Raised locally	2000.
Thorsby, Dist. No. 66, New Building—	
Raised locally	11000.
Jemison, Dist. No. 70, Auditorium and Additions—	
Raised locally	3000.
State aid	1515.
County Court of Commissioners for stationery and supplies for the office of County Supt., about	250.
Funds raised and spent locally reported on statistical report	11434.
Repairs of buildings not owned by State, and other moneys not otherwise reported, estimated	2000.
Total	$45939.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE, County Supt. Education.
Oct. 6th, 1924.

LEGAL NOTICES

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)	
Providence,	13	Oct.	1
Robinson's Store,	12	Oct.	2
Mullins Academy,	1	Oct.	3
Providence,	16	Oct.	4
Shoults,	7	Oct.	6
Riderville,	8	Oct.	7
Macedonia,	14	Oct.	8
Cane Creek,	11	Oct.	9
Enterprise,	6	Oct.	10
Stanton,	8	Oct.	11
Maplesville,	7	Oct.	13
Mars Hill,	2	Oct.	14
Jemison,	2	Oct.	15
Pletcher,	15	Oct.	16
Coopers,	10	Oct.	17
Mineral Springs,	12	Oct.	18
Benson,	3	Oct.	20
Thorsby,	9	Oct.	21
Kincheon,	6	Oct.	22
Culp Schoolhouse,	15	Oct.	23
Verbena,	5	Oct.	24
Mt. Creek,	5	Oct.	25
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov.	8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL LAND

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probte Court:

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Baker, as guardian of Gulma Brunice Baker-Powell, has filed his petition in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to sell, for re-investment, the following described real estate, situatd in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14) and running thence east on the Forty line 220 wards, thence north 220 yards, thence west 220 yards, thence south along the Forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, and containing Ten acres more or less.

And that Tuesday, October 21, 1924 is the day appointed for the hearing of said petition.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-25-4t-c Judge of Probate.

LICENSE NOTICE

All automobile tags will be ready by the first of October. Remember that everybody who gets a new tag will first have to procure a certificate of title to the car. If you have lost your cerificate of title you can get a duplicate from this office.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

The undersigned, convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton County for murder, hereby gives notice that she will make application to the State Board of Pardons and to his Excellency, the Governor, for pardon or parole.

Signed
10-9-3t-ch. HATTIE POPE.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Eight in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

D. M. Apperson and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Seven in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

C. N. Parnell and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

"How Dreams Come True."

On Sunday night, October 12th at 7:30 o'clock at the Baptist church, the Young Women's Auxiliary presented a pageant entitled, "How Dreams Come True." The exercises were prepared for and given before the Woman's Missionary Society a few weeks ago. After numerous requests, the pageant was adapted to the general church service and given again. The crowded house attested to their expectations, and they were not disappointed.

The appeal of the pageant was for the loyalty on the part of the church to our great Captain, Jesus Christ, in the fight against Ignorance, Indifference and Worldliness. The young ladies did their parts in a very creditable manner. The music by Miss Kathleen Mullins and the singing behind the scenes added greatly to the effectiveness of the whole. A great deal of the credit is also due to the faithful work of Mrs. J. P. Hayes.

This superb delineation of the trials and crosses that dog the footsteps of the devoted pastor and his flock, was conceived, written and dramatized by Mrs. S. J. Ezell, the most accomplished and zealous wife of the pastor, Dr. S. J. Ezell. In its development almost every phase of the daily opposition that it met with in the effort to spread the gospel and to point the footsteps of humanity into the better way, was strongly portrayed and most effectively brought out. One young man remarked to us that he got more out of that wonderful and beautiful service than out of all the sermons he had ever listened to. t was indeed a masterpiece in its spiritual conception and sublimely wonderful in its appeal to all that is best in the human heart.

The gifted authoress of this inspirational service should be humanly proud of its success and divinely elated over the spiritual influence it exerted. With the very greatest respect we extend to her our sincere thanks and warmest congratulations.

Mission Study.

The Mission Study Class held its regular meeting on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the new Methodist church building. The subject of the study was "The 18th Amendment and Law Enforcement." Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. Joe Calloway as leaders for the afternoon, gave splendid talks on "Save America.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones spent Sunday and Monday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Upchurch Entertains.

Mrs. E. E. Upchurch gave a miscellaneous shower on last Saturday afternoon, October 11th, in honor of Miss Warrene Spigener, a bride-elect. The beautiful home was decorated in a variety of fall flowers and Southern Smilax, and the colors of the auxiliary, pink, white and green, predominated in the entire apartments. The guests were met at the door by Mrs. Watts Moore, then Mrs. Ellis introduced them to the receiving room. Those receiving were Mrs. Upchurch, Miss Warrene Spigener, Mrs. Spigener, Miss Madelyn Orr and Miss Della Latham. Then the guests were shown into the sun-parlor by Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. Jasper Calloway, where they were served punch by Mrs. Latham Ellis. Mrs. Mallie White kept the bride's book, where the guests registered. While Mrs. Percy Pitts played the wedding march, the dining room was thrown open, where Miss Spigener was seated on a white throne. Four attendants dressed in white stood by the bride-to-be. Little Ollie Rainer Elmore and Cameron McDavid Jr., were dressed as privates and presented the "Chest O' Gild" to the queen. Before the chest was opened Miss Mary Ellis gave an appropriate poem setting forth what Warrene would find and the good wishes accompanying. While the chest of gifts of silver and hand-made presents were being opened, Miss Kathleen Mullins entertained with several selections at the piano. Delicious cake and cream were served to about fifty guests.

Civic Club Meeting.

The Civic Club met at the home of Mrs. Watts Moore on last Thursday afternoon. The home was made beautiful with fall flowers which were effectively arranged throughout the entire interior. After the business meeting a reception was given in honor of the faculties of the two schools of the city. The guests were met by Mrs. J. C. Jones and Mrs. John VanDevveer, and introduced to the receiving line, who were: Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. McDavid, and all the teachers of both schools. The guests were shown into the dining room by Mrs. Hayes, where they were served punch and sandwiches by Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mrs. Eric Hart and Mrs. Grover Harris. Afterwards a beautiful musical program was rendered by Miss Alma Robinson, Miss McKinnon, Miss Watson, Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. Elna Roberts.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

The League meets every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Methodist church. A cordial invitation is extended to the boys and girls. A missionary program will be rendered Sunday afternoon, October 19th, Sam Gowan, leader. Subject, Walter Russell Lambrith, World Christian; song, by League; League yell, by all; scripture reading, Acts 26:14-20-22, by leader; reading, "A Hero Passed," by Courtland Retherford; Training and Preparation, by Reese Mullins; song; "Work at home and in the Field," by Arthur Broadhead; "Gathering the Best Sheaves," Elwyn Gore; song, all standing; League Benediction.

Come on boys, and lets beat the girls in putting on the best program.

The Bible Study will meet on Monday, October 20th, at the Methodist church, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Wilkerson, the teacher, urges a large attendance. The time of meeting has been arranged so that those who wish may attend the afternoon revival services at the Baptist Church.

Be at church Sunday morning. Every Sunday is "Go-to-Church Sunday." There will be a special two-minute talk on the "Absentee Member" by Mr. McDavid. Come hear this, and a good sermon by your preacher. Come to the Methodist church Sunday.

Card Club Meets.

A lovely meeting of the Card Club was held at the home of Mrs. Hugh Simpson on last Wednesday afternoon. The home was beautiful with dahlias and late fall flowers. Bridge was played until a late hour, after which a salad plate with ice tea was served to the club members and a few guests.

Miss G. L. Chandler, who has spent some time with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Chandler, left for Montgomery Monday, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Morgan.

Mrs. C. B. King of Pelham will spend some time with her father, Mr. W. A. Kemp in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haire of St. Claire County stopped in our town for a while, enroute to Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones and Miss Sarah Jones motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal from Birmingham spent several days in Clanton last week. Mr. Royal is selling the Buick car.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson of Birmingham spent the week end in Clanton with relatives.

Mrs. Clara Jackson of Evergreen is spending some time with her mother and sister, Mrs. W. A. Mullins and Miss Bettie Mullins.

Mr. Charles Moore, who is in school at the University of Alabama, spent the week end with friends and relatives in Clanton.

Miss Kathleen Mullins went to Montgomery Wednesday, where she will spend the rest of the week. She will also attend the fashion shows while in the city.

SHERIFF'S SALE, REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Equity Division of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Twelve and 93-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January term, 1924 of said Court, against Mary E. Martin, E. W. Martin, W. T. Martin and Wretha Williams, in favor of the Officers of the Court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 10th day of November, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary E. Martin, in and to the following described real estate, viz: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N.E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.

This, 9th day of October, 1924.
T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.
Posted at the court house door, October 9th, 1924.
10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County — Circuit Court in Equity, January Term, 1924.
To Mrs. Mary E. Martin:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, in favor of Officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N. E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.
10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

ROBINSON CIRCUS TO BE AT MONTGOMERY

John Robinson's Circus, The Greatest Trained Wild Animal Circus On Earth, the oldest, the biggest and the best; now on it's 101st anniversary tour of the North American Continent, will pay a visit to this territory in the near future, being scheduled to appear in Montgomery on Monday, October 20th.

The mention of the John Robinson Circus and Trained Wild Animals arouses the light of fond memories in the eyes somewhat dimmed by advancing years, as it is the show of our grandfathers, and fathers, and the oldest white top organization on the face of the globe.

With more elephants, more jungle beasts, more clowns, more clowns more spangled folks, a three-ring-two steel arena performances, and a longer street parade—so read the posters—the old favorite, in new garb and with an entirely new offering of aerial and arenic displays, as well as wild animal numbers, will be with us soon.

Throughout the city and adjacent countryside, gay posters meet the eye, for the one hundred agents, billposters and lithographers, have done their work well. All is arranged for the gala day's activities under the big top—railroad accomodations for the long trains, supplies for over 700 people, five hundred horses and the big augmented menagerie, and the other thousand and one details necessary for the arrival, parade and the performances.

Minneapolis Tribune—The farmer of the Northwest has no desire to put the railroads into the hands of the Government. He can clearly foresee higher wages, shorter hours and more employees, the payment of which will come out of his pocket.

Marion Star.—Mr. Wheeler is so inclined to think that just about everybody is crooked that we are bound to wonder if at times he doesn't feel inclined to suspect himself.

SPENT FORTUNE IN SEARCH

"I spent $1,800 in 7 years treating with physicians, some specialists costing me $10 a visit, only to at least say that nothing could be done for me, that had cancer or ulcers of the stomach. I suffered awful pains in my stomach, but after taking a few doses of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy these all disappeared and for 3 years am feeling fine. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflamation that causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and all good druggists.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1924
AT 9:00 O'CLOCK, A.M.
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One Fine Black Horse; Two Jersey Cows; One Good Farm Wagon; One Buggy and Harness; and all kinds of Farming Implements; also Corn and Velvet Beans; Fine Mungbean Hay Baled; and Corn Fodder.

MR. J. M. MIMS, Auctioneer.

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ONLY 12 MORE DAYS UNTIL BIG ELECTION

People Should Begin Now to Set Plans to go to Polls on Tuesday, Nov. 4th and Vote.

Next Tuesday week, November 4th. is the day on which the people of the United States will choose their president for the next four years. This is the most important office which the people of our country have to fill, therefore all qualified voters should set their stakes to go to their respective voting places on that day and cast their ballot. The destiny of the nation depends on the choice the voters make for the man to fill the position of chief executive of this great republic, so we cannot afford to pass the matter up lightly. The political conditions of Alabama and the South have denied the people down here the privilege of knowing very much about what the three candidates for President stand for, but we all know from past experience what we may expect from either of the party's candidates. We have experienced Democratic administrations, and we know what they will bring us. We are now experiencing a Republican administration under Mr. Coolidge, and we know without a doubt what we may expect if he is retained as chief executive. Of course, no one knows what La Follette would bring if he were elected, but no one who has the interest of the country at heart and who has given the matter due thought can afford to go into such an important matter blind-fold. This is where we would be should La Follette be elected. Let's go to the polls and vote for the electors for the man for President whom we have tried and know to be sound and capable of handling the affairs of our national government. This man is Calvin Coolidge, the names of whose electors appear under the elephant on the big ballot.

The nominees for the county offices on the Republican ticket stand for the same things that the party as a nation stands for. These candidates were nominated by the people in the primary election, and are therefore a product of the choice of all the Republican voters of the county. We all know Miss Genie Collins, our nominee for County Treasurer. She told us before the primary what she stood for and what she would do if elected. Mr. Vinson has served as Commissioner from the fourth district before, and he made as good commissioner as we have ever had. We may expect the same thing from him again. Mr. Burnett from the third district is a new man so far as county politics is concerned, but he carries the commendation of his many friends over the county. He is a staunch Republican and he does not deny it. He is a Republican and he comes out as a Republican, therefore, we know what to expect from him. Mr. Baker and Mr. Smith for members of the County Board of Education are tried and true Republicans. Mr. Smith was chosen by the people in the primary and Mr. Baker was petitioned by a number of Republicans a few weeks ago. Both men are well known.

If a man comes clean with the voters before the election, we have reason to believe that he will stay with them after he is put into office. If a man dodges the question and will not come out face to face with the people and tell them what he is and what he stands for before the election, we can only justly expect that after he is elected he will still be deceptive and uncertain about the people's business. The Republican candidates do not hide behind any false face and tell you to vote for them. They are Republicans and they pose as Republicans. They endorse the past records of Republican officials of our county and nation, and they are not ashamed to say who they are. We cannot afford to entrust the duties of our public offices to men who will not tell the people where they stand but who hide behind a smoke screen and attempt to decieve the people as to their politicl coloring. The men on the so-called Non-Partisan ticket claim here of the last few days to totally disregard all party lines, but never have they voted anything but the Democratic ticket, and never have they used their influence to help any man except a Democrat. There is something dead up the branch as sure as you are born, so the voters of the county should not be decieved by such equivorations but should vote for the nominees for county officers who are not ashamed to face their past political records and who come out plainly and call a spade a spade. Public offices are places of trist and should be filled by men who are not afraid to come out in the open and tell who they are and what they represent.

You can make no mistake next Tuesday week if you make only one cross mark in the circle under the elephant, thereby voting for every Republican nominee on the ticket. In this case you will know who you are voting for, otherwise you will be casting your ballot in doubt.

THE WIREGRASS JOURNAL WELCOMES REPUBLICAN MEN

Democratic Paper of Dothan Speaks Well of Reynolds And Street, Who Were to Speak There.

Below we are reproducing an article carried in The Wiregrass Journal of Dothan regarding Hon. O. D. Street and Judge L. H. Reynolds, who were to speak at Dothan Wednesday. The Journal gives these two men a fine send-off:

Two of the most prominent speakers in Alabama will be the leading speakers at a meeting which is scheduled to be held at the City Auditorium Wednesday October 22.

Mr. Oliver D. Street is chairman of the National Republican Committe of Alabama and Judge Reynolds is chairman of the Republican Campaign Committee of the state and both of these gentlemen are speaking in the interest of their party in the present campaign.

Mr. Street is one of the most prominent men and Masons of the state and a speaker who has earned a reputation for energetic and fearless adherence to his principles and has won many friends wherever he has appeared.

Judge Reynolds is Probate Judge of Chilton County and one of the best known speakers in the state and his address, "True Americanism" has earned him the reputation as a forceful and direct thinker and speaker.

The meeting in this city is the only one to be held in this county and a large crowd is expected to be present to hear these two most able speakers.

PHILATHEA CLASS TO MEET

The Philathea Class will hold it's social and business meeting with Mrs. Nabors Friday afternoon, 3 o'clock. All members urged to be present.

JUDGE REYNOLDS MAKES FINAL APPEAL TO THE VOTERS OF ALABAMA

This week Judge Reynolds is making a number of speeches in south Alabama in behalf of the Republican campaign in Alabama. The Judge has been very royally received by the people in several of the south Alabama towns where he has carried the campaign. He is mighty well pleased with the spirit of the people generally in regard to the Republican party in the State. Next week the Judge will go up in DeKalb County and make several political speethes. The good Republicans of that county are mighty anxious for Judge Reynolds to go up there and speak to them.

The campaign committee of the State with headquarters in Birmingham is sending out this week their final appeal in letter form. This letter contains some very pertinent facts which the voters of the State are facing, and which every person in the State should give their careful attention before casting their ballot on November 4th. Below we publish the letter in full:

Final Appeal to Voters of Alabama

The campaign is rapidly approaching it's close, and with it's closing I want to make one great appeal to every voter in Alabama regardless of party affiliations. As chairman of the Republican Campaign Committee of Alabama, I have not catered to any faction or clique, but have solicited the assistance of all the Republicans of Alabama and every voter who would by his or her vote foster the interest of our nation and State.

A study of political conditions reveals a peculiar political situation from a Democratic standpoint in Alabama. The leaders of the Democratic party do not seem to credit the average voter with the ability to do their own thinking, for they have not sent a single speaker into our State; not one single page of literature has been distributed, and not the slightest attention has been paid to the voters of Alabama. Why? Hitory for the last half century gives the answer, because Alabama has been a political serf of the Democratic party for the last fifty years or more, giving it her vote with characteristic faithfulness and getting nothing in return. Will the voters of Alabama not throw off the hoodwink of political bondage and do their own thinking?

What has Alabama to gain by delivering her vote to John W. Davis? Win or lose, Davis will not return the appreciation, as history has shown. What would Alabama gain by delivering her vote to Calvin Coolidge? It is almost a foregone conclusion that Coolidge will be elected, and then Alabama will have gained favor with the administration and the party in power for the next four years, and will be in position to ask for political favors, as only a politically free State could demand. If Alabama should throw off the mantle of Democratic suppression one time four years from now, we may rest assured that both parties will send their best speakers to our State, and in the meantime will be doing all in their power to win Alabama's favor.

America is in the midst of an era of prosperity, and the future even looms brighter. There are no soup houses, no strikes, no labor troubles, no employment shortage, farmers have made a fair crop, and thanks to protective tariff, are getting fair prices. Everywhere prosperity and good will prevails. Then we ask the question, Why change?

Mr. Coolidge has expressed himself as the president of all the American people, and has denounced none, and thus in the future there will be no discriminations. But Mr. Davis has denounced part of the American people and thus can cater to a part only in the way of political favors or otherwise. Davis will have to listen to his dictators, while Coolidge as president has shown that he does his own thinking.

In conclusion, let me make this final appeal to get our voters out and work for our cause until the last minute. Alabama is on the verge of asserting her political freedom. Will you do your part? Our State ticket compares favorably with any other, and when you cast your vote, remember that your taxes have increased from $2,198,420.00 to $19,676,053.00 in 1923, an increase of 795 per cent. Look at your tax receipt; remember the school book trusts, and vote for our State ticket and for Coolidge and Dawes, and keep prosperity.

L. H. REYNOLDS
Chairman Republican State Campaign Committee.

BIG COURT SETS IN CLANTON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

The Sheriff and his deputies have been mighty busy for the past week handing out and delivering subpoenas to the regular fall term of Circuit Court, which convenes at the court house in Clanton the day before the election, Monday, November 3rd. The grand jury will be in session at this time to make their usual investigations. It is anticipated that there will be several days of very busy courting at this term.

C. B. KENNAMER TO SPEAK HERE OCTOBER 25.

Mr. W. G. Culp, chairman of the Republican County Executive Committee, gives out the announcement that a speaking in the interest of the Republican party of Chilton County will be held at the court house on Saturday, Oct. 25, 2 p.m. Hon. C. B. Kennamer, United States Attorney, of Birmingham, will be the speaker. It is expected and hoped that a good crowd will be here to hear Mr. Kennamer.

Reynolds and Middleton to Speak

Judge L. H. Reynolds and Hon. J. O. Middleton will address the voters of the county in the interest of the Republican ticket at the following times and places:—

Union Grove, Thursday, Oct. 23, 7:00 p.m.

Clanton, Saturday, Oct. 25, 2:00 p. m.

Mars Hill, Monday, Oct. 27, 7:00 p. m.

Cane Creek, Wednesday, Oct. 29, 7:00 p.m.

Culps School House Friday, Oct. 31, 7:00 p.m.

Thorsby, Nov. 3, 7:00 p.m.

The people of the county are invited to attend all these speakings and hear the issues discussed. They will all be of interest to you. People from all over the county should hear Mr. Kennamer at the court house on Saturday, October 25th.

W. G. CULP, Chairman.

COME TO SUNDAY SCHOOL AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH

There were 371 present at Sunday School last Sunday. Let's make it 500 next Suuday.

Sunday School begins at 9:45, and there will be special song service. Devotion will be conducted by Mr. H. S. Shaw, after which a duet will be rendered.

Meet your friends at Sunday School next Sunday.

G. C. ARMSTRONG, Supt.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY CHANGES LOCAL MANAGER

One day last week the local management of the Standard Oil Company was changed from Mr. Frank Culpepper to Mr. J. P. Lawrence. Mr. Culpepper has been handling the Standard's business in this vicinity for ten or fifteen years and probably longer, and under his management the business has grown to be one of the best in Clanton.

The new manager, Mr. J. P. Lawrence, is a splendid man as well as a business hustler. Since coming to Clanton six or eight years ago, Mr. Lawrence has built up one of the best garage and automobile businesses in Clanton, and by his careful and business-like management has made hosts of friends and loyal customers. We feel sure that he will handle the business of the Standard Oil Company here in such a way that the business will continue to grow and the public will receive at his hands the best of service.

STATE AMENDMENT

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 21.—Official, civic and business organizations of Mobile are conducting a vigorous campaign in behalf of Amendments 3 and 5, which will be on the general election ballot November 4, and are making an effort to show that the measures affect Mobile only and may be the means of building a bridge across Mobile Bay to connect Baldwin county, a system of paved roads and saving thousands of dollars of funds which are essential to the educational system of the county.

The campaign committee is attempting to show to every voter of the State that neither amendment affects any other county, and this is the strong point in the arguments.

It is shown that Mobile county has reached the limit in the issuance of bonds. The legislature has submitted an amendment, which, if ratified, will permit Mobile voters to say whether they should be taxed for construction of a bridge and paved roads. The amendment will be of no effect until bonds and taxes have been voted in the county. Organizations want the opportunity of asking Mobile people whether bonds should be issued for the bridge as a connection to the rich county of Baldwin and for paved roads. The amendment has no opposition here, but has the endorsement of the Board of Revenue, City Commissioners, Rotary, Kiwanis, Optimist, Lions and Civitan clubs, labor unions and business and professional men.

No. 3 amendment is designed to validate a two mill school tax which has been collected fifteen years. It develops there is some question as to its validity, and only a constitutional provision can remedy the defect. It has been stated that schools will suffer if the tax is taken away.

"This is a personal request that you assist the people of Mobile in their efforts to support their schools, construct permanent highways and build a bridge to Baldwin county, at their own expense, and without obligating any other city," says a statement of the campaign committee.

DAWES MOVES HIS FIGHT INTO EAST

Leaves Battleground of Middle West With Two Weeks of Campaigning Ahead

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Beginning the final two weeks of the campaign, Charles G. Dawes, Republican candidate for vice- president, will leave the middle western battle grounds temporarily tomorrow to carry his party's campaign into the East.

The republican nominee will depart on an eastern speaking tour that will take him into Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Delaware, New Jersey and New York, a twelve hundred mile trip lasting a week. It will be his first stumping trip into the East as his only previous visit to that section was for a single address at Augusta, Maine, at the opening of the national campaign.

The first speech to be made by Mr. Dawes will be in Philadelphia Tuesday night and this will be followed by a noon address Wednesday in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Dawes since returning from his middle western tour Wednesday has been resting at his home in Evanston and today declared himself in fine condition.

REVIVAL AT CLANTON BAPTIST CHURCH CLOSES

The revival at the Clanton Baptist Church, which has been in progress for the past ten days, came to a close Wednesday night. On Tuesday night there had been 36 additions to the church during the meetings.

The meeting as a whole has been very satisfactory. Dr. Gardner has preached very forcefully at every service, and his messages were well received by the congregations. The church has been greeted with good crowds all the time, and there have been lots of people coming from miles out in the country to hear the sermons.

It would be altogether amiss to fail to commend the singer for the splendid work he has done. Mr. Pharr is a natural born singer, and more than that, he is a man of God. His splendid service to the revival has been inestimable. His work in organizing both the junior and senior choirs, and the way they performed under his management required not only tedious and careful management, but skill in the art of music directing. His solos at every service were beyond verbal description.

DEMOCRATIC-THIRD PARTY PLOT SEEN

Chicago, Oct. 20. — Conferences with "some 150 state and district leaders" the past week have convinced Chairman William M. Butler, of the Republican National Committee, of the "open alliance" between Democratic and third party leaders in a statement Monday.

"The open alliance," Mr. Butler's statement said, "of the Democratic and third party leaders in certain states to throw the election into Congress and thus deprive the voters of their right to elect a president at the polls, has stiffened the determination to block this plan by voting for Calvin Coolidge.

"The program of the third party for the destruction of the constitution, the virtual abolition of the supreme court, and the public ownership of the railroads, has aroused the people to the gravity of this election and the importance particularly of their individual votes."

REPUBLICANS INVITE DEMS. IN DEBATE

Reynolds Hurls Challenge at Evins For Joint Debate in Birmingham.

A challenge to joint debate between representatives of the Republican and Democratic parties has been sent to R. B. Evins, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee by Judge L. H. Reynolds, probate judge of Chilton County and chairman of the Republican State Campaign Committee for Alabama. The challenge was sent at request of the Republican League of Women Voters of Alabama, it was announced, and requested that the debate be held in Birmingham some night next week.

Judge Reynolds was in Montgomery Tuesday enroute for an invasion of south Alabama. He was scheduled to speak at Abbeville on Wednesday morning, Headland Wednesday afternoon, Dothan Wednesday night and Geneva Thursday.

Following is Judge Reynolds' letter to Mr. Evins:

"Mr. R.B. Evins, Chairman Democratic Executive Committee of Ala.

"The Republican League of Women Voters of Alabama have requested me to arrange a joint debate between the Republican and Democratic parties in Birmingham at some place to be selected, the debate to be some night next week, October 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, or November 1.

"An equal division of time and the expenses to be paid by both parties.

"Please select some speaker to represent the Democratic party and let me know what night will suit your speaker. Write me at Clanton, Ala., or call me over the phone at once. Be sure and let me know in time so that we can advertise the meeting.

"We are anxious that you select this speaker and meet us in joint debate as the voters of Alabama are entitled to hear the issues in the coming election discussed.

Yours truly,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Chairman of Republican State Campaign Committee of Alabama."

STATE HIGHWAY TO COME THROUGH CLANTON SOON

Late reports from the State Highway Department say that the bids for the construction of the south half of the Chilton County portion of the State Highway will be advertised for within the next few days. Engineers have this week been surveying thru Clanton for the purpose of determining definitely on which street the highway will come through Clanton. Two ways are under advisement, one to come into the head of Sixth Street at the Renfroe Mullins home, which will necessitate the moving of Mr. Mullins' house. The other plan is to come down Seventh Street, which will necessitate the building of a long fill across the creek south of town. It is not known which course will be followed yet.

MUSIC TEACHING

I am giving piano lessons Tuesday and Friday of each week across the street from the high school building in the Ed Plier residence. If interested please see me and arrange for lesson period. Examination and credit units will be given.

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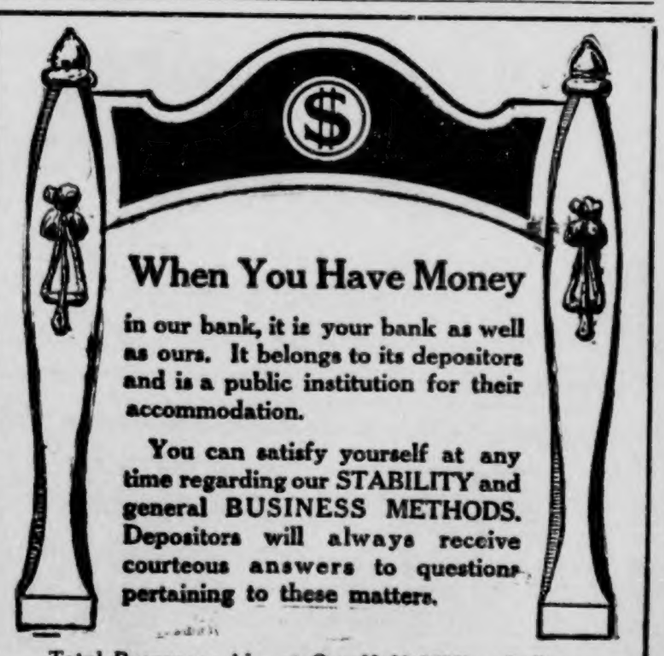

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Beat 3. Managers: Sidney J. M. Webb, W. F. Deshazo, Stanley Jones; Clerks: O. O. Calfee, R. N. Roebuck; Returning Officer: W. B. Cooper.

Beat 4, Box 1. Managers: W. I. Mullins, T. G. Wyatt, J. Dudley Collins; Clerks: Dewey Rockett, W. D. Spigener; Returning Officer: T. J. Littlejohn. Box 2. Managers: C. Reese Mullins, G. W. Melton, Joe Littlejohn; Clerks: Flem Higgins, Frank Massey; Returning Officer: W. H. Hayes. Box 3. Managers: R. J. Jones, Frank Hayes, W. H. Wilson; Clerks: J. P. Parrish, D. W. Ward; Returning Officer: W. B. Foshee. Box 4. Managers: M. A. Gore, J. N. Dennis, T. M. Taylor; Clerks: Lonnie Parrish, Ollie McDowell; Returning Officer: J. M. Grant.

Beat 5, Box 1. Managers: T. L. Robinson, W. H. Strock, E. L. Jones; Clerks: Lee Robinson, Luther Yeargan; Returning Officer: W. B. Jones. Box 2. Managers: W. S. Clark, Tom Lake, T. J. Henderson; Clerks: J. W. Howard, A. A. Culver; Returning Officer: T. J. Griffin.

Beat 6. Box 1. Managers: Eugene Mullins, M. F. Lett, F. I. Popwell; Clerks: J. F. Pool, R. F. Atkinson; Returning Officer: C. A. Dobbs. Box 2. Managers: W. Y. Keel, R. N. Wilkins, J. E. Moore; Clerks: C. L. Wilkins, Lee Bookholdt; Returning Officer: C. B. Huett.

Beat 7. Box 1. Managers: Hill Foshee, J. H. Carter, Clint Cobern; Clerks: G. W. Fox, C. F. Merchant; Returning Officer: L. J. Perry. Box 2. Managers: W. M. Oden, Will Moore, Harvey Gentry; Clerks: Sam Shoults, J. R. McAfee; Returning Officer: C. T. Walker.

Beat 8. Managers: J. R. Rucker, F. E. Harris, Thos. C. Wooley; Clerks: W. H. Harris, M. E. Dunsmore; Returning Officer: D. M. Apperson.

Beat 9. Box 1. Managers: H. E. Robinson, D. H. Gentry, Perry Gore; Clerks: S. P. Collins, Jim Williams; Returning Officer: W. M. Benson. Box 2. Managers: A. F. Mims, J. R. Parnell, Leon Popwell; Clerks: C. E. Bice, Walter Parnell; Returning Officer: L. E. Diefenderfer.

Beat 10. Managers: J. R. Taylor, D. S. Robinson, S. M. Yates, Jr.; Clerks: W. T. Patterson, O. L. Devaughn; Returning Officer: J. S. Jones.

Beat 11. Managers: John R. Robinson, John S. Dennis, Newt Tracy; Clerks: R. E. Jones, W. J. Gentry; Returning Officer: Joe Littleton.

Beat 12. Box 1. Managers: S. J. Dupriest, Perry Robinson, Lafayette Littlefield; Clerks: A. B. Retherford, J. P. Bean; Returning Officer: Jim Dorminey. Box 2. Managers: William Dorminey, Richard Robinson, Joe Bratton; Clerks: R. S. Chandler, Thomas D. Hall; Returning Officer: Loss Robinson.

Beat 13. Managers: W. G. Conway, W. R. Houldritch, B. B. Armstrong; Clerks: W. G. Shaw, B. M. Killingsworth; Returning Officer: Cleve Watson.

Beat 14. Managers: Tobe Posey, W. R. Redding, W. H. Gibson; Clerks: Z. J. Jones, E. L. Lenoir; Returning Officer: H. H. Armstrong.

Beat 15, Box 1. Managers: Geo. Williams, Walter Kendrick, T. B. Miner; Clerks: J. T. Abbott, Mose Donovan; Returning Officer: Jim Short. Box 2. Managers: J. C. Culp, Earnest Mims, Sam Culp; Clerks: Grady Culp, J. M. Culp; Returning Officer: M. L. Milford.

Beat 16. Managers: W. W. Robinson, J. M. Robinson, J. Mid Mims; Clerks: E. Robinson, R. M. Robinson; Returning Officer: J. L. Easterling.

We the undersigned appointing board for Chilton County, whose duty it is to appoint three managers, two clerks and one Returning officer, for each voting place in Chilton County for the election to be held Nov. 4th, 1924, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct list of managers, clerks and returning officers, for said election, and Sheriff Littlejohn is hereby ordered to notify the above parties and also to publish list as provided by law in Section 428 Code of 1923.

This the 16th day of Oct. 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS
Judge Of Probate.
J. Z. MIMS
Clerk Circuit Court.
T. J. LITTLEJOHN
Sheriff.

CHILTON HI TRIMS AVIATION REPAIR DEPOT

Chilton Hi trimmed the football squad from the Montgomery Aviation Repair Depot Friday.

The final core was 23 to 3, Chilton's part being made by three forward passes, Hayes to Jones, each of the three resulting in a touchdown. Hayes booted a field goal also. One lone field goal was all Montgomery could put over although they played good football in the last quarter, and drew near Chilton's goal twice, to be held for downs.

Chilton Hi's line has not been crossed this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Singleton have returned to Clanton after having spent a couple of months in Dallas, Texas, where Mr. Singleton has been at work. Emmett says that everything in Dallas is rushing, especially business.

SOUTH CALERA

Miss Birdie Ellison of South Calera spent last week-end with her cousin, Miss Oma Ellison near Jemison.

Miss Inez Roberts of Pelham has been the guest of Mr. and Mr. Vader Roberts for several days. She returned home Saturday.

Mr. J. T. Brown of Birmingham spent the week-end with his homefolks.

Miss Catherine Clark of Birmingham visited friends and relatives in South Calera last week. Miss Marie Hughes returned to Birmingham with her for a short visit.

Mr. Elmer Campbell spent last Sunday at home.

Miss Frances and Mary King of Childersburg motored to South Calera Sunday.

Mr. R. L. Crim from Cherokee Bluff spent a few days last week with his son, Mr. E. D. Crim, after which he is making a visit to Mr. Dock Gentry near Lomax.

A number of young people enjoyed a singing at Mrs. Sarah Crim's Sunday night.

Mrs. Sarah Crim, Miss U. V. Busby and Miss Lois Busby attended the singing at Oak Grove Sunday.

Mr. Cecil Martin, who is working near Birmingham spent last week-end at home.

Mr. Roy Virgin from Birmingham was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Virgin Sunday night.

Mrs. Gus Broadhead spent several days last week visiting her mother near Jemison.

D. W. WEATHERS

Mr. D. W. Weathers, age 58, died Friday morning at Billingsley. The remains were buried at the Billingsley cemetery Saturday.

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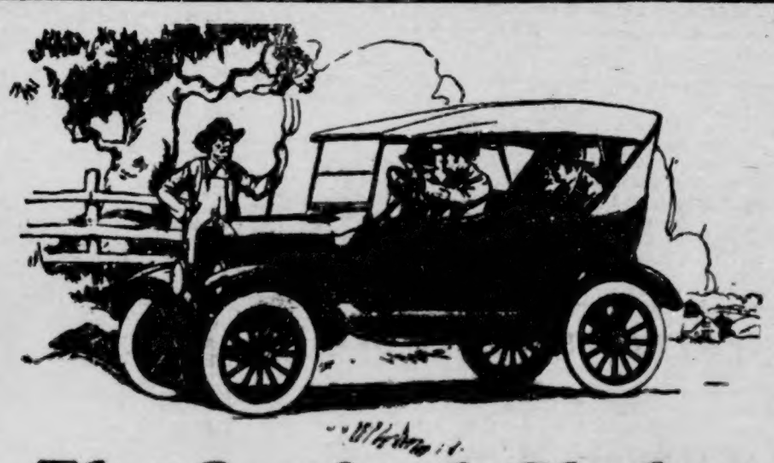

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Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

(Correction: In last week's notice of the Shower given by Mrs. Upchurch in honor of Miss Warrene Spigener the word "privates" was used when it should have been "pirates.")

Miss Hattie Jones, who has been at LaFayette for some time, is visiting relatives and friends until the first of November. At this time Miss Jones will go to Washington where she will resume her work as stenographer for J. Thomas Heflin.

Mr. Green Retherford is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wyatt at Fort Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mullins are the proud parents of a little baby girl.

Mr. Wallace Jones, who is employed by Moore & Hanley Hardware Company of Birmingham, spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Kemp-Taylor Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kemp of Clanton announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes Pearl, to Mr. Parker Taylor of Roanoke, Ala., the wedding to take place Thursday, October 22.

Mr. Gay of Prattville, who is connected with the Alabama Power Co., will be in Clanton for a week. He is filling the place of Mr. Leonard Williams, who is taking his vacation.

Mr. L. R. Price of Montgomery, who has worked up a sub-line of the Alabama Power Company extending about two miles from Clanton northeast, has placed five electric ranges on that line this week.

CHILDREN'S WEEK TO BE OBSERVED BY THE METHODISTS

Do we believe that both preaching and teaching are essential? The church needs every member in its Sunday School services. The church needs its whole constituency in the preaching services. Let every officer and teacher attend preaching services and encourage the pupils to do the same. Let every church member attend the teaching services and encourage others to do the same. "Two hundred nd fifty thousand new Sunday school members during September October, November and December.

Let Canton Methodists do their part in putting over this great program.

The aim set forth for this local school observance is as follows:

To present an opportunity by the means of which the parents, with the Sunday School officers and teachers, may consider together certain needs of the children, and determine ways of meeting these needs.

Following is the special program to be rendered on Sunday evening, Oct. 26th, at 7:30 o'clock: 1. Special Music by choir: 2. Hymn, "Love Divine, all Loves Excelling;" 3. Prayer, by pastor; 4. Solo, Miss Madelyn Orr; 5. Talk, "Home Atmosphere," Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

SHILOH SINGING

On last Sunday afternoon the people of Shiloh enjoyed one of the best singings of the year. A large crowd was present including a large number of visitors from Sardis, New Cedron and other communities. The singing was opened by the usual method, one song followed by prayer, the song being led by chairman J. I. Bice and prayer by M. S. Deason. A very interesting program was then arranged by Messrs. Hayes and Bice.

Directors for the afternoon were: Misses Lela Hayes, Anther Ratliff, Era Klinner, Minnie Bice and Era Headley, Messrs. Ervin Short, Olen Bice, Clem Billingsley, and Alonza Hayes.

We were very glad to have with us Profs. F. I. Popwell and I. D. Huett, who were very instrumental in adding more real life to the occasion. These men are making a great progress in their teaching career. Prof. Huett taught a very successful school here this summer.

Organists for the afternoon were: Profs. I. D. Huett, F. I. Popwell, Mrs. Gladys Short and Miss Lela Hayes.

The society will meet on the third Sunday afternoon of each month. Everybody invited to come.

ANNUAL W. M. U. TO MEET AT MARBURY

The annual meeting of the Womans Missionary Union of the Unity Association will meet at Marbury on October 28th. Dr. Ezell of the Clanton Baptist Church will speak at the meeting, and the pageant, "How Dreams Come True," which was presented by the Baptist Sunday School last Sunday night, will be played down there. The public has a cordial invitation to co-operate in the work.

Uncle Dock Wells has returned to Clanton, after spending some weeks with his children at Sylacauga. His many friends in Clanton are glad to have him back with us.

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NOTICE—After the 15th of October I will change the dates of grinding to Wednesdays and Saturdays.—A. P. Robinson, Jemison Route 4. 1t-p

FOR SALE OR RENT—Grist Mill and supplies, located back of The Union-Banner office. Apply to T. G. Taylor, Clanton, Ala. 9-25-6t-p

THOROUGHBRED JERSEY BULL for service, charges $1.00, payed when served.—J. L. McDowell, Clanton, Ala., R. 2. 10-9-3t-p

FOR SALE—One Hoffman Pressing Machine, Boiler and Gas Generator; two settees and two Clothes Racks; One Electric Iron. Apply at this office 10-16-3p

FOR RENT

One four room house on Birmingham-Montgomery highway. Write or see Mrs. G. W. Finley, 1013 10th Ave. and 29th St. N. Birmingham. 10-23—4t—pd.

WANTED—Largest concern of the kind in the world, wants two men with autos, to sell direct. We teach you to earn $30.00 per week and upwards. Steady work. Apply room 1017 First National Bank Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. 10-16-3t-c

LOST—Pocketbook with one ten dollar bill, one dime and one penny; school script from teacher for book; lost between Cordrey's old mill and Clanton, last Saturday. Return to Banner office and receive reward. 10-23-24 3t pd.

STRAY MULES—Two black mare mules, ages about 6 and 7 years, weight about 800 pounds each, appraised at $150.00. Appraised approved Oct. 20, 1924, by A. F. Childress, Justice of the Peace.—Antney Latham, Astrayer, Thorsby, Ala., Oct. 20, 1924. 10-23-3t-pd.

FARM FOR SALE—63 1-2 acres, 8-room residence, good barn, sweet potato curing house, garage, chicken house and wagon house; located 1-2 mile south of station at Thorsby, Ala., on Montgomery - Birmingham Highway; convenient to school and church. Price reasonable; part cash, rest on terms. Apply to O. L. Jackson, Thorsby, Alabama, owner. 10-16-3d

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, C. A. Hand and wife, Vonia Hand, executed and delivered to R. F. Littleton a note dated October 15, 1921, due ano payable October 15, 1922, which note was secured by mortgage on the hereinafter described lands, and which mortgage is recorded in Vol. 185 at page 81 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

And whereas default was made in the payment of said mortgage, the undersigned, as mortgagee will proceed to sell the hereinafter described property at the front entrance of the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, during the legal hours of sale on Monday, November 24, 1924. The said property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Numbers five and six, Block No. 23, according to the official map or plat of the town of Thorsby, of said County and State, recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, on to-wit, the 24 day of April, 1896—the south half of the north-west fourth, north half of the south-west fourth, north-east fourth of southwest fourth of south-west fourth, Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, as embraced in above map or plat.

Out of the proceeds of said sale, the auctioneer or attorney making the sale will pay all expenses incident thereto, including a reasonable attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and the balance will be applied on the mortgage indebtedness.

This, October 22, 1924. 10-23-3t
R. F. LITTLETON, Mortgagee.

Philadelphia North American—The La Follette campaign committee says it is out of funds. And there are indications that the public on which it is inflicting it's publicity is nearly out of patience.

Smilin' Charlie Says

"I'd hate t' have t' go through life with th' handicaps that th' neighbor's children have-

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—The American people agree with Mr. Davis about "common honesty." That's why they're so strong for President Coolidge.

Los Angeles Times.—Calvin Coolidge can make more impression with his silence than some men can make by using a megaphone from the top of the hills.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

AT CLANTON, IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCT. 10, 1924.

RESOURCES.

1.(a) Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	$344,532.54	
(c) Customer's liability account of acceptances of this bank purchased or discounted by it	$31,268.49	
Total Loans		$875,801.03
2. Overdrafts, secured none, unsecured, $238.73		238.73
4.U. S. Government Securities owned:		
(a) Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	$ 30,000.00	
Total		30,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.:		25,139.33
6.Furniture and Fixtures	$2,600.78	2,600.78
8.Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		23,936.17
10. Cash in vault and amt. due from National Banks		64,365.32
11.Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, 10)		2,505.51
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	$ 66,870.83	
15.Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		1,500.00
16.Other assets, if any		326.64
Total		526,413.51

LIABILITIES.

17.Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
18.Surplus fund		15,000.00
19. Undivided profits,	$ 10,636.65	
(c) Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,309.74	6,326.91
20.Circulating notes utstanding		29,900.00
23.Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)		14,644.20
25.Cashier's checks outstanding		2,037.48
Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	$ 16,681.68	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26.Individual deposits suject to check		280,511.22
27.Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		19,415.26
28.State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond		108.22
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	300,034.70	
Time Deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32.Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		108,470.22
Total of time deposits subject to reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	$108,470.22	
Total		526,413.51

STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY OF CHILTON, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October, 1924.
DEWEY BRANCH, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
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G. C. WALKER,
D. I. DERAMUS, Jr.
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REPUBLICAN TICKET TO BE VOTED ON IN CHILTON COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 4, 1924

For President of U. S.—
CALVIN COOLIDGE

For Vice-President U. S.—
CHAS. G. DAWES

For County Treasurer—
MISS GENIE COLLINS

For Commissioner from the Third District—
J. L. BURNETT

For Commissioner from the Fourth District —
A. P. VINSON

For Member County Board of Education—
J. M. SMITH
WM. R. BAKER

Don't fail to attend the speaking at the court house next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the interest of the Republican campaign. Hon. C. B. Kennamer, United States Attorney of Birmingham will be the principal speaker. Don't fail to hear him, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The subject of "Shooting Alibis," discussed by Dr. Gardner at the Baptist Church last Sunday afternoon was well handled. Although only announced a short while before, there was a good crowd of men and boys present to hear Dr. Gardner discuss this subject. As pointed out by Dr. Gardner, it is amusing to notice how proficient people are in manufacturing excuses for not doing their duty. The speaker said that a man well experienced in manufacturing excuses is practically worthless, and this statement is full of truth. A man who does his duty never has to figure up an alibi.

Up until a short time ago, the Chilton County News was always splitting it's shirt in support of the dear old lily-white Democratic party and all those who held that party dear to their hearts. But overnight it has changed, and now comes out and advises it's readers to lay aside party lines and vote as they please. It is amusing to notice the political tacties of the News The people of Chilton County have seen too many Democratic tricks played to fall for such as this one at this late day. Our people are too wise to jump into political darkness and chaos just in order to get to follow a few fanatical Democrats who pose as Non-Partisans. The voters of Chilton County were not born yesterday.

TRIED AND TRUE

The independent voter—the man or womn who takes pride in voting for the man rather than the party—has a splendid opportunity this year to cast a ballot for a man who has been many times tried in public service and always found equal to his tasks and faithful to his trusts. In his home life, in his neighborhood associations, in his service in city and state offices, Calvin Coolidge won a reputation for spotless integrity and devotion to duty. He is the type of man every father and mother would like to have a son emulate. He is a man of industry and thrift, successful in his private undertakings, yet not avaricious for wealth nor ambitious for power. There can be little doubt that the so-called "independent vote" will go overwhelmingly for that typical American, Calvin Coolidge.

CASH OUTGO

It is a common argument set forth by Democratic campaigners that we cannot hope to sell abroad unless we buy abroad in corresponding degree, and, therefore, it is contended that we should let down the tariff bars in order to encourage more buying abroad. There might be some degree of truth in the Democratic argument if merchandise trade were all there is to our international financial transactions. But that is far from all of it. Every year many thousands of Americans go to Europe for pleasure, for health, for education, for visits to old homes. Those travelers spend hundreds of millions annually in Europe. Moreover, aliens who reside here and engage in business or in wage-earning occupations are in the habit of sending their savings abroad to aid their less fortunate relatives. These and other important items of cash outgo are not counterbalanced by any income to America from similar sources. Therefore, if we broke even on our sales and purchases of merchandise, the balance would be against us to the extent of the money spent abroad in the manner stated. That is a statement of business facts so plain that anyone can understand it. And it is proven by records kept under a Democratic administration.

CAUSE AND EFFECT

Press Clippings

Boston News Bureau—The government estimates that the farmer is receiving 20 per cent more at the farm gate for grains than he received a year ago. That this farmer prosperity is being translated into buying is shown by the rapidly mounting sales of such conserns as Sears, Roebuck & Co., and Montgomery Ward & Co., the latter Company's sales for September were 36 percent greater than for the same month last year. These economic figures of fact mean much more than many political figures of speech.

Clarksburg, (W.Va.) Telegram—One of the mysteries of the present campaign is why anybody with recollection of the enormous cost to the taxpayers entailed by political operation and manipulation of the railroad should ever want to have the railroads thrown back there again.

Los Angeles Times—The average American farmer netted only about $900 in cash last year, but he made his dollars go farther than the man in the city and therefore fared proportionately better. There are said to be 7000 worse things in the world than being an American farmer.

Pottaville, (Pa.) Journal—Straight and fair and open in everything he does the President stands so high above his opponents that the people are fast losing sight entirely of the pigmy forms of those with mean and miserable methods try to arouse feeling against him.

Portland, (Ore.) Spectator—Among the many things that endear President Coolidge to the merican people is his infinite capacity for minding the business of his high office and permitting them to attend to their own affairs.

Albert Lea (Minn.) Tribune—Berger isn't entirely satisfied with La Follette as a socialist, but thinks him good enough to use in safe blowing the other parties. The political yeggs are willing to use La Follette as "soup".

Jersey City Review—The farther the campaign progresses, the less the Democratic candidates discuss the tariff. They are hearing from the working men of America, who like a full dinner pail.

Oskaloosa (Iowa) Hearld—In no year since the Canadian government has operated the railroads of the Dominion have the roads had a surplus. The deficit has been carried by taxes on the people.

Washington Post—Irving Cobb comes out for John W. Davis. There's nobody in America today who can appreciate a joke better than he can.

Boston Transcript—As Chairman Butler explains it, the slush is in the La Follette oratory.

CONGRESS AS A COURT

Anyone who will stop to think a moment, and most people do, will see that the radicals have supplied the answer to their own attacks on the Supreme Court. In objecting to a 5 to 4 decision, they call the decision a one man decision. They propose that Congress shall have the power by vote to overturn a decision of the court.

There are 531 members of the House. A majority of that number is 266. It is very seldom that a full attendance of the entire membership of so large a body can be had. But whether a full attendance and full vote be had or not, it is perfectly obvious that if a decision of the court were submitted to the House for review, the vote in the House might show a margin of only one majority—in which event we would have a one man decision in Congress as well as in the Supreme Court. In fact, we have often had one-man decisions in legislative bodies as well as in judicial tribunals.

From a practical standpoint, it is important to have disputed questions settled, and, in general, there is no better way to get them settled than to let the majority view prevail. The majority is not always right, but it is more often right than the minority. In any event, it is better to let the majority prevail than to let the minority hold up any conclusion of the dispute.

STATE FORESTRY COMMISSION GIVES SOME VALUABLE ADVICE

The very important part played by forests and tree growth in building up the soil is often overlooked, according to a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. The primary basis of soil, points out the Commission, is finely divided rock. Gravel, sand and clay are but the original rock surface of the earth broken up into small pieces chiefly by weather influences. These pieces become ground up finer and finer as they are washed about by rains and carried from point to point by streams or by the action of waves along the shore lines of lakes and seas. The surface of the earth is constantly changing through the centuries and what was an ocean bench thousands of years ago may now be in the center of a continent.

Mere sand and clay, however, possess very little fertility until they become mixed with decayed plant material. The simplest plants have no roots and obtain their nourishment from the water and the air. Higher forms of plant life with root systems secure additional nutriment through chemical changes in the sand and clay. After the plant growth has reached the point that there is a considerable amount of decayed vegetable material upon the surface of the earth, other plants including crop plants are able to take advantage of this old material and use it over again with the result that from all of these sources there is a constant increase in the total amount of decayed plant material in the soil. Much of this leaches downward to considerable depths and would be out of reach of cultivation were it not for deep-rooted plants, especially trees, which follow the nourishing elements downward and bring them back through the roots and stems in the leaves. The decay of the fallen leaves, twigs and other forest litter thus returns the fertile elements of the soil to the surface.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of October 19, 1899

Mr. N. J. Calloway of Enid is moving his corn and fodder to his new place two miles south of Clanton.

School will commence at Pleasant Cherry, October 16th for a term of 8 months, taught by L. A. Calloway.

Mr. John Milton of Stanton has returned from a visit to relatives in Perry county.

Superintendent Judson Strock has moved to Clanton.

Married this week—Andrew J. Davis and Miss L. G. Cleckler; Thos. Burnett and Miss Martha Rasberry; J. R. Farmer and Miss Dolly J. Gray; R. E. Jones and Mrs. Exa Childress.

AN INEVTABLE RESULT

One of the inevitable evils of Government ownership of any sort of enterprise that could be operated by private concerns is that the enterprise will be turned to political and personal interest. Even under private ownership and Government operation we saw an illustration of this. When Mr. McAdoo was made Director of Railroads he proceeded to have his name printed on every railroad ticket and every time-table and every menu.

We have another illustration of it in the recently established public radio station in New York City. That station is owned and supported by the taxpayers, but it is evidently used chiefly as an agency for the dissemination of the views and the promotion of the political interests of Mayor Hylan. Here is what the New York Herald Tribune has to say about it:

"In return for the $50,000 which the taxpayers of greater New York involuntarily invested in a municipal radio station they were promised continuous and unlimited education and entertainment. They were led to believe that their taste would be improved and their souls uplifted by the streams of words and music which would radiate nightly from the summit of the second tallest building in New York—a building which, by the way, happens to be their own property.

"It appears that these promises were misleading. When the expectant citizens tune in after dinner what do they hear? Mr. Hylan denouncing the intrests; Mr. Hylan attacking the transit crowd; Mr. Hylan saying harsh things about George McAneny.

"Furthermore, there is reason to believe that the Mayor is just beginning a vocal campaign for a renomination and that from this time forward he will put out the same kind of propaganda three or four times a week."

If we had a government ownership of railroads we would soon have a demand for Government radio stations to use in connection with the transportation system. Then, under such Democrats as McAdoo and Hylan, we would see the radio system used to praise the administration of the railroads and to persuade the voters that those who are in power should be kept in.

The Road To Better Health

SOME COLD PREVENTIVES

BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

It is estimated that 12,000 deaths occur each year in the United States as result of bronchitis and its complications. So the common cold stands well up in the list of the causes of death and should be taken more seriously than it usually is.

While colds are due to infection, there are certain other factors which seem to act as predisposing causes. Among these are prolonged exposure to cold, getting wet and chilled, and breathing air that is too dry, overheated or impure. During the changeable weather of fall and spring, and during those seasons when we spend much time indoors, colds are most prevalent.

Efforts at prevention should begin during the fall and should include measures to protect ourselves against unfavorable weather conditions as well as take care to make indoor conditions as healthful as possible. Unless the weather is too disagreeable, spending as much time as possible out-of-doors in the fall, winter and spring helps to harden one and increase his resistance. But dress for it!

Right Clothing Important

By shivering through a cold fall afternoon while you are watching a football game you probably lower your resistance instead of raising it. You should wear an overcoat or sufficient wraps. Over dressing while indoors also makes you more susceptible to a chilling when you go out into the cold air. Remove your overcoat or out-door wraps while you are attending indoor amusements or athletic contests.

Houses and buildings should be well ventilated and cimfortably warm, and the air should contain sufficient moisture.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Fainting

L. H. S. writes: "My sister, who is nineteen years old, faints very easily. While she has never been real strong, she seems to be in fairly good health. What I want to know is what makes anyone faint to easily?"

Reply

The immediate cause of fainting is an anemia of the brain due to some temporary weakness in the action of the heart. The weakness of the heart action may be caused by emotion, by some abnormal condition in the heart itself or by some disturbance elsewhere in the body. Attacks of what looks like ordinary fainting may occur like some forms of epilepsy.

Have your sister examined to find out if she is anemic, has any functional or organic diseases of the heart, or has any disturbance elsewhere in the body. If these can be ruled out, she must educate herself to have better control of her emotions. Emotion is a very frequent cause of fainting in the young.

Curing Boils

R. A. B. writes: "I have been troubled with repeated crops of boils. I have had several on the back of the neck, one on my cheek, and some on my arms near the wrists. Nothing that I have tried seems to help me to get rid of them. Is there anything I can do to keep them from coming?"

Reply

You do not state just what you have done in your efforts to cure your boils.

Have your urine examined to find out if it contains any sugar. Avoid eating foods that contain too much starch or sugar.

Keep your skin clean by using plenty of soap and water.

As boils seem prone to develop where the skin is irritated, try to avoid such irritation.

Be careful not to contaminate the skin with the pus from boils which are discharging.

Cancer Cures

C. G. R. writes: "I have something on my face that a doctor here says is a skin cancer. There is a man here who claims to be able to cure skin cancers with a medicine that he makes. Is there any medicine that will do this?"

Reply

Ointments containing arsenic and zinc compounds, and solutions of nitrate of mercury have been used for this purpose. They all act as caustics, but cannot be called cures.

The accepted methods of treating cancer are surgery, the X-Ray, and radium.

It would seem to be folly to permit anyone to experiment on you with an unknown medicine. The usual result is loss of valuable time, even if positive harm does not result.

Place yourself in the care of some reputable doctor who will do something which experience has shown to be of benefit.

Avoid all quacks and nostrums.

Antiseptics for Wounds

C. H. F. asks: "Is iodin as good as any antiseptic to put on wounds?"

Reply

Tincture of iodin is a good antiseptic. But remember that the proper care of wounds often involves more than the application of an antiseptic to the surface.

Some wounds are dangerous on account of their nature and location, as well as the circumstances under which they occur. Wounds of any size or depth, stab or punctured wounds, and those in which there may be dirt or other foreign matter, are best treated by a physician.

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POOR O

CHESTNUT CREEK

The singing society met Sunday afternoon in regular session. The attendance was good and the class did some real good singing. The writer has not had the privilege of attending the last two sessions prior to last Sunday, but many have said that this was the best singing we have had in several meetings. Everyone present seemed to enjoy the service very much.

There were several visitors prsent among whom we noted the Rev. J. S. Castlebury, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cagle of Mttchell Dam, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Renfroe Jones of Clanton and others from Walnut Creek whose names I cannot recall.

Remember, we extend a cordial invitation and welcome to all singers and lovers of music to attend any and all of the regular meetings of this society, which meets every first and third Sunday afternoon.

The following directed from one to three songs each: L. T. Grant, W. M. Devaughn, W. F. Gilliland, O. L. Devaughn, Ralph Grant, J. W. Cagle and S. M. Yates.

Organists for the afternoon were: Lee J. Grant, Lena Mae Devaughn, Mrs. Jesse Baker and Ralph Grant.

We also had three splendid quartettes rendered by the Cooper Quartette.

We thank you one and all for your presence and assistance in this service which, as I see it, is nothing more than your duty.

We invite all who can to meet with us on next first Sunday afternoon.

L. T. Grant, Chairman.
O. L. Devaughn, Sec'y.

Troy (N.Y.) Times—La Follette is no more original in his slush fund charges than he is in some of his "constructive" policies.

FORESTALL DREADED CHILLS AND FEVER

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TWO MEN TAKEN UP BY THORSBY OFFICIALS

Guy Powell and Otto Roughton, two men working with the highway crew above Thorsby, were arrested by Thorsby officials Sunday afternoon. It is reported that the men were recklessly driving an automobile while intoxicated, and also they had a quantity of whiskey with them when arrested. The two men were turned over to the Sheriff of Chilton county and they were put in jail. They were released frim jail Tuesday moning.

NEGRO WOMAN FROM CRENSHAW TAKEN UP

Eula Wyatt, a negro woman, together with two children, were taken up by city officials of Clanton Saturday night. The woman was wanted in Crenshaw county to answer a charge of grand larceny. The Sheriff from Crenshaw came up for her Sunday.

OUR GUARANTEES OF LIBERTY

The apostles of discontent in America will find something worth their reading in that part of President Coolidge's recent address in Washington, in which he said, after reviewing the guarantees of liberty in the United States:

"The fame of the advantages which accrue to the inhabitants of our country has spread throughout the world. If we doubt the high esteem in which these opportunities are held by other peoples, it is only necessary to remember that they sought them in such numbers as to require our own protection by restrictive immigration."

This country is not yet perfect, but it is so far ahead of any other country that the perpetual complainers are merely making themselves ridiculous. The kind of people who have made this nation great are best able to carry it on.

NOTICE

To the Public:

I hereby give notice that I am no longer responsible in any way for the conduct of my wife. I shall not be responsible for anything she does in the future.

(Signed) G. W. MARCUS.
Clanton, Ala., Oct. 21, 1924.

Meat Market Has Trouble!

Carl Muller reports that his Meat Market was infested with roaches. He lost customers on account of them! He heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder, used it and got immediate relief. Wipe out these disease spreading pests TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder for quick results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

SQUIRREL SEASON OPENS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1ST

The many sportsmen of Chilton County are looking forward to the opening of the squirrel season, which comes in Saturday of next week, October 1st. Sheriff Littlejohn asks us to urge those who intend to hunt to procure hunting license from the Probate Judge. A license is required of everyone hunting except on his own land. County license is $1.00, and State license is $3.00. If you intend to hunt any this season, it will be well for you to procure license, because this business is going to be looked after very closely this time. The Officers do not want to cause anyone any trouble, but they are going to see that the law is abided by to the best of their ability. So if you get caught hunting without license, you need not blame anyone except yourself.

ADVENTISTS GIVE $95,500 FOR MISSIONS

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 20.—An appeal for funds to carry on work in mission fields yesterday resulted in the pledging of $95,500 by delegates to the biennial conference of Seventh Day Adventists of the World, now meeting here. Organization heads had asked for $75,000.

SAM JONES HERE IN ADVANCE OF COOK'S SHOW

Mr. Sam Jones, of Dixon's Mills, Sweetwater, Ala., was in Clanton a few days this week putting out advertising and making advance arrangements for the Cooke Players who will show in Clanton all next week. Most everybody here knows Mr. Cooke, since he has played here several times before. Mr. Jones is also stage director and ticket seller for the Cooke Players.

MRS. ELIZA FOSHEE

Mrs. Eliza Foshee, age 77, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Littlejohn near Liberty Hill last Thursday night, October 16th. The remains were buried at Liberty Hill cemetery Friday, Rev. J. D. Hughes conducting the funeral, assisted by Rev. A. L. Foshee. Mrs. Eliza Foshee was the mother of Mr. Billie Foshee of Liberty. Her husband died about twenty-five years ago.

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Gives advice to Expectant Mothers

"I HAD an awful time with my first baby," writes Mrs. Theo. Willey, 431 E. Ohio St., Indianapolis, Ind. "They had to give me chloroform and use instruments. They thought I would die. But before my second baby came I used 'Mother's Friend' and baby was born *with only a few pains* and before a doctor could arrive. I also used 'Mother's Friend' with my third baby. I was *only sick a little while* and she also was born before the doctor arrived. I cannot praise 'Mother's Friend' enough. I tell every one I see who is expecting to become a mother about 'Mother's Friend.'"

FREE BOOKLET

Write Bradfield Regulator Co., B-A 16, Atlanta, Ga., for *free* booklet (sent in plain envelope) containing valuable information every expectant mother should have. "Mother's Friend" is sold by all good drug stores. Full directions for using it will be found with each bottle. *Begin now* and you will realize the wisdom of doing so as the weeks roll by!

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Thorsby Institute will put on a course of three entertainments for the coming season. Season tickets will be $1.25 for adults and 75c for children under 12 years old. The first number will be "The Farnum Trio," Doris Farnum, contralto, reader-entertainer, pianist, harpist; Geoffrey Waddington, violinist; Evelyn Dalin, soprano, pianist and violinist. This troupe are due in Thorsby Nov. 10th. Get your season tickets in advance.

The second number will be Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clemens, featuring their Marionettes, similar to the once famous Punch and Judy shows, that were so attractive to old and young. The third number will be an Operetta by local talent. Notice of dates for the last two will be given later.

Sunday morning at the hour of morning service, 11 a.m., Oct. 26th, at the Congregational church, there will be a Missionary program, in charge of Miss Marian Fairbank, as follows:

Service of Worship

Scripture Lesson, illustrated by Chinese customs, Mrs. M. A. Williams. Chinese Conundrums. The Ways of the Chinese, by "The Class in the Corner." Extracts from letters of Miss Ethel Long, of Lintsing, China. Mrs. J. H. Goddard. A Trip Into the Gobi Desert, Mr. C. J. Tissall. Solo, "Heralds of Christ," Miss Ruth Turner. A Christian Chinese. Sixten Hall. Dramatization: "Teachers Wanted." Members of Queen Esther and Loyal Helpers Classes.

The Lutheran church in Thorsby, although at present without a pastor, is by no means a dead church. Their Ladies' Aid Society, at their meeting last Thursday, voted a donation of $10 to The Lutheran Old Folks Home at Minneapolis, and $25 to Foreign Missions. The Lutheran Sunday School gave about $10 more for Foreign Missions, and a canvass among members and friends of the church is expected to raise the fund for foreign missions between fifty and sixty dollars.

A letter from Mrs. Ella C. Dippery, mother-in-law of Rev. S. H. Herbert, formerly pator of Thorsby Congregational church and Principal of Thorsby Institute, reports that Rev. Herbert has recently moved to Arriba, Colorado, where he is pastor of a Congregational church.

Mr. Alfred Childress was in town last Tuesday morning and reports the very serious illness of Mrs. Ann Eiland at the home of her son, Terrence Eiland about two miles outhwest of Thorsby. Mrs. Eiland is also mother of Mr. Felix Eiland of Thorsby.

Mr. Robert Johnson has gone to a hospital at Selma for an operation.

The Parent Teachers Association will have a Social meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Howard Thursday afternoon, October 30th.

Mr. Edward Howard of Tuscaloosa, was a visitor last Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Howard.

A Card of Thanks

Mrs. Ida J. Bradford wishes to thank her many friends for their kindness and beautiful floral offerings at the death of her dearly beloved husband, Hal-Thompson Bradford.

Rev. H. H. Busbee of McCauley, Ala., will preach at the Baptist church in Thorsby at 7:45 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 26th. There will be no evening service in either of the other Thorsby churches and we trust Bro. Busbee will be greeted on his first meeting in Thorsby by a full house.

Rev. Joseph E. Each, Rev. E. W. Butler and wife, Mr. R. A. Turner, Miss Helen C. Jenkins, and Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald are expecting to go to Headland, Ala., Saturday of this week, to attend the Cingregational State Conference to be held there Oct. 25th to 29th, inclusive.

Mr. Ephriam Steiner, who has had a long and serious illness at his home in Thorsby, is now able to be out, but is still in a weak condition. A number of his friends gave him a surprise party Wednesday afternoon of this week.

Mr. [illegible]u Howard has sold the tract of land whereon his peach orchard is licated, to Mr. J. D. Cleckler, who has recently sold his home here.

Mrs. Anna S. Villadsen returned from a visit of two weeks to her sister in Birmingham, last week.

The Wright family of Blocton, Ala., are living in the Paramore house temporarily, and expect to locate permanently in Thorsby as soon as the home they want is vacated. It is expected one of the daughters will be a student in Thorsby Institute.

Mrs. Aaron Littleton is having a substantial improvement in the addition of two rooms to her Thorsby home.

Mr. John Stolkrantz and his brothin-law, Mr. Lindstrom, and John Stolkrantz, Jr., of Jamestown, N. Y., have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead and Mr. Earl Mead, motored to Maplesville last Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Wright Lovelnd spent Saturdy and Sunday last in Birmingham.

Mr. Harris Turner went to Birmingham Sunday night, and expects to remain several days.

Mr. John Stolkrantz, Jr., and Miss Bernice Johnson were visitors in Birmingham last Thursday.

Several relatives and friends of Mrs. A. E. Reagan, gave her a birthday surprise party last Saturday evening.

The Ladies' Guild social will be held at the home of Mrs. D. M. Paxson, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 23rd.

The Chilton County Association was held last week at Oak Grove. Quite a number of Thorsby Baptists attended and report a large attendance and a very interesting meeting.

Mr. J. O. Johnson is advertising an auction sale, under direction of Mr. J. M. Mims, of household goods, farm tools, stock, hay and feed, at his home one mile east of Thorsby, Saturday, Oct. 25th.

FOR SALE

A TWO-HORSE IRON WAGON IN GOOD CONDITION

MRS. M. FORSMAN
THORSBY, ALA.

ROPER AND GRAY MAKE BOND ON WHISKEY CHARGE

Messrs. O. O. Roper and Joe Gray of Clanton have each been placed under bond of $500.00 charged with violating the prohibition laws in connection with the whiskey which the Sheriff took from the Reynolds building in Clanton last week. These two men got their bonds signed up the latter part of last week. Their case will come up in the fall term of Circuit Court.

BUSINESS MAN SINGS PRAISES

"I suffered for years with stomach trouble and gas continually. Doctors thought I had stomach ulcers or cancer. After last attack they advised going to Rochester, Minn., for an operation. A friend advised trying Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, which I did, and I cannot sing its raises too highly, as I now eat anything and everything." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will envince or money refunded. Sold by Alred Dg. Co., and all druggists.

CANE CREEK NEWS

The literary school at this place is progressing very nicely under the careful management of our teachers, Miss Julia Parrish, principal, and Miss Jewel Minor, assistant. We like them both very much and appreciate the good work that they are doing for the children and community.

Miss Claudia Mooneyham spent the week end with Miss Bertha Giles.

Mr. Alvin Lambert of Benton spent Sundy with home folks.

Misses Sara and Delene Lambert, who are attending school at Maplesville, spent the week end at home.

Several from this place attended the meeting at Lomax Sunday night.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everybody is cordially invited to come.

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For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

HOW DOCTORS TREAT COLDS AND THE FLU

To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nauseless Calomel tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.

One or two Calotabs at bed time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with eating, work or pleasures. Next morning your cold has vanished and your system feels refreshed and purified. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price ten cents for the vest-pocket size; thirty-five cents for the large family package. Recommended and guaranteed by druggists. Your money back if you are not delighted.—adv.

WRIGLEY'S
after every meal

Cleanses mouth and teeth and aids digestion.

Relieves that overeaten feeling and acid mouth.

Its l-a-s-t-i-n-g flavor satisfies the craving for sweets.

Wrigley's is double value in the benefit and pleasure it provides.

Sealed in its Purity Package.

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THORSBY, ALABAMA

If It's Service You Want

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CLANTON, ALA.

OPENING

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE TO OUR FRIENDS THAT WE ARE AGAIN OPEN AT OUR SAME OLD STAND, READY TO SUPPLY ALL YOUR NEEDS IN HARDWARE, HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS AND BUILDING MATERIAL. WE HAVE MORE SPACE NOW, AND ARE BETTER FITTED TO SERVE YOU THAN EVER BEFORE. DROP IN AND SEE OUR ARRANGEMENT.

Distinctive Furniture

We are now in position to serve the public with what they need in our line better than ever before. We can furnish you the material to build your house, sell you your home furnishings, and supply you with your tools and hardware to work with. Drop in and see us today. We will be pleased to see you.

Chilton Hardware Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ELECTION NOTICE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

I, T. J. Littlejohn, Sheriff of Chilton County, Alabama, in conformity with Section 357, page 329, of the Political Code of Alabama, (1907), hereby give notice that a General Election of the qualified voters of Chilton County, Alabama, will be held in the several election precincts of said county on **Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1924**, for the election of:—

Twelve Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States; one United States Senator from Alabama, two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of Alabama, one Associate Judge Court of Appeals of Alabama; State Commissioner of Game and Fisheries of Alabama; President Alabama Public Service Commission; Representative in Congress from the Fourth Congressional District of Alabama; County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Third District of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Fourth District of Chilton County, Alabama; two members of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama; two Justices of the Peace for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama; one Constable for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama;

Also whether the following amendments to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, viz:

Proposed Amndment No. 1.

Shall the following proposed amendment, Section 194 1-2 of the Constitution of Alabama, be adopted?

"No person who honorably served in the military or naval service of the United States, between January 1st, 1917 and November 11, 1918, shall be required to pay the poll tax mentioned in the Constitution of Alabama; such persons shall be exempt from the payment of all poll taxes which have accrued or may hereafter accrue. This section shall be self-executing and retroactive. The Judges of Probate shall issue certificates of exemption from the payment of such poll taxes to the persons entitled thereto under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Governor."

Proposed Amendment No. 2.

Shall the following be adopted as Article XXI of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The Legislature may form of provide for the formation of districts for establishing and maintaining a drainage system; for the building and maintaining of public roads, and for building and maintaining a seawall or other protection against waves, storm or flood therein; and provide for the assessment of the whole or part of the cost of such improvements against the land in such districts to the extent of the increased value of such land by reason of the special benefits derived from such improvements, and may provide for the issuance of bonds by such district with or without any election. Provided the provisions as to road and seawall shall apply only to Mobile and Baldwin Counties."

Proposed Amendment No. 3.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"The County of Mobile, through its constituted governing authorities, may levy and collect for public school purposes, a rate of taxation, on the property situated therein, not exceeding the total of any one year, one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution of Alabama and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the said Constitution of Alabama, which said one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum shall be in addition to taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to the authority of Section 215 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, which Article XIX was added to the said Constitution by Amendment; and existing laws attempting or purporting to authorize, empower and direct the said constituted authorities of the County of Mobile to levy and assess such a special tax in addition to the taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Section 215 of the Constitution as aforesaid and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution as aforesaid are hereby validated and confirmed."

Proposed Amendment No. 4.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama?

"The municipalities of Thorsby, Piedmont, and Greenville, and Roanoke, and Greensboro and Calera, Florala and Opp, Evergreen and Fayette, and Clayton and Clio in the State of Alabama, shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of one-half of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation for the tax year ending on the thirteenth day of September next succeeding the levy; provided that for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness issued and outstanding at the time of the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness which may be issued or incurred after the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, and an additional tax of one-half of one per centum may be levied and collected by said corporations; provided further that a majority of the qualified electors of any of said municipal corporations voting at an election called for that purpose may vote a special tax not to exceed one-half of one per centum in any one year for any special purpose or purposes, which tax shall be used only for the purpose or purposes for which same is levied and collected; provided, however, that the total tax to be levied by any of said municipal corporations shall not exceed one and one-half (1-2) per centum in any one year. Alabama City shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of three-quarters of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation. Provided, further, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, or authority or right of either of said municipal corporations to levy and collect the special school taxes, now or hereafter vested in or conferred upon them, or any of them, under the Constitution or any amendment thereto; including the power of the city of Selma to levy and collect the taxes for schools and school purposes vested in and conferred upon said city of Selma by the amendment to the Constitution of Alabama adopted thereto at the general election held in November, 1916, and which was submitted under law Number 315, General Laws 1915, page 337, each election held under the provisions hereof shall be ordered, held, canvassed and may be contested in the same manner as is or may be provided by the law applicable to the municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The ballots used at such election shall contain the words: "For .....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years).....;" and "Against.....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years)....." The rate of taxation proposed in excess of the rate of one (1) per centum to be shown in the blank space provided therefor and the year or years in which the proposed rate is to apply to be shown in the blank space provided therefor; and in the event different excess rates are proposed for different years the words mentioned shall be repeated as often as may be necessary to show separately the different rates proposed to be applied to the respective years.. And the voter shall record his choice, whether for or against the excess rate or rates shown by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his choice. Nothing herein contained shall in any wise change or affect the rights of any holder of bonds of municipal corporations heretofore issued. Elections to authorize the levy of such special tax may be held as often as ordered by the governing body of the municipality but when a proposition is submitted to the electors to levy a special tax for a specific purpose, and such proposition is defeated no second election for the same shall be held in one year thereafter."

Proposed Amendment No. 5.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

Proposed Amendment No. 290. "Mobile County man become indebted and may issue bonds for the construction or improvement of concrete or better than concrete surfaced public roads, and concrete or better than concrete public bridges in said county, and for the construction of bridges and roadway necessary to provide a public road for vehicular travel between the highlands of Mobile and Baldwin Counties, in an amount not to exceed six ane one-half per centum of the assessed value of the property situated in Mobile County. To pay said indebtedness and the interest thereon, Mobile County may levy and collect an annual tax on said property not to exceed one-half of one per centum of said value. The indebtedness, the bonds and the tax authorized hereby shall be in addition to those authorized by the Constitution of Alabama prior to the adoption of this amendment. But no such additional indebtedness shall be created, and no such additional bonds shall be issued, and no such additional tax shall be levied, until each improvement or construction proposed to be built thereby, its approximate location, estimated cost and time of completion, and the amount of the proposed increase, shall have been determined upon and made public by the Board of Revenue and Road Commissioners of Mobile County, and the proposed increase of indebtedness or issue of bonds or tax therefor shall have been first authorized by a majority vote by ballot of the qualified voters of Mobile County voting upon such proposition."

Proposed Amendment No. 6

Shall the following be adopted as Article.....of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The County of Walker, State of Alabama, shall have power to levy and collect a special road tax not exceeding fifty cents on each hundred dollars worth of taxable property in said county in addition to that now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized for the erection, construction or maintenance of the necessary public roads, bridges or ferries and in addition to that now authorized under Section 215 of Article XI of the Constitution, which special county tax so levied and collected shall be applied exclusively to the purpose for which the same was so levied and collected; provided, that the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and he purpose thereof shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county, and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election." Section 2. "Twenty-five per centum of all moneys derived from property lying within the municipalities and arising from the tax proposed herein shall be paid to such municipality and shall, by it, be expended for upkeep of its streets." Section 3. "The Court of County Commissioners, Boards of Revenue, or other governing body of said county may, or upon written petition of ten per centum of the qualified voters of Walker County, shall call and submit said election provided for and authorized by Section 1 hereof to the qualified electors of Walker County either at the time of the general election or at a special election called for that purpose; proivded that said election shall be called and held in accordance with the law now or that may be enacted governing county bond elections, and in conformity with the general election laws of the State."

Proposed Amendment No. 7

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"Town Creek School District No. 59, Landersville School District No. 23 and Moulton School District No. 28, in Lawrence County, Alabama, shall each have the right and power by vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such district at an election held fir that purpose to levy and collect for the purpose of acquiring, constructing or repairing of school buildings in such districts or paying for school buildings already built, a tax of not over five mills in any one year, in addition to all other taxes now authorized by law. The election in such district to determine whether or not such tax shall be levied shall be called, held and conducted as now provided by law for calling, holding and conducting of elections to determine whether or not a three-mill district school tax shall be levied and collected."

Dated at Clanton, Ala., this the 7th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff Chilton County, Ala.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

The undersigned, convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton County for murder, hereby gives notice that she will make application to the State Board of Pardons and to his Excellency, the Governor, for pardon or parole.

Signed
10-9-3t-ch. HATTIE POPE.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Eight in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

D. M. Apperson and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Seven in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

C. N. Parnell and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County — Circuit Court in Equity, January Term, 1924.

To Mrs. Mary E. Martin:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, in favor of Officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N. E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.

10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Of J. T. Fowler, Executor of Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, Deceased.

J. T. Fowler, Executor of the Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, having appeared on this, the 14th day of October, 1924, and filed his petition, accounts, vouchers and evidences for a final settlement of his said administration:

It is ordered by the court that the 8th day of November, 1924, be, and it is hereby the day set, on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested may appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

This the 14th day of October, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-16-3t Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL LAND

The State of Alabama, Chilton County—Probte Court:

Notice is hereby given that Alfred Baker, as guardian of Gulma Brunice Baker-Powell, has filed his petition in the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, for permission to sell, for re-investment, the following described real estate, situatd in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-five (25) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14) and running thence east on the Forty line 220 wards, thence north 220 yards, thence west 220 yards, thence south along the Forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, and containing Ten acres more or less.

And that Tuesday, October 21, 1924 is the day appointed for the hearing of said petition.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-25-4t-c Judge of Probate.

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)
Culp Schoolhouse,	15	Oct. 23
Verbena,	5	Oct. 24
Mt. Creek,	5	Oct. 25
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov. 8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

SHERIFF'S SALE, REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Equity Division of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Twelve and 93-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January term, 1924 of said Court, against Mary E. Martin, E. W. Martin, W. T. Martin and Wretha Williams, in favor of the Officers of the Court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 10th day of November, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary E. Martin, in and to the following described real estate, viz: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N.E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.

This, 9th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, October 9th, 1924.

10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

GUARDIAN'S SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Probate Court.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court, on October 21, 1924, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the court house door in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 22, Range 14, and running east on the forty line 220 yards; thence north 220 yards; thence west 220 yards; thence south along the forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, containing ten acres more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Witness my hand this 21st day of October, 1924.

ALFRED BAKER,
As Guardian of Gulma Brunice
10-23-3t Baker-Powell.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

Don't Throw the Boomerang of Oppressive Legislation at the Railroads

The boomerang is a dangerous weapon to use. It flies back and is likely to hit and damage the thrower.

A vast amount of legislation to "regulate" the railroads is being proposed. Most of it would not only be impracticable in operation but would actually destroy the satisfactory service the railroads are now giving to the public.

Thus, like the boomerang thrown by the untutored Australian native, this legislation would "Return to plague the inventor".

The instigators of this proposed legislation are largely selfish—they don't care if it is "boomerang stuff" to the people. However, a few honest, but unthinking, people have unconsciously been influenced to join in this attack on the railroads—without realizing that whatever hurts the railroads hurts the people as well.

Don't you be a boomeranger. Give a little honest and intelligent thought and study to the railroad situation; and you'll want to help prevent the dangerous, fly-back legislation now being proposed.

Since Jan. 1, 1922 more than one billion dollars has been saved to shippers thru reductions that the railroads have made in freight rates.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores of Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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Ends November 10

A 15,000 Home——
——and 10 College Scholarships!

These are the national prizes which make it worth while for every school child over 10 years of age to participate in the national Home Lighting Contest which is now being carried on by the Electrical Industry to improve lighting in the home.

Ask Your Electrical Dealer For Full Details

—and a Home Lighting Primer. Read the instructions carefully, then write your essay and prepare your primer.

YOU CAN WIN!

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ASK YOUR GROCER
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Better Bread, Better Cakes, Better Biscuits.

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ORIGINAL

BIG END OF MONTH SALE

AT THE LEADER

SEE US BEFORE BUYING AND YOU WILL SAVE MONEY

One lot of Good Outing, per yard, ...**10c**
One ot of Mens Heavy Sweaters, ...**98c**
One lot Mens every-day Shoes, guaranteed solid leather, special, ...**$1.94**
One lot of Girls Shoes, all leather, sizes 9 to 2, while they last, broken sizes to close **$1.49**
We have all kinds of ladies and childrens Sweaters, from .....**98c** up
One lot of Good Ginghams, special, ...**10c**
One lot childrens Winter Union Suits, ..**48c**
One lot mens Solid Leather Dress Shoes, all sizes, special, ...**$2.74**

Don't forget our Ladies Coats and Dresses; we have them from .....**$4.95 to $32.50**
We have all-wool Mens Suits in a large variety of styles and patterns, at ....**$10.95** up

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Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."
In Our New and Permanent Home Next to Alred Drug Co.

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE
CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MR. LANDE SAYS:
I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.
In Our New and Permanent Home Next to Alred Drug Co.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. W. E. Smitherman was brought in with a fractured skull Monday by Dr. DuBose.

Miss Elizabeth Higgins of Billingsley was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday night.

Mr. Briggs Crumpton was discharged last week.

Dr. C. C. Wilkerson was in the hospital a few days last week.

Mrs. Clifford Mullins and daughter, Emily Susan, are doing nicely. The little lady arrived on the 16th inst., and weighed eleven pounds.

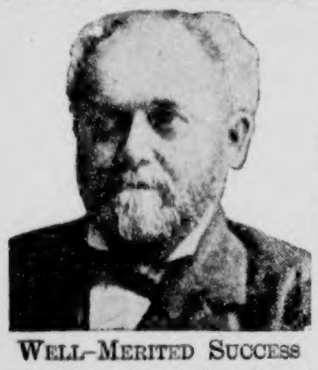
The little son of Mr. H. B. Deal of Lck 12 was in Sunday with a severe cut on the face.

Miss Cora Brogdon attended the State Nurses Association in Birmingham this week.

OYSTER SUPPER AT THORSBY

Next Monday evening, October 27 at 6 o'clock, the Woodmen of the World are going to give an oyster supper at Thorsby. All Woodmen and families as well as all visiting Woodmen are urged to be on hand and take part. Let's build up Woodcraft in this section. The Degree team from Deatsville camp will have charge of this work. You cannot afford to miss this entertainment. So come out and bring your folks.

B. T. FRANKLIN, Clerk.
JAS. RICHARDSON, Deputy.



WELL-MERITED SUCCESS

A distinguished citizen, honored politically and professionally, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears above, made a success few have equalled. His pure herbal remedies which have stood the test for fifty years are still among the "best sellers." Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a blood medicine and stomach alterative. It clears the skin, beautifies it, increases the blood supply and the circulation, and pimples and eruptions vanish quickly. Beauty is but skin deep and good blood is beneath both. For your blood to be good, your stomach must be in condition, your liver active. This Discovery of Doctor Pierce's puts you in fine condition, with all the organs active. Ask your nearest druggist for Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, in tablet or liquid form, or send 10 cents for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

U. S. RECORDS GREATEST TRADE EXPANSION

Washington, Oct. 21.—The first nine months of the current year, ended September, compared with the corresponding period of 1923, indicates something of a decrease in imports, while the average rate of duty on all imports remains practically the same as it has been since the Fordney-McCumber tariff law was enacted in 1922, or about 15 per cent. Imports totaled $2,682,000,000, indicating a total for 1924 of about $3,600,000,000 or nearly twice the pre-war total, so it is evident there is nothing prohibitive about the present law. Customs revenues totaled $415,000,000, indicating about $550,000,000 for the full year, which is precisely the average for the two fiscal years of 1923 and 1924, ended June 30th. This shows a remarkable stability.

Exports for the 1924 period show $165,000,000 increase, animal products increasing slightly, and some increases in flour and other agricultural items, with a marked increase in fruits, nuts and vegetables. The total of exports was $3,105,000,000, the favorable balance being $423,000,000, or an average of $47,000,000 a month. A striking characteristic of the trade was that while imports of manufactures ready for consumption accounted for about 20 per cent of the total, exports of those products made up 41 per cent of the total sales abroad, and it is on this class of goods that the greatest amount of time, labor, and capital are expended. This means that the American laborer, manufacturer, miner, and producers generally of the raw materials get a chance at those materials all the way up the line, every man taking a profit in wages or sales in his contribution to the work represented by the finished materials. This, of course, is a very satisfactory condition of affairs. The tendency under free trade is for foreign capital, labor, etc., to work up crude materials purchased from us or elsewhere, and sell them in the American market, displacing domestic wares, thereby curtailing our own activities.

A steady increase has been recorded in our exports to Europe, notably to Germany, France, Italy, Spain, Russia, and the Netherlands. Sales to South America increased, particularly to Brazil, Columbia, Peru, Uraguay, and Venezuela, with decreases to Argentina and Chile. There was a large increase in sales to Asia and Oceania, every country listed being a better purchaser this year than last. To the African countries sales increased $5,000,000.

The Department of Commerce announces that "the expansion was the largest over the pre-war average of any country in the world," and that "the figures signified that the United States is taking a larger position in the wordl's foreign trade and is gaining a greater portion of new trade than any other nation."

Candidate Davis in his addresses has been making vague promises to agriculture and industry of better foreign markets. "We propose to search diligently for means to extend our trade with other nations," said he at Des Moines. But what need of promises when we now have performance twice as great as in pre-war days? And why authorize the Democratic party to search diligently, for what the Republican party has already found?

MOTOR VEHICLE OWNERS URGED TO BUY TAGS NOW

Up to the present time only about 350 automobile and truck tags have been purchased from the probate office in Clanton. There are in the neighborhood of 2,000 motor vehicles in Chilton County, so less than 20 per cent of the owners have purchased license tags yet, and the time allowed to buy tags is over half gone, November 14th being the last day. Those owning motor vehicles should not wait till near the close of the alloted time, since this will cause such a rush in the probate's office. All owners are urged to get tags before the last days, so as to avoid the excessive rush.

HAWK MEASURES 50 INCHES AND WEIGHS ONE POUND

A somewhat unusual story was brought to our office recently by Mr. Curtis Moore of Coopers regarding a hawk. He reports that his son, Charley Moore, recently shot and killed a hawk of very exceptional proportions, the bird measuring 50 inches from tip to tip of wings and it weighed exactly one pound. Judging from the weight of this hawk, there must not be many chickens around Mr. Moore's place, or else there are a lot of preachers down who have totally out-witted the hawks in getting the first whack at all the chickens. To say the least of it, that was some bird.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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K. M. VINSON IS ON THE FORD SELLING FORCE NOW

Mr. Kin M. Vinson is pleased to announce to his friends over the county that he is now spending most of his time selling Ford cars. Mr. Vinson has been working for the Clanton Motor Car Company in the capacity of stenographer for the past two years, but he is only working in the office part of the time now and is on the road the rest of the time. If you are in the market for a Ford, he will be glad to see you.

DR. EZELL TO SPEAK AT TRAINING SCHOOL

Dr. S. J. Ezell, Pastor First Baptist Church, Clanton, has consented to address the student body and colored citizens, in a rally, at the County Training School, Sunday, Oct. 25, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. A special invitation is extended to white citizens in and around Clanton to be present. Special seats will be provided for their comfort.

I. B. Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Renfroe Jones went down to Montgomery Monday to attend the John Robinson circus.

Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

but it did the work. It just seemed to cleanse the liver. Very soon I felt like new. When I found Black-Draught so easy to take and easy-acting, I began to use it in time and would not have sick headaches."

Constipation causes the system to re-absorb poisons that may cause great pain and much danger to your health. Take Thedford's Black-Draught. It will stimulate the liver and help to drive out the poisons.

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DOWN IN ALABAMA

Editor The National Republican: "Straws show which way the wind blows." One night this week I attended one of the most prominent moving picture theaters in Montgomery, Ala. The introductory picture was the initation of Mr. Davis, Democratic candidate for the presidency, by a camp of Boy Scouts somewhere out west. The ceremony was very elaborate, including the lassoing and decorating of Mr. Davis, and showing him off to the best possible advantage for several minutes, evidently with the expectation of getting some recognition in the way of applause. To my utter surprise the audience was as silent as if a funeral procession had passed before them instead of the standard bearer of the Democratic party making a bid for public approval. There was not the faintest sign of a ripple of applause, not even a handclap. And this happened in Montgomery, Ala., the cradle of the Confederacy and the undisputed territory of rock ribbed Democracy—"Subscriber" in the National Republican.

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FRIENDSHIP NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at this place. Rev. W. W. Robinson of Providence will preach at 11:00 o'clock a.m., and at 7:30, p.m. Sunday School at 10:00, a.m.

There will be singing in the afternoon, beginning at 2:00 o'clock. Prof. W. M. Devaughn and some other good singers will be present. Everybody come and help sing praises to God.

STILL CAPTURED IN STUMPS HILLS SUNDAY

Sheriff Littlejohn, with the assistance of Special Deputy Robinson, discovered and destroyed a small copper still in the Stumps Hills community last Sunday morning. A small quantity of beer was poured out by the officers. No whiskey was found.

A short distance from the still Steve Dutton was arrested for carrying a concealed weapon.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1924
AT 9:00 O'CLOCK, A.M.
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One Fine Black Horse; Two Jersey Cows; One Good Farm Wagon; One Buggy and Harness; and all kinds of Farming Implements; also Corn and Velvet Beans; Fine Mungbean Hay Baled; and Corn Fodder.

MR. J. M. MIMS, Auctioneer.

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EVINS REPLIES TO DEBATE CHALLENGE; DECLINES MEETING

Tells Reynolds that Majority of Alabamians are Grounded in Democratic Faith.

"I do not think it necessary to debate before the people of Alabama the question that public officers must be honest and free from corruption, or that no class of the population is entitled to use the powers of government to levy tribute on the whole people."

Thus R. B. Evins, chairman of the state Democratic executive committee, replies to L. H. Reynolds, chairman of the state Republican campaign committee, who challenged the Democratic party in the state to a debate.

Mr. Evins made public his reply Friday in which he says:

"You suggest this debate because you say that the people are entitled to hear the issues of the campaign discussed.

"The great majority of the people of this state are firmly grounded in the sound principles of the Democratic faith, and are, I think, fully informed on the issues of the campaign. The humiliating betrayals of public trust which have occurred during the present administration are known by all men, and the vast increase in the cost of living, due, in large measures, to the existing tariff law, is a part of the daily experience of every individual.

"The major issues of this campaign arise out of these facts, and I do not think that it is necessary to debate before the people of Alabama the question that public officers must be honest and free from corruption or that no class of the population is entitled to use the powers of government to levy tribute on the whole people.

"I see no useful purpose that could be served by the debate which you suggest, and therefore, I respectfully decline your proposal."

Mr. Reynolds proposed a joint debate between party leaders at a meeting in Birmingham this week, a report of which was carried in last weeks Union-Banner.

GOOD MEETING AT THE COURT HOUSE SATURDAY

As announced before, Hon. C. B. Kennamer of Birmingham, spoke on the political issues of the day at the court house here last Saturday. There were a number of Republicans from all over the county present at this meeting, who enjoyed Mr. Kennamer's speech very much. It is a pity that every voter in the county could not attend this meeting and hear this fine speech. It would have been an eye-opener to some of our good citizens.

CHILTON HI VS. BIBB HI AT HIGH SCHOOL GROUNDS FRIDAY, OCT. 31, 3:00 P. M.

Next Friday afternoon at 3 p.m., Chilton County High School will meet the Bibb County aggregation on the former's ground in Clanton at 3 o'clock sharp. These teams have not met in several years, and have never scored on each other, when they have played. A good game is expected. Come and root for Chilton.

GOOD ROAD FROM PRATTVILLE TO CHILTON COUNTY LINE

The report comes to us that Autauga county has finished, with the exception of a few miles, its part of the road between Prattville and Clanton, they only lacking a little being to the Chilton county line. It is reported that this road through Autauga is mighty good—much better than the section of that road through Chilton. Citizens of Autauga county who travel this road a good deal are asking that Chilton county some across and build her part of this road. There is quite a bit of traveling over this road which goes over Greasy Ridge, on through White City and on into Prattville.

REYNOLDS WRITES LETTER TO VOTERS OF CHILTON COUNTY

Clanton, Ala., Oct. 28, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

The campaign is about over, and it seems evident that Coolidge will be elected. If he is not, even the Democrats will be disappointed.

I have given all my time for the past several weeks to the State campaign that I could possibly spare from my office, and I have not been able to do anything in the county campaign.

I want to call to the attention of the voters a few things in reference to our county ticket. In the first place I want to say that we are all proud of the decent campaign which is being conducted, and I am glad to know that some Democrats who have been so bitter and who only a few months ago were heaping slander and abuse on the people's cause, have now become so fair (?) that they claim to be entirely non-partisan.

The Republican party held a primary election in our county and nominated a ticket, and a good one. Each and every one nominated in that primary is a citizen of the highest type and well deserving of a party honor. Mr. A. P. Vinson, one of our nominees for county commissioner, served four years in this capacity and made a record of which all of us should be proud. He saved the people's money. Whenever he passed on a bill he was sure that the county had received value for the same. If he is elected, and I am sure he will be, we all know that the county's business will be safe in his hands and he will foster road building and other forward-looking measures.

Mr. J. L. Burnett, our other nominee for Commissioner, has lived among us all his life. He is of the highest type of citizenship, has the interest of the people at heart, and while he has never held office, there is not a doubt that he will make a Commissioner of the highest order of efficiency and will always be responsive to the will of the people.

Mr. Baker and Mr. Smith, our nominees for county school board, are both vitally interested in our schools and both have had training and experience which peculiarly qualifies them for these important offices. Mr. Baker has taught a number of schools, and wherever he was given a fair chance he succeeded to the sat-

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CAN PROHIBITION LAW BE ENFORCED SUBJECT OF DEBATE

Question will be Debated at Clanton Baptist Church Friday night at 7:30 O'clock.

Can the prohibition law be enforced? Advocates of prohibition say it can be and is being enforced. Wets declare it cannot be enforced. This question is clearly discussed in the dramatic debate on the subject which

JOHN W. LANGLEY

John W. Langley and Paul P. Kelser are putting on in a number of cities in Alabama.

This is called a dramatic debate and it really is dramatic. Mr. Langley as the good citizen boils over with wrath in discussing with Mr. Kelser, as county attorney, the failure of that official to close up certain places known to be violating the law.

Mr. Kelser, as county attorney, points out that the real trouble is not with the officials, but with the citizens, and then, after discussing the issue back and forth, rather heated-

PAUL P. KELSER

ly, they both find that both are right and both are wrong, and end up with each accepting his responsibility and an agreement to see that the law is enforced.

During the debate, which lasts 48 minutes, there are many facts and statistics brought out in an interesting way, such a lot of them, indeed, that the debate is worth attending just for these. But it's entertaining, too, with a bit of humor now and then, and is the equal of the best Chautauqua attraction.

These debates are free to all and both men and women are invited. The debate will be conducted in the Baptist church at Clanton, Friday evening, October 31, at 7:30. Rev. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the church, is in charge of local arrangements, with the co-operation of Rev. C. C. Wilkerson, pastor of the Methodist church.

SQUIRREL SEASON OPENS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST

The many sportsmen of Chilton County are looking forward to the opening of the squirrel season, which comes in Saturday of next week, November 1st. Sheriff Littlejohn asks us to urge those who intend to hunt to procure hunting license from the Probate Judge. A license is required of everyone hunting except on his own land. County license is $1.00, and State license is $3.00. If you intend to hunt any this season, it will be well for you to procure license, because this business is going to be looked after very closely this time. The Officers do not want to cause anyone any trouble, but they are going to see that the law is abided by to the best of their ability. So if you get caught hunting without license, you need not blame anyone except yourself.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells and children of Selma, were in Clanton Tuesday of this week visiting friends and relatives.

GO TO POLLS NEXT TUESDAY AND VOTE REPUBLICAN TICKET

Republicans of County Urged to Go to Polls Election Day and Vote For Republican Ticket.

In this election as in many previous ones, the main question before the Republican voters is that their people get out to the polls and vote. We have the qualified voters all right who are in line with the Republican principles of government and the Republican ticket, but unless they come to the polls and vote, their stand will do no good. Their vote is what counts.

The Democrats are going to keep their people stirred up and they are going to get them out on election day. A few Democrats of Chilton county (or as they would have themselves called, non-partisans) are working night and day and Sundays too, trying to arouse interest among their supporters, and they are going to use every means at their command to swell their vote just as much as possible. The Republicans cannot afford to sit idle and let their side of the question lie dormant. We have got to see that our people come out and vote.

Let all good Republicans awake to their duty now, and arouse your neighbors to a sense of their political duty. We want Chilton county to poll a good substantial vote for Calvin Coolidge and Col. Dawes. Our State ticket should have a good representation among the Republicans of the county. The county ticket is possibly the most important one to the people of Chilton county. This county ticket is composed of good clean men and women, and there is no reason that they should not have the undivided support of the Republicans of the county.

The Democrats of Chilton county are trying to trick the Republicans this year into voting for their men. They have out a Democratic ticket which they place at the disposal of the voters of the county and call it non-partisan. There is nothing non-partisan about it except the name, and there is virtually no name to it at all, so you see they have very little left to offer the people. They are calling themselves non-partisan for no other purpose in the world but to try to deceive some of the Republicans of the county to vote for them. They know that if they came out as Democrats that the people would not fall for it, hence the name non-partisan. It is really not non-partisan at all but Democratic if there ever was a Democratic ticket; the only difference is that they are ashamed to call it by its real name.

Some of our people assume the attitude that we will win without their vote. This is a mighty bad idea, because you must remember that while you are taking this view, there may be several more who are saying the same thing. We may win without you, but the greater vote we poll the better it will make our nominees feel, and the more it will make them feel like doing for the people after they get in office. And too, we want the Republican State vote to show up as favorably as possible this year. We need a strong Republican party in Alabama, and the only way to get it is for all the Republicans of the state to vote.

Let all of the Republicans of Chilton county go to your polls next Tuesday and vote, and see that your neighbors have a way to get there too. We need every Republican voter in the county.

WALTER GILLESPIE HELPS IN CAPTURING BIGGEST OUTFIT

All previous records in Alabama law enforcement annals were smashed when State and Federal officers, last Wednesday morning captured in Cross Roads beat, Pike County, a copper distilling outfit of 2,000 gallons capacity. The apparatus is said to be the largest all-copper "moonshine" plant ever taken in this State. It is estimated that fully $500 worth of sheet copper was used in its construction. The huge pant was taken to Troy after the bottom and top had been knocked out and it had otherwise been rendered useless as a potential source of "liquid corn." The worm, extending from the top of the still and through the barrel, was 55 feet in length.

The raiding party consisted of: Deputy State Law Enforcement Officer, E. Potter Smith, Federal Officer W. H. Gillepie, State Officer S. E. Tranum and State Officer A. L. Kimbrough. In connection with the raid in which the still was captured, the officers arrested two men on charges of distilling.

Clarksburg (W.Va.) Telegram.—The downtrodden masses, concerning whom Senator La Follette is making such a fuss, do not seem to be so terribly downtrodden when you go out on a walk and take a look at them.

TWO MORE SPEAKINGS BEFORE GENERAL ELECTION

On Friday night, October 31st. Col. J. Osmond Middleton will speak to the voters at Culp Schoolhouse on the issues of the present political campaign.

On Monday night, November 3rd the campaign in Chilton County will close with a speaking at Thorsby, which will be held at 7:00 o'clock in Bates Hall. Both Judge Reynolds and Mr. Middleton will address the voters at this meeting. A good crowd is expected to be at Thorsby Monday night. It is hoped that people from all over the county will come to this meeting and show the people of Thorsby and Beat 9 as well as the speakers that they have an interest in the success of our ticket and the triumphant vicory of the Republican party.

OFFICERS ACTIVE AGAINST VIOLATORS DURING PAST WEEK

On last Wednesday morning Deputy Culp went down to Andalusia and took charge of Roy Clayton, bringing him back to Clanton to answer a charge of carnal knowledge. Clayton had been arrested by Covington county officers at Florala, and had been carried to Andalusia for keeping. The preliminary trial was held at the court house in Clanton Tuesday of this week before Mr. Gulledge, Justice of the Peace. Clayton was bound over to the grand jury, his bond being set at $650.00.

On last Friday Sheriff Littlejohn, with the help of Deputy Easterling and Game Warden Napoleon Willis, caught Mitch Bates, Emmett Singleton and Newt Wyatt violating the game law, they having some squirrels in their possession. The men were caught down on Coosa river near the mouth of Walnut Creek. Mitch Bates and Newt Wyatt were tried before Mr. Gulledge, Justice of the Peace, Saturday, and were fined each $26.25. Singleton had not appeared for trial up to Tuesday of this week.

Benson Moncrief, negro from Deatsville, was arrested by Deputy Culp Monday, charged with assault with intent to murder, the crime having taken place in Clanton the same day of the arrest. Moncrief was placed in jail, where he still remains.

Officers here took up a 17-year-old negro boy who was wanted in Montgomery for stealing $500 from another negro down there, the arrest being made here Monday. A detective from Montgomery came up in a car and got the negro boy Monday afternoon.

COOKE PLAYERS IN CLANTON

The Cooke Players, who have visited Clanton every fall for the past four or five years, are playing in Clanton every night this week. These players are putting on some very good dramas as well as comic and vaudeville acts. Mr. and Mrs. Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Barnes are well known to Clanton fans, all of whom welcome them back to play for us. The Cooke Players have a reputation of playing only clean and refined productions, and this week they are measuring up favorably to this criterion. The tent is located on the vacant lot below Lawrence's Garage on Sixth Street.

EDWARDS ESTATE CORPORATION TO SUE FOR BILLIONS

Corporation Formed to Sue for Vast Estate in New York Belonging to Heirs in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 28.—Truth, indeed, is stranger than fiction.

This fact was emphasized upon the minds of several of the wealthiest men in the United States during the past week, when they discovered that land, which they considered their property, might belong to other persons.

Fiction could never go back in history nearly 150 years to discover a 99-year contract that, with the passing of time, had come to be regarded as a deed; yet this took place when a document was filed in New York City, asserting the claim of the heirs of Thomas Edwards, who died about 1780, to the richest tract of land in the United States.

This property embraces Wall Street, the money center of the world, it includes acres of land, upon which is located the U. S. sub-treasury, the Trinity church, the Woolworth building, the tallest skyscraper in the world, as well as hundreds of other buildings.

And to prove this claim, which is stranger than the imaginings of any fiction writer, records of New York City, made shortly after the close of the Revolutionary War, are to be brought into use.

According to lineal descendants, Thomas Edwards, the Englishman refused to manage his holding in New York City after the close of the war, and his sons leased the tract of land in question for 99 years. Then came the war between the states and chaos. The land was never turned back to the rightful heirs, who, it now is estimated number 2,500.

The heirs drifted into the South and in Birmingham, Alabama, where was recently organized the Edwards Estate Corporation, with full powers to act for nearly 1,000 of the heirs in securing their heritage. The first step to secure the property, according to Joel F. Webb, legal adviser for the corporation, as well as heirs, was taken recently by the filing of a deed of ownership in New York. The next step is a recovery suit which is to be filed within a short time.

"The final step," according to T. C. McCain, chairman of the finance committee of the Corporation, "Will be the securing of a 150-year old heritage. Our claims are clear. Every day, additional heirs are writing our office, First National Bank building, Birmingham, and joining the battle and we expect to win.

"We want every rightful heir to share in the inheritance, but we can act only for those who authorize us to do so."

There are several people in Chilton county who believe they are the heirs to a part of this immense estate in New York City, and among these are Mr. George Edwards of near Clanton, who has in his possession papers dating back before the death of Thomas Edwards, showing close relationship to the said Thomas Edwards. He also has a book something like one hundred years old with Thomas Edwards' own signature signed in it.

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ELECTION MANAGERS FOR GENERAL ELECTION, NOV. 4

Beat 1. Managers: J. L. Burnett, Mat Vines, Oliver Mullins; Clerks: Willie Burnett, Reed Mullins; Returning Officer: J. E. Smitherman.

Beat 2, Box 1. Managers: A. M. Attaway, Monroe Hubbard, W. H. Conway; Clerks: C. C. Conway, J. M. Langston; Returning Officer: Y. O. Freeman. Box 2. Managers: C. L. Hayes, H. W. Gothard, J. P. Gentry; Clerks: C. W. Scott, Clarence Hayes; Returning Officer: J. W. Abbott.

Beat 3. Managers: Sidney J. M. Webb, W. F. Deshazo, Stanley Jones; Clerks: O. O. Calfee, R. N. Roebuck; Returning Officer: W. B. Cooper.

Beat 4, Box 1. Managers: W. I. Mullins, T. G. Wyatt, J. Dudley Collins; Clerks: Dewey Rockett, W. D. Spigener; Returning Officer: T. J. Littlejohn. Box 2. Managers: C. Reese Mullins, G. W. Melton, Joe Littlejohn; Clerks: Flem Higgins, Frank Massey; Returning Officer: W. H. Hayes. Box 3. Managers: R. J. Jones, Frank Hayes, W. H. Wilson; Clerks: J. P. Parrish, D. W. Ward; Returning Officer: W. B. Foshee. Box 4. Managers: M. A. Gore, J. N. Dennis, T. M. Taylor; Clerks: Lonnie Parrish, Ollie McDowell; Returning Officer: J. M. Grant.

Beat 5, Box 1. Managers: T. L. Robinson, W. H. Strock, E. L. Jones; Clerks: Lee Robinson, Luther Yeargan; Returning Officer: W. B. Jones. Box 2. Managers: W. S. Clark, Tom Lake, T. J. Henderson; Clerks: J. W. Howard, A. A. Culver; Returning Officer: T. J. Griffin.

Beat 6. Box 1. Managers: Eugene Mullins, M. F. Lett, F. I. Popwell; Clerks: J. F. Pool, R. F. Atkinson; Returning Officer: C. A. Dobbs. Box 2. Managers: W. Y. Keel, R. N. Wilkins, J. E. Moore; Clerks: C. L. Wilkins, Lue Bookholdt; Returning Officer: C. B. Huett.

Beat 7. Box 1. Managers: Hill Foshee, J. H. Carter, Clint Cobern; Clerks: G. W. Fox, C. F. Merchant; Returning Officer: L. J. Perry. Box 2. Managers: W. M. Oden, Will Moore, Harvey Gentry; Clerks: Sam Shoults, J. R. McAfee; Returning Officer: C. T. Walker.

Beat 8. Managers: J. R. Rucker, F. E. Harris, Thos. C. Wooley; Clerks: W. H. Harris, M. E. Dunsmore; Returning Officer: D. M. Apperson.

Beat 9. Box 1. Managers: H. E. Robinson, D. H. Gentry, Perry Gore; Clerks: S. P. Collins, Jim Williams; Returning Officer: W. M. Benson. Box 2. Managers: A. F. Mims, J. R. Parnell, Leon Popwell; Clerks: C. E. Bice, Walter Parnell; Returning Officer: L. E. Diefenderfer.

Beat 10. Managers: J. R. Taylor, D. S. Robinson, S. M. Yates, Jr.; Clerks: W. T. Patterson, O. L. Devaughn; Returning Officer: J. S. Jones.

Beat 11. Managers: John R. Robinson, John S. Dennis, Newt Tracy; Clerks: R. E. Jones, W. J. Gentry; Returning Officer: Joe Littleton.

Beat 12. Box 1. Managers: S. J. Dupriest, Perry Robinson, Lafayette Littlefield; Clerks: A. B. Retherford, J. P. Bean; Returning Officer: Jim Dorminey. Box 2. Managers: William Dorminey, Richard Robinson, Joe Bratton; Clerks: R. S. Chandler, Thomas D. Hall; Returning Officer: Loss Robinson.

Beat 13. Managers: W. G. Conway, W. R. Houldritch, B. B. Armstrong; Clerks: W. G. Shaw, B. M. Killingsworth; Returning Officer: Cleve Watson.

Beat 14. Managers: Tobe Posey, W. R. Redding, W. H. Gibson; Clerks: Z. J. Jones, E. L. Lenoir; Returning Officer: H. H. Armstrong.

Beat 15, Box 1. Managers: Geo. Williams, Walter Kendrick, T. B. Miner; Clerks: J. T. Abbott, Mose Donovan; Returning Officer: Jim Short. Box 2. Managers: J. C. Culp, Earnest Mims, Sam Culp; Clerks: Grady Culp, J. M. Culp; Returning Officer: M. L. Milford.

Beat 16. Managers: W. W. Robinson, J. M. Robinson, J. Mid Mims; Clerks: E. Robinson, R. M. Robinson; Returning Officer: J. L. Easterling.

We the undersigned appointing board for Chilton County, whose duty it is to appoint three managers, two clerks and one Returning officer, for each voting place in Chilton County for the election to be held Nov. 4th, 1924, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct list of managers, clerks and returning officers, for said election, and Sheriff Littlejohn is hereby ordered to notify the above parties and also to publish list as provided by law in Section 428 Code of 1923.

This the 16th day of Oct. 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS
Judge Of Probate.
J. Z. MIMS
Clerk Circuit Court.
T. J. LITTLEJOHN
Sheriff.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their help during the sickness and death of our dear mother. Words can never express to you our appreciation for your help, and sweet words of sympathy. Such kindness goes so far in helping to lighten the sorrow of giving mother up. We feel that not one thing was left undone by you, to ease the pain of mother's suffering. May each and every one of you be shown such kindness in your hour of sorrow, as you showed us, is the prayer of her children.—Abbie Foshee, Billie Foshee, Walter Foshee, George Foshee, Dock Foshee, Mrs. Sallie Littlejohn.

BOX SUPPER AT MT. PISGAH

There will be a box supper at Mt. Pisgah school house on Nov. 1, 7:30 p.m., for benefit of school. Everybody invited.

FRIENDSHIP CHURCH

Rev. W. W. Robinson preached at Friendship at both the morning and evening services last Sunday. On Sunday morning the pastor spoke on the subject of discipline in the church, and the way he handled the subject was very complete and directly to the point. Rev. Robinson talked for about an hour and a quarter, and every minute was well used. The question of discipline in our churches today is sadly neglected, and it is done at a great expense to the welfare of the cause of Christ. In a great many instances where a church takes in thirty or forty new members, it would be much better off if it would expel forty or fifty. Our churches are becoming entirgely too contaminated with worldiness, and they tolerate entirely too much nonscriptural acts of their members. A church is better off with a dozen genuine Christians in it than it would be with fifty Christians and a hundred people who do not know and do not care anything about God.

The singing society met Sunday afternoon and had two hours of fine singing. The prominent singers present who directed the song service were: Prof. W. M. Devaughn, Prof. O. L. Devaughn, Prof. Beaird, T. G. Wyatt and Amie Boswell. Prof. W. M. Devaughn had some 1925 Showalter books with him, and they were used mostly in the singing.

After preaching Sunday night, the church was called into conference, and one member was excluded from the church roll. The church had some other cases against some members pending, but it was decided that no action be taken against them until next regular preaching day, when these cases will be taken up and disposed of. A movement was instituted to clean out Friendship church, and all the leaders present pledged themselves to stand by the pastor in this work. If this church cannot be run right and according to the teachings of the Bible, it will not be run at all. One brother said that he favored cleaning up the church if every member had to be expelled, which idea was sanctioned by the other members present.

A great service was held both morning and evening, and everyone present seemed to be pleased with the course the church had adopted.

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Farrior - Spigener Wedding Pretty Event.

A pretty marriage was that of Miss Warrene Spigener and Mr. W. L. Farrior of Birmingham, which was solemnized Thursday evening at 4:00 o'clock at the First Baptist church of Clanton by Dr. Wilkeron, assisted by Dr. S. J. Ezell. The church was decorated in yellow chrysanthemums with palms and ferns, which were banked on the altar, where pale yellow tapers burned in candelabra. Before the ceremony a program of music was rendered by Mrs. Will Longshore, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pitts, Mr. Saxon and Miss Madelyn Orr. The ushers and groomsmen were: Mr. C. Fenn Jones, Mr. Frank Thomas, an uncle of the bride, Mr. Bill Orr and Mr. Frank Mullins. The two bridemaids were: Miss Willodean Reynolds and Miss Ida Bell Lull, who were robed in burnt orange and crepe dresses with brown and gold lace hats.

Miss Marzelle Mullins, maid of honor, wore a beautiful dress of henna canton crepe and a picture hat of brown and gold. The matron of honor, Mrs. J. T. Darden, sister of the bridegroom, wore a burnt orange crepe dress with hat to match. All the attendants carried arm clusters of golden chrysanthemums tied with yellow tulle. The bride was preceded by two dainty little flower girls, Peggy Page and Iva Temmerman. The ring bearer, Mister Callen Alred, carried the ring in a huge chrysanthemum.

The bride entered with her father, Mr. W. D. Spigener, by whom she was given in marriage. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. Harvey King. Miss Spigener wore a going-away costume, which was a handsome fur-trimmed suit of brown material and blending tones and hat to match. Her bouquet was bride roses showered with valley lilies.

The bride is the accomplished and well known daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spigener of Clanton. Mr. Farrior, the groom, is a prominent business man of Birmingham. They left on the southbound train for New Orleans and other southern points on a bridal tour. Mr. and Mrs. Farrior will be at home after the fifth of November, Highlands View Apartments, Birmingham, Ala.

Taylor-Kemp Wedding.

On last Wedesday, at the home of Mrs. Wayne Atkinson in East Lake, who is a cousin of the bride, Mr. Parker A. Taylor of Roanoke and Miss Agnes Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kemp of Clanton, were happily married. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor will make Roanoke their home.

Miss Ida Belle Lull of Wetumpka, who is now teaching in Birmingham, was one of the attendants in the Farrior-Spigener wedding last Thursday.

By all means cast your vote for whom you wish, but vote honestly and intelligently, is our slogan. — Civic Club.

Mrs. Joe Switzer, after an extended visit to Mrs. J. Q. Wade, left for her home in Augusta, Kansas last Wednesday. Mrs. Switzer is a sister to Col. F. B. Collier, who now resides in California, and who is well known here, he having lived in our town for bout five years.

Miss Sarah Mullins, who is in school a Montevallo, spent the week end with friends and relatives in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Levie of Sylacauga spent last Thursday in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch and Miss Della Latham motored to Anniston Sunday to see Jim Wade and Sam Upchurch, who are attending the military school there.

Mr. Frank Thomas of Talladega pent a couple of days in our town last week.

Mrs. Mae Gilbert and children of Atlanta, Ga., spent some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curlee, in Clanton recently.

Mrs. Ezell, Mrs. Hayes and several others with the Young Women's Auxiliary went to Marbury Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of the Y. W. A. Societies.

Whether the vote is a right or a privilege, the citizen who has it ought to regard its use as a duty and a sacred one.—Civic Club.

Mr. Jasper Calloway and children visited friends in Talladega the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Borland and children spent last Sunday with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Mrs. Upchurch, Mrs. Bama Cox, Mrs. W. I. Mullins, Mrs. Hester and quite a few other Baptist ladies attended the annual meet of the Y. W. A. at Marbury Tuesday.

In the presidential election of 1920 only 40 per cent of the voters went to the polls. In Alabama less than 30 per cent voted.—Civic Club.

Miss Bessie Thomas, an aunt of the recent bride, was in our town last Thursday.

GET OUT THE VOTE

These days of the sere, the melancholy falling leaf, herald the coming of the elections, and reopen an old debate: Is the vote a right or a privilege. By supposition, ours is a government of, for and by the people. If in its operation the actual government runs counter to the theory, one of the reasons may be found in the failure of a large number of citizens to vote honestly and intelligently.—Civic Club.

OAK HILL

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a good attendance. The society was called to order at 2 o'clock by the president, E. L. Glasscock, who sung the opening song, followed by prayer by W. C. Martin, after which the following directed from two to four songs each: Akins Collins, L.R. Cobb, E. H. Foshee and E. L. Glasscock, with E. H. Foshee and E. L. Glasscock directing the second time. Those who performed at the organ were Misses Esther Atkinson, Genie Collins, Flossie Cobb and Mrs. E. C. Cox. The singing was fine and enjoyed by all present. This was evident by the good order and attention given throughout the two hours of continuous singing. Almost everyone took part in the singing and seemed to enjoy it very much.

This was the first singing we have had since the second Sunday in June for we have been visiting and singing with other communities on our regular singing days since that time. Prof. Showalter would have been with us had he not heard the call to go and join the great choir above which he has sung, written and talked so much about during his earthly career. Prof. Devaughn and Prof. Weldon promised to be with us, but for some cause they failed to show up. Prof. A. H. Glasscock, who was attending the conference in Tarrant City as a lay delegate from this charge, was missed very much, both in Sunday School and in singing, but he is back on the job again.

Our new pastor, Rev. F. M. Weston, will be here to fill his first appointment Sunday morning, November 2, at 11 o'clock. Everyone who can is invited to come out and hear him. We invite all who can to come out and take part in the Sunday School and prayer meeting on Wednesday nights.

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" was used as the closing song Sunday afternoon in memory of Prof. Showalter, and prayer was offered by Calvin Wallace. Then the society adjourned to meet with Rehoboth class down near Lawley instead of Thorsby. We invite all who can to go, for we expect a good time and to hear some good singing. So go with us; it will do you good.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. A. A. Dansby and family express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement in the death of their son and brother, Powell Dansby. They especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.

WALNUT CREEK ANNUAL METHODIST CONFERENCE

The Ninety Sixth Session of the Alabama Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet at Walnut Creek Church, November, 5th 1924.

The program is as follows: 10:00 A. M. Conference called to order by the President, Rev. W. G. McDaniel, North Port, Ala. Roll called; election of Committee on President's message, and Committee on official characters.

10:30 The Presidents Annual message.

11:00 The Conference Sermon Preached by Rev. G. H. Hendrey, President of the Florida Conference.

12:00 noon.

2:15 P. M. Report of Committee on Presidents message.

3:00 P. M. Election of Conference officers and elective committees.

7:30 Address by Dr. R. M. Andrews President of High Point College, High Point, N. C.

Thursday, November 6th.

10:00 A. M. Calling of the roll, and passage of character of Superannuates.

11:00 Sermon by Dr. Thomas Hamilton Lewis, D. D., L. L. D., Washington, D. C., president of the General Conference.

Conference Communion Service.

1:45 P. M. Election of one member of Board of Itenerncy and Orders.

6:30 Alabama Conference Union of the young peoples work will render a program.

7:30 Address by Rev. F. W. Stephson, Pittsburgh, P. A., Secretary of the board of education.

Friday, November 7th.

11:00 A. M. address by Dr. Charles H. Beck, of Baltimore, M. D., Secretary of the Board of Home Missions.

This program gives an idea of what the outline will be.

Everybody is invited to attend.

G. B. GOLDEN, Pastor.

SOUTH CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Marble Martin and Miss Edna Coker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Martin.

Miss Catherine Clark of Birmingham spent Sunday with Miss Mexa Tate.

Mr. R. G. Tate of Boyles spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. McKinley Anderson of Boyles was home last week-end visiting his parents.

Misses Mattie Lee Gray and Mayme Kates of Siluria were guests of Miss Audia Broadhead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Busby and Maggie Shaw of Jemison were among those attending the singing at Shiloh Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Mooney visited her mother in Coumbiana last week.

Miss Lutie Jones was the guest of Miss Hazel Cox Friday night.

Miss Jennie Killingsworth of Birmingham came down to spend Sunday with her brother, Mr. Jim Killingsworth.

Mr. Brown, who is working in Birminghm, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans were the guests of Mr. Jim Killingsworth and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brickley who have resided in South Calera for several years are moving back to their old home in Kentucky. We regret very much to lose them in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Foshee and children of Clanton were the guests of Mrs. Jessie Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Busby of Calera were visitors in the community Sunday.

Mr. Rufus Rogers is at home visiting his father.

DR. S. J. EZELL SPEAKS AT TRAINING SCHOOL

Last Sunday evening at the Chilton County Training School (colored) the auditorium was filled to capacity. Many of the white citizens in and around Clanton were present. The occasion was the address by Dr. Ezell, pastor of the First Baptist Church (white) Clanton, and an educational rally. The choral club of the school rendered excellent music, directed by Celestine Kennedy, the music teacher. The principal made a few brief remarks on the purpose of the occasion. Then Mr. Atkinson, the Attendance Officer, presented to the audience the speaker of the hour, Dr. Ezell. The subject "Education a Factor in Progress," was very ably discussed. After the address was made, the Training School Quartet sang, "My Lord's Going to Move this Wicked Race." Dr. Ezell has the many thanks of the school for his wonderful address, which was inspiring to everyone present. Amount raised in the rally to date was eighty dollers.

BOX SUPPER AT MAPLESVILLE

There will be a box supper and cake contest at the Maplesville high school building Saturday night, Nov. 1st, for the benefit of the school. Everybody come.

The editor of The Union-Banner and Mr. K. M. Vinson had the pleasure of attending the political speaking at Union Grove last Thursday night. A good crowd of the citizens of that thriving community was present to hear Mr. Middleton speak in the interest of the Republican party. Mr. Middleton made a fine talk which everyone enjoyed. Mr. J. M. Smith also made a good talk.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—6 young oxen and one dray wagon for sale cheap.—W. A. Reynolds, Clanton, Ala. 10-30-2t-p

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Grist Mill and supplies, located back of The Union-Banner office. Apply to T. G. Taylor, Clanton, Ala. 9-25-6t-p

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LOST—Ladies grey purse, Tuesday evening, between Thos. M. Parrish's residence and high school, containing one $10-bill, one $5-bill, one $1-bill and 40 cents in change, also some receipts. Finder return to Union-Banner office or Parrish's store and receive reward. 10-30-tf.

STRAY MULES—Two black mare mules, ages about 6 and 7 years, weight about 800 pounds each, appraised at $150.00. Appraised approved Oct. 20, 1924, by A. F. Childress, Justice of the Peace.—Antney Latham, Astrayer, Thorsby, Ala., Oct. 20, 1924. 10-23-3t-pd.

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Fourteen million Americans who have money in the savings banks are fourteen million who will not vote the bolshevik ticket.

Thirty-seven college professors have joined in a manifesto telling the Nation that the election of Davis and Bryan is the surest way of getting the United States into the League of Nations. Stuck under the fifth rib by his friends.

Our radical friends tell us that business knows no politics. But a prominent writer for a commercial page tells us that "at present a large volume of business in the aggregate is waiting on the election results. A good many orders have been placed contingent on the election of Coolidge." That means that business men know that prosperity goes with Republican policies.

One Democrat has figured out that we have had prosperity just as much of the time under Democratic Administrations as under Republican. But he neglected to remark that the only prosperity we had under the Wilson Administration was that due to the war, and we diden't have any at all under the Cleveland Administration. Surely the Democrats do not count on a war to save them every time they get into power.

At the end of any sort of contest, whether it be in sports, in business or in politics, one of the chief sources of satisfaction is the knowledge that the participant has conducted his part in it honestly and in accordance with the highest standard of ethics. Now, therefore, whether the Republicans win or lose, they will have the satisfaction of knowing that from start to finish they have conducted their part of the political contest honestly, frankly, courageously. They have appealed to no local or racial or religious prejudice. They have discussed issues, not personalities. The manager of the Republican campaign, Mr. William M. Butler, has earned the gratitude of the Republicans of the country and the respect of members of all parties.

AND HOW MUCH FROM RADICAL ORGANIZATIONS.

While raising the cry of "slush funds" against the Republican management, the Third Party leaders have been diligently scouring the country in search of financial aid. Chairman Butler of the Republican Committee is in posession of proof that the quota of La Follette money to be raised in Wisconsin was put at $500,000, apportioned among the Congressional district. That amount is much larger, proportionately, than the sum sought by the Republicans in Pennsylvania, about which Senator La Follette has seen fit to make such a commotion. No criticism attaches to the Third Party managers for legitimate efforts to raise campaign funds, provided they are subsequently used for proper purposes, but why should they complain if their opponents do likewise The truth is that the closing days of every campaign see the loser making slush fund charges against the winner. It is done purely for political effect, the organization making the charges well knowing that any evidence it may have of bribery or corruption can be placed before the courts and the guilty parties adequately punished.

THE GREATEST TRIBUTE YET PAID THEM

Press Clippings

Clarksburg, W. Va., Telegram.—The American share of the loan to Germany under the Dawes plan was oversubscribed a few minutes after the books were opened. And yet we hear some soured Democrats saying from the stump that the United States does nothing to help Europe.

Philadelphia Public Ledger.—Possibly some good from the Republican standpoint may come out of the La Follette clamor about "slush funds". It made an occasion for Chairman Butler to point out just how poorly financed the Republicans are this year.

Minneapolis Tribune. — Bryan would not win in the Senate without La Follette's aid, and that aid would not be given unconditionally. The only safe time to place the trust in Coolidge and have it count as paced is on election day.

Atlanta Constitution (Dem.)—There is no feature of the platform upon which Senator La Follette is running for President, as an independent, more dangerodsly radical than that seeking to undermine the paramountcy of the Supreme Court.

Boston Transcript — Governor Bryan, it is said, is not making speeches because the Democratic National Committee will not furnish a special train. Who will say that the Democratic National Committee is lacking in strategy?

Judge.—The people of this country like to laugh at New England, but a large part of them derive from it and in their hearts they love it. The thought of Coolidge to them suggests Old Home Week.

Los Angeles Times.—"There's billions in it" might be said of the La Follette scheme for government ownership of almost everything. Undoubtedly; but would the taxpayers stand the strain?

Clarksburg, W. Va., Telegram.—It is worth while being an American, observes an exchange. And, say, if you do not believe that, just get in touch with some citizen who has taken a trip abroad.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—Advocates of the Democratic low tariff policy always manage to omit from their speeches the information that a low tariff makes low wages and unemployment.

Philadelphia North American.—La Follette asserts the party that has Calvin Coolidge has a huge campaign fund. He probably refers to the fact that silence is golden.

Boston Transcript.—The Presidency is sometimes called the most powerful office on earth, and its incumbent is making it about the most dignified.

Philadelphia North American.—Since the rapid rise in grain prices La Follette's addresses haven't leaned so heavily back to the farm.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—A protective tariff has never closed a factory, lost a man a job nor put a mortgage on a farm.

Trenton (Mo.) Republican.—The Kansas Farm Bureau says: "Don't vote for a mudslinger."

YOU SHOULD VOTE FOR AMENDMENT NO. 2

Generally speaking, voters do not pay a great deal of attention to constitutional amendments. But we wish to call the attention of the voters of Chilton County especially to Amendment No. 2, on which we are to vote next Tuesday. This amendment deals with tthe drainage question of Alabama. This amendment, as most of the rest to be voted on this time, does not affect but a few people. The drainage law will affect only those who wish to take advantage of this provision.

As you no doubt know, Clanton has been working for a drainage movement for several years. This work would have been undertaken had the State law been clear on the matter, and the purpose of Amendment No. 2 is to clear up the question of drainage. Everyone should vote for this Amendment next Tuesday. It will not affect you unless you are interested in a drainage project, and the passage of the amendment will greately help those who are interested.

There are approximately 2,000,000 acres of land in Alabama to be benefitted by drainage. Much of the creek bottom land areas are now a menace to health and their overflow is a menace to public roads. If these lands are cultivated at all they produce a normal crop only about once in five or six years. If well drained and the cost distributed over a period of twenty years at a rate of interest not to exceed 6 percent, the increased production of these fertile acres per annum has been found by records furnished by the government to exceed the cost per annum many fold.

THE GREAT CONSPIRACY

"It is a great pity," complains Mr. McAdoo, "that the Progressives, led by La Follette and Wheeler, and the Democrats, led by Davis and Bryan, can not present a united front against the common enemy." What sort of a front does McAdoo call that which is being presented? Both Davis and La Follette are working with but a single object in view, namely, to prevent President Coolidge from getting a majority of the electoral vote, thereby throwing the election into Congress where they can fight it out between themselves. It's true that Davis is conducting his campaign and La-Follette is running his, but it is quite apparent that they have a tacit understanding. Davis is making no real effort to win electors from La Follette, neither is the Senator waging a determined fight against Davis. The two candidates are concentrating their energies on those states which appear to favor Mr. Coolidge.

DUDLEY, THE DUD

Dudley Field Malone, Collector of the Port of New York under President Wilson, and Louis F. Post, Assistant Secretary of Labor under Mr. Wilson, are actively campaigning in the interest of the La Follette candidacy. Doubtless numerous other attaches of former Democratic regime are now following in the La Follette column. They were radical then and are radical now. The fact that they are now working for La Follette shows how slight is the demarkation between Democracy and Third Partyism. Mr. McAdoo's firmest political friends are the leaders of the railroad brotherhoods, who are also among the chief supporters of La Follette. The record bears a significant lesson to every conservative.

25 YEARS AGO

News Items As Published in The Banner in Its Issue of October 26, 1899.

Commissioner Moses Robinson of Providence visited Turn-Round a few days ago.

Quite a number of Enid citizens went to Sylacauga last week to sell cotton. They got 8 cents.

Mr. B. F. Higgins, Jr., of Enid had a crib raising Friday.

President McKinley has issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, November 30th as Thanksgiving day.

Married this week: Walter Parr and Miss Mamie Beard, E. M. Rasberry and Miss Martha Ruddick, A.F. Brown and Miss Sara Thomas, R. M. Lawrence and Miss Bessie McGee, T. H. Caton and Mrs. Mary Henley.

IN REAL LIFE

In the dime novels and on the stage the poor inventor and the starving industrialist fall prey to the wealthy capitalist. But that is not usually the case in actual life. Two instances in the life of Andrew W. Mellon illustrate the falseness of the picture presented by the sensational novel and play. Mellon is the chief factor in the aluminum industry. Charles Hall, as a young experimentor in chemistry just after graduating from college, discovered the methods of economical manufacture of aluminum, enlisted the cooperation of the Mellons and was a large owner in the aluminum producing concern when he died. He acquired and expended in philanthropy a large fortune made out of aluminum and at his death left his fortune to educational enterprises. Another instance is related of the Mellon methods. A rival in manufacture of structural steel was about to go bankrupt and men familiar with the industry prophesied that a Mellon company would absort the plant at auction-sale prices. Instead, a Mellon bank offered increased loans that carried the rival over the crisis and saved it from ruin.

ASK SAM—HE KNOWS

After the people of Massachusetts had elected him governor and the people of the United States had elected him Vice Preident, largely on his sturdy character disclosed in his handling of the Boston police strike, the Democrtic National Committee discovers that Mr. Coolidge had nothing to do with settling that affair. If any testimony additional to that of Massachusetts voters were needed, we have it in telegrams to Governor Coolidge from Mr. Gompers and President Wilson, the one condeming him and the other congratulating him for his settlement of the strike.

Chairman Shaver of the Democratic Committee is hard put for something to do when he tries to manufacture campaign material out of such an issue.

WHAT'S THE ANSWER

Our Democratic friends told us that enactment of the Republican tariff law would destroy our foreign trade —particularly that it would destroy our export trade. They argued that unless we leave the tariff bars down and let in imports, we can not hope to keep up our exports. Well, let us see about that.

For the nine months ending September 30, 1924, we imported only $2,667,000,000 worth of goods as compared with $2,904,000,000 for the same period in the previous year. In the same period in 1924 we exported goods to the value of $3,124,000,000 as compared with $2,904,000,000 for the same period in the previous year. That is to say, we cut our imports to the extent of $184,000,000, or a total change of $420,000,000 in our favor. Now what do our Democratic friends have to say of foreign trade?

The Road To Better Health

SODIUM BICARBONATE AND DIAGNOSIS

BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

Several months ago one of the most widely circulated magazines contained an article in which a popular author told how much he enjoyed life at his particular age. Among other things, he said that he could enjoy eating. This is as it should be, and is probably not unusual. But he also said that he could overcome any distress suffered as the result of a good dinner by sending a dose of bicarbonate of soda down after the dinner. It was but a few weeks later that the newspapers contained an item stating that this author had undergone an operation for a very severe attack of appendicitis!

He had apparently been troubled with occasional sensations and discomfort in the abdomen, and had been in the habit of relieving that discomfort by means of bicarbonate of soda. We are very glad that he recovered, as he has afforded us much pleasure and entertainment, and hope that he will forgive this use of his misfortune for our present purpose.

Reasons Some Use It

There are many people who are in the habit of obtaining relief from pain or discomfort in the region of the stomach by the use of the aforementioned chemical. Some take it for gas on the stomach. Some take it for a burning sensation. Others take it because they feel nauseated or experience some other disagreeable sensation. Sometimes it gives more or less temporary relief, so when the discomfort or pain in the stomach is felt again the dose is repeated. Obtaining relief in this way may go on for considerable time.

Any uncomfortable sensation occurring in the region of the abdomen may or may not be due to serious trouble. The habits of living, particularly in regard to diet, may be at fault. Perhaps, the sufferer eats too much or eats too fast. Perhaps, he is not getting enough exercise. Correction of such faulty habits of living may cause the disappearance of the troublesome symptoms.

But—any persistent trouble in this region deserves a careful search for its cause. This should be particularly true if the distress is severe and persistent enough to cause the sufferer to resort to taking soda (or other medicine) for its relief.

The victim of any severe acute disturbance in the abdomen will usually seek the services of a physician. The victim of some less acute condition is too often inclined to put off seeking an accurate diagnosis until serious trouble has had a chance to develop.

Physicians Suspicious

The modern physician is usually suspicious of the patient who tells him that he has been in the habit of relieving his digestive disturbances by taking soda, and that these digestive disturbances are frequently repeated. The reason is that a certain number of such people are suffering from conditions that require careful attention.

Among some of the conditions commonly encountered are ulcers of the stomach and intestine, disease of the gall bladder, and appendicitis. There are a number of other disturbances of the digestive organs that may lead the sufferer to resort to the use of bicarbonate of soda for relief. These may or may not be serious. This can be determined only after an accurate diagnosis has been made.

It is not to be understood that bicarbonate of soda never has a use as a remedy. By many physicians it is considered to be very valuable in its proper place in the practice of medicine. Nor is it to be understood that no harm may result from taking this chemical aside from evading a diagnosis.

We know that its persistent use may upset the chemistry of digestion and start a whole chain of functional disorders. But the point that I desire to make is—that one may be wasting valuable time and heading for trouble when he is taking soda instead of trying to find out the cause of his trouble and have effective treatment instituted for its relief.

While bicarbonate of soda may relieve, at least temporarily, some of the troublesome sensations felt in the region of the stomach, the chances are that it will be entirely ineffective in relieving the underlying cause of those disagreeable sensations. It should never be a substitute for an exact diagnosis.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

W. L. S. writes: "What can be done to get rid of dandruff? I have quite a lot of it and believe that it is beginning to cause my hair to fall out."

Ans.—Dandruff is often a very stubborn condition to treat successfully. Shampoo once or twice a week with warm water and tincture of green soap. If the hair and scalp are too dry after shampooing, use a little clean grease on the scalp. Massage the scalp with the finger tips once a day. Do not wear a hat any more than is necessary, and avoid the use of tight and heavy hats.

The night before you shampoo, rub into the scalp the following ointment:

Salicylic acid, 10 grains,
Precipitated sulphur, 1 dram,
Petroleum, enough to make 1 ounce.

Even after the scalp is apparently clean, it is a good idea to give it an occasional treatment to avoid a recurrence.

Incubation Period of Whooping Cough

Mrs. G. W. H. asks: "How long after exposure does it take for a case of whooping cough to develop?"

Ans.—The cough will start in from seven to ten days after exposure and infection. It will probably be another week or ten days before the cough becomes convulsive and the characteristic whoop develops.

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NOTICE

There will be a public speaking at Bates Hall (Thorsby Institute), Saturday, 7:30 p.m., November 1st. Mr. Irby, noted orator and State campaign speaker, will deliver an address in interest of the La Follette-Wheeler Party. His topics will be, Where the Tax Payers Money Goes; and, Whether Our Government Will Be Governed by Wall Street or by the People.

Mr. Irby served ten years as Representative in the State of Carolina, and has done a considerable amount of work in behalf of the farmers and laborers. Everyone is cordially invited to come out and hear what Mr. Irby has to say, regardless of your political views.

(Paid political advertisement, by R. W. Scott, Thorsby, Ala.)

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ISABELLA COMMUNITY FAIR

The Isabella Community farmers gave one of the most interesting programs at their Community Fair Friday, October 24th, that has ever been held in the county. The Fair was given under the auspices of the Vocational Agricultural Department of the Isabella Agricultural Junior High School.

These farmers were thoroughly up on their job for when one entered the Agricultural building and saw all those exhibits it was amazing for no one ever thought there could be that many good exhibits gotten together in the entire county of Chilton, but yet every exhibit, including cotton, corn, sugar cane, sorghum cane, potatoes, both Irish and sweet, soy beans, cowpeas, velvet beans, cornfield beans, watermelons, pumpkins, in fact all crops that one could think of nearly was there on exhibit and too, there was the ladies department with many kinds of fancy work and canned goods, and all of these were the products of the Isabella community.

One room of the Agricultural building was reserved for the farmers of the community for their farm produce while their wives were using the walls for fancy work and several tables were filled with jellies and canned fruits. The shop room was filled with fine chickens which the boys had raised in their poultry projects. In the main class room the boys had their cotton, corn, cane, and potatoes that was produced in their projects under the supervision of Dr. Caldwell. These boys were very enthusiastic and in many instances their exhibits were better than the older farmers.

The day was filled with something interesting besides the exhibits of the community. The program was opened in the morning by Mr. Howard L. Foshee, county superintendent of education, who presided over the morning exercises. Dr. Caldwell gave a brief statement of the purpose of the day's program. Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the First Baptist church of Clanton, made a very interesting talk. Mr. J. S. Lambert of the State department of education also made a good talk. After these two talks came the barbecued dinner and such a dinner as was served—barbecued meats, cakes, pies, hot coffee and cold drinks. Then the judging began which was done by Mr. Stivers and Mr. Lambert.

The afternoon program was opened by a talk by Mr. J. L. Johnson of Clanton, who presided over the afternoon exercises, followed by Mr. E. D. Stivers, assistant State supervisor of agriculture, who made a very interesting talk. After this a sale of a pen of Duroc Jersey pigs was made, the prizes were read out and awarded and supper served.

The evening exercises were presided over by Mr. E. H. Reed, principal of the school, and Rev. J. W. Mitchell made an instructive talk to the people.

Dr. H. W. Caldwell deserves much credit for the program that day while the Isabella assistant teachers deserve credit for their co-operation in helping put over the day's program.

Many other communities of this county should follow the lead of the Isabella community and devote one day each fall to a community meeting and fair, as no better means can be had for stimulating community pride and co-operation. Such a day also is beneficial in helping to bring the parents in closer touch with the school.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the good people for their kindness in giving me such a nice bed, and I cannot thank Uncle Tom Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Poole enough for getting out and getting those good people to help them to fix me a good bed. I do hope God will bless each and every one for what they did for me. I wish them all good luck, and also the good old Union-Banner.

TOM LOCKHART.

How can a farmer be very proud of his farm without it being dotted with livestock?

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Carl Muller reports that his Meat Market was infested with roaches. He lost customers on account of them! He heard about Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder, used it and got immediate relief. Wipe out these disease spreading pests TODAY. Use Royal Guaranteed Roach Powder for quick results. Sold and guaranteed by Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and Cooper Drug Co., Cooper, Ala.

IN MEMORY OF MRS. ELIZA FOSHEE

On the night of October 16th, the solemn death reaper entered the home of Mrs. J. B. Littlejohn and climed our precious mother and grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Foshee, aged 77. She leaves five sons and one daughter to realize the loss of a devoted Christian mother.

For five weeks grandmother almost faced death, but all during her illness she seemed only to think in terms of faith and hope in a new life. She thought not of death as a horror, but seemed to realize that death could only claim her life and leave her soul and golden deeds to God to own and to crown. Through her loyal and devoted life to God she won the complete confidence of her children, grandchildren and a host of friends. Her life was a beautiful one to me and the more I think of it the stronger I believe in these lines:

"All who completely trust in Him,
In life's race will surely win."

We wish to thank the people for the beautiful floral offerings and kind sympathy shown during her illness and death. All the neighbors and friends were certainly faithful in doing everything they could to help in some way. Aunt Lucy Dunlap was just as loyal all during her illness as if it had been her own mother.

The remains were buried at Liberty Hill, Rev. J. D. Hughes conducting the funeral, assisted by Rev. A. L. Foshee. Mr. Mell Martin was in charge of the body.

Peaceful be thy silent slumber,
Peaceful in thy grave so low;
Thou no more will join our number,
Thou no more our song will know.

Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled;
And in Heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Her granddaughter,
ERAZELLE FOSHEE.

BOX SUPPER AT BETHSALEM

There will be a box supper at Bethsalem school house, about 10 miles southwest of Clanton, on Saturday night, November 1st. Everybody is cordially invited to come. The proceeds will go to the school.

GERTIE MAE FOSHEE.

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Mother of three children tells experience with "Mother's Friend."

"I USED 'Mother's Friend' before my last baby came," writes Mrs. McCormick, Liberty St., Pontiac, Mich., "and brought him with very little *discomfort*. I am the mother of three children but I never had such an easy time with the other two. I recommend 'Mother's Friend' to all expectant mothers."

"Mother's Friend" is applied externally. It *relieves* that tight feeling; permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves *during expectancy* and at *child-birth*.

FREE BOOKLET

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For the information of the out-of-town customers who hold tickets on the Music Master Machine, being given away by F. M. Connell & Son, will say the last ticket has been put out, and the clock wound at 9:00 o'cock, Thursday a.m., 10-16-1924.

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FASHION achieves her highest ideals when beauty of line and charm of the unusual are in harmony with utility and suitability. Nowhere are they more perfectly combined than in our distinctive apparel where design and fabric as well as smartness meet the demands of perfection of detail.

Our apparel sections have specialized to such good purpose in all that pertains to correct outfitting for every Fall and Winter occasion that selections may be made with complete assurance of appropriateness and of attractive designing.

Don't Fail to See These New Suits and Coats Now on Display

Men's and Boys' New Suits and Overcoats

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AN OLD ADAGE

"When in Rome do as the Romans do!"

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"The Big Bargain Store" CLANTON, ALABAMA

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

An item unintentionally omitted in last week's issue of the Union-Banner, was the death and funeral of Mrs. Lutricia Ward, aged 84, who lived near Pleasant Grove Church, Funeral services being held at the church Thursday, Oct. 16th, Rev. Lawrence of Marbury officiating. Mrs. Ward leaves three children, Mrs. W. E. Thomas of Sylacauga, Mr. J. M. Ward of Pleasant Grove, with whom she lived, and Mr. D. L. Ward of Thorsby.

Mr. Robert Johnson, Dead.

On Tuesday morning, Oct. 21st, Mr. Robert Johnson, a prominent citizen of Thorsby, with suitcase in hand, walked from his home to Thorsby depot. Neighbors who saw him thought he was going somewhere for a visit; In reality he was on his way to Selma with the intention of having an X-ray examination, and an operation if necessary. He refused to have anybody accompany him, saying it was not necessary. At Calera he was suddenly taken with a bad turn and completed his journey on a stretcher. After examination at a Selma infirmary, it was decided to operate for appendicitis, which had reached an advanced stage. He seemed to rally from the operation and was reported to be improving until Friday, when a message was received calling for Mrs. Johnson to come at once. Mr. A. E. Reagan and wife and Mrs. Chas. S. Howard accompanied her in Mr. Reagan's car. They arrived in Selma at 11 a.m., finding Mr. Johnson still conscious but very low. During the brief conversation they were able to have, and feeling that the end was near, Mr. Johnon faced the inevitable without fear and expressed himself as ready to go if it was God's will.

He passed away at 3:30 P. M. Friday, Oct. 24th, aged 68 years, 6 months and 10 days. Telegrams were immediately sent to his children in Nebraska. Knowing that days would elapse before any of them could reach Thorsby, Mrs. Johnson ordered the body embalmed and sent to Thorsby where is was received by Mell Martin and carried to the Johnson home Sunday night.

The ministers of Thorsby whom the family knew were temporarily absent attending a State Conference in Southeast Alabama, at a church so inaccesible they could not possibly be reached in time to return to officiate at the funeral which had been set for Monday afternoon. When this was explained to Mrs. Johnson she expressed a wish that she might have Rev. James W. Davenport, who was for five years pastor of Thorsby Congregational Church, now stationed at Robbins, Tenn. A few minutes conversation with Mr. Davenport by long distance telephone secured his promise to come. He arrived Monday morning, accompanied by two of Mr. Johnson's sons from Nebraska. A daughter, after much delay enroute, arrived on the evening train.

The funeral was held in the Congregational church at 2 P. M., Monday, Rev. Davenport officiating, who preached from the text, "Weep Not For Me." Six girls with Miss Parker at the organ, sang several selections, and Mr. Norton sang as a solo, "The Shining Shore."

The church was well filled and beautifully decorated and the floral offerings were numerous and very beautiful. The pall bearers were: Messrs. J. L. Foss, Martin Peterson, M. L. Dyrhovd, Carl C. Peterson, Chas. A. Peterson and J. P. Sorensen. At the grave in Thorsby cemetery the usual ceremonies were observed, and the hymn, "Abide With Me," was sung.

Knowing that the daughter was on the way, it was decided to postpone interment until after her arrival, the casket was carefully covered and left under guard until the daughter arrived and had an opportunity to see her father in the casket, after which interment was completed.

Mr. Johnson was a lifelong member of the Danish Lutheran Church. He was a quiet, friendly man, a good father and husband. He leaves besides his widow, two sons and two daughters, Albert E., Martin M., Martha E., and Esther G., all married and living in Nebraska. Mr. Johnson was for years a successful farmer in Nebraska, before coming to Thorsby.

In its efforts, an intelligent vote may be as bad as a corrupt one.—Civic Club.

Rev. James W. Davenport made good use of his time while in Thorsby, renewing old acquaintances and making new ones. He made addresses in Thorsby Institute and the Public School and preached at the Congregational Church Tuesday evening. Between times he hustled from place to place making brief calls; everybody seemed delighted to see him. He left for home Wednesday morning.

Prof. C. M. Williams and his mother went to Goodwater Wednesday to attend the funeral of J. D. Carmichael, a brother of Mrs. M. L. Williams. Prof. Williams expects to move into town at the end of this week and will occupy the Gulledge house.

Miss Ida F. Lockwood, an ordained Congregational minister, will arrive in Thorsby this week. She will room at the home of Prof. Williams, and visit churches in various parts of the state, under assignment by Mr. N. McQuarrie, Congregational Home Missionary Superintendent for Alabama, Georgia and West Florida. Miss Lockwood will be remembered by some as a former member of Thorsby Institute faculty.

At the business meeting of The Ladies' Guild Of Thorsby, held last Thursday, the following committees were appointed for their bazaar which will be held Saturday, Dec. 13: Dinner: Mrs. E. F. Mead, Chairman, Mesdames Clyde Mead, James Bosworth, Chas. A. Peterson, J. E. Each, Lewis Howard, John Johnson, J. O. Johnson, G. F. Harper and Ed Piper; Sales Committee: Mrs. E. W. Butler, Chairman, Mesdames H. M. Gerald, Robt. Davenport, Ben Davenport, Tom Burdett, C. M. Williams; Candy Committee: Miss Agnes Leary, Chairman, Mrs. S. C. Wood, Miss Marie Flummer; Stove Dishes Committee: Mrs. Carl C. Peterson, Chairman, Mrs. O. L. Jackson and Mrs. R. A. Turner; Decorating Committee: Mrs. Chas. E. Lucas, Chairman, Mrs. T. W. Robinson, Mrs. R. Johnson; Advertising and Posters: Mrs. S. E. Norton.

Mr. J. D. Cleckler and Mr. Carl C. Peterson are each building a new house.

Considerable excitement occurred last Sunday near the Congregational church, where Mr. R.L. Primm had hitched his mule while attending services. The animal was frightened in some way and in jumping about, broke a shaft on the wagon, a sharp end penetrating the side of the mule, which lost a lot of blood before the blood could be stopped. We are pleased to report the mule is now at home and doing well.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins, Principal of Thorsby Institute, has been in the Southern part of the state attending the State Conference of the Congregational Churches.

Mr. Butler and Mrs. Gerald have been missed around the Institute as they have been attending the same meeting.

Rev. James Davenport of Robbins, Tenn., formerly pastor of the Congregational Church, was in Thorsby, and Tuesday morning conducted the chapel exercises at the Institute.

The students and faculty, who knew him, were delighted to have him with them and he made many new friends.

Students have been heard to say, "I will never forget the helpful things he said to us."

Oct. 31, The Helen Keller Literary Society will meet at 3:15 and conduct the following program:

Song, "America," by all; Business; Devotional, Mr. Tisall. The program for this afternoon will be rendered by six members, three of which will represent the three men who are running for president, and the other three will represent the three parties for which they stand: Mr. Davis, Lorena Prim; Democrats, Gordon Sorrell; Mr. Coolidge, Ruth Turner; Republican party, Hosie Wood La Follette, Clyde McKee; Third party, Payne Bryan; Song, "Alma Mater."

CEDAR GROVE

The singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon. October 26, with a small crowd. The singing was good.

Directors for the afternoon were: Prof. J.W. Lowery, Leonard Culp and Miss Claudie Smith. A laides Quartett was sung by Misses Zemma Collins, Claudie Smith, Claudie and Onzell Eiland. A male Qaurtett by D. W. Ward, Alphus Littlejohn, J. W. Lowery and Leonard Culp. Also a song was sung by D. W. Ward, Alphus Littlejohn, Leonard Culp, J. W. Lowery, Myrtle Littlejohn and Claudie Smith. A duet by Claudie and Onzell Eiland; Organist Bonnie Littlejohn.

We were glad to have the visitors with us. We invite you to come any time we meet which will be the second and fourth Sunday afternoon in each month.

The members of this church are requested to meet at this place next Sunday November, 2nd at 10:30 for the purpose of voting for a pastor for the next year.

Sincerely,
BONNIE LITTLETON.

If the millions who call themselves Amerifan citizens do not trouble to go to the polls on election day, or to inform themselves upon the questions at issue and the merits of the candidates, the government under which they live cannot long be maintained in its integrity. VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!—Civic Club.

TO THE VOTERS OF CHILTON:

On account of me being employed at the court house it has been impossible for me to see you at your homes, and I take this means of reassuring you of my appreciation of your vote and support in the primary. I wish to assure you again that if you see fit to support me in the general election, and if I am elected, I shall make it a pleasure and opportunity to serve you in a way that will be pleasing and satisfactory to the extent of my ability.

Those who voted for my opponents, I want you to feel that I have nothing but the very kindest feeling toward you, because I agree with you that my opponents were worthy and deserving of the votes they got. Now that the general election is near, I ask you all to consider my case at the polls on next Tuesday, and accept my thanks should you feel disposed to vote for me.

Yours to serve,
GENIE COLLINS.

MR. THOMPSON URGES REPUBLICANS TO VOTE

To the Voters of Chilton County:

I think I have never known a time when it was more necessary for our party to get together than on November 4th. Prosperity hangs in the balance, and it is in our power to say whether we have prosperity in our homes or have panics.

We have a splendid county ticket, and it would be a reflection on our party not to roll up a big vote on November 4th. I have heard something said that indicated that becouse one of our candidates was a lady that some would not stand pat. My dear friends, stop and think, where is the justice in such an opinion. They are just as truly citizens as any man and certainly are just as deserving. I do not believe that anyone is going to fail to stand pat, but will rally to the cause on election day and give Miss Genie Collins, our only lady candidate, a vote that will make her proud of us in our county, and put to rest that idea that women should not have an equal chance with a man in politics.

G. J. THOMPSON.
Thorsby, Ala.

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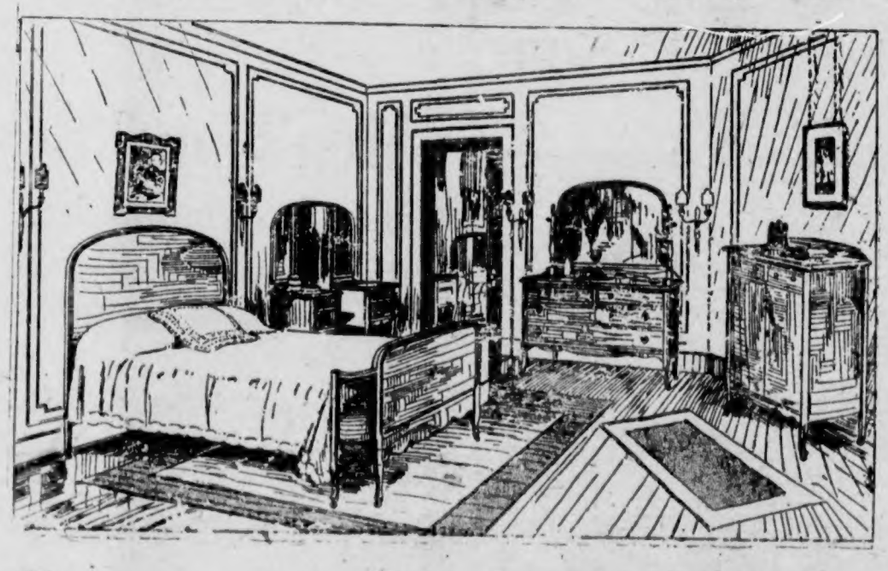

We are now in position to serve the public with what they need in our line better than ever before. We can furnish you the material to build your house, sell you your home furnishings, and supply you with your tools and hardware to work with. Drop in and see us today. We will be pleased to see you.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ELECTION NOTICE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

I, T. J. Littlejohn, Sheriff of Chilton County, Alabama, in conformity with Section 357, page 329, of the Political Code of Alabama, (1907), hereby give notice that a General Election of the qualified voters of Chilton County, Alabama, will be held in the several election precincts of said county on **Tuesday, the 4th day of November, 1924,** for the election of:—

Twelve Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States; one United States Senator from Alabama, two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of Alabama, one Associate Judge Court of Appeals of Alabama; State Commissioner of Game and Fisheries of Alabama; President Alabama Public Service Commission; Representative in Congress from the Fourth Congressional District of Alabama; County Treasurer of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Third District of Chilton County, Alabama; Commissioner from the Fourth District of Chilton County, Alabama; two members of the County Board of Education of Chilton County, Alabama; two Justices of the Peace for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama; one Constable for each precinct in Chilton County, Alabama;

Also whether the following amendments to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, viz:

Proposed Amndment No. 1.

Shall the following proposed amendment, Section 194 1-2 of the Constitution of Alabama, be adopted?

"No person who honorably served in the military or naval service of the United States, between January 1st, 1917 and November 11, 1918, shall be required to pay the poll tax mentioned in the Constitution of Alabama; such persons shall be exempt from the payment of all poll taxes which have accrued or may hereafter accrue. This section shall be self-executing and retroactive. The Judges of Probate shall issue certificates of exemption from the payment of such poll taxes to the persons entitled thereto under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Governor."

Proposed Amendment No. 2.

Shall the following be adopted as Article XXI of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The Legislature may form of provide for the formation of districts for establishing and maintaining a drainage system; for the building and maintaining of public roads, and for building and maintaining a seawall or other protection against waves, storm or flood therein; and provide for the assessment of the whole or part of the cost of such improvements against the land in such districts to the extent of the increased value of such land by reason of the special benefits derived from such improvements, and may provide for the issuance of bonds by such district with or without any election. Provided the provisions as to road and seawall shall apply only to Mobile and Baldwin Counties."

Proposed Amendment No. 3.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"The County of Mobile, through its constituted governing authorities, may levy and collect for public school purposes, a rate of taxation, on the property situated therein, not exceeding the total of any one year, one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed as provided by the Constitution of Alabama and the statutes now or hereafter enacted pursuant to the said Constitution of Alabama, which said one-fifth (1-5) of one (1) per centum shall be in addition to taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to the authority of Section 215 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, which Article XIX was added to the said Constitution by Amendment; and existing laws attempting or purporting to authorize, empower and direct the said constituted authorities of the County of Mobile to levy and assess such a special tax in addition to the taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Section 215 of the Constitution as aforesaid and taxes levied and collected under and pursuant to Article XIX of the Constitution as aforesaid are hereby validated and confirmed."

Proposed Amendment No. 4.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama?

"The municipalities of Thorsby, Piedmont, and Greenville, and Roanoke, and Greensboro and Calera, Florala and Opp, Evergreen and Fayette, and Clayton and Clio in the State of Alabama, shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of one-half of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation for the tax year ending on the thirteenth day of September next succeeding the levy; provided that for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness issued and outstanding at the time of the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, for the purpose of paying bonds or indebtedness which may be issued or incurred after the adoption of this amendment and the interest thereon, and an additional tax of one-half of one per centum may be levied and collected by said corporations; provided further that a majority of the qualified electors of any of said municipal corporations voting at an election called for that purpose may vote a special tax not to exceed one-half of one per centum in any one year for any special purpose or purposes, which tax shall be used only for the purpose or purposes for which same is levied and collected; provided, however, that the total tax to be levied by any of said municipal corporations shall not exceed one and one-half (1-2) per centum in any one year. Alabama City shall have the power and right to levy and collect a tax of three-quarters of one per centum in any one year on property situated therein, based on the valuation of such property as assessed for State taxation. Provided, further, that the adoption of this amendment shall in no wise affect, limit, modify, abridge or impair the power, or authority or right of either of said municipal corporations to levy and collect the special school taxes, now or hereafter vested in or conferred upon them, or any of them, under the Constitution or any amendment thereto; including the power of the city of Selma to levy and collect the taxes for schools and school purposes vested in and conferred upon said city of Selma by the amendment to the Constitution of Alabama adopted thereto at the general election held in November, 1916, and which was submitted under law Number 315, General Laws 1915, page 337, each election held under the provisions hereof shall be ordered, held, canvassed and may be contested in the same manner as is or may be provided by the law applicable to the municipal corporations for elections to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds. The ballots used at such election shall contain the words: "For .....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years).....;" and "Against.....excess rate of taxation for the year (or years)....." The rate of taxation proposed in excess of the rate of one (1) per centum to be shown in the blank space provided therefor and the year or years in which the proposed rate is to apply to be shown in the blank space provided therefor; and in the event different excess rates are proposed for different years the words mentioned shall be repeated as often as may be necessary to show separately the different rates proposed to be applied to the respective years.. And the voter shall record his choice, whether for or against the excess rate or rates shown by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his choice. Nothing herein contained shall in any wise change or affect the rights of any holder of bonds of municipal corporations heretofore issued. Elections to authorize the levy of such special tax may be held as often as ordered by the governing body of the municipality but when a proposition is submitted to the electors to levy a special tax for a specific purpose, and such proposition is defeated no second election for the same shall be held in one year thereafter."

Proposed Amendment No. 5.

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

Proposed Amendment No. 290. "Mobile County man become indebted and may issue bonds for the construction or improvement of concrete or better than concrete surfaced public roads, and concrete or better than concrete public bridges in said county, and for the construction of bridges and roadway necessary to provide a public road for vehicular travel between the highlands of Mobile and Baldwin Counties, in an amount not to exceed six ane one-half per centum of the assessed value of the property situated in Mobile County. To pay said indebtedness and the interest thereon, Mobile County may levy and collect an annual tax on said property not to exceed one-half of one per centum of said value. The indebtedness, the bonds and the tax authorized hereby shall be in addition to those authorized by the Constitution of Alabama prior to the adoption of this amendment. But no such additional indebtedness shall be created, and no such additional bonds shall be issued, and no such additional tax shall be levied, until each improvement or construction proposed to be built thereby, its approximate location, estimated cost and time of completion, and the amount of the proposed increase, shall have been determined upon and made public by the Board of Revenue and Road Commissioners of Mobile County, and the proposed increase of indebtedness or issue of bonds or tax therefor shall have been first authorized by a majority vote by ballot of the qualified voters of Mobile County voting upon such proposition."

Proposed Amendment No. 6

Shall the following be adopted as Article.....of the Constitution of Alabama?

Section 1. "The County of Walker, State of Alabama, shall have power to levy and collect a special road tax not exceeding fifty cents on each hundred dollars worth of taxable property in said county in addition to that now authorized or that may hereafter be authorized for the erection, construction or maintenance of the necessary public roads, bridges or ferries and in addition to that now authorized under Section 215 of Article XI of the Constitution, which special county tax so levied and collected shall be applied exclusively to the purpose for which the same was so levied and collected; provided, that the rate of such tax, the time it is to continue and he purpose thereof shall have first been submitted to the vote of the qualified electors of the county, and voted for by a majority of those voting at such election." Section 2. "Twenty-five per centum of all moneys derived from property lying within the municipalities and arising from the tax proposed herein shall be paid to such municipality and shall, by it, be expended for upkeep of its streets." Section 3. "The Court of County Commissioners, Boards of Revenue, or other governing body of said county may, or upon written petition of ten per centum of the qualified voters of Walker County, shall call and submit said election provided for and authorized by Section 1 hereof to the qualified electors of Walker County either at the time of the general election or at a special election called for that purpose; proivded that said election shall be called and held in accordance with the law now or that may be enacted governing county bond elections, and in conformity with the general election laws of the State."

Proposed Amendment No. 7

Shall the following be adopted as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama?

"Town Creek School District No. 59, Landersville School District No. 23 and Moulton School District No. 28, in Lawrence County, Alabama, shall each have the right and power by vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such district at an election held fir that purpose to levy and collect for the purpose of acquiring, constructing or repairing of school buildings in such districts or paying for school buildings already built, a tax of not over five mills in any one year, in addition to all other taxes now authorized by law. The election in such district to determine whether or not such tax shall be levied shall be called, held and conducted as now provided by law for calling, holding and conducting of elections to determine whether or not a three-mill district school tax shall be levied and collected."

Dated at Clanton, Ala., this the 7th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN,
Sheriff Chilton County, Ala.

NOTICE

All business license will be delinquent after Oct. 31, 1924, and parties taking out a business license will be subject to extra fees.

All motor vehicle license will be delinquent after November 14, 1924. Parties taking out a motor vehicle license will be subject to extra fees.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-30-2t. Judge of Probate.

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NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Eight in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

D. M. Apperson and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

NOTICE STOCK LAW ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a stock law election will be held for Precinct Seven in Chilton County, Alabama, on Friday, October 31st, 1924, at the usual voting places in said Precinct, as now provided by law. The purpose of said election will be to determine by the qualified electors of said Precinct, whether or not all stock shall be prohibited from running at large in said Precinct, as provided by law.

G. N. Parnell and Others,
10-9-4t. Petitioners.

LEVY ON REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County — Circuit Court in Equity, January Term, 1924.

To Mrs. Mary E. Martin:

You will take notice that I have this day levied upon the following described real estate, as your property, to satisfy an execution in my hands from the Circuit Court in Equity of Chilton County, in favor of Officers of the Court, and that said property will be advertised according to law: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N. E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.

10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Of J. T. Fowler, Executor of Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, Deceased.

J. T. Fowler, Executor of the Will and Testament of W. P. Thompson, having appeared on this, the 14th day of October, 1924, and filed his petition, accounts, vouchers and evidences for a final settlement of his said administration:

It is ordered by the court that the 8th day of November, 1924, be, and it is hereby the day set, on which to make such settlement, at which time all persons interested may appear and contest the said settlement, if they think proper.

This the 14th day of October, 1924.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-16-3t Judge of Probate.

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place) (Beat) (Date—1924)
Clanton, ...4, Oct. 27-Nov. 8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

SHERIFF'S SALE, REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Equity Division of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Twelve and 93-100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the January term, 1924 of said Court, against Mary E. Martin, E. W. Martin, W. T. Martin and Wretha Williams, in favor of the Officers of the Court, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the court house door of said county, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a.m., and 4 o'clock, p.m., on Monday, the 10th day of November, 1924, all the right, title and interest of the above named Mary E. Martin, in and to the following described real estate, viz: 25 acres in N. part of N.E. quarter of N.E. quarter, Section 5, Township 21, Range 13.

This, 9th day of October, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at the court house door, October 9th, 1924.

10-16-3t T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

GUARDIAN'S SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County. Probate Court.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court, on October 21, 1924, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the court house door in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 22, Range 14, and running east on the forty line 220 yards; thence north 220 yards; thence west 220 yards; thence south along the forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, containing ten acres more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Witness my hand this 21st day of October, 1924.

ALFRED BAKER,
As Guardian of Gulma Brunice
10-23-3t Baker-Powell.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, C. A. Hand and wife, Vonia Hand, executed and delivered to R. F. Littleton a note dated October 15, 1921, due ano payable October 15, 1922, which note was secured by mortgage on the hereinafter described lands, and which mortgage is recorded in Vol. 185 at page 81 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

And whereas default was made in the payment of said mortgage, the undersigned, as mortgagee will proceed to sell the hereinafter described property at the front entrance of the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, during the legal hours of sale on Monday, November 24, 1924. The said property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Numbers five and six, Block No. 23, according to the official map or plat of the town of Thorsby, of said County and State, recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, on to-wit, the 24 day of April, 1896—the south half of the north-west fourth, north half of the south-west fourth, north-east fourth of southwest fourth of south-west fourth, Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, as embraced in above map or plat.

Out of the proceeds of said sale, the auctioneer or attorney making the sale will pay all expenses incident thereto, including a reasonable attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and the balance will be applied on the mortgage indebtedness.

This, October 22, 1924. 10-23-3t
R. F. LITTLETON, Mortgagee.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

In regard to the notice which I had published in The Union-Banner last week, will explain that what I alluded to was that I would not be responsible for bills of my wife any longer. I did not intend to cast any other insinuations against her.

(Signed) G. W. MARCUS.

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on the 23rd day of November, 1918, by G. G. Riggins, and due and payable to the undersigned, W. A. Wood, on November 20th, 1919, and which said mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Book 166, page 234, in the office of the Probate Judge of Chilton County, Alabama, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

South 1-2 of the Northwest 1-4 and North 1-2 of the Southwest 1-4, of Section 25, Township 22, Range 13, containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of land, more or less.

Said sale to be made under the powers contained in said mortgage and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied, first, to the expenses incident to this foreclosure sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and second, to the payment of the indebtedness due on said mortgage.

Witness my hand this 29th day of October, 1924.

W. A. WOOD, Mortgagee.
J. OSMOND MIDDLETON,
10-30-4t Attorney for Mortgagee.

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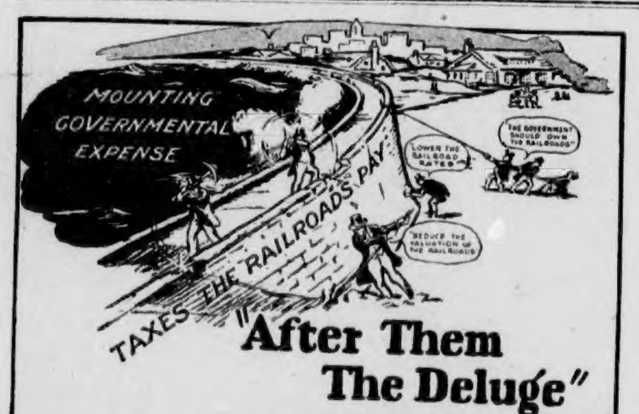

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How to meet the ever-increasing cost of operating our Government is a problem which confronts the American people today. Taxes "pay the piper"—from the smallest hamlet to the Nation as a whole—public expenses and salaries come from revenues derived from taxation.

When you hear a campaign orator advocating "Government Ownership" of the great transportation lines—stop and think what such a condition would bring about. Where will the Government get the million dollars a day that it is now receiving in taxes from the railroads? (Total taxes paid by railroads in United States approximates 365 million dollars a year.)

To bring the matter closer home, where will the various city, county, state, and National authorities get the *Eighty Million Dollars* a year that is now being paid in taxes by the railroads operating in states served by the L. & N.? (See the detailed statement in the panel on the left.)

There is but one answer — these taxes must be placed as an added burden on the farmer, the business man, the merchant, the professional man and all other American citizens.

Do you, people of the South, who are now receiving under private management unsurpassed railway service, believe that the questionable benefits of Government Ownership would justify you in assuming an additional burden of not less than $80,000,000 per year for the rest of your days?

Latest Available figures Show Following Taxes Paid by Railroads in Various Southern States:

Alabama	$ 2,425,472
Florida	3,273,527
Georgia	2,758,350
Indiana	10,696,362
Illinois	17,794,701
Kentucky	2,374,823
Louisiana	4,002,186
Mississippi	4,000,321
Missouri	3,121,761
North Carolina	3,427,273
Ohio	16,278,013
Tennessee	2,547,951
Virginia	4,540,393
Total	$79,836,133

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THE LEADER

MANAGER, M. LANDE

CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

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REYNOLDS WRITES LETTER TO VOTERS OF CHILTON COUNTY

(Continued from page 1)

isfaction of the patrons and the benefit of the pupils. Mr. Smith is an old school man, and has probably done more for the cause of education according to his opportunities than any man in the county. He has two or three children who are successful school teachers. For all his life he has been deeply interested in the development of our schools.

Miss Genie Collins, our nominee for county treasurer, is so well and favorably known to all the people of the county that she needs no commendation from me. Her long experience in the tax offices of the county has peculiarly qualified her to perform the duties of the county treasurer, and the uniform courtesy extended to our citizens who had business in the tax offices assures them of a continuation of courtesy and efficiency on her part, should she be elected treasurer. Aside from the personal worth of this fine young Republican woman I feel that we owe something to the womanhood of this county. We expect them to qualify as voters and to go to the polls and help elect our ticket, and now let us all show our appreciation of the Republican women of our county by electing Miss Collins treasurer by the largest majority ever given a candidate for office in this county.

Now, what about the other county ticket, and who nominated it? And who is responsibe for it? If by any adverse circumstances, this so called non-partisan ticket should be elected, to whom would it be responsible? The Union-Banner stated some weeks ago that Mr. J. L. Johnson had said that the reason the Democrats did not nominate a ticket in the primary was that a few of them in Canton could select a ticket better than the Democrats could in a primary election. We have had some experience in the past with a few here in Clanton running county affairs. Is there some peculiar condition existing in the county that J. L. Johnson can hand-pick a ticket better than all the Democrats in a primary election? What will be the policy of this non-partisan ticket? Should they be elected, will they not look to Mr. J. L. Johnson as their guiding star in public matters? It is unbelievable that the Republicans of Chilton County can be lead astray into voting a ticket which has been hand-picked by J. L. Johnson. Furthermore, I do not believe that the real Democrats of the county will repudiate their political convictions by voting for a set of men who are so devoid of political convictions as to run for office on a non-partisan ticket. For what does this secret non-partisan ticket stand? There have been no public expressions of the policy it will pursue if elected, and if they are to look to Mr. J. L. Johnson for their instructions, then God only knows what they will do. I believe that political campaigns should be fought out in the open. No candidate or ticket should keep anything secret from the public. The public has to pay the bills and they have a right to know what is going on behind the screens. The perpetuation of free government and the continuation of the liberties of the people depend on publicity in all public matters.

If our Republican ticket is elected, and it will be, there will be no guessing about what they will do. We know that road building will go right on and development along all lines will continue. Our commissioners have done the best that anyone could have done under the circumstances. They are trying to build roads all over the county, and even the remotest road in the county has been looked after as well as the roads near town. There has been no complaint or adverse criticism made against our county administration. So again, I ask, is there some secret motive in trying to defeat the Republican ticket by these mysterious non-partisan men?

Mr. Middleton and I will speak at Thorsby Monday night, November 3, at 7:00 o'clock. Let's have a great crowd, as I have some things I think the people ought to know and I trust that every beat in the county will be liberally represented.

In conclusion, let every Republican man and woman do their dead level best until the election is over. Let's see that all our people go to the polls and vote. If it rains provide some conveyance to get our women voters to the polls. We cannot stay at home and take it for granted that our ticket will be elected anyway. The tax payers of Chilton County are still paying interest on bonds because the voters of the county, many of them, stayed at home on one election day.

Sincerely,
L. H. REYNOLDS.

Dairy cows that are dry now should be fed some grain to prepare them for the coming lactation period. Prepare them now for profitable production later.

The men who keeps a few cows and has plenty of skimmilk has at hand the best and cheapest method of producing pork, veal, and poultry both for sale and for home use.

THE

Dixie Bargain House

Clanton's Newest Store Is Now Open

We are very pleased with our first week's business.

For Saturday shoppers we give below a few of our many bargains:

Gingham in solid colors	10c
Apron Checks, good patterns	10c
Fancy Dress Ginghams	10c
First quality dark Outing	10c
Men's Scout Style Shoes	$1.79
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There's pleasure in carrying PETERS SHELLS to the traps because previous results prove that the shooter may expect the fullest co-operation from this ammunition.

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"I was weak and nervous and run-down," writes Mrs. Edith Sellers, of 466 N. 21st St., East St. Louis, Ill. "I couldn't sleep nights, I was so restless. I felt tired and not in condition to do my work. I would have such pains in my stomach that I was afraid I would get down in bed. . . My mother came to see me and suggested that I use

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I felt better after my first bottle. I had a better appetite. It seemed to strengthen and build me up. I am so glad to recommend Cardui for what it did for me. I haven't needed any medicine since I took Cardui, and I am feeling fine."

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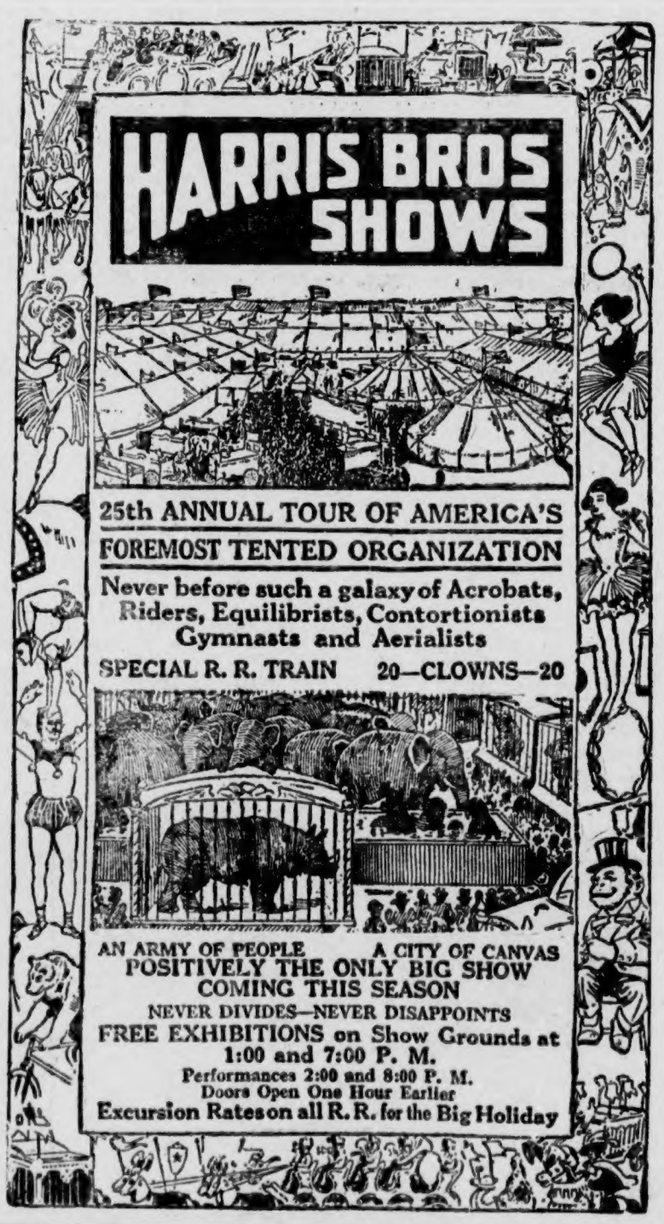

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

RAPID PROGRESS IS BEING MADE ON OUR CONCRETE ROAD

Three Carloads of Sand, Six Carloads of Slag and One and a Half Carloads of Cement are used Daily on Chilton Road.

Those who have not visited the scene of construction of the cement highway in the northern part of Chilton County and watched the progress of the work, cannot realize what an immense job it is and how fast the work is going on. We are publishing below a few clippings from the Montgomery Advertiser which will show our readers something of the magnitude of this work:

The contract for the portion of the highway let to J. R. & J. B. Miller will call for the use of 220,000 sacks of cement. This cement is purchased by the state and furnished to the contractor. The cement, sand and slag mixture which is being used on this section of the highway is known as 1-2 1-2-3. The slag comes from the Birmingham Slag Company, the sand from Montgomery and the cement from the Lehigh Cement Company.

As an example of how much material it took for the contractors to lay one mile of concrete on this road, it might be well to give figures. 12,572 sacks of cement are used in constructing a mile of the road. The specifications call for a roadway of concrete 18 feet wide with six inches of concrete in the roadway and nine inches on the shoulders, or sides, of the road to prevent breakage by vehicles which might get off the roadway. In one mile of road there is required 32,000 cubic feet of sand. There is approximately 38,000 cubic feet of slag required to lay one mile of the concrete.

The speed with which the work is being done by the contractors is again illustrated by the requirements each day for materials. The contractors have constructed a spur track at Wessington and on this spur, the L. & N. Railroad each day delivers 3 carloads of Montgomery sand, 6 carloads of Birmingham slag and 1 1-2 carloads of Lehigh cement. In other words ten and one half carloads of material are required each day in the construction of this 17 1-2 mile section of road.

When J. R. & J. B. Miller took the contract of pouring concrete on this 17 1-2 miles of the Montgomery-Birmingham highway, they found the grading work completed from one end to the other. The new work has had about three months to become settled. They also found all the bridges and culverts in. These are of concrete.

THOMPSON-FIQUETTE WEDDING

On last Saturday afternoon, at the home of Rev. G. B. Golden of Walnut Creek, occurred the marriage of Mr. Jim Thompson to Miss Mattie Fiquette, both of Clanton, Rev. Golden performing the ceremony. Jim Thompson is the young son of Mr. John Thompson of Clanton and his young bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fiquette of this place. Both the contracting parties have a host of friends in Chilton County, all of whom join in wishing them well.

CIRCUIT COURT CONVENED IN CLANTON MONDAY A. M.

The fall term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County is in session at the court house this week. Judge Smoot came up Monday morning and opened court. Only one case of importance tried Monday was that of W. C. Robinson against J. Bice & Sons, which resulted in jury and verdict for plaintiff for $170.64. This case has been on the docket for some time, and has heretofore been continued. No court was held Tuesday on account of the election.

A Grand Jury was empanelled Monday, and is making the usual investigations. Their report has not been released yet, but same will be published next week. Following is a list of those serving on the Grand Jury:—

(Name.)	(Beat.)
Will A. Kemp, Foreman	4
J. Watts Moore	4
Green S. Burnett	9
Charlie S. Howard	9
Zack Y. Abney	7
J. Marlow Williams	3
Ellis Mims	10
Ben T. Franklin	9
R. Mat Benson	9
Oliver Y. Sims	15
Lee J. Grant	10
Ethan B. Popwell	9
Chas. E. Vinson	6
Joe T. Cox	15
Wm. Green Atkinson	2
W. Rush Baker	4
J. Walter Littleton	9
Boldon H. Nelson	5

Following is a list of the Petit Jurors who are serving on the civil cases this week:—

(No.) (Name)	(Beat)
1. Ed Wagoner,	4
2. Will F. Dobbs,	6
3. Issac A. (Dock) Dennis,	7
4. J. Riley Pate,	9
5. J. Cato Pattillo,	5
6. K. A. Ekblad,	9
7. C. Floyd Merchant,	7
8. Elbert E. Edwards,	6
9. M. Clarence Childress,	14
10. J. W. P. Murphy,	4
11. E. Tom Dawson,	14
12. J. Ben Watts,	13
13. J. Arthur Jones,	5
14. J. Hance Alred,	4
15. Virgil J. Elmore,	4
16. John M. Robinson,	4
17. James Franklin,	9
18. T. Jeff Mims,	5
19. Dalton C. Giles,	11
20. Geo. F. Harper,	9
21. J. Doss Hughes,	10
22. Tom Driver,	10
23. Joe A. Ward,	14
24. Joseph A. Raines,	5
25. W. LaFayette Popwell,	4
26. Samuel E. Mitchell,	10
27. R. A. (Tam) Miller,	4
28. Albert L. Foshee,	4
29. Joseph B. Downs,	4
30. Sam J. Headley,	4
31. Henry T. Gore,	4
32. W. Jeff Parnell,	8
33. Sam J. Nation,	16
34. R. Robert Owens,	6
35. Walter Popwell,	4

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Baker Schoolhouse, Saturday night, Nov. 15. Everybody invited.

CLAUDIA MOONEYHAM.

We were glad to see Mr. Elbert Littlejohn able to be out in town last Wednesday. Mr. Littlejohn has been confined to his room for a number of weeks.

Coolidge Is Elected President By Over Ten Million Majority

CALVIN COOLIDGE

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET ELECTED SAFELY TUESDAY

Non-Partisans Beaten Nearly 2 to 1; Nation Goes Republican with Overwhelming Majorities.

In the general election in Chilton County Tuesday every Republican Nominee was elected by a good majority over the non-partisan candidates, the result from nearly all the boxes Wednesday at noon giving the former almost two votes to the latter one. Up to Wednesday at noon all the boxes in the county had been heard from with the exception of two or three, and the unofficial figures for each candidate appeared as follows: A. P. Vinson, 1305; J. Monroe Parrish, 637; J. L. Burnett, 1211; R. L. Ousley, 589; Miss Genie Collins, 1196; W. A. Kemp, 615; J. M. Smith, 1194; J. C. Pattillo, 597; Wm. R. Baker, 1179; Howard R. Oden, 634. There were one or two Democratic Beats unheard from, which will likely cut the Republican majority some, probably one hundred votes, but not enough to make any change in the election.

Beat 11 Wins Medal.

Beat 11 at Cane Creek always goes right, but this time it broke all previous records in Chilton county. It voted 61 solid Republican votes, and no Democratic or non-partisan or split votes were cast at that box. It is safe to say that Beat 11 is Republican.

The County gave Coolidge a substantial majority over Davis and La Follette, the former running a little ahead of the county Republican ticket. The figures given above are not exact, but represent the trend of the vote very well. The official figures will be tabulated and printed in The Banner next week, after the official count is made.

Coolidge Wins by 10,000,000

Reports from Charles D. Hilles, vice chairman of the Republican National Committee, early Wednesday morning, said that the total popular vote of the three leading candidates for President were as follows: Coolidge, 18,000,000; Davis, 8,000,000; LaFollette, 4,000,000. Mr. Hilles declared that President Coolidge would have 350 electoral votes.

Unless unusual upsets are revealed in belated returns, President Coolidge will receive a substantial majority over the combined strength of John W. Davis and Robert M. LaFollette in the electoral college.

The President's lead may even rival that of Harding in the landslide of 1920, when the Republicans gathered in 404 of the 531 electoralu votes.

Early Wednesday Mr. Coolidge apparently had a commanding plurality in the following States: Connecticut 7; Delaware 3; Illinois 29; Iowa 13; Kansas 10; Kentucky 13; Maine 6; Maryland 8; Massachusetts 18; Michigan 15; Nebraska 8; New Hampshire 4; New Jersey 14; New York 45; Ohio 24; Oregon 5; Pennsylvania 38; Rhode Island 5; Utah 4; Vermont 4. Total 273.

This includes some States in which the returns are still far from complete, but in which the condition of the count or concessions of political leaders of the opposition point to a Coolidge victory.

In addition the Republican presidetial nominee was leading in totals compiled early today in Arizona with 3 electoral votes; California 13; Colorado 6; Idaho 4; Indiana 15; Minnesota 12; Montana 4; Nevada 3; North Dakota 5; South Dakota 5; Washington 7; West Virginia 8; and Wyoming 3. But in none of these States had a sufficient number of precincts reported to make the outcome certain.

The number of electoral votes necessary to elect is 266.

STUMPS HILL DISTILLER CAUGHT OPERATING STILL

On last Saturday afternoon Sheriff Littlejohn, with the assistance of Federal Officer W. H. Gillespie, Deputy Foshee and Special Deputy Robinson, located and captured a 65-gallon copper distilling outfit near the Bledsoe Cut in the northern part of the County. The officers lay hidden near the still and watched George Headley and his son, Marshal Headley operate it for 20 or 30 minutes, when they went in and interrupted the procedure. Both the Headleys were arrested and brought to Clanton and placed in jail. They made bond of $1,000 each and were released.

Besides the still the officers captured 3 quarts of whiskey and 200 gallons of beer. The operators had several barrels of meal there to make beer from, but on account of the scarcity of water it had never been "put up".

It is alleged that George Headley is one of the poineer distillers of Chilton County, he having bragged, it is said, that he had made whiskey all his life and has never been arrested or paid a fine.

ANOTHER NATURAL CURIOSITY

Did you ever see a limb grown to a tree at both ends? Well, the Union-Banner is in possession of just such a thing. Mr. Steve Blalock of Route 4 brought into our office a piece of bay tree with a small limb grown into the tree at both ends. Each end of the limb which is grown to the body of the tree, looks like a natural limb, and each end of the limb is larger than it is in the middle. Mr. Blalock said that this peculiar specimen was near the top of a large bay tree which he cut in the swamp near his home. The limb is about one inch in diameter.

The life of farm machines is more than doubled if kept protected from weather when not in use. The machines also work much more satisfactorily when well cared for.

MYSTERIOUS "RAINING" UNDER BLACKGUM TREE

A rather sensational and somewhat "spooky" story found its way into the public annals of this section the latter part of last week, the setting of the story being in a woodland on the place of Mr. Tommie Martin near Collins Chapel. The report had it, and it was according to several eye witnesses, that there was a blackgum tree on Mr. Martin's place, down through the boughs of which tree was continually falling a thick mist of rain. Those who visited the scene say that one could see the mist very plainly and could feel it falling in one's face. A place under the tree about four or five feet square was very well saturated from the moisture, the cupped up leaves on the ground being filled. One visitor reports that he tasted of the water from one of the leaves.

This mysterious fallong of rain under this one tree was heightened by the continued drouth which has been on here for the past several weeks, there being so little moisture in the atosphere, it was a hard problem for our "scientists" to unravel. However, the investigators have come to the conclusion that the "raining" was caused by numbers of some kind of insects drawing the sap from the body and limbs of the tree, allowing it to fall upon the ground. But even if this explanation is plausible, it is still a rather unique occurrence.

CONCORD SCHOOLHOUSE BURNS FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Concord Schoolhouse, located three miles east of Clanton on the Higgins Ferry Road, was completely destroyed by fire shortly after noon last Friday afternoon. School was going on at the time the fire was discovered. It is reported that some paper which had accumulated in the stove was fired, and a short while later a small blaze was dislovered on the roof near the stove flue. An effort was made by the boys and teachers to get up on the roof with water, but there being no ladder there and the roof being so steep, no one could get near the blaze. Nothing could be done but watch the building burn down. All of the desks and tables together with the windows and doors were taken out of the building and saved.

This building was a three-room structure and was made of the very best material. School was being taught there by Prof. Harmon Davis and Wm. J. Mims. It is reported that no insurance was carried on the building.

BOX SUPPER AT ENTERPRISE

Everybody come to the box supper at Enterprise schoolhouse on Friday night, November 7th at 7:15 o'clock. There will be fortune telling, a fish pond, pretty girl contest, ugliest man contest, and other interesting things for all fun lovers. Girls, bring your box and be ready to sit pretty, 'cause you want to win that cake. Boys, you had better come with your pockets full of money, or the goblins 'll get you sure.

Mr. W. W. Williams of Fairview was in Clanton last Friday.

Say what you will, but success in farming depends on the farmer. If he is indifferent and careless, he will receive small returns; if he is alert and follows modern methods, large returns will follow.

MODERN DANCE AND SWIMMING POOL ARE RAPPED BY CHURCH

North Alabama Methodists Also Score "Suspicious Parking" Of Autoes

Talladega, Ala., Nov. 1.—Special. Modern dance, mixed sexes in swimming pools, and parking of automobiles along the highways under suspicious circumstances, were roundly condemned by the North Alabama Methodists in annual conference here Saturday. This action was taken following the reading by Dr. J. C. Persinger, of Ensley, of resolutions prepared by the committee on temperance. The resolutions condemned the use of intoxicating beverages and endorsed the stand taken by Gov. Brandon and Senator J. M. Benner for the closing of all places of amusement on Sunday.

Support was pledged in the resolutions to Near East Relief. The women of Birmingham were commended for the establishment of the Eva Comer Home "where girls who work in the city may have a real home from the many evils that beset the lives of these girls."

Consulting the resolution provides "we warn our people against the dangers of the moving picture shows generally given, the modern dance, the mixing of sexes in swimming pools and the general menance of parking cars in suspicious places along the roadside.

"We urge our fathers and mothers, by precept and example, to encourage their daughters to entertain their company in the home rather than in doubtful places."

The resolution commends the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the world league against alcholism, the Anti-Saloon League of America and of Alabama, and urges all ministers to support these, and pledges co-operation to every institution whose object is genuine uplift of society and the christianization of the world.

The resolution was enthusiastically and unanimously adopted.

HONOR ROLL OF THE CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The following pupils have made an average above 90, and have not been absent or tardy:—

Second Year Junior High.

Myra Johnson, Clarence Jones, Corrine Polk, John Vandeveer.

First Year Junior High.

Nelson Parrish, Vivian Sanders, Bronson Ruffin, Ora Mae Lawley.

Fourth Grade.

Byron Bean, Flora Jones, Margarett Jones, Mary Nell Jones, Lois Miller, Elizabeth McSwain, Mary Robinson, Dorothy Sessions, Dewey Williams, J. P. Jones, Lucile Cox, Gladys Thomas, Mary Hayes, Lela Dobbs, Jay Tippett.

Third Grade.

Hal Broadhead, Mary Agnes Welch.

Second Grade.

Jewell Taylor, Helen Roberts, Eunice Jones.

First Grade.

Lois Foshee, Gladys Martin, James Parrish, Bill Armstrong, Celia Gerald.

On account of the illness of the Fifth Grade Teacher, there is no Honor roll for that grade.

W. E. MARTIN, Principal.

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Money in the bank goes into circulation, helps make business better. Money hid away about the house, locked in deposit boxes, buried in the cellar, does no good and is likely to be lost. The safe place for your money is in a reliable Bank, like ours.

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You will receive financial advice and reasonable accommodations by carrying your funds in this bank.

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POOR ORIGINAL

OCTOBER MARRIAGES

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Ulysus Headley and Miss Adeline Baker.
David Tindoe and Miss Myrtle Sewell.
Jesse C. Mims and Miss Vera Devaughn.
M. A. Brown and Mrs. Adeline Baker.
Robert Williams and Miss Maggie Brookhart.
Joseph Smitherman and Miss Alvie Hand.
J. M. Dunlap and Miss Gertrude Maddox.
W. B. Jones and Miss Eveline Headley.
Judson Rush and Miss Eula Davis.
Lee Smith and Miss Panalee Edwards.
James Arthur Hayes and Miss Verbiedee Williams.
W. L. Farrior and Miss Warrene Spigener.
Reese R. Roland and Miss Lester Mae Cleckler.
Philip Headley and Miss Leona Williams.
Enoch Headley and Miss Olive Gill.
W. E. Franklin and Mrs. M. L. Bates.
Hobson Bryant and Miss Elma Smith.
L. O. McGalland and Miss Gertrude A. Gentry.
John Tunnell and Miss Bertha Sides.
J. E. Smith and Miss Antoinette Gore.
James D. Thompson and Miss Mattie Mae Fiquette.

DR. CRUMPTON ATTENDS POST-GRADUATE COURSE

Dr. J. P. Crumpton went up to Birmingham last Monday to attend a post-graduate course in anaesthesia given by Dr. Nevin of Brooklyn, N. Y. This course dealt in the latest methods of nerve-bloiking aicordisg to the latest scientific methods, and the course, although lasting only one day, is calculated to be worth a great deal to the doctors of dentistry who availed themselves of the lourse. Dr. Crumpton came back well pleased with the information and late ideas which he received.

F. C. A. MOVES OFFICE

The Farmers Co-operative Association is this week moving its office into the building formerly occupied by Hugh Jones' Store. It has heretofore been located in Dr. Hayes' building next to the New Exchange Hotel, and is moving one door south.

Messrs. O. J. Powell and Robert Edwards left Monday to attend the Annual Coon Hunters Association in session this week in Selma.

MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic builds up and restores what the malarial fever has taken away. It enriches and purifies the blood, aids the appetite, tones up the system, hastens the return of health and strength.

Taken as you feel Chills and Fever coming on, Wintersmith's Chill Tonic gives prompt and certain relief; and a long siege of Malaria can often be avoided. Its beneficial effects have been proved in thousands of cases, over 56 years of continued use. At your drug store. Popular size, 60c; mammoth size, $1. Made only by the Wintersmith Chemical Co., Inc. Louisville, Ky. ---Adv.

FIRST CHRISTENING IN A CIRCUS RING

Funny-faced clowns became serious for a moment. Daring trapeze performers halted in their aerial stunts and came down to earth. The occasion was a serious one. Bareback riders gave their horses a rest. And all the animals kept an ominous silence. For, the first christening ever held in a circus ring, was about to be performed.

It all happened at Luna Park in New York City. Joseph Edward Hodgini, baby son of Joseph and Etta Hodgini, noted circus riders, was the principal of the momentous event. And he took it all good naturedly. The Rev. Thomas R. Lawler, rector of the Grace Reformed Episcopal Church of New York, officiated. The above photograph shows the christening party assembled for the ceremony.

EAST COX NEWS

Health of this community seems very good at present.

The people are almost done gathering their crops, a few stripping cane and plowing, this week

Mrs. Clark Lawley and daughter and Miss M. L. Smitherman spent a few enjoyable hours with Mrs. John Stough, Monday P. M.

Miss Mary Lee Smitherman spent Saturday night with her friend, Miss Thelma Scott.

Mr. James Arthur was the guest of Mr. D. C. Smitherman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Scott and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stough.

Messrs. Willie Hayes, Cecil Glass and L. D. Atchison were the guests of Misses Mary Lee Smitherman and Thelma Scott, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Ferguson have as their guests now, Mr. Ferguson's mother, of Georgia.

ALPINE NEWS

Health of this community is good at present, and everybody is almost done gathering their crops; crops were short in this part of the county.

There was an election held in this beat, on Oct. 31st., on stock law and not over ten votes were cast by voters that reside in the precinct that did not already have stock law. That was in favor of stock law, and yet it was forced on us by voters that were already residents of precincts that had stock law. Now I want someone to tell me of what interest it was to those already residing in stock law, whether we ever had stock law or not.

We have a good school at this place, one of the best teachers we have ever had, and that is saying a lot, for we have had some good ones.

There will be a box supper at Alpine schoolhouse on Thanksgiving night, for the benefit of the school and church, so come one and all and help us in this good cause.

A FARMER'S WIFE.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

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BIG SHOW IN CLANTON ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Trained wild animals will be one of the big features of the Harris Bros., famous combined shows which exhibits in Clanton, Friday, Nov. 14.

Performing within an immense steel arena will be a group of black maned African lions, newly imported to America from the Carl Hagenbeck European Zoological Garden. In fact the zoo carried with the big shows this season will contain one of the largest collections of wild animals ever exhibited in this section of the State.

A magnificent pageant introducing intrepid arenic performers, famous athletes, men and women champions of Continental Europe and great America will inaugurate the performers of the Harris Bros. Shows. The big show is now in its 28th annual trans-continental tour, during which all sections of the United States and Canada will be visited. The talk of the times at home and abroad; lauded by the press; recognized by the Government and industrial captions for the marvelous system by which the stupendous tented city is transported from town to town. It is no wonder that without solicitation the schools are often dismissed that the children may enjoy the most wonderful of all days—circus day.

A special train of double-length railroad cars transports the Harris Bros. Shows. The great organization represents an investment of nearly $400,000.00 Three military bands are carried; 20 clowns; 30 intrepid aerialists; daring equestrians and 30 sensational acrobats. The Jordan family; the Jackson Sextete, the eight Micados, Japanese gymnasts; the Avalon Sisters, and scores of other famous performers will be on hand that day.

Remember the day and date is fixed; there can be no chances. Believe no false announcements to the contrary. A series of free exhibitions will be given on the show grounds at 12:30 p.m. Two performances will be given, the doors opening at 1 and 7 p.m. The big show beginning at 2 and 8 p.m. Nowhere else can so much be seen at so little cost; so bring the kiddies to see a performance that is clean, instructive and inspiring.

T. M. Hendon of Randolph county made 3 1-2 bales of cotton on three acres. He attributes much of it to the "Auburn method" of fertilizing.

"Keeping books" on a farm to determine the annual results of the labor spent is a pleasant and profitable practice that most farmers never learn.

LOMAX

Health of our community is good at present.

Mr. Gant Robinson has begun the construction of a brick building in our little town.

Mrs. A. A. Jackson was hostess to her mother, sister and niece of Birmingham, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Birdie Honeycutt returned to her home in Birmingham Friday, after being the guest of Miss Edna Jackson for the past two weeks.

Mr. Shirley and wife, of our town, spent the week-end in Talladega, returning home last Sunday evening.

I want to congratulate the Chilton County High School for its discipline and knowledge. I have attended city schools all my life and it surpasses them all in both.

There will be an old Sacred Harp singing at the Lomax Baptist Church on next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1:30 P. M. All lovers and singers of the old book are invited to attend. We extend a special invitation to the young people.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a Year.

TO MY FRIENDS

I wish to say that I own and operate The Best Cafe, next door to Main St. Garage. Your trade will be very much appreciated.
11-6-3t-pd. MRS. B. H. VICKERS.

MACEDONIA CHURCH

This church has reorganized and all members are requested to come and take part in Baptist services.

All members who wish letters may get them. There will be preaching here the first Sunday in December.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

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LOCATED AT CLANTON, ALABAMA

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 22, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts		$207,715.83
2.	Overdrafts		2,088.51
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants		1,200.00
5.	Banking House		2,700.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		2,727.25
8.	Cash—		
	a. Currency	$27,094.00	
	b. Gold	2,717.50	
	c. Silver, Nickels and Pennies	1,715.45	
	Total		$ 31,526.95
9.	Due from Banks		177,479.24
12.	Checks and Cash Items		169.34
13.	Cash Items in Transit		16,082.68
	Total		$441,689.80

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$ 15,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund		10,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		60,084.38
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	a. Individual Deposits	$258,863.43	
	f. Cashier's Checks	1,220.73	
	g. Certified Checks	11.25	
	Total		$260,095.41
6.	Time Deposits—		
	b. Time Certificates	96,510.01	
	Total		$ 96,510.01
	Total		$441,689.80

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came F. J. Callen, President of The Peoples Savings Bank, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank.

F. J. CALLEN, President.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of October, 1924.

ATTEST: LAWRENCE F. GERALD, Notary Public.

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For the next 30 days or as long as they last, I will sell Bird Rugs as follows:
9x12 Bird Rug, with border $12.80
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POOR OR

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Children's Party Enjoyed.

About thirty invitations were distributed last week urging the host of little friends to ottend the birthday party of Bill Hodges, when he celebrated his fourth birthday at his home on Tuesday afternoon. The little guests were first invited to the punch table presided over by Miss Sarah Jones. The punch bowl, placed in the hall, was very attractive, where the color tone of white and yellow predominated. Numerous juvenile indoor and out-door games were enjoyed. Later in the afternoon the guests were invited into the dining room, which was pretty with cut flowers and pot plants. The color scheme of white and yellow made the table beautiful where the central ornament was the birthday cake holding the four yellow lighted tapers. The cutting of the birthday cake created much laughter, when Miss Ruth Gowan cut the thimble, Mary Calloway the button, Eloise Rasberry the heart, Cameron McDavid the dime. Favors for the little guests were balloons, squawkers of white and yellow. Cake and cream were served later by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Irene Rasberry and Miss Sarah Jones. The happy little host was the recipient of numerous gifts.

A Pretty Party.

Mrs. T. C. McSwain entertained in honor of the Wednesday Card Club on last Friday afternoon. The Halloween decorations were very pretty throughout the apartments. After a series of games of bridge, the top score was held by Mrs. Victor Heard, and she was give a card table cover. Late in the afternoon a salad plate with the Halloween favors was served to the guests.

Civic Club Meets.

The Civic Improvement Club met at the home of Mrs. Sallie Kicker on last Wednesday afternoon. After the business meeting was over Charlotte russe and cake were served to the members and a few friends.

Dr. and Mrs. P. T. Hinkle spent several days in Birmingham this week.

Dr. Clarence Roper and wife visited relatives and friends in Clanton last week.

Wednesday Card Club.

Mrs. Hance Alred entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon. The beautiful home was decorated in chrysanthemums and pot plants. Bridge was played until a late hour, when the top score was held by Mrs. Lawrence Gerald, who was given two linen hand kerchiefs. Afterwards a salad plate with iced tea was served to Mrs. Jno. Browder, Mrs. Heard, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. Lyman, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. F. Callen and Mrs. Oscar Jones.

Mr. Ed Plier and father and mother motored to Sylacauga Sunday.

Mrs. Napoleon Johnson visited the Capital City this week.

W. S. Dunn of Mississippi will spend this week in Clanton with his sister, Mrs. Kicker.

Mrs. Dunn of Foley, Ala., is spending some time with Mrs. Kicker in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Macy Jones moved to Birmingham Tuesday. Their many friends will miss them in Clanton.

Mr. J. C. Jones went to Montgomery Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor from Montgomery visited relatives and friends in Clanton last week.

Some of the State officers of the O. E. S., visited our local chapter in a special meeting Wednesday night.

Mrs. Hester's Sunday School class met at the home of Mrs. E. E. Upchuch Tuesday afternoon to make arrangements to do more active work and to do more Bible study.

Mrs. Victor Heard carried her little daughter, Mary, to Montgomery Monday to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

FOR SALE—One 1922 model Ford roadster. If interested see Paul C. Mims at Union-Banner office.

DAIRY COWS PAY IN GENERAL FARMING

Marion County farmers finds cows, hogs, and hens a fine combination.

Auburn, Ala., Nov. 6.—Special. Reports continue to reach Auburn from farmers as to the value of milking a few cows as part of a general farming systemn. They come from every section of the State but one of the best received recently came from J. J. Boyd of Hackleburg, Marion County.

Mr. Boyd is a general farmer who is a leader, cooperating with W. L. McArthur, County Agent. He refers to his dairying as a side-line. From May 7, 1922, to June 30, 1924, his cream sales totaled $1,280.84. He sold veal calves for $33, stock calves for $91, and values heifers on hand at $60, making a grand total of $1, 464.84 from a side-line business.

But this is not all. Mr. Boyd has a small herd of Poland-China hogs and a nice flock of Barred Rock chickens which consume the skim-milk and return another handsome profit which should be credited to his dairy cows.

Speaking of dairying Mr. Boyd said: "These valuable products, shipped in broken lots through the dairy barn, pig lot, and hen house, will bring results and put dollars in your pocket.

"Our feeds were all raised on the farm except a part of the concentrates which are paid for the sale of coarser feeds, such as hay, straw, etc. We have learned by experience that corn, cowpeas, wheat, oats, rye, and soybeans can be grown successfully in this county. We grow also clovers and vetches as winter cover crops and legumes.

"The growing of these cereals and legumes is a full brother to dairying. Pig and poultry raising are twin sisters, dependent on the brothers. Together they make up a progressive and successful family."

FARM FACTS

Tenant farming and soil depletion go han din hand.

When farmers exchange experiences about their work with each other and with the county agent, everybody benefits.

No agricultural college has as yet announced whether it is worse to give good feed to scrub cows, or to give scrub feed to good cows.

Nine times out of ten the farmer who has made a bale of cotton on an acre can tell you a lot about making cotton. Listen to him.

After crops are gathered is a good time to help save farm woman power by providing better home conveniences.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—6 young oxen and one dray wagon for sale cheap.—W. A. Reynolds, Clanton, Ala. 10-30-2t-p

FOR RENT

One four room house on Birmingham-Montgomery highway. Write or see Mrs. G. W. Finley, 1013 10th Ave. and 29th St. N. Birmingham. 10-23—4t—pd.

LAND FOR RENT—I have a 2-horse farm for rent; prefer to rent on halves; a good place, good house; two miles north of Coopers; 28 acres clear of stumps and rocks.—R. T. Grant. 10-30-3t-c Cooper, Ala.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—R. C. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t

LOST—Pocketbook with one ten dollar bill, one dime and one penny; school script from teacher for book; lost between Cordrey's old mill and Clanton, last Saturday. Return to Banner office and receive reward. 10-23-24 3t pd.

LOST—Ladies grey purse, Tuesday evening, between Thos. M. Parrish's residence and high school, containing one $10-bill, one $5-bill, one $1-bill and 40 cents in change, also some receipts. Finder return to Union-Banner office or Parrish's store and receive reward. 10-30-tf.

STRAY MULES—Two black mare mules, ages about 6 and 7 years, weight about 800 pounds each, appraised at $150.00. Appraised approved Oct. 20, 1924, by A. F. Childress, Justice of the Peace.—Antney Latham, Astrayer, Thorsby, Ala., Oct. 20, 1924. 10-23-3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Georgia farm and timbered land. 1800 acres in one body. Will sell from 125 to 1800 cres, price, from $10.00 to $25.00 per acre, owing to location. Half cash, terms for balance. Special price for whole tract. Grows cotton, corn, cane, oats, fruits and tobacco. Fences in repair, title guaranteed, convenient to school and churches. Write or see owner,

Mrs. M. E. Roberts, 324 Shotwell St., Bainbridge, Ga. 2t-ch.

LAND FOR SALE—40 Acres, near Enterprise Junior High School. Has running water in good pasture. 24 acres in cultivation. 7 1-2 miles of Clanton. Good dwelling and outbuildings. Apply to W. J. Bice, Clanton, Ala., R. 6, or to Union-Banner. 11-6—5t-pd.

FOR SALE—One five-passenger Ford body, in good condition, at $15.00. W. G. Vinson, R. 6, Clanton, Ala. 1t—pd.

FOR SALE—Boston Shoe Shop, Champion outfit. If interested, call on A. L. Sewell, beside ice plant, on railroad. 3t-pd.

FOR SALE—One mare, wagon and harness; will sell at a bargain. 1t-pd. CHARLIE WARD, Route 7.

BOY BREAKS LEG PLAYING FOOT BALL AT SCHOOL

On Wednesday Dalton Bice, 14 year old son of Mr. Wiley Bice, fell and broke his leg while playing foot ball. The boy was going to school at Providence in Beat 16. Reports say that the injury was rather serious.

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PRESIDENTAL DUTY UNDER FLEXIBLE TARIFF

Washington, Nov. 3—(Special correspondence)—When Congress included in the Tariff Act of 1922 what is known as the Flexibility Clause, giving the President power to change tariff rates within a 50 per cent limit, some people assumed that this would be the agency for a frequent revision of tariff rates. This attitude was pretty generally taken by free trade advocates. They saw an opportunity to make innumerable demands for reduction of the tariff and they seemed to believe that their provision was put in for the purpose of making reductions but not increases.

Neither President Harding nor President Coolidge took this view. Neither, apparently, did Congress intend that any such view should be taken.

Since the Constitution vests in the legislative branch the power to enact law subject to the approval of the President, it would naturally be assumed that when Congress has enacted legislation any chances therein would be made only after showing of very clear inadequacy of the law. That this was the intention of Congress in providing for possible chances in the tariff law is indicated by the language of the statute. After fixing various rates of duty the Act of 1922 provides that,

"Whenever the President, upon investigation of the differences in costs of production shall find it thereby showing that the duties fixed in the Act do not equalize the said differences in cost of production in the United States and the principal competing country, he shall by such investigations ascertain said differences and determine and proclaim the changes in classification or increases or decreases in any rate of duty shown by said ascertained differences in such costs of production necessary to equalize the same."

It will thus be observed that Congress did not give the President power to change any tariff duty accoding to his own desire. The change must be based entirely upon an ascertainment of differences in cost of production. The Act also provided that:

"In accertaining the differences in cost of production, the President, in so far as he finds it practicable, shall take into consideration the differences in conditions in production including wages, costs of material, and other items in cost of production of such or similar articles in the United States and in competing foreign countries; the differences in the wholesale selling prices of domestic and foreign articles in the principla markets of the United States; advantages granted to a foreign government or by a person, partnership, corporation or association in a foreign country, and any other advantages or disadvantages in competition."

It is further provided in the tariff Act that: "Investigations to assist the President in ascertaining differences in costs of production, shall be made by he United States Tariff Commission, and no proclamation shall be issued under this section until such investigation shall have been made."

Although the President can not make the change in a tariff until after an investigation has been made by the Tariff Commission, he is not limited to the facts ascertained by the Commission. Investigations are merely "to assist the President."

The emphasis upon the difference in cost of production makes it perfectly clear that Congress intended that the tariff should be retained upon a protective principle.

THANKS FRIENDS FOR HELP

Mr. W. J. Morris of Clanton, R. 7, asks us to express through the columns of The Union-Banner, the appreciation of himself and family for the splendid help of their friends while Mr. Morris was confined in the hospital in Birmingham. Mr. Morris was unable to gather his crop and his good friends and neighbors went into hie fields and gathered his crop for him and took care of the things around his home while he was away. This was indeed an act of great kindness and compassion on the part of Mr. Morris' neighbors, and his gratefulness to them for their benevolence is beyond expression. This shows the most noble spirit of those good people who lent Mr. Morris their aid when he was unable to care for himself, and surely the Almighty will bless them for it.

GOSH, I'M GLAD THAT'S OVER!

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Loui L. Loveman was elected president of the Etowah County Tuberculosis Association. Other officers named were: Vice-president, Mrs. Olint Sibert; treasurer, Miss Bessie Hilton; secretary, Mrs. John Jackson; chairman of the Fresh Air Camp Executive Committee, J. W. Penn. Reports showed that patients are being maintained at the camp for an average of $30 a month each and that the camp is now $600 in debt. County Health Officer Murphree exhibited two patients to show types of tuberculosis. Fifteen-year-old Geneva Blackman told how her mother had been cured at the camp and how she hopes to be cured. City and county officials spoke and assured a continuance of their support.

Two unknown negroes are charged with robbing William Carden, farmer of Morrisville, as he was returning to his home from Anniston, after having disposed of a bale of cotton. The farmer's throat was slashed with a dull knife, and after $130 in cash had been taken from his pockets the negroes apparently left him for dead. The holdup occurred on a lonely stretch of road some distance from the city. The injured man was found by passersby and medical aid summoned. In a short while he had sufficiently recovered to describe the attack and later joined in the search for his assailants. He says he could identify both negroes.

Several plans for city government are occupying the attention of H. H. Frazier, secretary of the Selma Chamber of Commerce. One is the city manager idea, which plan is used by many progressive towns. Mr. Frazier has received 35 letters from towns governed by this plan which are all loud in its praise. Mr. Frazier will submit these letters to Mayor Rowell and the City Council at an early date and seek to work out some plan by which the matter may be presented to the people of Selma, if the council favors the plan.

Major General George C. Rickards, chief of the Military Bureau at Washington, has written a letter to Captain W. P. Gwin, of Gadsden, in which he states that the latter's command the service company of the One Hundred and Sixty-Seventh Regiment, had the best average drill attendance in the Alabama National Guard during 1923-24. The letter congratulates Captain Gwin and his men on the achievement.

Harry Whyel, of Uniontown, Pa who recently purchased a large lot in the business section of Florence, has asked the Florence Real Estate Board to make a survey of the city to ascertain how large an office building would be required to meet the present and future needs of the city. It is Mr. Whyel's intention, he states, to erect a large and modern office building on his lot which is across from the post office.

At a meeting of the Lauderdale County Board of Education, Professor A. R. Springer was elected Superintendent of Education to fill the vacancy created by the death of E. O. Warren which occurred a few days ago. His term will expire October 1, 1925. Professor Springer is a native of Lauderdale County, but for several years has been engaged in school work in Tennessee.

Slow down, close your cutouts, keep front and rear lights burning, do not turn between intersections and park against the curb at a 45-degree slant when you pass through Albertville, for Mayor Mack Kilcrease has issued orders that all automobile ordinance violators will be given heavy fines.

Complete data on Birmingham's school system, including names and addresses of teachers and principals, school calendar, school maps, and various committee membership lists, is in the 1924-25 directory, published by the Board of Education and ready for distribution.

The Decatur Cornice and Roofing Company, the second largest industrial concern of the Twin Cities, has started its fabrication plant, following a brief period of inactivity.

The Alabama Fox Hunters' Association is holding its annual meeting at Mobile this week. Prizes totaling $500 will be given the winners in the annual hunt.

T. W. Evans, 46, of Ensley, died suddenly while at work in his store Death is believed to have been due to a stroke of apoplexy.

Farm Agent R. S. Mitchell, of Butler County, states reports coming in daily show that Butler farmers are manifesting unusual interest in the Butler County Farm Products Show to be held at Greenville October 24 and 25.

Announcement was made at the Department of Archives and History that Mrs. J. C. Long, of Selma, has accepted the chairmanship for the district of the LaFayette Centennal, to be celebrated in that city, April 5, 1925. She has already begun work.

Mobile has many problems to solve, according to Harry T. Hartwell, new Mayor. One of the most important of these is the traffic congestion of the city. Mr. Hartwell says he welcomes any suggestions which will lead to a solution of these problems.

With approximately $130,000 of the required amount in sight for erection of a hospital in Huntsville, the committee in charge of the finance campaign is actively at work in an effort to raise the remainder.

Work of installing Mobile's automatic traffic signal system at principal intersections in the downtown district has been started, according to assistant chief of police William N. LeGear, traffic bureau director.

Four cases of diptheria have been reported in Tuscaloosa County this month with indications of several unknown cases, County Health Officer A. A. Kirk said. Nine cases were reported in September.

A contract for Selma's new Y. M. C. A. has been let to the West Point Iron works of West Point, Ga. The work, including plumbing and heating, will cost $150,000. The job is to be completed in 180 working days.

Sportsmen of Clarke County have organized the Clarke County Game and Fish Protective Association, with a membership of 125. Dr. J. G. Bedsole, of Jackson, is president of the organization.

Formation of late afternoon and evening classes in the School of Commerce and Business Administration is announced by State University authorities.

Boy Scouts will have charge of the erection of booths at the Tuscaloosa County Fair October 28 through 31 E. R. Sapp, scout executive, will superintend the erection.

Main Street in Goodwater, now has all the burnt buildings replaced with modern brick buildings, or soon to be finished and ready for occupancy.

The Dixie Construction Company engaged in surveying the power line from Coal Valley to Fayette, is now "running the location," and will be camped north of Berry for nearly another month, it is stated. Contracts have been made for the power line to be completed with all the lights installed by the first of July, it is stated by officials of the town.

E. W. Beck, general manager of the West Point Georgia Iron Works, to whom the contract has been let for Selma's new $150,000 Y. M. C. A. Building, has reached Selma to begin construction. The work will be put through with all possible speed, Mr Beck states.

E. T. Terry has resigned as chairman of the Madison County Board of Education, because on November 12, he will assume the chairmanship of the Madison County Board of Commissioners. The vacancy has been filed by the election of W. A. Given, of Gurley.

A petition having for its object the reorganization of the Birmingham and Southeastern Railway Company, now in the hands of receivers, has been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission, according to notice received by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

A new wing to the Benevolent Hospital at Albany-Decatur, will be erected soon if plans of the Tennessee Valley Shrine Club are executed. The club has named a committee to arrange a financial campaign to supply the money for the new addition.

The negroes stopped the farmer and asked to be given a "lift," he told officers. Soon after they climbed into the wagon one of the negroes seized and held him while the other wielded the knife. The wound is not regarded by physicians as serious.

The Albany-Decatur Grotto Club is preparing for its first ceremonial, to be held in the Twin Cities on December 12, when hundreds of visiting members of Kamram Grotto are expected to attend.

According to the report of W. H. Edwards, official gin reporter, Lee County ginned 13,000 bales of cotton of the 1924 crop up to and including October 17, which compares with 10,379 ginned to the same date last year.

The Court of Appeals in a decision on rehearing, affirmed the conviction of U. G. Weidman, Montgomery Chiropractor, convicted of practicing without the required license. Wiedman was fined $50, the minimum penalty.

The Alabama Water Company will begin laying the new water main at once on Ninth Street, South Albany, and along the Somerville Road. The new main for railroad streets near the Union Depot has been completed.

The work of installing traffic signals on downtown street corners in Mobile, is progressing, forces from the City Police and Fire Alarm Departments are working on these improvements.

Judge C. M. Sherrod has been appointed to the post of Commissioner of Census for the Northern Counties of Alabama. Judge Sherrod will conduct a farm census beginning December 1.

C. E. Stapp, county farm demonstrator, will begin a series of terracing demonstrations November 7, which will cover the major section of Etowah County.

Announcement is made by Superintendent J. A. Keller, of Covington County Schools, that there are 2,000 more children in school in that county now than ever before.

The Road To Better Health

SORE THROAT
BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

"If it isn't better tomorrow, we shall call the doctor." It would be much better to call him today—the first day of that sore throat. By tomorrow, there may be no question about the sore throat being diphtheritic. A day will have been lost. And, the loss of each day is serious in a case of diphtheria.

From 12,000 to 15,000 people die annually in the United States from diphtheria. Statistics show that almost all of the cases which are treated with adequate amounts of antitoxin on the first day of the disease, recover. The death rate increases with each day's antitoxin. So the necessity of an early recognition of this disease in order that effective treatment may be promptly intituted, is apparent.

Recognizing Diphtheria

The sore throat of diphtheria may easily be confused with less serious sore throats. Diphtheria is recognized by the general symptoms, the formation of a false membrane in the throat, and the examination of throat cultures. In some cases no membrane can be seen, but there is a sore throat and the germs of diphtheria are present. One form of croup is diphtheria. Spots or patches may form in the throat as a result of other infections.

It is among children that diphtheria takes a heavy toll. Between the ages of two and twelve is the period of greatest susceptibility. But it is possible for diphtheria to occur earlier than this, and older children and adults are often affected.

The severity of the symptoms are not always in proportion to the seriousness of the disease. On the first day of the disease, diphtheria patients usually do not appear to be in any more danger than those who have tonsilitis. What appears to be a trivial sore throat in the beginning may prove to be a dangerous case of diphtheria if neglected.

The nature of vedy sore throat should be determined without delay, particularly in the case of children!

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Treament of Hernia

L. E. writes: "I have a hernia that developed three years ago. Since then I have been wearing a truss. The hernia never has caused me any trouble except when it started, but I have been advised to have an operation for it. Does a truss ever cure a hernia? Is it dangerous just to depend on a truss to keep the lump from coming down?

Reply

The most satisfactory treatment for hernia is an operation. A successful operation would free you from the necessity and inconvenience of wearing a truss. It would also make it safer for you to engage in any occupation or physical activity involving strain.

If you have any disease, or if for any reason, your condition is such that an operation would involve considerable risk, it probably should not be undertaken. That is, provided there is no immediate necessity of operating. Old age is also against operation.

A truss is not very likely to cure a hernia after the patient has attained his growth.

Many people with hernia depend to get along without trouble. They probably manage to live in such a manner that they avoid strain.

Some complications, such as strangulation, demand operation for their relief.

Bananas for Babies

Mrs. H. F. asks: "Are bananas suitabale food to give to a baby two years old?"

Reply

Bananas may be given to babies early in the second year, according to Hess. They should be scraped so that they can be given in finely divided particles.

Symptoms of Heart Disease

J. F. D. writes: "For a number of months I have been troubled with an occasional pain in the chest where the heart is located. At times I am afraid that I have something the matter with my heart. What are the symptoms of heart disease?"

Repiy.

A lot of worry, perhaps needless, would be saved if you would have an examination. A pain, such as you describe, may be caused by some trouble in the heart itself. Or, it may be due to something else.

Getting out of breath on moderate exertion, a rapid or irregular action of the heart, a tendency to faint or feel faint, cough and swelling of the ankles are symptoms of heart disease. But all of these smyptoms may come from other things. After you have been examined and the cause of your troble has been determined, your doctor will tell you what to do about it.

Has a Fat Tumor

B. N. writes: "There is a lump on the back of my right shoulder that a doctor has told me is a fat tumor. It seems to be gradually getting larger. I have been told that I should have it taken off. What I want to know is—if the tumor is dangerous and if there is any danger in having it cut off?"

Reply

These tumors are not regarded as dangerous, but they sometimes grow to considerable size.

It would probably be best to have it removed. This will be less of an operation while the tumor is small, than if you wait until it reaches such a size that its presence is considerable of a nuisance.

In the hands of a good surgeon the operation is not dangerous. It is often done under a local anaesthetic.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

An advertising club was recently organized in the School of Commerce and Business Administration at the State University. The purpose of the new club is to carry on research work in the field of advertising, and to undertake a scientific study of that subject.

According to reports the corn crop is very short in Wilcox County, and they are saving much hay. The dry summer made the hay crop short, until the late fall cutting. Sugar cane molasses also will be scarce this winter, as a great many planted will have to save all their cane for seed.

Alf Naro, now serving a 25-year sentence for killing Ralph J. Roberts, of Pratt City, two years ago, was denied a new trial by the State Supreme Court. Naro's wife, also sentenced to 25 years for participation in the murder, was granted an appeal. The shooting occurred in Naro's home.

Voicing the opinion that a large part of the accidents in Franklin County are due to reckless driving and speeding, Mayor W. W. Ramsey, of Russellville, has declared war on law violators.

The Federal Construction Company, of Birmingham, has been awarded the contract to build water mains connecting existing water systems in Mobile. The Birmingham company bid $90,296.65.

The Alabama Fox Hunters' Association will hold its annual fall meeting in Heflin November 4. Between one hundred one hundred and fifty sportsmen are expected to attend the event.

Proceeds from a half-acre of sweet potatoes will defray the expenses in school this year of Nathan Wood, of Centerville, who has realized $200 from his sales.

Ground has been broken for the new Methodist Church building at Lipscomb, which will be built in the near future.

The Alabama Public Service Commission has won a complete victory in its fight to obtain the restoration of its authority over intrastate rates on hay, cotton, clay, concrete and sand products and gravel, which it lost as a result of the decision of the interstate commerce commission in the famous Meridian rate case. Authority was returned by decision of the Federal Commission, a copy of which was received by the Public Service Commission. The immediate effect of the decision is to open a wide market for hay and other commodities produced in the Western section of Alabama, a market which was closed by the rupture of the rate fabric by the Meridian decision.

Frank Schwartz, a Gadsden boy, employed in the local steel mills, has just completed and patented an automatic electric fire alarm system for stores, factories and residences and all kinds of buildings where the fire hazard is great. The moment a fire breaks out anywhere in a building using the system, the alarm is instantly turned in, notifying watchmen and patrolmen on the outside that a fire is in progress. The system is connected with the fire department.

Dallas County fair attracted to Selma last week an immense crowd of farmers, community workers, as well as social leaders. In the large 276-foot tent were assembled the work of the home demonstration clubs, schools, community booths and the women's department. Communities having booths were Sardis, Burnsville, Pleasant Hill, Marion Junction, Plantersville, Casey, Section, Valley, Vallengrande, El Bethel, Safford, Tasso.

Warrior River traffic during September was reported heavy in the Government figures tabulated, despite the fact that the river was closed nine days while repairs were being made on Lock 13. Fifty-eight tow boats and 108 barges passed through Lock 10 during the month, the report states.

POOR OR

HOW'S THIS FOR A THRILLING EXPERIENCE?

OUTSIDE of the California Red-Woods, this gigantic Juniper Tree recently discovered near Logan, Utah, is said to be the oldest living object on this hemisphere. Experts examining it say it is, at least, 3,000 years old, with the more probable correct figures at 6,000.

Ordinarily, Juniper trees never grow with trunks more than six or seven feet around. But this one, as the party is indicating in this picture, measured twenty-eight feet in circumference. 'Tis truly, the Patriarch of trees.

TRESPASS NOTICES

The hunting season is on for squirrels, and soon will be for birds. If you want to protect your own birds and squirrels for your own use and amusement, then post your land. The Union-Banner has a supply of Posted Trespass Notices printed on heavy, durable cardboard, size 11 x14 inches. These signs are printed in big, noticeable type and sell for five cents each or six for a quarter. Post your land now before all your game is killed.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, convicted in the spring term, 1924, of the circuit court of Chilton County for having still in possession and sentenced to had labor for 18 to 24 months, will make application to the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

(Signed) MACK HENLEY.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Hannah Johnson and family express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the beautiful floral offerings, and especially for the many deeds of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement in the death of her husband and their father, Robert Johnson.

Smilin' Charlie Says-

"There's a powerful lot o' proud daddies who didn't know much about geography 'till Willie built his little radio set--"

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HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which Quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus restoring normal conditions.
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Miss Euna Belle Mahan spent Sunday in Greenville with relatives. She reports an enjoyable time.

Things to Know Before Baby Comes

YOU may learn the probable date of baby's birth. What you should have and what baby will need. These and many other *important things* are fully explained in a wonderful booklet sent free to all expectant mothers.

This booklet also tells when and how to use "Mother's Friend"—the much talked about rubbing preparation which relaxes the muscles and prepares the way for a *comfortable* period during *expectancy* and for a more natural delivery at *childbirth*. "I think 'Mother's Friend' saved my life," wrote one enthusiastic mother. "I was sick not over fifteen minutes," declared another. You will find these signed letters, and many more, in the booklet which you will receive.

"Mother's Friend" has been used by three generations of expectant mothers. Get a bottle today and *experience* the wonderful effect "Mother's Friend" will give you!

FREE BOOKLET

Write Bradfield Regulator Co., Dept. F-6, Atlanta, Ga., for free booklet (sent in plain envelope.) Full directions for using "Mother's Friend" will be found with each bottle. "Mother's Friend" is on sale at all drug stores.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Municipal license fees prescribed by the General Revenue Act of the State of Alabama and based upon population figures, must be assessed and collected, according to the Federal census, and not in accordance with any subsequent municipal census. The Supreme Court of Alabama has established this ruling in reversing the decision of the Alabama Court of Appeals and remanding the case of ex parte E. M. Jones. Original appeal in this case was from Barbour County, where the appellant made application for a license to sell cigarettes in Eufaula.

An illicit still hidden in the grass on Hall's Mill Creek in Mobile County has finally yielded to the efforts of the State and Federal law enforcement men. This still was searched for several times although the officers came within ten feet of it. The reason for the officers being baffled was that the still and all fixtures were painted green to resemble nearby grass and brush. The long worm of the still leading to the water was camouflaged also. The officers destroyed the still and 500 gallons of mash.

The attendance banner of the Russell County Baptist Association was awarded to the Westside Baptist Church of Phenix City by the association in convention at Oswichee, Ala. Mrs. L. G. Silas of Fort Mitchell was elected president and Miss Ruth Weekly of Phenix City was elected chairman for the young people's department when officers for the ensuing year were elected.

I. M. Gilbert lost his $10,000 damage suit against Etowah County because Judge Steele sustained demurrers of the defense in which it was claimed the county cannot be sued by an employe since it is a part of the State government. The court held that the county can be sued only in a few cases specified by law.

The total assessment of Pike County this year will amount to $9,850,510, not including the automobile values, which will not be definitely known until February, 1925. This is according to information given by V. A. Gibson, ax assessor, who has sent in the county report of tax assessments to the State Tax Commission.

Etowah County watermelons are still coming into Gadsden. They are much the finest seen here this season. The Humphrey brothers, of Sand Mountain, recently brought in three wagon loads. They were much larger than any others received here during the season.

Patrons of the White Oak School, near Leighton, recently gave a barbecue to raise funds to pay off the debt incurred by the erection of a modern three-room school building. A large crowd from many sections of the county was present and almost enough money raised to pay off the debt.

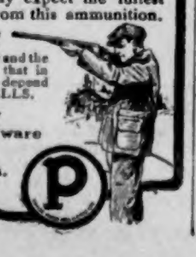
The Chamber of Commerce, at Gadsden, has been successful in securing a substantial reduction in scrap iron rates to Gadsden from points on the N. C. & St. L. Railway in Tennessee and Alabama. Rates now range from 79 cents to $2.82 per ton in minimum carload lots of 60,000 pounds.

Peters Shells

A large measure of the pleasure is in the anticipation.

There's pleasure in carrying PETERS SHELLS to the traps because previous results prove that the shooter may expect the fullest co-operation from this ammunition.

You will have this advantage before you fire a shot and the results will show that in a pinch you can depend on PETERS SHELLS.



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Decatur people are happy in the belief that their new streets are to cost them only $250,000 instead of $300,000 as was at first expected, following an announcement by Superintendent Brownlee of the Independent Paving Company, of Birmingham, which has the contract for building all the new streets. Mr. Brownlee says that he did not expect to turn in a bill for over a quarter of a million when his street building contract is completed at the end of this year. The original bond issue for the streets was $300,000 Mr. Brownlee explained that efficient working men, reduced estimates of cast and also the fact that much of the machinery of his company was already here when he began work.

Ed Gewin, tax assessor of Hale County, is the banner farmer so far heard from. On a two-mule farm near Cedarville, he has made a wonderful crop of cotton, on which he expects to clear $3,000. He has rushed his work to take advantage of the clear weather, has picked and ginned his crop, plowed his land, and has a good stand of vetch already up on it.

T. C. Germain, owner and manager of a moving picture theatre in Talladega has been arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Pickard at Gadsden on the charge of not paying the theatre tax as required by the act of Congress on February 24, 1919. He pleaded guilty and his bond was fixed at $500.

When the Norwegian steamer Vera docked at Mobile from Peurta Castilla, Honduras, Joseph Barnes, member of the engine crew was removed to the marine hospital with serious injuries. Barnes fell into the hold of the vessel while the Vera was en route to this port and was seriously hurt.

Willie O'Neal, of Corona, near Jasper, is reported suffering from the effects of a flogging administered several nights ago by a band of masked men which ordered him to leave the vicinity. O'Neal is said to have been charged by the mob with an attack upon a small girl.

"A Sunny Road," a new book written by Dr. S. A. Steele, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Decatur, has been put on the market. Dr. Steele's book explains home life in Dixie during the war. The writer speaks as a Southerner of the Southerners.

Facilitating the large cotton movement which is being concentrated this fall for export and domestic shipment, the United States Shipping Board has announced the allocation of an additional vessel at Mobile to lift a cargo of staple for Bremen and Rotterdam, sailing October 28.

Officers of the State Law Enforcement Department made a total of 249 arrests during the month of September, as shown by the monthly report of Chief Walter K. McAdory. Stills to the number of 136 were destroyed during the month.

The City Council at Huntsville, added another street to the paving program when it adopted on its final reading an ordinance providing for the paving of Locust Street extension Bids for the work were opened October 14.

At the first meeting of the new City Council and the Mayor at Jacksonville, G. C. Currier was elected Mayor pro tem; C. A. Whitemore, re elected City Clerk; W. A. Venable, re elected Chief of Police, and Fayette Johnson, assistant chief.

Funeral services were held at Gadsden for Ott Smith, 27, at Mt. High Marshall County, following his suicide at the home of a neighbor, Lon Latimer.

J. I. Guyton, a prominent merchant of Vernon, who was severely injured when an automobile struck him a few days ago, is now able to be at his place of business.

Slim Carter, of Hazelgreen, has been unanimously re-elected 'Bama's cheer leader. Hamilton Perkins, Bessemer; Waldo Macon, Wetumpka, and Troy Allen, Oxford, were named his assistants.

The public terms of the Heflin City School was opened Monday, October 13.

LADIES' AND MEN'S NEW Fall and Winter Suits

FASHION achieves her highest ideals when beauty of line and charm of the unusual are in harmony with utility and suitability. Nowhere are they more perfectly combined than in our distinctive apparel where design and fabric as well as smartness meet the demands of perfection of detail.

Our apparel sections have specialized to such good purpose in all that pertains to correct outfitting for every Fall and Winter occasion that selections may be made with complete assurance of appropriateness and of attractive designing.

Don't Fail to See These New Suits and Coats Now on Display

Men's and Boys' New Suits and Overcoats

IT PAYS TO DRESS WELL

How we know it when we have a business opportunity before us!

What good is talent and ability if a man falls short in making an appearance that secures confidence when he wants it most?

A successful business man once directed a brilliant yet struggling friend to get a new suit to gain prestige. He knew from experience that clothes do make a difference. That's one reason why we give a pleasing friendly service to you—Men.

AN OLD ADAGE

"When in Rome do as the Romans do!"

In other words, secure the approval of your friends. And one sure way of winning the confidence of men is to wear good clothes.

Look over our line of Winter Suits and Overcoats. You'll like the distinctive fabrics and styles.

The materials are Woolens, Worsteds, Tweeds, Navy Serges and Cheviots.

And prices are moderate.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Thorsby Institute Honor Roll

First Honor Roll — Geraldine Dobson, Doris Freeman, Palmer Lefstead, Betty Lakeman.

Second Honor Roll—Annie Mae Bruner, Payne Bryan, Dorothy Butler, Ruth Champion, Claudie Eiland, Ragnar Ekblad, Meryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, Isabelle Gilbert, Bernice Kelley, Willie Littlejohn, Ronald Lucas, Gladys Murphy, Lois Prim, Henry Robinson, Mattie Sorrell, Gertrude Steiner, Ruth Turner, Robert Ward, Frances Wilson, Marjie Champion.

Third Honor Roll—Jewell Bean, Vester Bice, Clarence Billingsley, Annie Mae Bruner, Payne Bryan, Dorothy Butler, Marjorie Champion, Ruth Champion, Rosa Lee Collins, Sidney Davenport, Mary Deason, Plato Deason, Geraldine Dobson, Cecil Each, William Each, Claudie Eiland, Onzell Eiland, Ragnar Ekblad, Doris Freeman, Maryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, Isabella Gilbert, Clara Grigsby, Sixten Hall, Mabel Howard, George Hughes, Floyd Jackson, Julia Jackson, Tilden Jackson, Althea Johnson, Bernice Kelly, Lewis Kelly, Betty Lakeman, Palmer Lefstead, Willie Littlejohn, Eva Mae Lynch, Mae Maddox, Ruth Martin, Carmon Mims, Gladys Murphy, Clyde McKee Hillard Nichols, Ethel Peterson, Roy Raybon, Rubye Reynolds, Dessie Robinson, Belle Mae Small, Gordon Sorrell, Vermell Walters, Frances Wilson, Buona Wood, Hosie Wood.

THE FARNUM TRIO

Miss Doris Farnum, who heads the Farnum Trio, is well known to Lyceum audiences everywhere. Miss Farnum possesses a contralto voice of rich quality. Her presentations of the folk songs of Ireland to her own accompaniment on the Irish harp are a notable part of the Trio's program. Another feature of her work is her miscellaneous readings consisting of cuttings from popular plays. She is also conspicuously successful in humorous pianologs and monologs, given in Scotch, Italian, Swedish and English dialects.

Geoffrey Waddington, violinist with the Trio, is a talented young Canadian who studied under Ferdinand Fillion of Toronto. He has won a number of medals and cups in musical festivals, and scored eminent successes throughout the Dominion of Canada.

Another member, Miss Evelyn Dalin, soprano, pianist and violinist, many Lyceum successes to her credit and completes an ensemble whose p grams of wide diversity and real entertainment are popularly acclaimed.

This troupe will open the three-number Lyceum Course for this season, put on by Thorsby Institute. They will appear Monday night, November 10th at 7:30. Course tickets, for three entertainments, $1.25 for adults, 75c for children under 12 years old. Single admissions 50c—25c for children. Secure your season tickets in advance, from soliciting students, Mr. Butler, or Miss Helen C. Jenkins. Don't fail to attend these high-grade entertainments.

The regular monthly praise service at the Congregational church last Sunday night was conducted with a good deal of spirit, under trying circumstances. Our electric lights were on strike, and such lamps as could be requisitioned at short notice had quite a contingent that appeared to be "sympathetic strikers" as one after another, they quit without notice, but so long as Miss Parker and Miss Lois Primm, leader and organist respectively, each had a lamp to themselves, the choir and audience bravely supported their efforts to keep going, and did not give up until the regular closing time.

We made a brief visit to Thorsby Gin on a recent morning, and found the machinery still humming, altho all available warehouse room in town is filled and several hundred bales of cotton were piled outside. We have heard that Chilton County has several thousand more bales than last year, thus keeping in line with every other cotton growing county in the State. While the price, as always at harvest time, is much lower than was paid for last year's crop, we believe those able to hold on a few months will find it profitable.

The students of Thorsby Institute had an opportunity Tuesday afternoon to record their presidenital preferences. The "election" was in the hands of a committee of the Literary Society, who fitted up to polling place on the stage in the assembly room with private booths and all the machinery for a secret ballot. The Banner goes to press toearly to be able to give the results of the voting.

Mrs. Louis Howard spent a couple of days in Tuscaloosa last week. She was accompanied home by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edwin Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howard will be located here for the present.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will meet at the new home of Mrs. C. M. Williams, known as the Gulledge House, Thursday afternoon, November 6th.

Rev. L. O. Dawson, teacher of Bible at Howard College, will preach at the Baptist church in Thorsby Sunday, November 9th, morning and evening.

Mrs. Ollice Yogg was a delightful hostess to a small gathering of friends Wednesday afternoon. A three-course luncheon was served at 5:00 o'clock.

Miss Clara Peterson and Miss Effie Donaldson were week end visitors at the home of Miss Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Miss Ethel Peterson gave a Hallowe'en party last Saturday night to the boarding students of T. I., and a few town young folks.

Mrs. Magne Anderson returned last Monday from a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ivy Horn, at Boyles, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson and children spent the week end at the home of C. A. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Meade motored to Sylacauga Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins spent Saturday in Montgomery.

CHILTON HI SWAMPS BIBB HI

Chilton County High School football team defeated the Bibb County eleven here Friday, Oct. 30. The game was a case of knowledge and experience of the game, against a lack of the same qualities. Chilton outplayed the visitors in every phase of the game, especially forward passes, of which several were completed, six going for touchdowns. Bibb could not break Chilton's wall-like line, making only three first downs, two of these coming in the last of the game after ten scrubs had gone in.

The first touchdown was scored by Chilton within the first thirty seconds of play, by a pass, Hayes to Jones, who ran 55 yards for the counter.

Of the seven touchdowns made by Chilton, only one was made other than by forward passes, an end run around left end by Jones.

Chilton plays Marion Institute Reserves next Friday, Oct. 7. Remember, Chilton's line has not been crossed this season.

If the embattled farmers will stand together in co-operative selling, they can fire a shot heard around the world.

Don't deposit your money in an unusued stove, an old stocking or a tin can. People who have tried it have found it exceedingly expensive!

There are many advantages besides "Safety First" in having a bank account,---It stimulates self-respect. The man who pays his bills by check has a record of the transaction, and business men have respect for his methods.

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I pay the highest market price for remnants and cotton seed. Also I gin any small amounts needed for beds and quilts for the Farmers.

Bring me your cotton if you want the best turn-out, the best sample and the cleanest seed to be had.

Again thanking you, I am, yours very truly,

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50,000 IN LIFE-SAVING SERVICE OF RED CROSS

Additional 50,000 Water Safety Experts Probable Gain of Summer Campaign.

A boy watched an expert give a class a lesson in the way to revive a person unconscious from water immersion. The next day the boy tried it on a bathing companion and saved his life. Such a boy justifies all the effort and the cost of the Life-Saving Service, American Red Cross officials declare. The Red Cross method of restoring partly drowned persons is so simple that the continual large sacrifice of life must decrease as an informed public insists upon general instruction in prone pressure practice to induce respiration.

The Red Cross Life-Saving Service in every part of the country, summer and winter, is engaged in teaching this method as an integral part of swimming and life-saving. This service has grown from a single expert in 1914 to a corps of almost 50,000 active life-savers. In this tenth year of the work it is predicted that fully 50,000 more experts will be eligible for membership in the corps. This large accession in a single year is confidently expected as the result of the campaign among 22,000 troops of Boy Scouts under a plan to qualify at least two life-guards in each troop.

During the past year 4,746 men, 3,374 women, 9,731 boys and girls successfully passed the rigid tests of the Red Cross—an increase of 5,331 over 1923. Intensive instruction is developing hundreds of qualified examiners for the Red Cross Life-Saving Corps, who supplement the teaching staff maintained by the national organization. The cause of water safety is therefore penetrating to new sections and eventually will cover all American territory.

Recognition of this Red Cross service for humanity is growing apace. At the request of the War Department every military training camp had life-saving instruction last summer. Municipalities have adopted the Red Cross course, public and private schools are offering it to students, business, civic and athletic organizations are promoting campaigns, and police departments are making it a part of the conditioning process for their recruits.

Volunteer life-savers throughout the country, the American Red Cross reports, are eagerly advancing the cause of water safety, 388 volunteers receiving medals for giving from 200 to 300 hours' service in two or three years. In addition 36 rescue bars to medals were awarded members of the Red Cross Corps who saved one or more lives during the year.

It is for the work and extension of life-saving that continued support through memberships is sought, and the American Red Cross urges all persons to join or renew membership during the enrollment campaign opening Armistice Day, November 11.

Red Cross Invites All Into Neutral Army of Service

There are 3,089 counties in the United States and more than 3,500 Chapters of the American Red Cross. The Chapter is the local unit of the national organization, formed to carry out the program, services and policies of the Red Cross. The industry of these 3,500 local units is a voluntary and steady outpouring of well-doing and sympathy which softens human suffering and distress wherever it arises. This work is absolutely neutral, for the Red Cross knows no race, no creed, no color.

The strength of the American Red Cross being in its Chapters, the organization annually invites the people to join or renew their membership during a Roll Call which always begins on Armistice Day, November 11.

"It is this annual enlistment of millions of Americans under the banner of the American Red Cross which makes possible the continued work of this great and democratic legion of mercy," says Judge John Barton Payne, head of the national organization. "Membership in the Red Cross is a privilege within the reach of everyone. The need for service grows more insistent each year. To keep pace with the demands which come from every section of our country, we must have the people's loyal support. Our capacity for service in the year to come will be limited only by the extent to which we receive support for our work in the coming Roll Call."

The invitation of the American Red Cross is unlimited. The enrollment period, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving, is everyone's opportunity to join.

Annual Summons to Service

The annual nation-wide Roll Call of the American Red Cross to enroll members for 1925 will open on Nov. 11, the anniversary of that tense and never-to-be-forgoten Armistice Day six years ago, which silenced the crashing arms of the World War. The enrollment will continue for 17 days, through Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 27. Preliminary to the Roll Call period will come Red Cross Sunday, Nov. 9. During the 17 days set aside for the enrollment more than 3,500 Chapters of the Red Cross and their thousands of branches will invite the people to join the Red Cross or renew their membership.

D. M. Apperson of Maplesville was over in Clanton Wednesday to learn how the election went.

MT. PLEASANT—BEAT 12

Singing at this place Sunday afternoon was not so good, there being only a few present. Let everybody come out to our singing every first and third Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harrell of Jemison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Glass.

The singing at Mr. R. A. Barnett's Thursday night was enjoyed by all. Also the parched peanuts which were served the guests were fine.

We are indeed sorry to report that Mr. Leonard Martin was run over by a motor truck. He was not seriously hurt.

The Banner Print Show is working on the minutes for the Unity Baptist Association, and they will be finished within a few days.

The Halloween party given by the high school last Friday night was a decided success. The kids had a big time at the different games.

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To break up a cold over night or to cut short an attack of grippe, influenza or sore throat, physicians and druggists are now recommending Calotabs, the nausealess Calomel tablet, that is purified from dangerous and sickening effects. Those who have tried it say that it acts like magic, by far more effective and certain than the old style calomel, heretofore recommended by physicians.

One or two Calotabs at bed time with a swallow of water,—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with eating, work or pleasures. Next morning your cold has vanished and your system feels refreshed and purified. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price ten cents for the vest-pocket size; thirty-five cents for the large family package. Recommended and guaranteed by druggists. Your money back if you are not delighted.—adv.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF THORSBY

LOCATED AT THORSBY, ALABAMA
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 22, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts		$ 71,396.31
2.	Overdarfts		161.04
5.	Banking House		1,000.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		2,097.06
8.	Cash—		
	a. Currency	$2,271.00	
	b. Gold	635.00	
	c. Silver, Nickels and Pennies	426.52	
	Total		$ 3,332.52
9.	Due from Banks		6,141.86
13.	Cash Items in Transit		4,292.27
15.	Bills of Acceptances		32,589.36
	Total		$121,010.42

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$ 10,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund		6,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		1,572.73
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	a. Individual Deposits	$75,749.36	
	f. Cashier's Checks	1,808.43	
	Total		$ 77,557.79
6.	Time Deposits—		
	b. Time Certificates	$25,809.35	
	Total		$ 25,809.35
10.	Other Liabilities		70.55
	Total		$121,010.42

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came C. R. Foss, Cashier of The Bank of Thorsby, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank. C. R. FOSS, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of November, 1924.
ATTEST: WALLACE C. EDLER, Notary Public.
Chas. E. Lucas, A. E. Reagan, Felix Eiland, Directors.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF MAPLESVILLE

LOCATED AT MAPLESVILLE, ALABAMA
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 22, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts		$ 47,452.74
2.	Overdrafts		54.36
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and W. S. Stamps		100.00
5.	Banking House		900.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		1,351.56
8.	Cash—		
	a. Currency	$7,548.00	
	b. Gold	340.00	
	c. Silver, Nickels and Pennies	440.03	
	Total		$ 8,328.03
9.	Due from Banks		808.28
12.	Checks and Cash Items		9.60
	Total		$ 64,004.57

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$ 10,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund		2,500.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		1,177.67
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	a. Individual Deposits	$44,494.55	
	f. Cashier's Checks	26.40	
	Total		$ 44,520.95
6.	Time Deposits—		
	b. Time Certificates	$ 5,805.95	
	Total		$ 5,805.95
	Total		$ 64,004.57

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came H. L. Smith, Cashier of Bank of Maplesville, Maplesville, Ala., who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank. H. L. SMITH, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of October, 1924.
ATTEST: J. E. DENNIS, Notary Public.
J. W. Foshee, H. M. Nix, F. H. Brown, Directors.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE BANK OF VERBENA

LOCATED AT VERBENA, ALABAMA
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS OCTOBER 22, 1924.

RESOURCES

1.	Loans and Discounts		$ 65,293.17
3.	U. S. Bonds, Cert. of Ind., and Revenue Stamps		20.00
4.	Other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants		15,930.00
5.	Banking House		2,900.00
6.	Furniture and Fixtures		900.00
8.	Cash—		
	a. Currency	$7,345.00	
	b. Gold	300.00	
	c. Silver, nickels and pennies	627.23	
	Total		$ 8,272.23
9.	Due from Banks		33,602.32
	Total		$126,917.72

LIABILITIES

1.	Capital Stock Paid in		$ 15,000.00
2.	Surplus Fund		5,000.00
3.	Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid		3,651.07
5.	Demand Deposits—		
	a. Individual Deposits	$101,855.32	
	f. Cashier's Checks	611.33	
	Total		$102,466.65
6.	Time Deposits—		
	b. Time Certificates	$800.00	
	Total		800.00
	Total		$126,917.72

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Chilton County.

Before me came H. W. Davis, Cashier of Bank of Verbena, who being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statement is true and gives the actual condition of said Bank, as shown by the books on file in said Bank. H. W. DAVIS, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 29th day of October, 1924.
ATTEST: U. Z. JOHNSON, Notary Public.
W. A. Gulledge, H. T. Williams, H. B. Oliver, Directors.

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on the 23rd day of November, 1918, by G. G. Riggins, and due and payable to the undersigned, W. A. Wood, on November 20th, 1919, and which said mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Book 166, page 234, in the office of the Probate Judge of Chilton County, Alabama. I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

South 1-2 of the Northwest 1-4 and North 1-2 of the Southwest 1-4, of Section 25, Township 22, Range 13, containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of land, more or less.

Said sale to be made under the powers contained in said mortgage and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied, first, to the expenses incident to this foreclosure sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and second, to the payment of the indebtedness due on said mortgage.

Witness my hand this 29th day of October, 1924.

W. A. WOOD, Mortgagee.
J. OSMOND MIDDLETON,
10-304t Attorney for Mortgagee.

TAX NOTICE — COLLECTOR'S AND ASSESSOR'S ROUND

We will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of collecting the State and County Taxes for Chilton County for the year 1924 and assessing taxes for the year 1925:

(Place)	(Beat)	(Date—1924)
Clanton,	4,	Oct. 27-Nov. 8

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code, it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct, to attend in person on the first day of the appointment in your Precinct, and then and there render the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the first day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31, 1924.

J. T. ROCKETT, Tax Collector.
S. M. PATE, Tax Assessor.

Worst Coughs Yield Quickly to Good Old Pine Tar and Honey

One of the best cough medicines that was ever compounded, according to specialists, is good old pine tar and honey. It often stops a bad cough in 24 hours, and another advantage is that it can be given to young and old alike, as it contains no narcotics or opiates. Doctors say the pine tar quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct *cause* of the coughing, also healing soreness, while the honey both soothes irritation and gives a pleasant taste.

The kind that has been used in thousands of families for many years for coughs, chest colds, hoarseness, spasmodic croup, etc., is Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey, which was the original compound. It has had many imitators, but still remains the best, as it is scientifically compounded of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other healing ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in giving quick relief. If you want the best, get the original Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey and no other. Only 30c. at any good druggists.

INSIST ON DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR-HONEY FOR COUGHS

GUARDIAN'S SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Probate Court.

Under and by virtue of a decree rendered by Honorable L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate Court, on October 21, 1924, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the court house door in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Tuesday, November 11, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 22, Range 14, and running east on the forty line 220 yards; thence north 220 yards; thence west 220 yards; thence south along the forty line 220 yards to the point of beginning, containing ten acres more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Witness my hand this 21st day of October, 1924.

ALFRED BAKER,
As Guardian of Gulma Brunice Baker-Powell.
10-23-3t

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, C. A. Hand and wife, Vonia Hand, executed and delivered to R. F. Littleton a note dated October 15, 1921, due ano payable October 15, 1922, which note was secured by mortgage on the hereinafter described lands, and which mortgage is recorded in Vol. 185 at page 81 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

And whereas default was made in the payment of said mortgage, the undersigned, as mortgagee will proceed to sell the hereinafter described property at the front entrance of the court house of Chilton County, Alabama, at public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, during the legal hours of sale on Monday, November 24, 1924. The said property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Numbers five and six, Block No. 23, according to the official map or plat of the town of Thorsby, of said County and State, recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, on to-wit, the 24 day of April, 1896—the south half of the north-west fourth, north half of the south-west fourth, north-east fourth of southwest fourth of south-west fourth, Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, as embraced in above map or plat.

Out of the proceeds of said sale, the auctioneer or attorney making the sale will pay all expenses incident thereto, including a reasonable attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and the balance will be applied on the mortgage indebtedness.

This, October 22, 1924. 10-23-3t
R. F. LITTLETON, Mortgagee.

NOTICE

All business license will be delinquent after Oct. 31, 1924, and parties taking out a business license will be subject to extra fees.

All motor vehicle license will be delinquent after November 14, 1924. Parties taking out a motor vehicle license will be subject to extra fees.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
10-30-2t. Judge of Probate.

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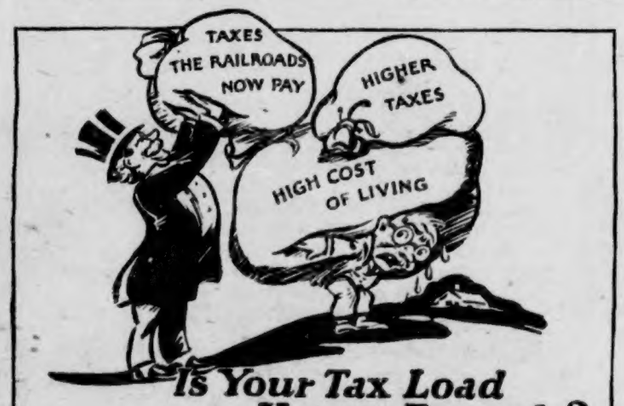

Is Your Tax Load Heavy Enough?

If Government Ownership of Railroads should ever be realized in this country, two additional tax burdens would inevitably be thrust upon the American people.

1. The Government would have to purchase the railroads at their present value of at least twenty billion dollars, because our constitutional guaranty provides against confiscation.
2. The taxes the railroads pay—a million dollars a day—would have to be assumed by the individual taxpayers, because government property is exempt from taxation.

Disregarding any assessment to pay off the stupendous debt of twenty billions, interest thereon at 4% would amount to $800,000,000 per year; this added to the $365,000,000 railway taxes would make a total of $1,165,000,000 that would be saddled on to the people for the questionable benefit of owning the railroads

The American people are now paying the overwhelming sum of seven billion, seven hundred million dollars in annual taxes. If the Government assumed control of the railroads, and the extra taxes required for their purchase and operation were levied, the annual tax bill of this country would run nearly ten billion dollars; an amount greater than any free people have ever been called upon to pay in the history of the world:

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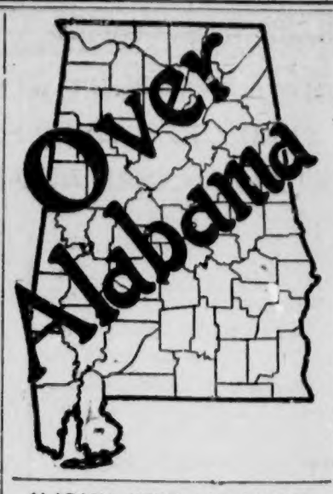

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

The State Department of Archives and History is co-operating with citizens of Leighton, Colbert County, in plans for tableaux to be presented on the occasion of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the town. The date of the celebration has been fixed for November 11. The first railroad west of the Alleghenians was built in Colbert County, according to information from the Department of Archives and History. Like a number of other early railroads, it was a horse-drawn affair. As part of the anniversary celebration citizens of Leighton plan to present an exhibit reproducing the first method of rail locomotion to be used in the county.

The Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron Company won an unexpected verdict in Judge Roger Snyder's court, in Birmingham. The company was defendant in a suit filed by W. S. Allen to recover alleged commissions. After hearing the evidence for several hours and after two hours' deliberation, the jury returned a verdict as follows: "We find for the defendant and assess the damages at $100." Under this verdict, Allen, the claimant, would have had to pay the Sloss-Sheffield Company $100, so the case was immediately declared a mistrial by Judge Snyder. Afterward, one of the jurors remarked that the jury had made a "slight mistake."

The Chalybeat District School will run seven months this term instead of five, as heretofore, because of co-operation of nine of the patrons. A common plot of ground was donated at the first of the year and proceeds of the cotton raised on this plot by the common labor of the men will go to lengthen the school term. An acre of cotton each has also been donated by the nine, who are R. L. Clark and J. L. Anderson, trustees; B. J. Mahela J. W. Cole, L. S. Thrasher, Ray Morris, Hubbard Morris, T. R. Smith and Henry Bobo.

Hearing of the petition of citizens of Greenville, Ala., seeking to require the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company to have its through, fast passenger trains take on and let off passengers at Greenville, has been postponed from October 28, to October 31, according to announcement by the Alabama Public Service Commission. The hearing will take place in Greenville.

A total of $898,325.13 has been spent for education in Bessemer in the past three years, according to a statement made by Dr. L. L. Vann.

The Tennessee Valley Laboratory is soon to start an experiment which is calculated to speed up the service of the bureau by some 12 to 14 hours, it is announced by Dr. A. J. Perolio, director. Mr. Perolio states that permission has been given by Dr. L. C. Havens, State Director, to put into operation at one or more points, substations of the Alabany-Decatur Laboratory.

Mrs. Carol Long, prominent club woman, has been appointed by Peter Brannon, of Montgomery, chairman to arrange for a celebration in Selma, in honor of the one hundredth anniversary of the coming of LaFayette to Alabama. Mrs. Long is already planning for the celebration, which will be held in Selma from the 1st to the 5th of April.

The Baldwin County Kiwanians are continuing the campaign for $30,000 for the Daphne State Normal School. Concerts are being given throughout the county by local artists and other entertainments are being held to raise money. The county must raise $30,000 for the school to get $30,000 appropriated by the State.

Major General Mitchell B. Houghton, of Montgomery, was re-elected State Commander and Tuscaloosa was chosen for the next reunion by the Alabama Division of the United Confederate Veterans in reunion at Mobile. Captain Paul Sanguinetti, of Montgomery, was renamed State Adjutant.

At a meeting of the poultry raisers of Walker County the following officers were elected: E. E. Black, Jasper, president; W. B. Christopher, Cordova, general supervisor, and V. H. Tubbs, treasurer.

The new jail at Centre, for Cherokee County, will soon be completed. This building is of brick and re-inforced concrete, and is said to be modern to the last detail.

It is reported that 135 members of the Illinois Manufacturers Association will visit Muscle Shoals November 19.

Mr. Paul C. Mims went down to Deatsville last Sunday.

A party of prominent health officials spent two days in Alabama last week inspecting the public health work of the State. The party comprised Professor Emil Brumpt, Professor of Parasitology of the University of Paris; Professor Thovald Madsden, president of a committee of the League of Nations and director of the State Serum Institute at Copenhagen, Denmark; Dr. George Vincent, president of the board of trustees of the Rockefeller Foundation, and Colonel F. F. Russell, of the International Health Board.

James Mallory, of Anniston, who graduated from Howard College last year, and two of his classmates, James Jarrell, of Lineville, and Erskine M. Braswell, of Demopolis, are en route to New York in a worn "Tin Lizzie." From the metropolis they expect to cross the Atlantic for a tour of England, France, Belgium and other countries.

Agnes Jewel Hardeman, nine, was suffocated to death, while playing in a pile of cotton on the front porch of her home at Gadsden. The child had burrowed deep in the cotton, which caved in. Her mother, returning from the cotton fields, found the girl buried head foremost in the cotton, her life smothered out.

A murder charge has been placed against Riley Cheatam, negro, following the drowning of four negroes in the Tennessee River. Cheatam and another negro, George King, had an altercation in a small boat in which they and six other negroes were riding. The boat overturned and four of the negroes drowned.

Permitting residents of Haleyville to amend their petition asking that the Northern Alabama Railway Company be required to provide them adequate freight and passenger depot facilities, the Public Service Commission set November 3 for taking further testimony in the case. The hearing will be held in Montgomery.

R. W. Barker, graduate of the Mississippi A. and M. College, has arrived in Gadsden to take charge of the new dairy being built by Hugh Agricola. The plant is to be one of the finest in the South. The equipment will cost in the neighborhood of forty-five thousand dollars. All machinery will be electrically driven.

An active campaign for beautification of highways through planting of trees, shrubs and flowers is being carried on by the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs. It is recalled that California's beautiful highways were made so largely through the efforts of the women of the State, and it is hoped to accomplish a similar result in Alabama.

John F. Williams, of Anniston, has been appointed tax assessor of Calhoun County by the Governor, to fill the vacancy caused by former Tax Assessor C. W. Whiteside's failure to make bond in the required time, after a bonding company had filed a petition in court asking to be released.

A score or more farmers and several well known farm experts were guests of the Morgan Kiwanis Club at its regular weekly meeting. Problems of the farm were discussed by several speakers and the co-operation of the club in the farm development was considered.

Thomas D. Garner, secretary of the University Alumni Society, has completed preparations for the entertainment of alumni that will assemble at the University on Home Coming Day, Nov. 8.

A second crop of grapes on vines at the farm of J. A. Forman, Morgan County legislator, has made its appearance. The continued warm weather during the Fall was assigned as the cause for the unusual growth.

The synodical committee as a whole has rejected Talladega's proposition for converting the school building on the Highlands into a hospital as was submitted to a sub-committee which visited Talladega.

Two lumber mills in Dallas County have shut down for lack of sufficient water to run the plants. The whole section from Carlowville to Camden has suffered for several weeks from drought.

Chaplain Oscar DeWolff Randolph, of the One Hundredth and Sixty-Seventh Infantry, Alabama National Guard, formerly captain (chaplain), has been promoted to major (chaplain), effective July 1, 1925.

Only one textile mill in the Huntsville District is standing idle now, all the others being on full time or more, according to a survey of the local situation.

Alabama City collected police court fines totaling $7,015.97 during the fiscal year ending October 1, according to the report of the special auditor.

Etowah County will open its $25,000 almshouse Thanksgiving Day to public inspection.

Plans have about been completed for the erection of a $650,000 hotel in Florence.

W. L. Summers, former clerk at the Florence post office, was convicted in the Federal Court on a charge of embezzlement, it being alleged that he misappropriated Government funds.

Sponsored by the business men of Scottsboro, a cotton platform has been erected on the west side of the Public Square. This platform is for the use of the cotton growers free of charge.

A loss of approximately $12,000 was entailed when a gin and warehouse belonging to R. N. Allen was destroyed at Greenhill, Lauderdale County.

Mr. Marvin Adams made a trip to Sylacauga Saturday, visiting relatives, and returned Sunday.

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It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.

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MRS. LISHIE WARD

Died at her home near Jemison, October 29th, Mrs. Lishie Ward. She lived to extreme old age, more than eighty years. She was a very devout Christian lady, always ready to converse on spiritual subjects. Her pastor, church and community will miss her.

Her husband, Mr. A. C. Ward, was one of Chilton County's former officials. Her only living daughter is the wife of Hon. W. E. Thomas, one of Chilton County's former members of the Legislature. She raised a most interesting and intelligent family of children, the greater portion of whom preceded her to the grave. Mrs. Ward was one of the original number who, about 1872, organized Pleasant Grove church, and was the last surviving member of that original group.

Her body was laid away in Pleasant Grove cemetery in the presence of a large number of friends. Funeral by Rev. Lawrence, to which was added a few remarks of eulogy by Z. J. Jones. The floral offerings were a rich profusion and beautiful.

Though gone, she yet lives, by the influence of her long devoted life, the golden fruit of which will be gathered in the sweet over there. We have for her a cheering hope of eternal life.

"Who, who are these beside the chilly wave,
Just on the border of the silent grave,
Shouting Jesus' power to save,
Washed in the blood of the Lamb?"

UNITY SUNDAY SCHOOLS DONATE TO MISSIONARY

As acting treasurer, I have received and transmitted the following amounts from the following Sunday Schools in the Unity Association to Rev. Toy Williams, Missionary in China:

Alpine $5.00; Big Springs $15.60; Booth $3.00; Clanton $490.78; Concord $10.00; Corinth $11.51; Ebenezer $10.50; Evergreen $20.50; Indian Grave $5.10; Floyd $1.00; Liberty $2.55; Maplesville $21.00; Marbury $20.00; Mt. Creek $10.00; Mt. Carmel $28.00; Providence $15.05; Samaria $20.40; Verbena $16.51. Total $722.50.

From the Chilton County Association: Highland $5.00; Mulberry $20; Oak Grove $11.25; Pates Chapel $5; Refuge $5.00; Sardis $5.25; Shiloh $11.00; Thorsby $15.00. Total $77.50. Grand total for all churches $800.00.

I wish to thank all the schools that have had a part in this noble work. If there are any errors in the report, please notify me.

Respectfully submitted,
S. J. EZELL,
Clanton, Ala.

Receipt from Sanders

Richmond, Va., Oct. 31, 1924.
Received of Rev. S. J. Ezell from Sunday Schools of the Unity and the Chilton County Asociations $800.00, for salary of Rev. J. Toy Williams, Canton, China.

GEO. N. SANDERS,
Treas. Frn. Mission Board.

THIS WEEK'S HONOR ROLL

During the past week The Union-Banner has written receipts to the following for subscriptions to the paper:

Mrs. M. A. Killgore, Clanton, R. 8.
Miss Essie Foshee, Maplesville.
Y. L. Giles, Birmingham.
Mrs. W. J. Robinson, Clanton, R. 1.
Mrs. W. C. Erwin, Jemison.
Thos. A. Curry, Clanton.
Mrs. H. F. Downs, Clanton.
Henry Popwell, Clanton, R. 6.
Claude Headley, Clanton, R. 6.
Jasper Edwards, Clanton, R. 6.
Oliver Edwards, Clanton, R. 6.
S. J. Dupriest, Clanton, R. 8.
Mrs. Ella Smith, Clanton, R. 2.
Dr. R. J. Eiland, Cooper.
F. M. Foshee, Clanton.
F. E. Gronquist, Irondale.
G. W. Deloach, Clanton, R. 2.
J. E. Easterling, Clanton, R. 5.
Martin Peterson, Thorsby.
J. Watts Moore, Clanton.
J. P. Rainwater, Sylacauga.
T. W. Wallace, Lawley.
W. L. McGee, Lawley.
L. A. Kelley, Lawley.
R. J. Downs, Clanton, R. 2.
Arthur Mims, Clanton, R. 7.
W. E. Martin, Clanton.
D. L. Gillmore, Clanton, R. 8.
Earl Marcus, Anniston.
W. M. Cox, Verbena, R. 2.
P. M. Jones, Verbena, R. 2.
Thos. Chandler, Jemison, R. 4.
M. J. Willis, Clanton, R. 5.
J. C. McDowell, Sapulpa, Okla.
J. H. Traywick, Clanton, R. 2.
Jno. P. Wilson, Clanton, R. 4.
W. B. Crowe, Clanton, R. 4.
W. A. Blalock, Clanton, R. 4.
S. L. Blalock, Clanton, R. 4.
B. G. Cooper, Maylene.
P. A. Aldridge, Jemison, R. 4.

CONCORD - BILLINGSLEY

Sunday was our regular evening for singing, but am sorry to say our crowd was small, yet this did not keep us from having a good singing. We only had three directors for the afteroon, Olin Williams, Furniss Shepard and Horace Williams. Organists were Hudson Williams and Jewell Williams. The quartet band sang two splendid selections.

Our Sunday School is still moving onward. Everybody come and help us keep up the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Edwards were visitors to Sunday School and singing Sunday. We invite them back again.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams motored to preaching at Pleasant Grove Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Jim Williams has moved his family to Adams, but hope he will like his new home.

Remember our singing evenings are the first Sundays, and Sunday School every Sunday afternoon.

MRS. EFFIE DAVENPORT

Died at her home in the eastern part of the county on October 31st, Mrs. Effie Gibson Davenport. She was raised in the Mulberry community, and was a descendent of one of the pioneer families of Chilton County. She was a good lady.

The remains were laid to rest in Macedonia cemetery, Beat 14. The floral offerings were beautiful. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Honeycutt.

Sad thought, she is gone, but she will live again,
"For those who weep and those who sleep,
Above the portals narrow,
The mansions rise beyond the skies,
We are going home tomorrow."

MRS. THOMAS GIVES THANKS

Sylacauga, Ala., Nov. 1, 1924.
Editor Union-Banner:

I wish to express through your valuable paper my sincere thanks to the good people of Pleasant Grove and Jemison for their great kindness and sympathy in the sickness, death and burial of my mother, Mrs. Lishie Ward. Your kindness will never be forgotten by your appreciative friend,

MRS. W. E. THOMAS.

Community effort will lead to accomplishment of almost any objective if the objective is within reason and the community effort real and purposeful.

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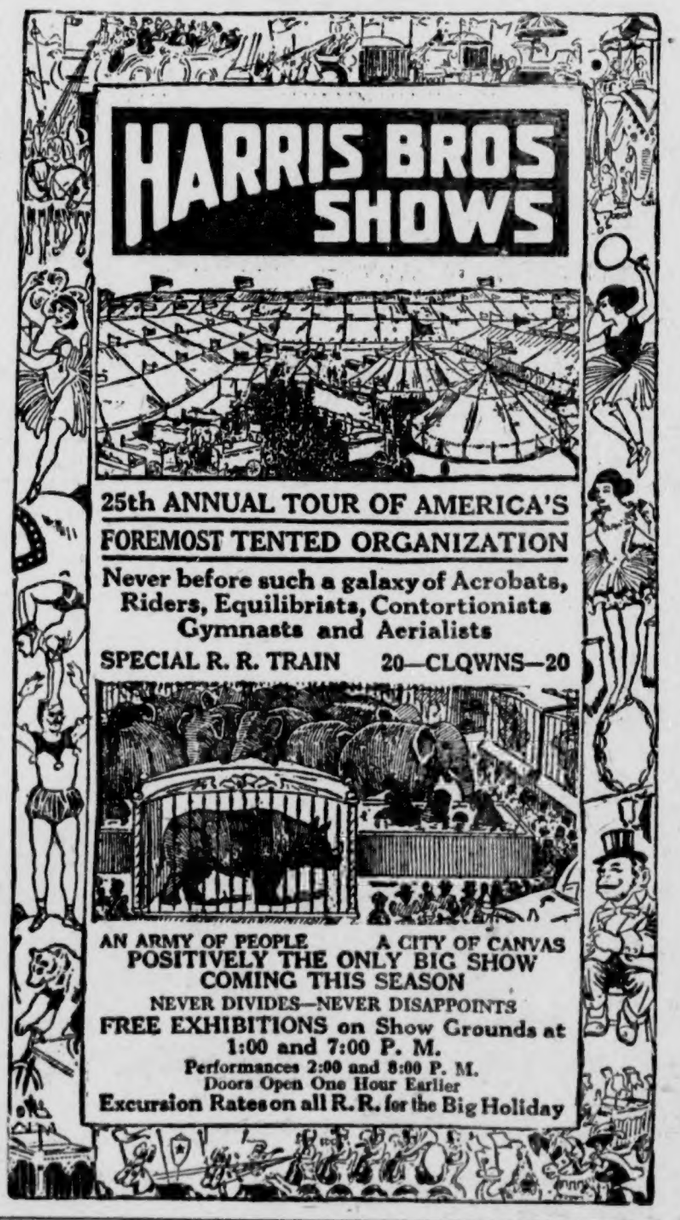

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SECOND WEEK OF CIRCUIT COURT IS VERY BUSY ONE

Grand Jury Still In Session, Examining Hundreds of Witnesses This Week.

There have probably been more people from all over the county in attendance at Circuit Court here for the past week, than has been in several years. Most of the witnesses are here before the Grand Jury, which did not finish its business last week but was continued over into this week. The Circuit Court machinery is also in smooth working order, and many criminal cases have been disposed of this week.

Following are those serving on the Petit Jury and trying the criminal cases this week:

(No.)	(Name)	(Beat)
1.	Ethan A. Norris,	5
2.	Enoch C. Hayes,	9
3.	P. Doss Williams,	7
4.	J. Archie Cleckler,	9
5.	Gilvy O. Foshee,	4
6.	Tandy McSwain,	10
7.	Jackson L. Palmer,	3
8.	Dolphus Jones,	3
9.	J. LaFayette Vines,	9
10.	Ross J. Mahan,	1
11.	J. Crawford Champion,	5
12.	J. Monroe Hill,	6
13.	J. Wiley Cooper,	4
14.	R. Lee Ousley,	8
15.	W. Hunter Rosco,	14
16.	Grover Jones,	1
17.	John M. Cofer,	2
18.	Will W. Williams,	15
19.	J. J. (Huff) Burkhalter,	10
20.	Posey G. Marcus,	4
21.	Brinton Champion,	5
22.	Joe A. Maddox,	4
23.	Lewis H. Wright,	10
24.	Will D. Nix,	14
25.	A. Virge Culver,	4
26.	L. Henry Gentry,	5
27.	James I. Bice,	6
28.	R. Harrison Taylor,	4
29.	Charles A. Rutherford,	2
30.	Alvin Billingsley,	6
31.	George W. Littleton,	14
32.	W. Vernon Dyer,	8
33.	Luther Teel,	4
34.	Will W. Hand,	4
35.	Leon B. Popwell,	9
36.	James W. Patton,	2
37.	Steven S. Blalock,	4
38.	John R. Merchant,	2
39.	Joseph E. Moore,	6
40.	Thomas J. Gulledge,	5

Following are the cases disposed of up until Wednesday morning of this week:

Jim Aldridge, manufacturing liquor and having still in possession, nol prossd.

Lem Rosberry, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, nol prossed.

Steve Lutton, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, nol prossed.

J. M. Dubose, violating prohibition law, continued by State.

Shade Y. Dorminey, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Mack Culp, decoying away child, continued.

Mell Kimball, carrying concealed weapon, withdrawn.

Martin Harris, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Jasper Glenn, violating prohibition law, continued.

T. S. Peavey, manufacturing liquor, nol prossed.

Steve Dutton, manufacturing liquor, nol prossed.

John Boswell, assault and battery, jury and verdict not guilty.

Robert Jones, violating prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $50.00.

Jim Hester, assault and battery, guilty, fined $5.00.

Jim Hester, violating prohibition law, continued.

Jasper Glenn, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Steve Dutton, manufacturing liquor and posessing still, jury and verdict guilty as charged.

Sim Graham, violating prohibition law, guilty, fined $50.00.

Geo. W. Hodgens, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, continued.

Robert Harris, murder 2nd degree, found guilty of manslaughter, given one year and one day in penitentiary.

Alphus Grant, violating prohibition law, forfeiture and alias warrant.

Mack Boswell, assault and battry, fined $10.00.

Robert Harris et als., defaulting bond, forfeiture made final for $50 and cost.

Otto Burnett, carnal knowledge, continued.

L. B. Patterson, assault and battery, guilty, fined $10.00; appealed, bond fixed at $300.00.

Millard Ratliff, manufacturing liqur and possessing still, nol prossed.

Mack Henley, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, nol prossed.

Martin L. Harris, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, nol prossed.

Robert Harris, murder 2nd degree, nol prossed.

Harley Smith, manufacturing liquor and possessing still, nol prossed.

Ed Goodgame, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Cobb Burnett, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Cobb Burnett, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Leon Sundbery, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Rassie Burnett, v lating prohibition law, not guilty.

R. L. Burnett, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

W. J. Gore, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Jack Bice, assault and battery, plead guilty, fined $15.00.

All the cases of violating the road law were continued.

G. O. P. CLAIMS ELECTORAL VOTE FROM ALABAMA

A. A. Bingham, Republican, Elected By Mistake, Say Democrats.

Some Republican leaders claimed Tuesday that, for the first time since the Civil War, one of Alabama's votes in the country-wide electoral college will be cast for a G. O. P. candidate.

According to these letters, A. A. Bingham, a Talladega Republican, is 20,000 votes ahead of A. A. Shelley, democat, for presidential elector. Shelley's name was substituted at the last minute for G. C. Bates, who died after the ballots were printed, and this confused many voters.

The combined votes for Bates and Shelley gives the democrats a tremendous lead over the Republican candidate, but republicans are insisting that their votes cannot be consolidated, and that Bingham is entitled to the post.

Mr. A. R. Cooper, a former man of Clanton, was on our streets Tuesday. Mr. Cooper is now at Columbiana.

OFFICIAL RETURNS OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION IN CHILTON

	Middleton	Jeffers	G. Collins	Kemp	Burnett	Ousley	Vinson	Parrish	Smith	Pattillo	Baker	Oden	Coolidge	Davis	La Follette
Beat 1.	11	16	10	22	9	20	6	24	9	21	9	20	15	14	
Beat 2, Box 1.	104	50	104	37	104	37	102	39	104	37	101	39	104	47	10
Beat 2, Box 2.	30	5	30	3	30	3	30	3	30	3	30	3	30	5	3
Beat 3.	31	36	31	40	30	40	31	40	30	38	28	43	30	35	2
Beat 4, Box 1.	147	103	145	96	146	92	145	95	145	94	146	92	148	102	2
Beat 4, Box 2.	138	114	126	141	131	132	129	134	127	134	129	134	142	100	
Beat 4, Box 3.	46	44	43	70	45	67	43	68	44	68	41	68	59	37	1
Beat 4, Box 4.	127	57	125	57	125	58	106	62	119	62	108	56	131	55	
Beat 5, Box 1.	46	106	47	88	44	89	44	89	42	89	41	90	46	101	4
Beat 5, Box 2.	20	38	19	37	20	36	20	36	20	36	20	36	20	38	
Beat 6, Box 1.	21	20	16	25	15	26	15	27	15	26	17	24	18	20	
Beat 6, Box 2.	54	12	48	18	53	13	48	18	51	15	52	14	54	12	
Beat 7, Box 1.	5	51	6	37	5	36	5	34	5	34	5	38	8	47	1
Beat 7, Box 2.	12	4	12	6	9	9	12	6	11	6	12	7	10	1	4
Beat 8.	18	39	18	39	18	40	18	40	18	39	18	39	18	38	5
Beat 9, Box 1.	167	28	166	22	169	22	165	22	169	19	167	19	167	22	12
Beat 9, Box 2.	102	27	106	30	106	25	105	25	105	25	105	28	103	24	10
Beat 10.	144	33	143	37	143	36	144	36	141	37	142	36	147	33	
Beat 11.	61		61		61		61		61		61		61		
Beat 12, Box 1.	58	6	57	9	56	10	57	9	55	9	54	11	58	8	
Beat 12, Box 2.	35	6	36		35		35	1	35		35	1	35	6	2
Beat 13.	20	27	20	27	19	27	20	27	20	26	18	27	19	26	4
Beat 14.	32	19	32	20	32	18	32	18	32	16	32	20	30	17	4
Beat 15, Box 1.	71	35	68	30	62	40	68	20	70	26	68	32	71	35	
Beat 15, Box 2.	13	15	11	24	12	23	12	24	11	23	11	23	16	15	
Beat 16.	55	9	54	10	55	9	50	13	54	10	56	9	55	9	
Totals,	1568	900	1534	925	1534	908	1503	910	1523	893	1506	909	1595	847	64

LOOK WHAT'S COMING NOW

MACEDONIA, BEAT 11.

Editor Union-Banner:

Please alow me a space in your paper to say a few words from Macedonia.

We met and organized a Sunday School here Sunday, and the school will meet every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and take part in the service.

When the Baptists reorganized at this church and took it back under their charge, they made it the duty of the deacon to get a preacher. So, Rev. M. J. Parrish wil preach here on the first Saturday in December, and Rev. M. Lockhart will preah on the following Sunday. We are going to start regular meeting here on the above date. Everybody is invited to come out. It will be announced every Sunday, so nobody can have an excuse that they did not know about service. You are invited to come to preaching and Sunday school.

V. G. SMITH.

Our good old friend, Mr. S. R. Barnes of Planterville, was in to see us a while last Monday. We were sorry to learn that Mr. Barnes a few weeks ago got rather badly hurt while working in a cotton gin. A piece of steel flew off at a very high speed and hit him across the face, breaking his nose and right cheek bone. He is about to recover from the injuries now.

DIED FRIDAY NIGHT

The wife of Mr. E. F. Grant of Mt. Creek was called by death last Friday night, after a long and lingering illness of about a year. E. F. Grant is the telegraph operator at Mt. Creek and is the son of Mr. J. M. Grant of near Clanton.

SIX EARS IN ONE SHUCK

Mr. Jim Mitchell of Route 2 left in the Union-Banner's museum of natural freaks a funny specimen of corn. There are six ears all inside one shuck. This sample, however, is somewhat similar to the one which Mr. John Gore gave us last year.

MARCUS HOME BURNED

On Tuesday morning, the home of Mr. George Marcus on the corner of First Street and Second Avenue So., was destroyed by fire. The fire department got there in time to save the adjacent buidings from catching. A part of the contents of the building were saved.

UNION GROVE

Our Sunday School and prayer meeting are still progressing nicely. Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching days, and two very interesting sermons were delivered by our pastor, Rev. W. P. Lowery.

The United Singing Society met in regular session at this place with a large crowd Sunday and did some good singing. The new books were used altogether. Those directing were E. L. Glasscock, Enoch Foshee, O. B. Robinson and Prof. A. H. Glasscock. The closing song was sung by Mr. L. R. Cobb. A quartet was rendered by Messrs. Akins Collins, E. L. Glasscock, A. H. Glasscock and Enoch Foshee. Organists were Misses Flossie Cobb and Myrtle Dorminey. We were very glad to have the Oak Grove class with us and all other visitors. We welcome you back again.

Miss Myrtle Dorminey of Birmingham spent the week end with home folks, and we were glad to have her back with us.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Martin of Siluria spent Sunday with relatives of this community.

Misses Pearl Chandler, Eula Barnett and Carrie Mae Retherford spent Sunday with Misses Iris, Edna and Amy Robinson.

Messrs. Arthur and Bernie Chandler spent the week end with home folks.

Misses Rilla Dupriest and Lurline Martin dined with Misses Euna and Annice Davis Sunday.

Mrs. Greene Dorminey left Saturday morning for Wellsville, Ohio, where her husband holds a position, and will make it their future home.

Miss Amy Robinson spent a while with Miss Rebecca Dorminey Sunday evening.

The singing society will meet with Shady Grove, called "Black Jack." Everybody come. Shady Grove is a few miles out from Randolph, Ala.

PLEASANT GROVE

The singing society met in regular session Sunday afternoon with a full class and a large audience, which was very much appreciated. We were glad to have several visitors from Sardis and Shiloh communities.

The following directed: Albert Headley, Houston Traywick, Ruth H. Cox, Lucile Culp, Maggie Traywick, Jeanette Mims, Mrs. Eula and Collie Culp. Prof. F. I. Popwell presided at the organ.

NOW LET'S DRAIN OUR SWAMPS

Now that the amendment to the State Constitution giving districts the authority to tax adjacent property and carry on drainage programs, let Clanton folks get together and get our drainage program going in Clanton again. Of course, the proposition has not died, but we have merely been waiting to see what was done with the State law. Now that this matter has been settled, why not let's get busy and get something done before everybody forgets what we have already done. When shall we call the meeting of the interested land owners?

MRS. POPWELL DEAD

Mrs. Berter Papwell, age about 23, wife of Mr. Alphia Popwell, who lives on the Lock 12 road three and a half miles north of town, died Monday night, about 6:30 o'clock, after an illness of two weeks. The deceased leaves three children. She was the daughter of Mrs. S. E. Headley of Verbena.

The remains were buried in the Clanton Cemetery Wednesday morning.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. A. C. Pate, who has been in hospital a few days with pneumonia, is improving.

Mrs. Mattie Collins was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

Tobe Missildine, who was operated on Thursday, is getting along well.

Dalton Bice, who sustained a broken leg, went home Wednesday.

Mrs. Mitchell Powell, who suffered an automobile accident Sunday is improving.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Easterling was operated on Tuesday.

Bill Mahan went home Sunday.

Miss Lillie Mae Jones is improving, following a very serious operation.

Mr. Enfinger of Haynes, who is in the hospital, is better.

HENRY CABOT LODGE DIED LAST SUNDAY IN MASSACHUSETTS

Prominent National Leader for Thirty Years Succumbs to Protracted Illness After Operation.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 9.—Senator Henry Cabot Lodge died at the Charles Gate hospital at 11:14 tonight. He suffered a stroke Wednesday of last week.

Stricken at noon last Wednesday, the senior senator from Massechusetts lingered for four and a half days, when the end came. During the latter part of the time he lay in a state of coma, but after nearly 16 hours of unconsciousness he aroused for a time to take a little nourishment and recognized persons in the room.

The hope that revived for a time faded, however, as he lapsed again into unconsciousness and gradually became weaker. Never from the outset did his physicians offer encouragement in their bulletins. They did, however, comment upon the vitality that despite his 74 years enabled him to live on for days when death was expected momentarily. The illness that led to death was similar to that of President Wilson, the original complaint being similar and the stroke that brought on the end much the same.

The senator had attended the Republican convention at Cleveland, at which his former leadership of the state forces was divided between Speaker Gillette and Governor Cox, but within a month suffered a condition that required an emergency operation July 27th. Recovery was surprisingly good and three months later a second operation was performed. Again the senator's stamina stood him in good stead and he was out of bed October 23rd, three days after the operation.

With the reopening of congress only three weeks ahead, Senator Lodge was planning to leave the hospital in a few days and get ready to take his seat when the stroke came. It left him unconscious and in a condition so critical that death was considered likely at any time.

Senator Lodge had four years still to serve in the senate, where he had represented his state continuously for 31 years. His place will be filled by appointment, Governor Cox having authority to name a successor until the next general election that will not take place until 1926.

WOMAN HURT IN AUTO WRECK

On last Sunday morning Mr. Mitchell Powell while driving his car with his wife, ran into a buggy near Verbena, turning the car over and severely injuring Mrs. Powell. It is reported that in the accident Mrs. Powell sustained a broken arm and shoulder. Mr. Powell was not hurt but the windshield and top of the car were broken off.

Mr. Guy Deshazo from Fort Payne was in Clanton last Sunday. Guy left Clanton Sunday afternoon for Chattanooga, Tenn., where he was to be joined by W. M. Wyatt, the two going from there to Washington, D. C. Mack and Guy have accepted positions in the government printing office at Washington.

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS, UNITY-CHILTON ASSOCIATIONS—NOTICE

At the recent meetings of our respective Associations, they passed a resolution, asking the Sunday Schools to continue the support of Rev. Toy Williams as our Sunday School missionary in Canton, China. The Associations also asked the moderators of the two Associations to apportion the salary to the schools, and to appoint a treasurer of the fund. We have made the following apportionment, and appointed Mr. Grady Harris, Clanton, as Treasurer.

Pastors and Superintendents will please take notice, and bring the matter to the attention of their schools. Clip this notice.

Schools of Unity Association.

Alpine	$ 10.00
Autauga	5.00
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Bethel	5.00
Bethesda	15.00
Big Springs	25.00
Billingsley	25.00
Booth	5.00
Chapman Springs	5.00
Concord	15.00
Corinth	20.00
Ebenezer	25.00
Clanton	200.00
Evergreen	25.00
Floyd	g.00
Indian Grave	15.00
Joffre	5.00
Jones	15.00
Liberty	10.00
Maplesville	30.00
Marbury	40.00
Milton	5.00
Mt. Creek	20.00
Mt. Carmel	20.00
Mt. Zion	10.00
New Prospect	5.00
Providence	20.00
Salem	5.00
Samaria	30.00
Verbena	50.00
White Pond	10.00

J. Z. MIMS, Moderator.

Schools of Chilton Association.

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Cane Creek	5.00
Center Hill	5.00
Chestnut Creek	15.00
Collins Chapel	20.00
East View	5.00
Free Springs	5.00
Friendship	10.00
Highland	5.00
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Macedonia	10.00
Maple Springs	10.00
Mars Hill	5.00
Mulberry	25.00
New Cedron	10.00
New Harmony	5.00
New Hope	10.00
New Salem	20.00
Oak Grove	15.00
Pates Chapel	10.00
Pilgrim's Rest	10.00
Pleasant Grove No. 1.	5.00
Pleasant Grove No. 2.	10.00
Pleasant Hill	5.00
Poplar Springs	10.00
Providence	20.00
Refuge	10.00
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Shiloh	15.00
Thorsby	25.00
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Stop the pain and give nature a chance to work a cure.

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One or two will bring relief.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents. Economy package, 125 doses $1.00.

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It is calm and nice down here in the Winter time, and the most beautiful night you ever saw. We have fine schools here. There are over two thousand that gies. We have a beautiful brick building. The people have fine homes and also beautiful ones.

My father owns seven places. I once lived in Alabama, I lived at Calera five years, I have just been back from there only three or four months. The people were all nice to me and I want to thank them very much. I am a girl of thirteen years of age, and I am sure you all know me, if you dont I am sure you know my father and mother;Mr. and Mrs. H. Honeycutt.

I would be glad if all could visit this beautiful land.

I will close with best wishes to my old home state.

Yours Truly,
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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

For eighteen years the Alabama River has not reached so low a stage at Selma as it did recently, says Charles Brislin, weather observer. One foot and one inch below zero is the record made lately, says Mr. Brislin. The lower river stage caught the United States river boat "Alabama" in Selma where she was taking on coal and cement destined for Mobile. Because of the low water mark much cotton which otherwise would be shipped by river has been sent to Mobile by rail. The water got so low that children waded across it. It has been many years if ever that this happened before.

A verdict was awarded to C. O. Bowers in Tuscaloosa Circuit Court against Officers Foster, Clements, Murray, R. Pate and L. C. Sims and the Union Indemnity company. The officers fired into an auto in which Bowers was riding, it was charged. The shooting occurred last September at Forrest Lake when the officers mistook the back firing of the engine for revolver shots and fired at the auto to stop what they thought to be a car transporting liquor.

The hog growers of the Brundidge territory met at Brundidge and reorganized their association for the coming year. The following officers were elected: J. E. Johnson, E. A. Jones and C. M. Bryan, executive committee; J. E. Johnson, manager; M. C. Bryan, weigher; Grady Caldwell, grader; R. L. King, county agent, was present and assisted in the meeting.

The Town of Valley Head was held by the Supreme Court in a decision to have been properly incorporated in the case of Nevil Cooper vs. the town of Valley Head. Existence of the town of Valley Head as a municipal corporation was brought in issue in the case, the court holding that it does exist as a municipality.

F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician for Alabama, was one of three members of the crop reporting board of the United States Department of Agriculture to give final approval to the cotton production report which was released in Washington, November 7. The report was the estimate for November 1.

The Alabama Public Service Commission has under advisement a petition of the Alabama Power Company for authority to extend the availability of its service classification "D," a joint electric cooking and lighting rate, so as to make it available to hotels, restaurants, barber shops and other establishments.

The long drouth is causing many cattle raisers to sacrifice their cattle at unheard of prices because pastures have burned up and creeks have gone dry. Many cattle growers have found themselves unable to care for their cattle and are sacrificing them rather than have them die of thirst or starvation.

The rate on fresh fruits from Mobile and New Orleans to Meridian, Jackson and other points in Mississippi, which was raised recently by the railroad by the cancellation of the less than carload rate has been restored to the original figure.

Higher prices than were paid last year for Thanksgiving turkeys is the forecast for this year by J. D. Pope, specialist in agricultural economics for the extension service at Auburn, after receiving information as to the turkey situation.

A posse led by Sheriff S. D. Kilgore came upon some wildcatters in the Pumpkin Center neighborhood of Walker County that were employing a novel method in distilling wildcat liquor. The men had 600 pounds of ice, which had been ordered from Jasper to be used in keeping the still worm cool.

The State Insurance Department is showing a big growth in receipts over last year, according to figures furnished by Superintendent Frank N. Julian. Receipts for 1924 to date have amounted to $717,831.21, while receipts for all of last year amounted to $617,700.36.

The three warehouses in Union Springs have received 7,151 bales of cotton thus far this season. The total ginnings of Bullock County last year up to November 1 were 6,788 bales. The indicated crop of this county for 1924 is approximately 10,000 bales.

The long drought has affected the operation of saw mills in Pickens County to such an extent that it has been found necessary to haul water for the boilers. Some mills have been forced to close down until arrangements could be made for a supply.

Ben Crumpton, Federal prohibition enforcement officer, was found not guilt of the charge of murder in connection with the shooting of Jess Coffee in Cleburne County last year by a jury in Federal District Court at Anniston.

The acreage of soy beans grown in Alabama increased 40 per cent, according to a bulletin issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Great flocks of wild geese have been flying over Alabama during the past few days. All of them are flying high and none have stopped according to hunters. The flocks are said to be unusually large.

Henry B. Chase, head of the Chase Nursery company, and former mayor of Huntsville, and Mrs. Chase have gone on a trip around the world.

A brick addition is being made to the Presbyterian Church of Sheffield to provide for a Sunday School room library room and study.

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We will be glad to explain the matter more fully.

Some of our patrons have already taken advantage of this offer and others are invited to do so.

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OAK GROVE

As this place has been vacant in the paper so long, we are writing to say that we are still here and donig fine.

Health here is very good at present; there has been a few cases of sickness, but we are glad to report that all are doing fine.

Last Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching dates. Two interesting sermons were delivered by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Deason. We received two members by letter, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Matthews.

Our Sunday School is doing fine. We have a large attendance every Sunday, and a fine school. Every class seems more interested than ever before. Come more of you all; let's make our Sunday School better.

The B. Y. P. U. is doing a good work with their good leaders, Mr. W. J. Northcutt, Junior Leader and Mrs. C. L. Martin, Senior Leader. Both groups had a fine program Sunday night and a nice crowd of visitors, which we are always glad to see.

Miss Myrtle Martin entertained her Sunday School class Friday Night. They played several games and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Martin, of Ensley have been spending a few days with friends and relatives here.

Miss Golda Williams of Jemison spent Sunday with Ivy Sutley.

Mr. Paul Wilson of Wylam spent a few days last week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Rucker, Messrs. Sam, Ernest and Miss Velma Seals of Maplesville, spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass.

Mr. Earl Johnson of Dogwood spent Saturday night and Sunday here.

Miss Mildred Durbin spent last week-end here with Ollie Glass.

Misses Flossie and Jewell Cobb dined with Lola Mae Martin Sunday.

Mrs. L. R. Durbin and son Charles spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass.

Miss Leota Cobb dined with Myrtle Martin Sunday.

Several people from this place attended the singing at Union Grove Sunday P. M.

Next Sunday P. M. is our regular singing afternoon; everybody come and bring someone with you.

Mrs. W. M. Wyatt and children of Fort Payne came down Saturday, and will spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Retherford.

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CEDAR GROVE

Our annual conference has closed. Rev. G. B. Golden was returned for the third year; for this we are glad. May this year go down as the best in our history.

A MEMBER.

TO MY FRIENDS

I wish to say that I own and operate The Best Cafe, next door to Main St. Garage. Your trade will be very much appreciated.
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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Study Club.

Mrs. McSwain entertained the Study club on last Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The general business meeting was attended to and afterwards a very interesting program was rendered on the short story by Mrs. R. C. McDavid, who read a paper on the "Necklace," and Mrs. John VanDerveer, who gave an interesting paper on "The Man With Blue Eyes."

Late in the afternoon cake and Charlotte Russe was served the members, who were Mrs. J. P. Hayes, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Wilbur Hayes, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. John VanDerveer, Mrs. McSwain, Mrs. Willis Lyman, Mrs. Eric Hart, Mrs. J. C. Page, Mrs. P. D. Wilson, Mrs. G. C. Harris. The guests were Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. Watts Moore and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Wednesday Card Club.

Mrs. John Browder entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few friends on last Wednesday afternoon. Chrysanthemums and pot plants were attractively arranged through the apartments.

After a series of rubbers, the top score was held by Mrs. Hance Alred who was given two linen handkerchiefs. Afterwards a salad plate was served to Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Lawrence Gerald, Mrs. Willis Lyman, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Oscar Jones. The guests were Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. Thad McSwain.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Leonard Williams entertained in honor of her little daughter, Elizabeth Williams on last Tuehday afternoon, celebrating her sixth birthday. The home was made beautifully with Chrysanthemums and pot plants. Many out-door games were played. Late in the afternoon ice cream and cake were served to a number of little folks. Little Elizabeth received many useful and pretty presents.

Mr. Frank Mullins went to Wetumpka Tuesday.

Dr. P. T. Hinkle went to Cherokee Bluff the first of this week.

Mrs. Mary Gullahorn is visiting her sister, Miss Mattie Wright.

Mrs. L. H. Reynolds went to Birmingham shopping last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore went to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. W. S. Prince and liftle son went to Jemison Tuesday.

Dr. E. E. Upchurch went to Birmingham Wednesday on business.

Mr. Wallace Jones from Birmingham pent Sunday and Monday here.

Mrs. Bamma Cox is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Taplor.

Mrs. Lula Callaway will move innto Mr. Ed Plier's house on Second Ave., South.

Mrs. E. E. Upchurch went to Anniston this week to attend the Baptist convention.

Mr. Lige Weldon, who has been living in the Gowan Addition moved back to the country recently.

Dr. Ezell and Mr. D. A. Wingard are in Anniston this week attending the Baptist Convention.

Dr. Wilkerson and wife are in Ozark this week attending the Conference.

Dr. Wilkerson and wife attended the State Fair in Montgomery last Friday.

Dr. Arthur Johnson and family motored to Montgomery Thursday to take in the State Fair.

Mr. F. R. Price of Montgomery spent a couple of days in Clanton this week.

Mrs. Sallie Kicker and Arthur Johnson, Jr., are spending this week in Montgomery.

Mr. Felston Mullins, who is in school at Auburn, spent the week-end with relative and friends at Jumbo.

Mr. Victor Heard and Mr. Matthews motored to Montgomery Saturday last.

The Parent Teachers Association will meet at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Mary Heard, who was operated on for appendicitis about a week ago is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. L. Smith and Mrs. Ruben Lowe motored to Montgomery Tuesday to attend the Fair.

Mrs. Frank Callen will entertain the Card club on next Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Laren Smith, Ralph Jones and Lester Jones went to Montgomery Tuesday.

Jesse Sam Gowan and Joe Earl Gowan went to the Fair in Montgomery last Friday.

Mrs. Annie Chestnutt and Mrs. Ama Lou Tanner from Birmingham spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Ed Plier, Mrs. M. A. Gore and Mrs. Lula Calloway went to Montgomery Wednehday to take in the Fair.

The Methodist ladies of Circle No. 1, served turkey dinner at the home of Mrs. W. A. Reynolds last Tuesday. About forty plates were sold.

Mr. Charles Moore, who is in school at the University of Alabama, will be home Friday afternoon to spend the week-end.

Burton Mullins, who is in school at Marion Military Institute this year, spent the week-end with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Mullins.

Mr. Clyde Foshee, who is in school at the University of Alabama, was in Clanton Saturday. He said there were twenty-one hundred boys attending school at the University this year.

Miss Gertiwyl McDonald of Wetumpka is the guest of Miss Kathleen Mullins this week.

Mrs. Mack Wyatt and children of Fort Payne, are visiting relatives and friends in Clanton this week.

Miss Evelin Tanner and brother, Lewis, and Mr. Barden from Birmingham spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. Gragg and Mrs. Grover Harris attended the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star at Montgomery this week.

Mr. John Armstrong, Jim Rasberry, M. L. White, M. A. Gore and Dr. P. T. Hinkle went to Montgomery Tuesday to attend the Shriner's convention.

Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, Mrs. W. W. Fox and Mrs. H. F. Chandler went to Montgomery Wednesday to the Fair.

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"In May or June 1923, I sent to you and got four bottles which were worth many dollars to me. They enabled me to go to work again. I had lost 40 pounds, but these four bottles of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble gained back all I had lost, and I feel like a new man since. I shall keep it in the house all the time." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflamation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold by Alred Drug Co. and all druggists everywhere.

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REV. J. TOY WILLIAMS WRITES THE BANNER FROM CHINA

Rev. Rex Ray Wuchow Writes of His Experiences Among Bandits in Kwangsi Mountains.

The Union-Banner is in receipt of a very interesting communication from Rev. Toy Williams, who is now serving as a Baptist Missionary in China from the Southern Baptist Convention. Mr. Williams is a native Chilton County boy, and his many friends here will be glad to hear from him. Mr. Williams sends us Rev. Rex Ray's account of his experiences, a part of which we are publishing this week and which will be continued in next week's paper. Mr. William's letter follows:

Canton, China, Oct. 12, 1924.
The Union-Banner,
Clanton, Ala., U. S. A.

It has been just about one year since I wrote to you, and the people at home about things in China. It is my desire to write more often, but we get so busy out here that we find it hard to write more than just a few letters to the family at home.

Since writing last, I have had the management of the China Baptist Publication Society. We work about 75 men. The management of this business keeps one busy every hour of the day. Some time later I am going to write an article about the work of the Publication Society. I should like to see the people of my own home county the best informed in the State about the work that is being done in China. There are lots of Baptist people in the county who will be interested in knowing all about our work in China.

Perhaps some of your readers remember that one of our Baptist Missionaries was caught by the robbers last summer and taken to the mountains and held for ransom. I am sending you herewith a copy of Brother Rex Ray's write-up of his experiences while with the robbers. I think many people of Chilton County will enjoy reading it. It may be too long for one week, but you can continue it the next week.

The Union-Banner continues to come to me, and is always the first of a bunch of papers from America to be read. Out here so far from home, we are glad to get any papers from America, but when a lot of them reaches our home, the first one I read is the Union-Banner.

There are many things I might write about, but will stop for this time. During the coming months I hope to write more than I have been doing for the past year.

Best wishes to the Union-Banner and all of my friends back in old Chilton County.

J. TOY WILLIAMS.

"My Experiences Among Bandits in Kwangsi Mountains," by Rev. Rex Ray, Wuchow.

Knowing that the City of Kweilin had been under siege for many weeks, and hearing that Brother Bausum of the Baptist Mission and Brother Cunningham of the Missionary Alliance Mission had ben killed, we felt it our duty to try to get the other missionaries out of the city. It had been several weeks since any word had been received from our co-workers, and none of us knew of their condition. The last word received from them said the fighting was very heavy. (We know now that only Bro. Cunningham was killed.) The rumors of the Chinese said there was much suffering in the city. We, therefore, fitted out the Baptist launch "Roanoke" of the Stout Memorial Hospital, and started on the trip to Kweilin to aid our brethren who were more than 20 in number.

To be continued next week).

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TRADE WITH YOUR FRIEND

The only thing that went wrong in the election last Tuesday was the gubernatorial race in the State of New-York. Al Smith beat young Teddy Roosevelt, which we think he should not have been permitted to do. Al's victory meant a victory for the Catholic and whiskey heads of New York City.

When the County Commissioners, Messrs. Dorminy, Mims, Walker and Littlejohn, got to Clanton for Commissioners Court Monday they heard about the fair in Montgomery, so they adjourned court and went to the fair. Or at least, that is what someone told on them.

A handful of peanut politicians in Clanton can carry off a municipal election in Clanton just like taking candy from a baby, but when they tackle old Chilton County, they find the thing different. Yes, indeed, that is a nut they haven't learned how to crack yet. The people out in the country—Beat 11 for example—are on to these Non-partisan, progressive-independent, hyphenated, Democratic maneuvers.

And again the people of Chilton County have declared themselves as being satisfied with the rule of the Republican party. It is a great mystery to the Democratic counties of Alabama and even to some Democrats in our own county why it is that Chilton County chooses to hold on to Republican government while practically all the rest of the State continues solidly Democratic. It is equally as perplexing to the people of Chilton County why the rest of the State continues to give its vote to a party which has been dead fifty years so far as efficient service to its constituents is concerned. The secret of the matter is simple. The people of Chilton County vote for service and for what they know from experience to be to their interest. The Republican party of Chilton County has given the people actual service for the taxes which they have to pay, and the Republican officials have fulfilled their campaign pledges. So long as this is done, our people cannot see for their lives what is the use of voting Democratic just for the sake of the name. The sooner Alabama goes to voting for efficient service instead of a dead tradition, the better it will be for our State government.

MIDDLETON AT THE WHEEL

Chilton County went Republican in last Tuesday's election with the safe and gratifying majority of about 600 votes, which result was due to the fact that the people of our county are interested and enlightened in the political problems of the day and are not ashamed to stand out in a Democratic State, vote their honest convictions and for what they know to be to their interest. Our good people are responsible for this victory, directly, but indirectly this victory, like those of the past in our county, was due to the untiring and vigilant efforts of the party leaders of the county. No party can stick together and succeed very long without the right kind of leadership—this fact accounts for the occasional failure of the other Republican counties of Alabama. But as the Birmingham News put it, "Chilton County, as usual, went decidedly Republican."

In the Republican campaign which has just closed, Judge Reynolds was not able to make but one speech in our county, but the "Little Colonel," Hon. J. O. Middleton, held the fort all right in the absence of the Judge. Col. Middleton went into practically every community of the county and spoke to the people on political questions, and even while he was about his duties in Clanton, he never lost an opportunity to talk in the interest of the Republican ticket. Of course, this is nothing new, because Mr. Middleton has been stump-speaking and working in other ways for the Republican party of Chilton County ever since he was old enough to vote, and he is still at the same wheel where he started. He has never side-tracked and taken off after imaginary butterflies, but has held fast to that which he knew to be right and good. In this campaign, as in all the rest for the past fifteen years, the people of Chilton County deservingly and rightfully extend to Mr. Middleton their highest appreciation for the splendid and unselfish service he has given the Republican party in Chilton County.

WHY IS IT—

UNFINISHED BUSINESS FOR NEXT CONGRESS

Washington, Nov. 10th.—President Coolidge's address to Congress next month will probably deal very largely with what might well be called "unfinished business" for as everybody knows, Congress did not give attention to all his recommendations submitted to the last session. During the recent campaign the charge was frequently made by opposition parties that President Coolidge had little legislation to his credit. The fact was that President Coolidge had made some very definite recommendations but, owing to a coalition between Democrats and radical Republicans some of these recommendations were ignored and others defeated by obstructive tactics.

It will be observed, however, that President Coolidge is not a believer in legislation as cure-all for economic needs. He did not make a very large number of recommendations for new legislation at this session, and some of these acted upon were provision for temporary operation of the merchant marine by the government until a plan for private operation can be adopted, the submission of the Labor Amendment, the strengthening of the immigration restriction law, reduction of taxes, and reduction of appropriations.

The President recommended continued independence from the League of Nations but entry into the World Court. The traditional policy on the League was continued, but no action was taken on the World Court. He recommended legislation for the reorganization of the Foreign service, and this was adopted, with prospect of great improvement through the brighter prospects offered for men who enter that service. He recommended provision for more effective enforcement of the prohibition law, and this was granted. He recommended enactment of the general features of a plan for reorganization of the executive departments, but no action was taken. He recommended that the Muscle Shoals property be ordered sold, but this recommendation was not followed.

One of the live subjects of discussion at the last session of Congress was the status of agriculture. President Coolidge opposed various paternalistic schemes that were being advanced, asserting that "No complicated scheme of relief, no plan for government fixing of prices, no resort to the public treasury, will be of any permanent value in establishing agriculture. Simple and direct methods put into operation by the farmer himself are the only real sources for restoration." He favored a reorganization of the freight rate structure, cooperative organizations, and more diversification, as a means of relief. The great improvement in the agricultural situation, without any paternalistic legislation having been enacted, seems to bear out the Coolidge view of a wise policy. It is not to be expected, therefore, that in his message to the next session he will vary that policy.

Among the other subjects concerning which President Coolidge recommended legislation but upon which no action was taken, were the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Waterway Improvement, placing of first, second and third class postmasters under the Civil Service Law, abolition of the right to issue tax-exempt securities, revision of the laws governing procedure of the Federal Trade Commission, revision of the laws regulating radio interference, and strengthening of the laws for the conservation if our Alaskan fisheries.

This review of the President's recommendation at the last session, and the action taken or not taken, will give some idea of the subjects that are likely to come up for discussion at the session beginning in December. It must be remembered, however, that this will be a short session, ending by expiration on March 4, and that the passage of the regular appropriation bills will occupy a large part of the time and attention of members of both Houses of Congress.

COOLIDGE ELECTED TO OFFICE TWENTY TIMES

Washington, Nov. 8.—Prior to the election of last Tuesday, the country, for some reason or other, had the impression that Calvin Coolidge didn't know much about politics. The country thought of him as more or less of a political foundling, a chance man of fate, a playing of destiny.

President Coolidge is the master politician. He has held political office oftener and longer than any man of his years now in Washington.

Calvin Coolidge has run for political office just 20 times. And 20 times he has been elected. If any man in politics today can match or beat that record, let him come forward at this time or forever after hold his peace. Certainly there is no one to match a path of political fortune which has run all the way from city councilman of Northampton, Mass., to the presidency of the United States, with only about five "lean" years intervening from the lowest office to the highest.

Won A Medal, Too

It might almost be said of the president that he has won 21 times, for in college he entered a national contest for a gold medal offered by the Sons of the Revolution for the best essay on the "Principles for which the colonies fought in the Revolutionary War."

The contest was open to all colleges. Young Coolidge, of Amherst, carried off the prize.

Within four years after his graduation, Coolidge had made his first political bid and won his first political victory. He was graduated in 1895. In 1899 he was in the city council of Northampton. Political victory number two came when he was elected city solicitor in 1900 for two years. In 1904 came political victory number three, clerk of courts.

Then the budding politician, who had after great deliberation, transplanted himself from Vermont to Massachusetts soil, began to warm up a bit and strike out for higher things.

Since 1909, Mr. Coolidge has never been out of public office, and he has just been elected to four more years in the White House from March 4, next. This will carry him to March 4, 1929—a stretch of 20 solid years of political preferment.

His Long Record

Mr. Coolidge's victories have come in this manner:

(1) City councilman, 1899.
(2) City solicitor, 1900.
(3) Clerk of Courts, 1904.
(4) House of Representatives, Massachusetts, 1906.
(5) Re-elected to huse, 1907.
(6) Mayor of Northampton, 1909.
(7) Reelected mayor, 1910.
(8) State senate, Massachusetts, 1911.
(9) Reelected, 1912.
(10) Reelected, 1913.
(11) Elected president of Senate, 1913.
(12) Reelected president of senate, 1914.
(13) Reelected to senate, 1914.
(14) Lieutenant governor of Massachusetts, 1915.
(15) Reelected, 1916.
(16) Reelected, 1917.
(17) Governor of Massachusetts, 1918.
(18) Reelected governor, 1919.
(19) Vice president of United States, 1920.
(20) President, 1924.

Mr. Coolidge never has made much fuss and feathers about his remarkable political record. That is why the public has known so little concerning it. He long ago adopted the theory that silence is golden and there has been no one to say him nay. Where other politicians would have been "pointing with pride," "Silent Cal" has merely gone ahead, sticking to the job, doing the day's work and reaping the harvest.

If he has lacked imagination, as some of his opponents have said, he certainly has not lacked the necessary essentials to success.

A DOUBLE TRIUMPH
(N. Y. Hearld Tribune)

The stupendous victory is in one aspect a triumph for a man. It declares a nation's faith in a great citizen, a great American, who by simplicity, by honor, by courage has gained the affection and admiration of his countrymen. It is no less a triumph for the Nation, for those principles of Americanism by loyalty to which this country has survived the tempest of not far from a century and a half.

The chief struggle of the campaign law between the Republican Party and the Socialist Party masquerading under the stolen title of the Progressive and led by a pretended Republican. The debate centered about three proposals—the effort to overturn the Supreme Court in favor of every passing Congressional majority, the demand for government ownership and operation of railroads in the spirit of communism and the surrender of all that America fought for in the great war to her enemies therein.

Upon these issues the verdict has been unmistakable. The people of America are overwhelmingly in favor of the steadfast Americanism of Calvin Coolidge. They would make haste slowly. Common sense is their guiding star. For reckless political experiment, as a vague, sentimental internationalism, they have neither sympathy nor patience.

WHAT THE BALLOT MEANS
(Phila. Public Ledger)

As plainly as ballots can reject, this Nation has rejected the bogus liberalism of Democracy and rebuked the straddling and evasions of that party. The radicalism of La Follette and the move to set up a powerful and dangerous class party in the United States have been repudiated.

Some of the lessons are so plain they cannot be mistaken. The verdict is an indorsement of Calvin Coolidge and the policies of his Administration. It is an approval of the program he charged in his first message to Congress in December, 1923. He declared then against the soldier bonus, against American entry to the League and for adhesion to the World Court. He urged the Mellon tax plan as the one fair, scientific ond enduring taxation policy for the Nation. He defended the Fordney-McCumber tariff, offered reason instead of hysteria in dealing with farm grievances and demanded national economy. There has been no White House wavering on these policies.

The Road To Better Health

Automobile Exhaust Gas Poisoning
BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

The danger of working on the car in a closed garage when the motor is running should be remembered at this time of year when the weather is likely to be cold and one is tempted to close the doors. The small one or two car garage is particularly dangerous, the relatively small air space permitting the rapid accumulation of a dangerous concentration of carbon-monoxide.

Carbon-monoxide poisoning caused by the inhalation of automobile exhaust gases seems to be increasing in frequency. It is estimated that each year there are several hundred deaths from this cause. Whether or not the health is affected by frequent exposure to this gas is a question that has not been definitely settled.

May be unaware of it.

The physical properties of carbon-monoxide are such that one may be unaware that he is inhaling it. It is colorless, odorless and tasteless. The occurrence of certain symptoms may be the first indication that the gas is being inhaled and that poisoning is taking place. Headache, dizziness, nausea, muscular weakness and twitching of the muscles are some of the symptoms. In those cases in which people have been found dead in garages, unconsciousness or death may have occured very rapidly or the victims may have ignored the earlier symptoms.

While all of these symptoms may arise from other causes, when any of them occur under circumstances in which one may have been exposed to carbon-monoxide gas, no time should be lost in getting to the fresh air. Anyone who has been overcome should be placed in the fresh air and given artificial respiration such as is used in cases of drowning. This should be kept up until the patient breathes normally.

Prevention of carbon-monoxide poisoning consists of plenty of ventilation to carry off the gas. And, in the avoidance of exposure to air known to contain it.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Varicose Veins

L. M. writes: "I have varicose veins of the legs. They ache and cause my legs to feel heavy. Is there any way to cure them except by operation?"

Reply

You may get some relief by wearing an elastic bandage. This should be applied before you get out of bed in the morning. If you cannot use an elastic bandage, try wearing elastic stockings.

Keep off your feet as much as possible.

Surgery seems to be the only permanent relief.

To Replace Oil after Shampoo

P. H. T. asks: "What is a good oil to use aftr washing the head so that the hair and scalp will not be too dry?"

Reply

Use a little olive oil or petrolatum.

Ringing in the Ears

Mrs. S. R. asks: "What causes ringing in the ears? Can anything be done to relieve it?

Reply

This condition may be caused by wax or plugs of epidemics in the external ear canal; by diseases of the ear itself; or by general disease conditions such as arteriosclerosis, migraine, anemia, gout. It sometimes occurs in hysteria, neurasthenia, and as the aura, or warning, of an epileptic seizure. High blood pressure may be a cause. Treatment depends upon the cause.

Weight is Correct

W. F. W. writes: "I am seventeen years old, 5 feet 6 1|2 inches tall, and weigh 133 pounds. Is that the right weight for my age? How many hours of sleep should I need at my age?"

Reply

You are the right weight for your height and age. You should have 9 hours of sleep each night.

Gallstones

G. F. C. writes: "Please tell me if there is any medicine that will dissolve gallstones. I have had a few painful attacks which my doctor says are caused by gallstones. He says that I should be operated on. If there is any way of avoiding an operation, I would like to know it."

Reply

There is no medicine that will dissolve gallstones.

The accepted treatment of a diseased gall bladder is removal, whether stones are present or not. Your doctor has probably given you all possible treatment in the way of diet and medicine.

Operation offers your best chance of permanent relief.

Calories

S. F. Asks: "What is a calorie? Almost everything pertaining to food that one reads about says a lot about calories, so I would like to know what the exact meaning of the word is."

Reply

The calorie is a unit of energy. The energy supplied by foods is measured as heat-energy. So a calorie is the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of a kilogram of water one degree, Centigrade. On combustion one gram of protein yields 2.1 calories; one gram of carbohydrate yields 4.1 calories; one gram of fat yields 9.3 calories.

You Were Wrong

M. C. S. writes:"Our seven-year-old daughter recently had an attack of sore throat. There were some patches on the throat and the doctor wanted to give diphtheria antotoxin. We objected to this because we have heard that antitoxin is harmful to the heart. Examination of cultures showed that it was not diphtheria. Were we wrong in believing that antitoxin may hurt the heart?"

Reply

You were wrong. The toxin or poison given off by the diphtheria bacilli and absorbed into the system is what damages the heart. The cases of this disease which do not receive antitoxin, receive it too late, or do not get enough of it, are the cases in which death due to heart failure occurs. Your doctor was following the safe course in proceeding to give antitoxin when he suspected diphtheria. Antitoxin is the antidote to the toxin of diphtheria and prevents heart damage.

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To get an idea of the gigantic undertaking, just glimpse the above photograph. Compare the figures of the men working on it with the head of Gen. Robert E. Lee which you see taking form in the side of the great wall. A plaster cast of the same head, which the men are following, is shown in the background. Mr. Borglum, the designer and its supervisor, can be seen in the center of the picture explaining to a visitor how the work is done.

In preparation for the cutting of other faces and figures in that massive mountain-side, much blasting is being done. That fact, too, reminds one of the enormity of the task still ahead of the great sculptor and talented assistants.

WALNUT CREEK ANNUAL CONFERENCE CLOSED

The ninety-sixth session of the Alabama Conference Methodist Protestant Church closed at Walnut Creek church Friday evening, November 7, 1924. Severay able speeches and addresses were delivered by our general agents and also by our own men.

The following are the plans of appointments: President, W. G. McDaniel, who is to travel the district; Birmingham First Church, J. S. Eddins; Montgomery Station, T. C. Cassady; Jefferson Circuit, W. O. Lynch; Cullman Circuit, D. H. Mason; Shelby Circuit, J. R. Helms; Chilton Circuit, F. A. Gibson; Newmerkel Station, W. C. Conner; Clanton Circuit, G. B. Gilden; Verbena Circuit, J. H. Limrick; Pike Circuit, C. W. Walton; Covington and Dundee Circuit, P. A. Lynch; Georgiana Circuit, J. W. Hightower; Evergreen Circuit, A. C. Messer; Clark Circuit, J. S. Johnson, Wilcox Circuit, R. M. Stillwell; Alexander City Circuit, M. Guy Minard; Talladega Circuit, A. G. Lynch; Millerville Mission, W. S. Jones; Lee Circuit, W. A. Lynch; Pleasant Grove Circuit, J. C. Mark; Ozark Mission, J. P. Morgan; Tuscaloosa Circuit, W. D. Stewart; Mt. Carmel Circuit, C. D. Messer; Dallas Circuit and Oak Grove, E. M. Belle; Union Circuit, T. W. Eddins; Coosa Circuit, M. Guy Minard; Macon Circuit, A. E. Maddox; Norwood Mission, Fla., H. B. Shaw; Lake Bird Station, A. McLoud; Baldwin Mission, to be supplied; Jacksonville First Church, in hands of the Home Mission Board.

Superannuates, J. P. D. Wilkerson, G. W. Matherson; Left without work at own request, A. H. Lynch, C. W. Nolen; In hands of President, G. B. Wheeler, J. B. Beaneau, J. H. Messer, G. C. Luker, J. W. Stinson, T. E. Ross, J. W. Infinger, J. B. McMinn, and L. A. Lynch.

I wish to thank everyone who helped in any way to make the Conference a pleasant session.

G. B. GOLDEN, Pastor.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Pilgrim Rest schoolhouse, about one mile southwest of Pletcher, Saturday night November 15th. Proceeds will go to the school. Everybody come.

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She was about 16 months old and leaves a father, mother, two brothers and two sisters and a host of relatives and friends to mourn her loss.

Weep not, dear father and mother for we must all appear before the judgment seat of God.

NORA MIMS.

FIDDLERS CONTEST AT MT. PLEASANT SATURDAY NIGHT

For the benefit of the school, there will be a Fiddlers Contest at Mt. Pleasant, two and one-half miles northwest of Clanton, on Saturday night, November 15th, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. A Deputy will be on hand to preserve order. An admission of 15c and 10c will be charged.

BOX SUPPER

Everyone is invited to a box supper at Highland Schoolhouse, on Thursday nght, November 13th.

CEDAR GROVE

The Liberty Hill and Cedar Grove singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon, November 9th. There was a large crowd present and a nice program was rendered. Directors for the afternoon were, J. W. Lowery, F. E. Mastin, Glover Smith, D. T. Melton, Claudie and Neacie Smith. A duet was sung by Claudie Smith and Onzell Eiland. Also a duet was sung by Glover Smith and Frank Mastin. We had a male quartet, a ladies quartet and a mixed quartet. Organists were, Lillie and Claudie Smith and Bonnie Littlejohn.

We will meet again on next Fourth Sunday afternoon. We invite one and all to come to our singings. If you can't sing, your presence will be appreciated just the same.

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1 lot Men's Hats, worth $2.50 to $3, at $1.98
1 lot Men's Hats, worth $3.50 to $4, at $2.98
1 lot Men's Hats, worth $4.50 to $5, at $3.98

PANTS

1 lot Dress Pants, worth $3.50, now $2.98
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $5.00, now $3.98
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $6.00, now $4.95
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $7.50, now $6.50
1 lot Lace Pants $2.49
1 lot Work Pants $1.98
1 lot Boys' Overalls 98c
1 lot Men's Overalls $1.25

W. Z. Hodges Dry Goods Company, Clanton, Ala.

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

The people of Thorsby and vicinity who attended the first entertainment of Thorsby Institute Lyceum Course for this season, given at Bates Hall last Monday night, were given a musical and dramatic feast seldom had outside large cities and towns.

The Doris Farnum Trio, a Redpath Lyceum Bureau organization consisting of Miss Doris Farnum, contralto-pianist, impersonator and harpist, Miss Evelyn Dalin, violinist, and Mr. Chas. Dalin, clarinet and saxophone artist, rendered which for versatility, technique and expression, would not fail to please the most discriminating audience.

Miss Farnum has a pleasing personality, a good voice and an efficiency in interpretation both in music and in character sketches, her reading completely absorbs the attention of her audience, whom she sways at will in whatever mood she assumes. Her genuine Irish harp is a novelty in America and is effectively used inn connection with the rendering of Irish Folk-Songs and Ballads in which each member of the company participates.

Miss Evelyn Dalin is a violinist whose work is of a superior quality, whether as accompanist or soloist. She seems to have the faculty to become so absorbed in her work that she becomes simply a part of the instrument.

Her brother, Chas. Dalin, manifested unusual skill in the use of clarinet and saxophone, his handling of the latter instrument was simply marvelous in tone quality and pleasing expression. His vocal solos in a rich baritone voice were particularly acceptable.

As a whole, as well as individually, the performance was most delightful. Probably the cap sheaf of the evening's performance was the playing of "Silent Night" as a duet, by harp and violin.

Such entertainments are pleasing breaks in the drab monotony of rural life. One lady was heard to remark, "I do not know when I have so thoroughly enjoyed all of an evening's entertainment." Another said," I was so afraid they were going to stop too soon."

Thorsby Institute is the only organization that attempts to put on such high grade entertainments for the people of this community. The next number in the course will be of a kind never enjoyed here. Something that will be of unusual interest to all classes of people, old or young. Announcement in detail will be made later.

Thorsby Institute faculty and students are very happy over a report recently recieved from the Association of Southern Colleges which says: "There are only five high schools in Alabama that are on the accredited list of this Association, meaning that all students of these five high schools who entered college last year passed their examinations, thus putting their respective Alma Maters in the 100 per cent class, and Thorsby Institute is one of the five.

When one of Thorsby Institute's graduates, who entered college this fall, received this information, he wrote, "I certainly was proud of T. I. and I said to myself that she could depend upon me to do my part to keep her there." This is the spirit that counts.

We are sorry to have the Champion family out of T. I. on account of sickness. One of the girls said to her teacher: "I had planned to be in school for five years and always be on the honor roll, and now my brother went and got sick."

Misses Palma Dahl and Gladys Flummer were week end visitors in their respective homes in Thorsby.

A few friends gathered at the home of Mrs. M. J. Soberg Monday afternoon in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mr. E. F. Mead and wife, C. E. Mead and wife, and Mrs. Ollie Tagg, visited the Misses Simpson, in their home at Jemison last Sunday.

Parties were given at the homes of Emmett Billingsley and Clara Hayes last Saturday evening; those present report a good time.

Mr. William Neal, a farmer resident of Thorby, and his daughter, Mrs. Carrie E. Ikenbery, arrived from Indiana last Friday, and expect to spend the winter in Thorsby. They are domiciled in the house recently vacated by Clarence and Mrs. Bice.

Miss Pearl Carlson, who has spent more than a year past with friends in Chicago and Rockford, Ill., arrived in Thorsby last Wednesday evening to stay for an indefinite time with her father, John Carlson. Miss Pearl was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Hulda Danielson, a sister of the late Mrs. John Carlson.

The Baptist Ladies Aid will entertain the Parent-Teachers Association Tuesday afternoon, November 18th, at her home, known as Teacher's Cottage.

Mrs. Reno S. Villadsen left Wednesday of this week for a visit at Jasper, Ala., where they are having a home coming celebration, and Mrs. Villadsen was formerly a Jasper girl.

Next Sunday, November 16th, will be "Home Coming" Sunday at the Congregational church. A special effort is being made to secure the presence of all resident members of the church as possible. Also all who consider this church as their home church and those not affiliated with any church, all are invited and will be welcome. It is also hoped to receive messages from absent members. Special music has been prepared for the occasion.

Rev. W. P. Lowery and G. F. Harper went to Anniston Tuesday to attend the Baptist State Conference being held there this week.

Several important real estate transfers have recently occurred in our town.

The old Wombein place west of town has been sold to Thomas Martin. The property known as the J. F. Peterson place has been sold to G. D. Thompson. Chas. A. Peterson has sold his home place to a party in Birmingham. Other sales are pending but not complete.

Albert Johnson, son of Mrs. Robert Johnson, left Monday night to attend to some important business at his home in Nebraska. He expects to return later bringing his wife and baby with him to spend the winter with his mother.

Don't deposit your money in an unusued stove, an old stocking or a tin can. People who have tried it have found it exceedingly expensive!

There are many advantages besides "Safety First" in having a bank account,—It stimulates self-respect. The man who pays his bills by check has a record of the transaction, and business men have respect for his methods.

THE BANK OF THORSBY

THORSBY, ALABAMA

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED to buy—Two tons of Peavine hay and one ton of good straw. Frank Lowei, the Tailor, Clanton, Ala.

COOK WANTED—For family of two, good place to stay—D. F. Jones, Clanton, Ala., Route 5. 11-13-3t-pd

FOR SALE—Boston Shoe Shop, Champion outfit. If interested, call on A. L. Sewell,beside ice plant, on railroad. 3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Fine, pure-bred Jersey cow, conditions good, just freshened; gives 4 gallons a day.—R. A. Edwards, Clanton Route 3. 11-13-2td

HOUSE FOR SALE—A 5-room bungalow on Second Avenue South, in block and half of high school; water and lights; lot 75 x 140 feet.—J. W. Franklin, Clanton, Ala. 11-12-2t-pd

LOST—Between Clanton Mercantile Company and Wilson Hotel, one black crepe dress in small box. $5 reward for return. Clanton Mercantile Co., Clanton, Ala. 2t c

LOST or STOLEN—One 12 size gold watch and chain, stratford dial; reward for information leading to recovery, will be worth while.—C. D. Wells, with Robinson Lumber Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-12-3t-pd

FOR RENT

One four room house on Birmingham-Montgomery highway. Write or see Mrs. G. W. Finley, 1013 10th Ave. and 29th St. N. Birmingham. 10-23—4t—pd.

LAND FOR RENT—I have a 2-horse farm for rent; prefer to rent on halves; a good place, good house; two miles north of Coopers; 28 acres clear of stumps and rocks.—R. T. Grant. 10-30-3t-c Cooper, Ala.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—R. C. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t

LOST—Ladies grey purse, Tuesday evening, between Thos. M. Parrish's residence and high school, containing one $10-bill, one $5-bill, one $1-bill and 40 cents in change, also some receipts. Finder return to Union-Banner office or Parrish's store and receive reward. 10-30-tf.

LAND FOR SALE—40 Acres, near Enterprise Junior High School. Has running water in good pasture. 24 acres in cultivation. 7 1-2 miles of Clanton. Good dwelling and outbuildings. Apply to W. J. Bice, Clanton, Ala., R. 6, or to Union-Banner. 11-6—5t-pd.

STRAY DOG—Full blood female hound, white and black spots, few yellow spots; has collar and tag bearing name of "B. G. Goen, Clanton, Ala." Owner may get her by applying to E. B. Popwell, Thosby, Route 1, and paying 50c for this adv.

FARM FOR SALE—The Harrison farm, 4 miles east of Stanton, 160 acres, about 60 acres under cultivation; one 4-room house, one 3-room house; wire fencing; good well of water; creek running through farm. Price $700.00; terms to right person. Mrs. Deborah Harrison, Box 4, Republic, Ala. 11-13-2t c

FOR SALE—Georgia farm and timbered land. 1800 acres in one body. Will sell from 125 to 1800 eres, price, from $10.00 to $25.00 per acre, owing to location. Half cash, terms for balance. Special price for whole tract. Grows cotton, corn, cane, oats, fruits and tobacco. Fences in repair, title guaranteed, convenient to school and churches. Write or see owner,
Mrs. M. E. Roberts, 324 Shotwell St., Bainbridge, Ga. 2t-ch.

FARM FOR SALE—I will offer and sell to the highest bidder, on Saturday, Nov. 22, my 20-acre farm, located on the new B. & M. highway, half-mile north of Thorsby.
Plenty of water, good timber and fine truck and strawberry land. The best little farm in Chilton County.
Sale to take place on the farm at 11 A. M., Nov. 22. Come and buy at your own price.
S. M. ADAMS, Clanton, Ala.
11-13—2t-pd.

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on the 23rd day of November, 1918, by G. G. Riggins, and due and payable to the undersigned, W. A. Wood, on November 20th, 1919, and which said mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Book 166, page 234, in the office of the Probate Judge of Chilton County, Alabama, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

South 1-2 of the Northwest 1-4 and North 1-2 of the Southwest 1-4, of Section 25, Township 22, Range 13, containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of land, more or less.

Said sale to be made under the powers contained in said mortgage and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied, first, to the expenses incident to this foreclosure sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and second, to the payment of the indebtedness due on said mortgage.

Witness my hand this 29th day of October, 1924.

W. A. WOOD, Mortgagee.

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON,
10-304t Attorney for Mortgagee.

Pine Tar and Honey Still Best for Chest Colds and Coughs

Our mothers and grandmothers would never be without pine tar syrup in the house for coughs, chest colds, etc. This was many years ago, but modern medicine has never been able to improve on this time-tested remedy. Doctors say the pine tar is hard to beat for quickly loosening and removing the phlegm and congestion that are the actual cause of the cough. At the same time pine tar and honey soon soothe and heal all irritation and soreness.

The kind that has been used with never-failing success in thousands of families for years is that known as Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. This is scientifically compounded of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other quick-acting, healing ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in quick relief. It contains absolutely no opiates, narcotics or harmful drugs, so can be given to young children—fine for spasmodic croup. It tastes good, too. If you want the best, a medicine that often stops the severest cough overnight, be sure you get Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It costs only 30c at any good druggist's.

NOW FOR A "CLEAN UP"

FOLKS, want you to meet "Ma" Ferguson, the governor—or should it be the "governess"—of Texas! The (Nov. 4) elections saw her attain that high office—and, she is the first woman to gain the title of governor in the United States—by a big plurality.

Mrs. Ferguson is just a plain, everyday housewife and mother but one who, it is said, has a keen sense of diplomacy yet a determination and initiative that is never daunted. Everybody in Texas believes that she will rule the state with equal justice to all and with malice toward none. This picture shows her already to start "cleaning house"—politically!

BAPTIST CHURCHES, UNITY ASSOCIATION—NOTICE

Beginning Sunday, Nov. 16th., Dr. J. E. Barnes, Field enlistment secretary, will spend a week among the churches of Unity Association. With two teams it is hoped to reach every church. Team No. 1 is composed of Dr. Barnes and Rev. Buford Lawrence. Team No. 2 is composed of Rev. S. J. Ezell and Rev. T. B. McPheeters.

Matters of vital importance to all our work will be presented. It is earnestly desired that all Pastors, Deacons, Superintendents, W. M. U. Leaders, and all members attend these meetings. We regret that a good hour cannot be given each place. We have to do the best we can to cover the association in so brief a time. Pastors will please announce meetings and notify all leaders.

Team No. 1—Dr. Barnes and Rev. B. Lawrence.

Sunday, Nov. 16., 11 A. M., Clanton, Dr. J. E. Barnes.

Sunday, Nov. 16., 7:30 P. M., Verbena, Dr. Barnes.

Monday, Nov. 17., 10 A. M., Salem; 2:30 P. M., Providence; 7:30 P. M., Marbury. Mt. Creek is asked to send a good delegation to meeting at Marbury.

Tuesday, Nov. 18., 9 A. M., Liberty; 11 A. M., Chapman Springs; 3 P. M., Autauga; 7 P. M., Booth.

Wednesday, Nov. 19., 10 A. M., White Pond; 2:30 P. M., New Prospect; 7 P. M., Floyd.

Thursday, Nov. 20., 7 P. M., Samaria.

Friday, Nov. 21., 10 A. M., Mt. Zion; 2:30 P. M., Concord.

Team No. 2—Rev. S. J. Ezell and Rev. T. B. McPheeters.

Monday, Nov. 17., 10 A. M., Maplesville; 3 P. M., Mt. Carmel; 7 P. M., Ebenezer.

Tuesday, Nov. 18., 10 A. M. Jones; 2:30 P. M., Milton; 7 P. M., Evergreen. Bethel is asked to attend nearest meeting place.

Wednesday, Nov. 19., 10 A. M., Bethesda; 2:30 P. M., Autaugaville; 7 P. M., Big Springs.

Thursday, Nov. 20., 10 A. M., Joffre; 2:30 P. M., Alpine; 7 P. M., Billingsley. Indian Grave is asked to attend Billingsley.

S. J. EZELL, Campaign Director.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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TO MY FARMER FRIENDS:

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I take this opportunity of extending my thanks to the Farmers for their loyal patronage given my Gin and Warehouse this season, and to ask a continuation of same in the future.

I pay the highest market price for remnants and cotton seed. Also I gin any small amounts needed for beds and quilts for the Farmers.

Bring me your cotton if you want the best turn-out, the best sample and the cleanest seed to be had.

Again thanking you, I am, yours very truly,

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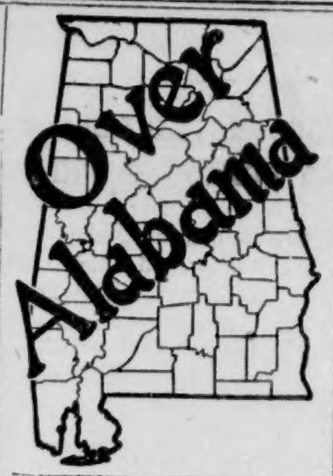
Advertisements of the type shown here are running continously in the great farm magazines which circulate in the North, Northwest and East. They point out to the intelligent class of farmers the greater opportunities which prevail in the South, where weather, labor, and living conditions excel those of colder and more densely-populated sections.

These advertisements supplement the work of the Industrial and Immigration Department of the L. & N., and the results of this combined effort are apparent in every section of the South.



ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

An airplane, making flights for hire is not a common carrier, Judge W. I Grubb, in Federal District Court at Anniston ruled, following hearing of evidence in the case of John W Brown, as executor of the estate of Hugh D. Brown, vs the Pacific Mutua Life Insurance Company. Brown sought to recover double indemnity from the company for a $7,500 policy held by Hugh Brown, who was accidentally killed when an airplane fell at Camp Walton, Fla., in August 1923. A clause in the policy called for double indemnity in case the insured person lost his life in an accident while on a common carrier.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has on its own motion initiated a general investigation into interstate fertilizer rates in southern territory according to notification received by the Alabama Public Service Commission. Alabama interstate fertilizer rates will be involved in the investigation, the carriers of this State having filed a petition with the Interstate Commerce Commission against the interstate rates prescribed by the Alabama commission.

At a meeting of the directors of the Gadsden Chamber of Commerce it was decided to send a committee before the council at its next meeting and urge that body to make some preparations to provide the city's share of the cost of the four hundred thousand dollar traffic bridge across Coosa river at Gadsden. It is said the city will have to hold an election to authorize bonds, probably to the amount of $35,000. The county will provide its fund from the sale of interest bearing warrants, it is said.

The act of the 1919 legislature which undertook to allow the Sheriff of Dallas County the sum of $600 per year for expenses of automobiles used by him in discharging his duty was held to be invalid by the Supreme Court. The act was passed as a general act providing that the compensation referred to should be paid to sheriffs of counties having a population not less than 53,410 or more than 58,501. The Supreme Court held that the act "in its conception and in its calculated operation was local in character."

Mayor R. A. Burns of Alabama City will abdicate his office Saturday, November 22, in favor of Boy Scouts who will run the city government for one day. An election will be held November 15 to determine who is to be mayor, aldermen, chief of police and city clerk. The Masons will support Tom Cantrell, the Woodman, Jack Isbell, the Knights of Pythias, Robert Burns, the I. O. O. F., Loui Adkins and the Red Men, Acton Machan.

Large amounts of freight are having to be refused by the Warrior river barge line due to lack of equipment to handle the shipments, and there are no prospects of an immediate improvement in this situation, according to a letter received at the traffic office of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce from R. A. Brown, of Birmingham, Ala., member of the advisory board of the Inland Waterways corporation.

Plans for the annual Mardi Gras celebration in February at Mobile is going forward at once as a result of the action taken by the executive committee of the retail department of the chamber of commerce. The committee gave its approval to the idea of the Mobile Carnival Association, and it was stated by the association will start plans at once for the Mardi Gras event.

Inspections were made during the month of October by the bureau of inspection of the State Board of Health in 37 communities in 15 counties of the State. A total of 421 inspections, exclusive of dairies and milk plants, was made. Three restaurants, one bottling plant and one soda fount were closed until sanitary conditions had been improved.

Vester S. Garrett, a young attorney of the class of '21 of the University of Alabama, has accepted a position as legal advisor of the Veteran's Bureau, offices to be located in Birmingham.

A fight for better rates on rock asphalt from the Muscle Shoals district to other points is being made before the Alabama Public Service Commission.

Plans are under way for the erection of a 25,000-foot daily capacity saw mill in Jasper.

Mr. W. J. Billingsley of Thorsby was in Clanton Monday of this week.

TEA SUPPER

There will be a tea supper at Chestnut Creek church, Nov. 21, at seven o'clock, given by the Ladies' Aid, for the benefit of the church.

Everybody is invited to take part with us. We will have some good songs, quartettes and a fishing pond, and will serve sandwiches and other good things.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Shiloh schoolhouse, 8 miles southwest of Clanton, on Saturday night, November 29, at 7:30 o'clock. Also, a program will be rendered by the pupils of the school. Priceeds will go to the school. Everybody is invited to come.

MYRA MOORE.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, convicted in the spring term, 1924, of the circuit court of Chilton County for having still in possession and sentenced to had labor for 18 to 24 months, will make application to the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

(Signed) MACK HENLEY.

Mr. Bob Evans of Birmingham was in Clanton this week.

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One lot of Children's Solid Leather Shoes, sizes 8 to 11, in black lace, special, ... 98c

One lot of Men's and Young Men's 3-piece Suits, all sizes. Special, ... $9.95

We have a large and complete line of Sweaters for the entire family, priced from 95c to $5.95. See them.

One lot of Men's good solid-leather Work Shoes, heavy. Special, ... $1.79

One lot of Ladies all-wool Dresses, beautifully trimmed. Special, ... $4.95

One lot of good Outing, Special, ... 10c

One lot of good Ginghams, ... 10c

We have good Unbleached Sheeting, per yard, ... 7c

Men's fine Dress Shoes, very special and guaranteed to be Solid Leather, special, ... $2.74

One lot of Ladies' all-wool Long Coats, nicely trimmed, in all sizes, special, ... $5.95

ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES

One lot of Boys' all-wool Suits in sizes from 3 to 8, our special price, ... $2.95

Men's Jean Pants, special, ... $1.79

One lot of Men's Flannel Shirts in Khaki with two pockets, all sizes, ... 94c

One lot of Ladies' one-strap Slippers, all sizes, ... $1.39

One lot of men's Felt Hats, worth $2.25, our price, $1.69

One lot of Girl's and Boys' Unionsuits, a very good quality, special, ... 48c

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MANAGER, M. LANDE

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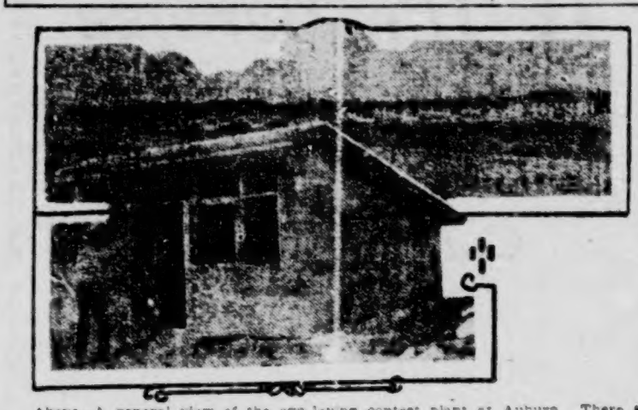
BETTER POULTRY FOR ALABAMA IS AIM OF AUBURN EGG-LAYING TEST



Above—A general view of the egg-laying contest plant at Auburn. There are 49 houses, each accommodating two pens of 10 hens each. Below—A close-up of one of the model houses.

Auburn, Ala.—Nine hundred and sixty hens—most of them Alabama hens—are busy minding their business here, which is laying eggs in Alabama's first national egg-laying contest.

The contest has been under way since November 1, when the event was formally inaugurated with a program of speech-making and a chicken barbecue dinner. There are ninety six pens in the contest, each of which accomodates ten hens, and each hen is identified by means of a leg band bearing the pen number and number of the individual hen in each pen.

The contest will last a year. At regular stated periods during the next twelve months, the progress of the contest will be announced, the standing of each pen and each individual hen being recorded by an official of the Auburn agricultural experiment station.

The purpose of the contest, as explained by John E. Ivey, head of the poultry department, is to stimulate a greater interest in poultry production and to impress on the minds of the people the importance of proper housing, feeding, breeding and management of poultry. It is not planned merely as an event for the awarding of prizes, but to increase the State's poultry industry and make it pay larger dividends.

Big Possibilities in It

"In our poultry work during the last several years," said Mr. Ivey, "we have found splendid conditions in Alabama for poultry and egg production. Natural conditions are favorable, and there is a demand within the State for hundreds of thousands of dozens of eggs more than the State annually produces. Therefore the opportunity is great, but we have problems to solve in our poultry industry. We have found more than 50 per cent of Alabama hens have been kept at a loss because of poor individuals, improper and insufficient feeding, and bad management, all of which we hope to help correct by the egg-laying contest. The contest will continue for one year, or until October 31, 1925, and on November 1 following the second annual egg-laying contest will start. We hope to make it an annual event thereafter."

All the hens in the contest are being kept under exactly the same conditions. Jazz Poultry Feed manufactured by the W. M. Cosby Flour and Grain Company, of Birmingham, has been adopted as the official feed for the contest.

The ninety-six pens in the contest contain hens that represent 56 of Alabama's counties, and counties from twelve other States. There are twelve breeds of hens that are being fed, managed and housed alike. On October 31, 1925, all the hens will be returned to their owners. A number of prizes have been offered by various concerns interested in promoting the poultry industry in Alabama, including several loving cups. The eggs secured during the contest will be sold to defray the cost of conducting it.

Plant is Worth $35,000

The splendid modern plant in which the egg-laying contest is being conducted was largely made possible by contributions of materials and supplies from firms and individuals. A conservative valuation of the plant is $35,000, but its actual cost will not exceed $17,000 because of these donations. There are forty-eight houses for housing the 96 pens, and one headquarters house for storing feed and supplies. The headquarters house contains two rooms which are being occupied by four students who are on scholarships provided by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, and who will assist in the work of the contest.

There are some entries from the leading poultry farms of Alabama in the contest, but an effort was made by the management to attract entries from every county possible. For that reason, no extra entries from any one county were allowed to keep out possible entries from another county.

Some of the crack prize winning hens from the country's biggest poultry plants are entered in the contest, and, while it is not expected that many of Alabama's "amateur" hens will compare favorably with professional contest birds, it is felt that the contest will stimulate interest in poultry raising throughout the State.

Be sure to read this week's installment of Rev. Toy Williams' article from far-off China.

Mr. Winston Mims is in Ft. Payne this week, helpin Mr. M. D. Foshee out of a labor shortage.

"ENOUGH OF UPROAR"
(Washington Hearld, Dem.)

To an unprecedented degree this is a personal triumph and not a party triumph. The President has, in most States, run ahead of his ticket, leading the Republican candidates for Congress or for State and local offices. President Coolidge's cautions, conservative character has made an irresistible appeal to the American people in this conservative period of their history. They have had enough of uproar, turmoil and change. They want no chance of mistakes being made. They feel that conservative policies will enable business to restore the normal flow of prosperity.

MADDOX ATTENDS CHEVROLET TRAINING SCHOOL IN OHIO

Mr. W. L. (Fate) Maddox, chief mechanic and shop foreman for Polk Brothers, local Chevrolet dealers, has just returned from the Chevrolet factory at Norwood, Ohio, where he has been taking special course in servicing Chevrolet cars and trucks.

At this school the mechanics in training were required to take down and reassemble cars under the instructions of a Chevrolet factory expert. They were also taught the quickest and best way to correct any trouble the owners might have with Chevrolet cars.

If you are having any trouble with your Chevrolet, take it to Polk Bros., and let Mr. Maddox fix it.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eutiomized Form.

Colonel R. S. Knox and Major A. M. Prentiss of the general staff of the United States army and C. G. Smith, of the department of agriculture, visited Anniston for a conference relative to the establishment of a forest reserve on that part of the army reservation at Camp McClellan which is not to be used for military purposes. The visitors went to Anniston from Washington, D. C., to make an inspection of the camp site prior to drawing up a report to submit to the war department on the adaptability of the land at the army post for forestry growth. The government has for several years been seriously considering the merger of the area at Camp McClellan which is not being used for training purposes into a forest reserve, it is said, and it is thought that the report of the committee will be the last step which will be taken prior to a recommendation to this effect by the war department to the President.

Because November 4 is election day the Supreme Court announced that the submission of cases appealed from courts in the fourth division will be made Wednesday, November 5. The call had been set for November 4 but attorneys and persons interested desired to vote before going to the capitol. Counties in the fourth division are Barbour, Bullock, Coffee, Covington, Crenshaw, Dale, Geneva, Henry, Houston, Pike and Russell.

A verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree was returned by a jury in the Madison Circuit Court in the case of Charles Byrd, Charles Peyton and Robert Limbaugh, tried jointly for the murder of Erskine Elmore, a farmer from Limestone County. The punishments were fixed as follows: Byrd, 25 years in the penitentiary; Peyton, 15 years and Limbaugh, 10 years. The defense claimed that Elmore and a companion had made themselves obnoxious to girl employes of a soft drink bottling plant and were beaten with no intention of seriously injurying them. Elmore died at the City Hospital of a fractured skull the night after he was injured. The attorneys gave notice of appeal.

Scottsboro is soon to have a new brick business building on the east side of the Public Square. This structure will be the home of The Progressive Age, the local newspaper. The handsome new home of Claude Spivey, on South Andrews Street, is nearing completion, and J. H. Wheeler is erecting a new home on Willow Street. O. D. Kennemer is building a bungalow. Mrs. D. P. Skelton has recently completed an apartment in connection with her home on South Market. R. A. Coffey erected a number of rental houses on Kyle Street and Charlotte Avenue recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ford, who live on Ashville R. F. D. No. 1, were given a surprise party when 66 of their children grandchildren, and great grandchildren drove up and announced that they were going to have a family reunion. The visitors brought baskets along and one of the features of the day was a big dinner spread on the lawn in front of the Ford home.

A negro killed at Montgomery by W. H. Collins after he had thrown a brick at Collins and while he is alleged to have been advancing on Collins with an iron bar in his hand has been identified as Clyde Alex Bostick, an ex-convict.

Clay Crusoe, resident of Lauderdale County, has been brought to Huntsville and lodged in the Madison County Jail on charges of robbing the post office at Mount Hope, on two different occasions.

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is a prescription for Colds, Grippe, Dengue, Headaches, Constipation, Biliousness It is the most speedy remedy we know.

Blinding Headaches

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Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

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"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the docter, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

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CIRCUIT COURT CLOSES AFTER A VERY BUSY TERM

Many Cases Disposed of During the Session; Nine Prisoners Taken to Penitentiary Saturday.

The Fall term of the Circuit Court of Chilton county closed last Friday night, after one of the busiest two weeks ever held in the county. The last of the criminal cases were disposed of by the judge and jury Friday night. On last Saturday nine prisoners convicted last week were sent to the penitentiary. Four more were sent off Monday.

In last week's report of the court proceedings published in The Union-Banner, a number of cases, mostly whiskey cases, were written up as nol prossed, when merely this was a court action, in that the cases were taken up by the grand jury and re-indicted, and these parties will be tried under the grand jury indictment. There are some similar cases in this report.

Below is a list of the cases disposed of during Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week:

Bob Clark, violating prohibition law; nol prossed on motion of solicitor.

Clyde Sims, embezzlement; nol prossed on payment of costs of sheriff, clerk and tax.

Henry Ratliff, failure to dip cattle; jury and verdict not guilty.

Manuel Harrell, public drunkenness; guilty, fined $5.00 and costs.

Annie Peavy, violating prohibition law; nol prossed.

Joseph Leonard, violating prohibition law; nol prossed.

Luke Avery, failure to work public road; jury and verdict not guilty.

Henry Barton, assault and battery; jury and verdict not guilty.

Alex Williams, grand larceny; jury and verdict not guilty.

Riley Adams, abusive language; nol prossed.

Oscar Giles, violating prohibition law; nol prossed.

Gus Wallace, manufacturing liquor and having still in possession; nol prossed.

Martin Harris, violating prohibition law; nol prossed.

T. S. Peavey, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; continued.

Harley Smith, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; found guilty, sentenced one year to 18 months; appealed, bond fixed at $1,000.00.

Harley Smith, manufacturing liquor; nol prossed.

Bob Clark, violating prohibition law; continued.

B. Igo, et als., defaulting bond; forfeiture made final in sum of $75.00 and costs.

Emmett Christian, failure to dip cattle; continued.

Joseph Leonard, driving motor without lights; nol prossed.

Ped Lucas, failure to dip cattle; continued.

Tom Mitchell, failure to dip cattle; continued.

Lee Oden, violating prohibition law; continued.

Oscar Giles, violating prihibition law; guilty, fined $250.00, sentenced to hard labor for county 90 days for sentence and 83 days for costs, and an additional term of six months as punishment imposed by court; appealed, bond fixed at $1000.00.

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ARRESTS MADE ON MINOR CHARGES BY SHERIFF'S FORCE

On Monday morning county officers arrested in Clanton, a Greek by the name of Gus Machondy, who was wanted in Birmingham for stealing a Ford car from a drive-it-yourself concern in that city. Machondy was arrested in Clanton but the Ford car was found near Iron Ore Hill in Beat 16 with the license tag and one tire missing. The owners have called for the car and the Greek is being held in jail till Birmingham authorities come for him.

Earl Martin was brought down from Stumps Hills Sunday night by Speial Deputy Robinson, charged with violating the prohibition law. Martin was placed in jail, where he still remains.

Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee went out in the Easterling community east of Clanton Sunday night and got hot in after some whiskey traffickers. No one was arrested, but one man who has been arrested before threw down a jug and ran off. The officers got the jug and are on the trail of the man. They know who the man is.

Will Thompson, negro from near Maplesville was arrested Monday charged with grand larceny. He was lodged in jail.

Martin Harris from Stanton was arrested Monday under a grand jury indictment for making whiskey, and placed in jail.

CHILTON HIGH TRIMS MARION RESERVES

Friday afternoon, Nov. 7, the C. C. H. S. "Tigers" gave the Marion Institute Reserves from Marion, Ala., as neat a trimming as anyone who wants to see the under dog win, could ask for. The Marion crew, boasting an almost inpenetrable defense, came to Clanton, it seemed, to have a little practice at the expense of the Chilton boys, but they soon found that they must fight hard to stem the tide of the passing, plunging, sprinting Chilton backs. In the third quarter, a Marion man intercepted a Chilton pass and ran 85 yards to cross Chilton's goal line for the first time this season. Here Chilton began to fight in earnest. Five minutes before the final whistle the Chilton line, bucking a line that outweighed them 15 pounds to the man, opened a hole wide enough to drive a wagon through, through which Hayes went for the first Chilton touchdown. Hayes failed at goal, making the score, Marion 7, Chilton 6. With three minutes to play, Thompson, for Chilton, intercepted a short forward pass, Chilton taking the ball on her own 40-yard line. Here Chilton opened an air attack, dazzling and bewildering to the visitors. In two and a half minutes, they threw 10 passes, completing 7. Thirty seconds before the end of the game, a pass, Hayes to Thompson, standing behind Marion's goal line, netted the winning score.

The final score was, Chilton 12, Marion 7. This leaves Chilton with a clean slate so far as games are concerned. In the five games played so far, Chilton has made 128 points, while their opponents have scored 10.

FIDDLER'S CONTEST

There will be a Fiddler's Contest at Maplesville High School on Thanksgiving night, November 27th. Come and hear the fiddlers from Autauga, Bibb, Dallas and Chilton.

DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

12,971 BALES GINNED IN CHILTON TO NOV. 1

The Department of Commerce at Washington recently issued a statement of the cotton ginned in all the counties of Alabama. Up to November 1, 1924, there were ginned in Chilton County 12,971 bales, against 6,909 up to the same date of last year. Up to November 1 this year there were ginned in the State of Alabama 815,597 bales as against 492,042 up to the same date last year. Jefferson county produced the smallest number of bales of any county in the State, it producing 230 bales this year and 398 bales last year. Note that Jefferson produced more cotton last year than it did this year. Every other county in the state about doubled this year what it had last year.

EDUCATION—THE CONNECTING LINK

Education

Yesterdays—We rode in wagons; plowed with oxen; harvested with the cradle; threshed with the frail; read by candle light.

Todays—Upheave the fields with tractors; harvest and thresh with the same operation; read and acquire knowledge by electric light and radio.

Eduration Has Developed Our Yesterday's Into Todays

If there are schools and communities which are still in their YESTERDAYS educationally because of lack of facilities, such as trained teachers, modern buildings, adequate equipment, improper safeguards and concern for health, morals, thrift, safety and citizenship, then these conditions exist because of lack of local initiative and sentiment.

Such handicap is unfair to the child, unnatural to the ambitions of parenthood nad un-American in its very existence.

In the gratitude of your prosperity, let your insuiring mind determine the educational opportunity of your community and pledge your influence and support to officials that your schools may be placed in the very today and todays and ready to meet the demand of the tomorows.

Education

Tomorrows — The foundation of progress; the backbone of morals; the enemy of crime; the conservator of the home; the essentials of citizenship; the capitol for a livelihood; the inspiration for living.

BAKER THANKS VOTERS

Clanton, Ala., Nov. 20, 1924.

I wish to thank the voters of Chilton County for the support which I received in the general election on November 4. I appreciate what you did for me all the more because you did it without one word of solicitation on my part since my name was petitioned to the Probate Judge to appear on the ballot.

I realize more than ever before the responsibility that is hanging on the County Board of Education, but I also realize that each parent and teacher must bear a part of the responsibility, and without the co-operation of all it is impossible to have good schools.

It shall be my policy to as nearly as possible to carry out the wishes of the majority of the voters of Chilton County in all important matters pertaining to education. I shall try to follow the example set by our great President Calvin Coolidge when my mind is not clear on any subject, "keep silent" until I know how to speak.

I welcome the advice and suggestions of anybody and everybody at all times. Again thanking you for your support, let me make one other request, "Put your shoulder to the wheel and let's have the best schools in old Chilton that are to be found anywhere."

Yours for better schools,
Wm. R. BAKER.

PEOPLE SHOULD NOT SET WOODS ON FIRE

Anywhere one may go, he sees the woods on fire. This is not only injurious to timber but it is very dangerous to property. The houses of lots of people are near the woods, and when the woods are on fire, the wind is liable to blow sparks into them and set them on fire. Everything is so dry now that most anything will burn very readily when fire is applied. Forest fires are very bad about burning bridges. We have heard of instances over the county where the bridges on the public roads were burned as a result of the woods being set on fire. People who own wooded land should use every precaution to keep the fire out of it, especially while the weather is so dry.

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF CHILTON COUNTY, ALA.

Clanton, Ala., Nov. 8, 1924.

Editor Union-Banner:

Permit me by this means to partially express my thanks and appreciation for your loyal support in the general election held on November 4. I cannot command words to express my appreciation of your support, but I can to a great extent express it to you in service, and that is my intention. I shall strive to make you as good and if possible the best Commissioner you have ever had.

It is true that there is very small monetary value to the office to which you have elected me, but there is a great deal of responsibility to it and it is the trust and confidence that you have reposed in me that makes me appreciate it so much and desire to do you service. I promise you now as before the election that I will do everything in my power and to the utmost of my ability to serve the people and to serve in a way and manner to comply with the wishes and best interest of a majority of the people of the county as best I can know and find out.

I also feel very grateful to Hon. J. Osmond Middleton for his untiring efforts in behalf of the Republican ticket and party as a whole.

I intend to be Commissioner of the whole people without regard to politics. Politically, of course, I am a Republican, but officially I intend to be a servant. And if we can get the co-operation of the people, I feel and believe that there can and will be a great forward movement and a period of great prosperity for old Chilton County for the next several years.

Thanking you again for your support, and assuring you, one and all, that my aim is to serve you, I beg to remain,

Yours very truly,
A. P. VINSON.

VOTERS OF CHILTON COUNTY

I take this means of thanking you for your most generous support in the November election.

Not having words to express my full appreciation for your support, I can only repay you through my work and service in the office at the court house, and I assure you I shall consider it an act of kindness on your part to call upon me when I can be of service to you in any way.

Very respectfully,
GENIE COLLINS.

OAK GROVE

The United Singing Society will meet in regular session here Sunday afternoon, and extends to all singers a special invitation to attend. We will have with us Profs. O. L. and W. M. Devaughn, the Grans, and many other noted singers, including Miss Devaughn, the noted soloist, and the Verbena and Thorsby quartetts. We will also have the new 1925 Showalter books. Come and take part with us and have a good time.

E. L. GLASSCOCK.

THIRTEEN MEN TAKEN TO PEN SATURDAY AND MONDAY

Last Saturday afternoon quite a bit of excitement was created when the Sheriff marched nine men down to the train bearing their transports to Kilby Prison. It was a spectacular sight. Some people were sorrowful because some of these prisoners were their loved ones, while others were there to rejiice because they were glad to see the solemn rites of the law meted out to those who had committed certain crimes against the law of the land and against their fellowmen. Following is a list of those sent to Kilby Prison:

Roy Clayton, convicted for carnal knowledge and sentenced for five years; Sam Cunningham, a negro, convicted for making whiskey and sentenced to one year to 14 months; Steve Dutton, manufacturing liquor, one year to 13 months; Robert Harris, negro, manslaughter, one year and one day; George Headley, making whiskey, two to three years; Marshall Headley, making whiskey, one year to 13 months; Calvin McNeil, negro, grand larceny, two to three years; Calup Smith, making whiskey, one year to 13 months; Frank Thomas, negro, grand larceny, two to three years.

On Monday the following were taken to Vredenburgh Lumber Camp to serve sentences: Will Gore, violating the prohibition law, three months; Joe Dees, petty larceny, 76 days; Chatman Trott, assault and battery, 93 days; Nathan Parrish, assault and battery, 106 days.

BUD HEADLEY KILLED BY FALLING TREE TUESDAY

Mr. Bud Headley of Greasy Ridge was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon about 3:00 o'clock, when some log-cutters felled a tree upon him. Mr. Headley was hauling logs, and the log cutters did not know that he was near. Mr. Headley's head was crushed, as well as a leg and some other parts of his body. He died almost instantly.

The tragedy happened on the old place of George Edwards on Greasy Ridge. Mr. Headley was about 35 years of age.

JUST FROM SHOULTS

Cap show is one sight. Tother day whilst we wus restin, I say, Cap, whut you look so sad bout? He say, Remus, looks like all my trouble's all coming at one time. I have dipped my cow dry, den tax payin coms on, den de merchant sent me a dun, and den I seen in de paper dat dey had to pay car tax by de middle ob de mont. Den some feller whut got mad bout stock law went and sot de woods on fire and cause me to lose lots o' sleep. An now de county an state taxes to pay. Den here come long a show and den a nudder show and some mo shows; the children all time axin fur money. Den de schools keep on axin fur money, de church peeple axin fur money; and time I gits my pegs sot de gits knock right down.

Us don't see whut us po folks is gwin to do. I say, Cap, cheer up. Wash day's comin some time. Cap say if it does, somebody else'll have to pay for it. But I am going to take things just as de comes.

REMUS.

REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY OF CHILTON COUNTY

Examined 96 Cases and 530 Witnesses and Returned 60 True Bills

To the Hon. George F. Smoot, Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit of the State of Alabama:

We, the Grand Jury empanneled at this the Fall Term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, beg leave to make this our final report.

We have examined 96 cases and 530 witnesses and have returned 60 true bills. We have examined the bonds of the county officials and find same with sufficient sureties to amply protect the county.

We have examined the books of the County Superintendent of Education and found them neatly and correctly kept so far as we could ascertain. We have examined the books of the County Treasurer and find them neatly and correctly kept and we attach his report and mark it Exhibit "B."

We find the fee book of the Probate Judge has been kept as provided for by law so far as we were able to ascertain. We have examined the Sheriff's feed book and found it neatly and correctly kept as far as we could ascertain. We have examined the Poor House and found it in good shape. There were 15 inmates, one negro woman. All of these people appeared to be well cared for; they told the Committee from the Grand Jury that they had plenty to eat. The houses are kept clean and at the present time the county is making some repairs looking forward to the better conditions of our poor. All of this we want to heartily endorse.

We find that the Jail of our county is in a neat and splendid condition. Our Sheriff is taking care of the prisoners in a way to meet the approval of the people of our county. We find the Court House in good condition, except the heating system appears to be out of order and we recommend that the county authorities whose duty it is to look after this will have it attended to. We noticed some of the moulding in the court room has fallen and we recommend that this be repaired and attended to. We recommend that the Court of County Commissioners re-adjust or re-arrange the doors at the entrance of the court room from the front—arrange them in such manner that they can be opened and closed without so much noise. We recommend that these doors be placed on spring hinges so that they may be opened from both ways so that the people can pass in and pass out of the court room without so much noise.

We have had no complaint to the Grand Jury regarding our public roads. The report is that the roads are in better condition than they have ever been before.

We want to thank your Honor for the able, clear and impressive charge delivered to us. It has been of much help to us in our deliberations. We want to express our appreciation for the able and efficient work of our Circuit Solicitor. He has aided and guided us in our deliberations in a

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"MY EXPERIENCE AMONG BANDITS IN KWANGSI MTS.

By Rev. Rex Ray, Wuchow, Baptist Missionary to China.

(Continued from Last Week.)

When we were about four days' journey up the Foo river above Wuchow, our plans were broken up by our falling into the hands of bandits.

Our party consisted of Bros. Jaffray, Carne, and Miller of the Alliance Mission, and Rex Ray of the Southern Baptist Mission, together with some 18 Chinese. We also had an escort of 80 Chinese soldiers Some 75 of these felt that it was better for their health back over the mountains, when the bandits began firing upon us, and so they left us with the bandits without even bidding us "farewell." These soldiers seemed also to have a desire to keep their ammunition instead of sending it over the rifle-route towards the bandits.

As I waited in the pilot house, the bullets were whizzing all about our boat and some were whizzing into it. It was at this time the Lord fulfilled His promise in Psalm 91:4-5. I also remembered the words my mother spoke when my brothers and I were enlisting in the army to go to France. "The Lord can direct the bullets away from you."

When we left Wuchow, we thought we were going to take aid to those who were beseiged in Kweilin, but it seemed that God had other plans for us. We soon realized He was preparing us to preach the Gospel to lost souls in bandit camps.

The Bible means more to me now than it did before our experience with the bandits. Many times before, as I read the Bible, it seemed to apply to times and peoples of by-gone ages. But during our captivity, the Holy Spirit brought the dear old Book up to date for me. Many of its passages seemed to me had been prepared for pilgrims of old. But while we were in the hands of the enemy, and earthly means of help were far away, the Holy Spirit made the Blessed Word of God live again for me. The messages of Jesus brought peace and comfort to my soul.

Whether we were marching or resting, the promise of Jesus in John 14:26 was fulfilled, where He said the Holy Spirit would bring to our remembrance all things whatsoever He had said.

After the robbers quit firing at us, they crossed the river and ordered us over to their side of the river. They marched us up the river bank. Just as I reached the top, two of the robbers grabbed at my masonic ring. They kept pulling at it until they got it, while others kept me moving along. Then one fellow snatched my glasses off my nose, and someone grabbed my pith hat off my head, and in a short time others were going through my pockets. When they found my pocket book, I reached into my pocket and pulled it out. I opened one side of it, took out the money and handed it to them. The silver coins caught their eyes and I put the purse back into my pocket. A day or so later I was curious to know whether I was broke or not. I looked into the other side of the purse and found that I still had 60 cents. A few days later this 60 cents was just the amount I needed.

When the bandits finished picking my feathers, they gave me a chance to see my brethren. I found they wese picked even cleaner than I, as they didn't have a penny left, and were hatless too. The robbers then piled on the boat and sacked it from stem to stern, smashed the insides of it with axes, then poured kerosene over the upper deck and set it on fire. Through the heroic efforts of about three of the crew, who were left on the boat, the fire was extinguished. At this time we remembered the words of Jesus in Matt. 10:16—"Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves." As we heard these wild excited bandits tearing and smashing the boat, yelling and squalling over the loot, they sounded exactly like a pack of hungry wolves tearing a young lamb or calf to pieces. Truly we knew that we were in the midst of wolves.

We also remembered the last part of that same verse where Jesus said, "Be ye therefore, wise as serpents, and harmless as doves." When one is looking down several gun barrels at once, and sees dirk knives in the belts of excited bandits, I am quite sure it is wise to do as they say. When they said, "Hand things over, hit the trail, climb a ladder" up into a dark left that had only one small hole in the wall some 6x8 inches, for ventilation, it seemed wise to obey. At one end of the room we saw a big swarm of bees, and big piles of dirt and filth all about the room. We obeyed orders, and sat down on the filthy floor that had many of the very-much-alive bees crawling about on it, while we had to breathe the substitute for air which was composed of kerosene torch smoke, cigarette smoke and opium smoke. Some of our party forgot about the varieties of smoke in their efforts to pull out the bee stings. For pastime we looked at other prisoners who had been bound there in that filthy hole for days. As I looked at their beards, I wondered if we would be in there that long too, or whether the germs would devour us first.

The Lord also said, "Do good to them that despitefully use you." Just after the robbers set fire to the boat, the bandit chief came to me with a roll of my bandage and my bottle of mentholatum, and asked me to bind up his leg that got burned when they fired our boat. I gladly did his burns up, and then asked a little favor of him. I only asked him to let our boat crew go free; some fourteen men who were being taken away with us. The chief said, "Alright," and commanded his men to set them free to go back to the boat. His men hesitated to do so, but when he threatened them with sudden death, they quickly obeyed orders. So this little kindness to an enemy not only brought freedom to our boatmen, but caused them to marvel at the difference between the acts of Christianity and those of heathenism.

We felt we must heed this command of the Master—"As ye go, PREACH." Constantly, we were face to face with lost souls who heeded Jesus. At all times the Holy Spirit gave us a message for each wanderer who came our way. See Mark 13:11. We didn't have the opportunity to prepare sermons with points 1, 2 and 3 in them. Perhaps we would be asked to explain the use of some article that had been taken away from us. Sometimes it would be a tin of milk, a can of corn, charcoal tablets, a BVD suit, or my kodak. But the Lord always gave us a message for each one who spoke to us.

The Holy Spirit cared for the seed that was sown in the hearts of these poor fellows. He made them willing to listen to the story of Jesus and His love for them. Not only that but many of these men came back again and again to hear more about Jesus. Some were convicted of their sins and earnestly sought the way of Eternal Life. When the bandit chief heard about the love of Jesus, tears came into his eyes. One of the men said that he repented of his sins and at once trusted Jesus. What a sweet hour it was as we bowed in the headquarters of the bandits and prayed for the salvation of this poor young man. I trust that our Master will bring many of these lost souls into His Kingdom.

In all these trying days and weeks the Great Comforter carried on His work in our hearts. Many times we thought about the great eternity and wondered if the time of our departure from this earth was near at hand. On one occasion, after the bandits' plan had failed to bring them any money, the chiefs were disappointed and very angry. We didn't know what they would do to us. At this time one of our fellow Chinese prisoners, who is a fine Christian, said, "I don't think we are going back to Wuchow. I think we are going to our Heavenly Home." In hours like these, food and raiment for the body didn't amount to much. But the Holy Spirit brought us the words of the Master which were food to our souls, "Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid." One dark night I was debating the quetion whether or not I should try to escape, as it seemed the Chinese officials could not arrange for our release. While I lay there on my "bed boards" it seemed to me that I could hear a small voice speaking out of the darkness, "My grace is sufficient for thee." A few minutes later these words came out of the darkness, "Not to-night." So I felt the Lord didn't want me to leave that night. Our daily prayer was for the Lord to deliver us in His own way and in His own time, if it was His will that we should go free at all.

It was not very comforting to think that perhaps I had seen my wife and two dear little boys for the last time on earth, but when I looked toward my Father's Home on High, and prayed for His will to be done, His Spirit comforted my soul. Many times Bro. Carne and I sang and prayed together sitting there in robber dens at night. The Spirit of God overflowed our souls with joy and thankfulness to our Lord and Saviour. Then, as never before, I understood how happy Paul and Silas doubtless were as they sang and prayed in prison.

When we began marching with the bandits, I had to make a hat. I took a handkerchief and tied a knot in each corner and put it on my head. Then I took some letters that I had picked up out of the loot, and put them on my head, and still another handkerchief on top to hold them on. Each time we crossed a stream of water I reached down and put a few handfuls of water on my new handkerchief hat to keep it wet. I did my best to make it a sun-proof hat.

In ordinary times, if I am not very careful about wearing a pith hat in the sun, I get a pain in the back of my neck, and am very sick for a few hours. But during those days when I marched over the mountains with my handkerchief hat on, there was one promise of God that kept ringing in my soul, "The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night." Ps. 121:6. How true this promise is, for not once did I feel a touch of the sun.

(Continued next week.)

"HEY! SEE THIS? THANKSGIVING'S COMING!"

PRETTY soon you'll be hearing the youngsters on the street delightedly chinning about—"Oh, boy! We're goin' to have a big turkey at our house. An' cranberries, an' punkin pie, an' sweet potatoes, an' everything. H-m-m-m, wish Thanksgivin' was to-morrer!" And that same line of talk holds good for every town and hamlet in the land, for Thanksgiving is a big day for kiddies and grown folks alike.

In the meantime, many a farmer's son will be disporting about the farmyard somewhat in the manner of the above youngster. Showing Mr. Gobbler what he's soon due to "get in the neck."

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at the Samaria School house Sat. night Nov. 22nd.

Proceeds go for the benefit of the school. FACULTY.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Shiloh schoolhouse, 8 miles southwest of Clanton, on Saturday night, November 29, at 7:30 o'clock. Also, a program will be rendered by the pupils of the school. Priceeds will go to the school. Everybody is invited to come.

MYRA MOORE.

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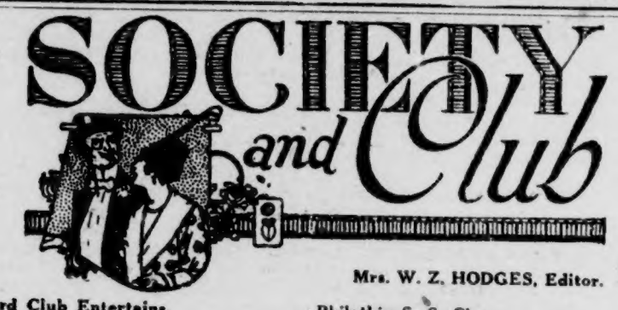

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Card Club Entertains.

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Frank Callen entertained the members and a few friends of the Wednesday Card Club. Cut flowers and pot plants made the home beautiful. Bridge was played until a late hour, when Mrs. John Browder held top scroe and was given a coulpe of Maderia linen handkerchiefs. A salad plate with hot coffee were served to the members and guests.

Philathia S. S. Class.

On next Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock the Philathia Shnday School class of the Methodist church will entertain the ladies of the Methodist church at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones. An attractive program will be rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones went to Montgomery Monday to attend the circus.

The L. & N. has opened up their night trick here again, so Mr. H. S. Prince will be back on his old job.

Mr. John Browder went to Atlanta last week on business.

Mr. R. C. McDavid spent last week in Tallahassee, Fla.

Mrs. T. C. Oliver of Tuscaloosa was the guest of Miss Kathleen Mullins last week.

Mrs. Renfroe Mullins of Montgomery and daughter, Miss Marzelle, visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Jack Wade, who is operating an ice plant at Russellville, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Mrs. Tom Curlee of Birmingham is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curlee in Clanton this week.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson and dughter, June, went to Nashville Saturday, where June will enter school at the St. Cecelia institute.

Mrs. V. J. Gragg went to Birmingham last Friday and spent a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. S. H. Brown.

Mr. A. L. Jette of Birmingham is here this week putting in a new boiler for the heating plant in the court house.

Mr. J. B. Macon of Birmingham will be in our town for aboht 30 days selling the Noe-Equal line of hosiery.

Messrs. M. W. Palmer and W. O. Strickland are in our town selling stoves for the Birmingham Stove & Range Company.

Mr. George Warrick of Birmingham spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White.

Mrs. Martin Nix of Wilton spent the week end with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins and little daughter, Frances, went to Birminghame last week.

Mrs. Sam Matthews of Birmingham was the guest of Mrs. Upchurch last week.

Mrs. Latham of Montevallo is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Upchurch this week.

Mrs. Latham Ellis visited relatives and friends in Wetumpka and Montgomery recently.

Mr. Latham Ellis went to Atlanta on business last Thursday.

FARMERS UNION AT JEMISON

There will be a County Union of the Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union of America on the 29th of November. We earnestly urge that all locals in the county be represented and all who have once been in the Union are especially invited. Business of importance will be attended to. There will be speakers of interest there on that day.

J. D. HOLSOMBECK,
County President.

The Florence Exchange Club has agreed to handle the campaign for financing the Associated Charities of that city during the coming year. This action was taken by the club at its weekly meeting. The campaign will be started during the month of December. Each year the Associated Charities have experienced considerable difficulty in raising the necessary money for conducting the work of the organization, and the Exchange proposed to relieve those in charge of the charitable body of this part of their troubles and let them concentrate on handling the cases that need at-

The time for the beginning of the service of their terms in the Atlanta Federal Prison by eight residents of Mobile, who were convicted last May on charges of conspiring to violate the national prohibition law was again postponed from December 1 to January 3 by Judge Robert T. Ervin, of the Federal Court. The men were originally sentenced to start their terms on November 1. About a month ago the date was changed to December 1.

Verdicts in three capital cases were rendered by special juries in the Circuit Court of Lee County. Curtis Allred, charged with murder in first degree, in the killing of Ivey DuBose, was found guilty of murder in the second degree, and given 35 years in the penitentiary. The other homicide was that of Ed Dallas, a negro, charged with murder in the first degree in the killing of Jesse Whitaker, a white man, near Gold Ride, in October.

Coosa County Club boys won first honors at the State Fair at Montgomery for production of cotton. Seventy-six club boys of the county produced 76 bales of cotton on 76 acres of land, the best record in the State this year. Philip Smith, Rockford high school boy, was given a trip to Chicago to the International Livestock Show. Only two boys were selected from Alabama.

PHYSICAN ADVISES PEOPLE

"My wife suffered for years with stomach trouble which did not yield to any treatment. She took a dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy last Saturday with wonderful results. I have practiced medicine for 20 years and never seen anything like it before. I have recommended Mayr's Wonderful Remedy to several that I know needed this treatment. It removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at Alred Drug Co. and druggist everywhere.

W.O.W. THANKSGIVING SUPPER

On the afternoon of Thanksgiving, the W. O. W. will give a public supper at the Lodge Hall in Thorsby at 5 o'clock sharp. Everyone is most cordially invited to come out and bring a good fat basket. One does not have to belong to the order to be welcome. Come and lets have a good time together.

AN ORDINANCE

To levy a tax of five Mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property and on all subjects of taxation, liable therefor, within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year of 1924, and to provide for the assessing and collecting of said taxes.

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1.—There is hereby levied a tax of five (5) mills on each dollar's worth of property and on all subjects of taxation within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year, 1924, which are not by law exempt from taxation. Said tax is levied for the purpose of raising revenue with which to pay legal obligations and expenses heretofore created or which may be hereafter created by said Town of Clanton, Alabama.

Section 2.—The Town Clerk of the Town of Clanton, Ala., be and hereby is directed to make the assessment of said taxes. Said assessment to be made as provided by Article 31 of the Political Code of Alabama, 1923. Upon the completion of the assessment, the clerk of said town is hereby directed to return the assessment to the town council, which shall thereupon give ten days notice, by publication in some newspaper published in Clanton, Alabama, that the assessment has been completed and that the council will hear and determine objections thereto upon a day not more than thirty days from the date on which said notice was directed to be made.

Read, adopted and approved finally, on this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

Attest:
ADA M. ATKINSON,
Clerk of the Town of Clanton,
11-20-2t Alabama.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Of The Town of Clanton, Alabama, Of Tax Levy and Assessment for 1924:

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, did by ordinance duly adopted on the 18th day of November, 1924, levy a tax of five mills on each dollar's worth of property and all subjects of taxation, within the corporate limits of said town for the tax year of 1924, and by said ordinance ordered the Clerk of the Town of Clanton to make the assessment of said taxes in accordance with the provisions of Article 31 of the Political Code of Alabama, 1923, and deliver the same to the town council when completed, and

Whereas, the Clerk of said Town did in compliance with said ordinance, deliver to the town council on said date the assessment book containing the assessments of said tax, and

Whereas, the Town Council designated and fixed December 1, 1924, as the day and date when it would meet, hear and determine objections to said assessments, and ordered notice given as required by law of said meeting;

Now, therefore, all parties interested in said assessment may appear before the Town Council on said December 1, 1924, in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town, and make any objection to said assessment, as they may deem proper.

Witness our hands and dated, this the 19th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor of
The Town of Clanton, Alabama.
ADA M. ATKINSON, Clerk of
11-20-2t The Town of Clanton, Ala.

Mrs. John Hollis of Mitchell Dam is the house guest of Mrs. Hance Alred this week.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN SEVEN COUNTIES IN ALABAMA

Official Count for Counties of State Gives Coolidge Total of 43,861.

Chilton, Cleburne, DeKalb, Franklin St. Clair, Fayette and Winston Counties remained in Republican column in the recent election, as shown by the official figures. In the entire State, there were cast for the highest Coolidge elector a total of 43,861 votes. Chilton County gave Coolidge 1,595 votes and Davis 848.

BOX SUPPER AT CANE CREEK

There will be a box supper at Cane Creek, 6 miles out the Lock 12 road, on Friday night, November 28th, at 7:30 o'clock, also a number of contests. Proceeds will go to the school. Everybody is invited to come.

JULIA PARRISH, Prin.,
JEWEL MINOR, Asst.

Dr. Steele and family are moving to Tuscaloosa.

Mr. Maurice Lande went to Montgomery Tuesday to see his big boy.

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TRADE WITH YOUR FRIEND

La Follette says the Third party is here to stay—to stay in third place.

Judging by the results, what the so-called "Progressive" party needed was a better set of candidates. The ones they had certainly did not prove to be very good vote-getters.

While Davis was picking a running-mate he should have picked one who could carry his own state. But, at that, Bryan did as well as Davis.

The newspapers of nearly all large European nations are pleased with the outcome of the election in the United States because the result means that we shall continue a policy of friendly helpfulness without mixing in their affairs. The good effects of the Dawes plan have already proven the wisdom of the Republican policy.

Whenever the Democrats can offer issues that appeal to a large part of our successful men of affairs they can command a campaign money chest comparable to that of the Republicans this year. Men with comfortable incomes have made their money because of their ability to discriminate between good and bad investments. That is the reason they contributed to the Republican funds and voted the Republiran ticket.

Judging from recent procedures, Judge Smoot as well as Sheriff Littlejohn and his deputies, are tired of fooling around with the law violators of Chilton county. It looks mighty bad for people to have to be sent off to the penitentiary, leaving their loved ones, but the laws of the land must be recognized. If folks dislike punishment and suffering and privation, they ought to take the second thought and stay out of the way of the law.

The Union-Banner wishes o heartily commend the courts of the county and Sheriff Littlejohn and his force of wide-awake deputies for the splendid work they are doing to enforce the laws of our county, state and nation. We believe the law is being enforced in Chilton county today better than it has ever been before, and all good citizens should be thankful for this fact.

Of course not all of the people who voted for Coolidge believe in all of the things that Coolidge stands for. Quite likely the majority of people who voted for him disagree with him on some feature of governmental policy. But those who marked their ballots for him indicated that they agree with his most important policies and that on the whole they find themselves in nearer agreement with him than with any other candidate who was running.

Mr. La Follette describes the result of the election as "the loss of one battle in the age-long struggle of the masses against the privileged few." The Senator is seeing things upside down again. With the vote 14,000,000 for Coolidge to 4,000,000 for LaFollette it looks as though the masses won, instead of lost, their battle. It is barely possible the masses look upon the Senator and his friends as the "few" who are seeking to exploit them.

"HOW SHARPER THAN A SERPENT'S TOOTH"

The basest ingratitude that has been anywhere displayed since the results of the election became known, was in the following remark of the New York "World," the leader of the Democratic press:

"If the Democratic party is to wage a successfol campaign in 1928 or any subsequent year, it must be done forever with Mr. Bryan, his family and his platforms."

That comment was based upon a statement by William Jennings Bryan to the effect that the Democrats must begin at once on the campaign of 1928.

Now look at the facts.

The Democratic convention, with the approval and connivance of the "World," had nominated John W. Davis for President, and Mr. Davis dictated the nomination of Charles W. Bryan, manifestly for the sole purpose of getting the benefit of the prestige and influence of Bryan, his family and his platforms. If not, what earthly reason was there for the election?

And Mr. Bryan came through as desired. He had made the statement publicly that Davis was impossible—that he could not carry a single Western state. Nevertheless, William J. Bryan swallowed his words in abject humility and went out on the stump to stultify in the hope that Davis might win. No man in American political history ever made such a sacrifice for the benefit of his party.

"Who steals my purse steals trash—but he who filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him but makes me poor indeed."

Davis and the "World" and the Democratic party did not take Bryan's purse, but they asked him for his good name, and he gave it—and today he stands before the American people "poor indeed," shorn of that high honor that was accorded him as a man who stood for principle above all else.

And if Mr. Bryan stultified himself by his support of Davis, so did the "World" in equal degree stultify itself by supporting Charles W. Bryan. If the "World" had been honest with itself and with its readers, it would have denounced Bryan, on the morning after the convention as it now denounces him after the election. It did not do so. It was willing to conceal its real opinions in the hope that party success might thereby be attained.

The Democratic party may need to get rid of the Bryan family, as the "World" says, but, if so, it also needs to get rid of the "World" as well.

THE ANNUAL VICTIM

PECAN GROWING IN ALABAMA VALUABLE AS FOREST TREES

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 17.—Wild pecan trees have recently been found in the vicinity of Uniontown, Ala., meauring approvimately four feet in diameter. One fallen trunk measured considerably over this figure. Men who have lived in the vicinity for over seventy years stated that when they were small children trees equally as large as these were very abundant.

The native pecan is among the most valuable forest trees. Everyone is familiar with the cultivated varities derived from this stock, and the people of the various sections in which the native tree flourishes have good reason to be proud of this item of their natural resources.

Of late years there has been a question raised as to whether the wild pecan was native to Alabama. Early botanists included the tree among those indigenous to the State, but the latest books on the distribution of forest trees omit reference to the pecan in the forests of Alabama, leaving the impression that the apparently wild specimens were really planted by human agency.

To settle this question, Dr. Roland M. Harper of the Alabama Geological Survey and Major Page S. Bunker, State Forester, made a field examination through the sections of the State where the pecan had been reported as existing in a natural wild state. The large specimens discovered and the testimny of the old inhabitants indicate beyond a doubt that the wild pecan existed in Alabama long before any probability of its being introduced into this State from other regions. Thi most interesting and valuable tree has therefore been officially entered in the list of native Alabama trees.

Uncle Abe says the men who talk the least and do the most not only get the most results, but have more to talk about when they're all done.

SANCTUM SIFTINGS

Boston News Bureau.—In a broader view the growth of the country, but in a nearer range the comparatively quick recovery from a brief and partial eclipse of prosperity chiefly due to politics, are recorded by one of the most accurate physical measurements of American business—volume of railroad freight tariff. It signalizes the second week of October with an absolute new high record. The total of 1,102,336 cars moved in the week ended Oct. 18 was nearly 5000 cars greater than the former high, reached n the last week of September a year ago.

Dubuke Times-Journal —Eight hundred thousand farmers of Russia were murdered and executed by Trotzky and Lenine because they hesitated to surrender their farms and their savings to the scoundrels at the head of the revolutionary government of that unhappy country. And yet some of our reformers tell us that Russia today has a better government than America.

Los Angeles Times.—Neither the American producer nor the American consumer can afford to put all his lemons in a Mediterranean basket. Yet, if we destroy our protective tariff, we shall have to take what Europe chooses to send us at its own price or to revive a late song and make it refer to lemons instead of to bananas.

Omaha Bee.—Only one interpretation can be put on the result of the election. Americans are content with Coolidge and have confidence in Dawes.

Washington Post.—Miss America is sitting petty . Values in stock, grain and cotton markets rise $324,000,000 in one day, which looks like rubbing salt into Bob La Follette's wounds.

Philanelphia North American:—
Coolidge and Dawes,
Coolidge and Dawes,
The elephant's stolen
The donkey's hee-haws.

Philadesphia North American.—If LaFollette was right that the election was being bought he must be wrong in having such abounding faith in the peepul.

Wall Street Journal.—Dawes can make even a Vice Presidency interesting, and it is certain that the Senate will have a presiding officer who is not afraid of it.

Columbia Record.—When you can force your enemy to lend you money, you may boast of being as efficient ts the Germans.

Boston Transcript.—Don't worry about Mr. Davis. The tax returns indicate that he can practice law.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.— If there's anything the overwhelming majority of the American people do NOT want, it is American participation in the Geneva super-state.

New York Hearld.—Even the most alert news-reel photographers did not succeed in photographing William Jennings Bryan in the act of making a speech for Davis.

Jersey City Journal.—You never hear a man yelling for liberty if the paying teller stands in awe of him.

FARM FACTS

Dairy farming is cash farming.

Baldwin county won first place at the recent State Fair in Montgomery.

When it comes to dollars and cents, the cow, sow, and hen make a running team.

Cleaning out the corn crib well before the new crop is put in will help keep down weevil injury.

Farm boys and girls are entitled to every day of schooling they can get. A day missed is a day lost.

Before killing hogs write to Extension Service, Auburn, Alabama, for a copy of bulletin No. 56, entitled "Curing Pork on the Farm."

Uncle Ab says the men who talk the least and do the most not only get the most results but have more to talk about after they're all done.

A good permanent pasture with a few livestock will show the greatest per cent profit of any investment at the end of each year.

Too many farmers still do not realize that the experiment stations and agricultural colleges exist largely to save costly mistakes and long experience through struggles by farmers.

The scrub sire is a luxury that few farmers can afford; his first cost is only a small part of the entire cost, for each one of his offspring is worth at least a dollar less than that of a purebred ram.

Cooperative organizations are rapidly making good business men out of thousands of farmers who formerly believed that there were no profits to be made farming.

Fall is soil improvement time as well as harvest time. Sow cover crops, stop washes; build terraces. The farmer who does not do these things loses the full benefit of the high-priced fertilizers he put on the land during the spring and summer.

Weevils are no respector of owners when it comes to eating corn. Ask your county agent for information about how to kill them with carbon disulphide.

Terraces are not needed in dry weaher but it is a mistake to wait until winter rains begin to construct them.

The "rule of thumb" measures that were good enough for our fathers are not good enough today, else there would be no progress.

The farmer who finds the best market for the products of his farm is the one who produces the best products.

Every home should have a kitchen high stool; a satisfactory one may be bought for two or three dollars or made from a child's high chair by removing the arms and back.

When farm work was not pushing last winter farmers of Lauderdale County, Alabama, staged a telephone repair week and put their telephones in order. They repaired old lines, built new lines, and made many other improvements. E. L. Deal, County Agent, was leader of the movement.

The Road To Better Health

EFFECTS OF OVER-EATING
BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

What will happen to the one who overeats on a single occasion?

We can speculate to some extent on what may happen, our speculations being based on the condition of the individual at the time he commits t heoffense.

If he has sound digestive organs, a sound heart, healthy arteries and kidneys, a normal blood pressure, is not over-weight and has no tendency to diabetes, perhaps nothing will happen. There may be some feeling of discomfort or a slight digestive upset. But, this person is not a regular offender, so he suffers no serious results.

When the digestive organs are less healthy, one may not get off so easily. An acute and somewhat severe digestive disturbance may be the penalty.

Hard to Predict Effect

What any one indulgence in too much dinner will do to those who have diseased hearts or kidneys, hardened arteries or high blood pressure, is difficult to predict. Nothing may happen. Excessive eating would add to the strain on the organ of circulation. The large amount of protein likely to be consumed may place an additional burden of work on the already diseased kidneys. Digestive disturbances may result and prove serious in those whose hearts are badly diseased.

Victims of angina pectoris (neuralgia of the heart) have often eaten too heartily a short time previous to one of the attacks. In the presence of a high blood pressure and brittle, hardened arteries, a heavy meal has been followed by an apoplectic stroke.

Those who are over-weight add to their burden of fat. The large amount of carbohydrates likely to be consumed in the course of a big dinner may cause the appearance of sugar in the urine in the case of those who are on the verge of diabetes. The diabetic patient lessens his chance of recovery.

And, everyone knows that food of the wrong kind and in excessive amounts often causes digestive disturbances in children.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Sore Mouth

W. F. G. writes: "During the past two years, I have frequently been troubled with a sore mouth and tongue. I try to keep my teeth clean and use some mouth wash. Sometimes my appetite is not good. I would like to know what causes such frequent sore mouth and what can be done for it?"

Reply

Foods that are too hot or irritating, smoking, infections of the mouth, digestive disturbances, anemia and other debilitating conditions may cause the soreness.

Avoid all sources of irritation to the mouth. Have an examination to determine the condition of your general health. As a sore tongue is sometimes present in certain kinds of anemia, have a blood examination.

Clean Teeth Twice a Day

T. L. F. asks: "What is the best time to clean the teeth, morning or night?"

Reply

If you clean your teeth but once a day, clean them at bed time. It seems to be the accepted idea that teeth should be cleaned both morning and night. Some authorities have recommended brushing the teeth after each meal.

His Temperature Varies

A. K. writes: "In the morning my temperature is sometimes only 97.8 degrees Fahrenheit. Later in the day it often rises a high as 99.0 degrees. What wiuld cause my temperature to go up and down like that? There does not seem to be anything the matter with me."

Reply

While the average normal temperature of the human body is 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit, it probably varies within certain narrow limits. One authority gives the minimum and maximum normal temperatures of the adult as 97.2 degrees and 99.5 degrees Fahrenheit respectively. (These temperatures are determined by placing the thermometer under the tongue).

Why do you take your temperature so often? If you have any doubt as to your general health, you should be examined.

Infantile Paralysis

Mrs. A. L. W. writes: "There have been some cases of infantile paralysis near where we live. We would like to know if this disease is contagious, what the symptoms are, and whether adults ever get it?"

Reply

The name of infantile paralysis is acute anterior poliomyelitis. The disease is contagious but, apparently mildly so. It is transmitted from one person to another either by direct contact or by means of carriers. The virus seems to be present in the secretions of the nose, throat and mouth of those suffering from the disease and those who are carriers. Infection results from contamination wtih these secretions.

The symptoms are fever, pain in the head, pain and stiffness in the back of the neck and often down the spine and in the legs. The patient may be either drowsy or irritable. The throat and eyes may be reddened. There may be vomiting. In many cases paralysis of some groups of muscles of the legs, arms, and even of the trunk rapidly develops. The muscles of the legs are most often affected. Not all cases of acute anterior poliomyelitis develop paralysis.

The disease occurs most frequently in children under six years of age. It is uncommon among adults.

Infection With Round Worms

Mrs. H. S. asks: "How do round worms get into the bowels?"

Reply

The eggs (ova) are conveyed to the mouth by drinking water, vegetables, fruits, and dirty hands. Flies may possibly convey the ova to food.

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PROGRAM OF THE FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The Chilton County Association will convene with Pates Chapel, two miles West of Thorsby on Nov. 30.

9:45 a.m.—Devotional exercises by H. D. Durbin.

10, a.m.—The vision of our day, J. D. Hughes.

10:30 a.m.—The bible and stewardship, B. Lawrence.

11:00, a.m. The W. M. U., Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

11:20 a.m.—By state worker subject to be sleected.

12:00 Noon.

1:15. Devotional.

1:45. The relation of the Holy spirit to the Kingdom work, T. J. Deason, E. T. L.

2:15. The place of Prayer in the Kingdom work, W. P. Lowery.

2:40. The B. Y. P. U., Mis Lena Franklin.

2:50. Miscellaneous.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

ADAMS NEWS

There is lots of sickness around Adams, also dry weather.

Mr. Ellis Mitchell has returned to Birmingham after spending several days down here with relatives and friends.

Misses Bulah and Moody Chambers spent Sunday with the Misses Foshee.

Mr. Hardy Giles was buried at Mt. Carmel Wednesday. We extend our sympathy to his folks.

Several from this place went to Maplesville last Thursday night to attend Harris Bros. Shows.

Mr. Union Chambers left for Birmingham Sunday afternoon, where he expects to work.

Several from around here attended the box supper at Pilgrim Saturday night.

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REASONS ASSIGNED FOR GIVING THANKS

"Farmers Have Received Many Blessings," Declares Director of Extension Service.

Auburn, Ala., Nov. 17.—With many blesings for which to be thankful, Alabama farmers are approaching another Thanksgiving season. Although they have been confronted with big problems during the year, Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director of the Alabama Extension Service, declares that the year has been successful and that definite progress has been made along many lines.

Taken as a whole, the crops produced in Alabama this year have been large. The cotton crop is the largest in many years and the price is considerably above a ten-year average. A much larger number of Alabama cotton growers are pooling their cotton for co-operative marketing which is having its effect on the price. The same is true in all other states where cotton is grown.

Records of the year will show that Alabama farmers have made outstanding improvements in the production of crops. By demonstrations conducted in co-operation with county agents they have become better acquainted with fertilizers and how to use them, and by buying co-operatively the right kind of fertilizer was obtained at a lower price. Literally, thousands of farmers mixed their fertilizer at home last pring and as a result they have gathered larger crops of cotton this fall.

Due to a severe drouth which has lasted since late summer, the winter legume crop is late in being planted. It will be approximately double the acreage of 1923, which exceeded all previous year.

Outstanding in the development of the year, Prof. Duncan refers to the growth of co-operative marketing, of organization among farmers, and to closer co-operation among the farmers, bankers, merchants, and professional men for mutual good.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lande Sunday night a baby boy. Mrs. Lande and son will return home from Montgomery within a few days. Needless to say, Maurice is exceedingly proud of the young visitor.

SOUTH CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Badie Watts and children of Ensley were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Crim Sunday.

Mr. W. A. Jones and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Sims.

Miss Elsie Busby of Jemison was the week-end guest of Miss Ethel Brown.

An interesting play, "The Early Bird" was given at the Wadesonian Theatre Friday night. The proceeds will go to the Methodist church of Calera.

Mrs. Sid Pilgreen and Mrs. Florence Pilgreen spent one day last week with Mrs. Jessie Cox.

Miss Audie Broadhead is visiting in Birmingham for a while.

Mr. Alza Martin motored to Colemont Sunday.

Mr. Homer Martin from Birmingham was home for a short while last week visiting his mother.

Miss Lillie Gothard from Randolph was visiting in South Calera last week.

Rev. W. H. Pilgreen and wife of Calera were the guests of Mrs. Cox for a while Monday.

Chicago Tribune.—Recognizing Moscow; We do. That's why we don't.

EVERYBODY'S GOING!

Where? To Pine Dale. When? Saturday night, Nov. 22. What for? A Box Supper. Which box supper? The biggest one of this season. Come and enjoy yourself.

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PLAY AT MARS HILL SAT. NIGHT

Come to Mars Hill for a good laugh Saturday night, November 22, 1924. Come and see what happened at "Mrs. Lizzy's Boarding House."

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Come and see the stunts of the 12 black faced commedians.

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Or two Shirts for $1.75
1 lot Men's $2.50 Dress Shirts for $1.98
Or two Shirts for $3.75
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Or two Shirts for $2.75

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1 lot colored Indian Head 39c
1 lot Imported Ginghams 38c
1 lot 20c Ginghams 17c
1 lot 30c Ginghams 23c
1 lot Tupelo Cheviots, solid and fancy colors 17c
1 lot 25c Percale 22c
1 lot 35c Percale 29c
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1 lot $1.25 Sweaters 98c
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With the first ten $20.00 purchases we will give a Broom Free to each purchaser.

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1 lot Men's Clothing, worth $25.00, $19.95
1 lot Men's Clothing, worth $22.50, $17.95
1 lot Boys' Clothing, worth $7.50, now $4.95
1 lot Boys' Clothing, worth $12.50, $8.95
1 lot Boys' Corduroy Suits, size 4 to 8, $2.98

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1 lot Ladies' Strap Brown Kid Slippers $1.98
1 lot Ladies' Patent Leather Strap Pumps $1.98
1 lot Ladies' Patent two-tone Pumps $2.98
1 lot Men's Work Shoes $1.98
1 lot Men's Work Shoes $2.19
1 lot Men's $6.00 Dress Shoes $4.95
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1 lot Caps worth 50c, now 39c
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1 lot Young Men's $2.00 Caps, now $1.69
1 lot Boys' Hats, worth 75c, now 49c
1 lot Men's Hats, worth $2.50 to $3, at $1.98
1 lot Men's Hats, worth $3.50 to $4, at $2.98
1 lot Men's Hats, worth $4.50 to $5, at $3.98

PANTS

1 lot Dress Pants, worth $3.50, now $2.98
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $5.00, now $3.98
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $6.00, now $4.95
1 lot Dress Pants, worth $7.50, now $6.50
1 lot Lace Pants $2.49
1 lot Work Pants $1.98
1 lot Boys' Overalls 98c
1 lot Men's Overalls $1.25

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan motored to Selma last Wednesday to be present at the wedding of a friend. On Monday of this week Mr. Reagan made a business trip to Mirmingham.

Martin Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson left for Bessemer last week, where he will remain for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno S. Villadsen motored to Jasper Thursday evening and took with them Miss Nellie Werness as far as Birmingham. The special occasion at Jasper was "home coming" to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the organization of the city. Mr. and Mr. Villadsen returned Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Bean of Birmingham visited her niece, Mrs. Clyde Mead last Tuesday. Mr. Earl Mead spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mead.

The Lutehran Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon, Nov. 20th, at the home of Mrs. James Bosworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Littleton of Birmingham were week end visitors in Thorsby.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson and children, Henry and Mary Sue, were visitors in Montgomery Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. D. Thompson made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Carter returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in Birmingham.

The Ladies Guild of Thorsby will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson Friday afternoon, Nov. 28. This meeting will be held on Friday instead of Thursday, which is Thanksgiving day.

The annual Ladies Bazaar will be held Saturday, December 13th at Thorsby Restaurant, which has been rented for the day for this purpose. Dinner will be served at 12 o'clock, noon. Fancy and useful articles will be on sale during the day.

Mrs. J. E. Each and little Mary Marie left Tuesday, the 11th, for a month's visit with her parents in Oklahoma, where she will also meet all her brothers and sisters at a family reunion Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Henning and family motored to Montgomery on Saturday.

Last Sunday was "home coming" day at the Thorsby Congregational church. The house was well filled with a very attentive audience. Rev. Joseph E. Each, pastor of the church, delivered an interesting sermon. The singing was mostly familiar hymns, in which all joined heartily. The church was beautifully decorated with ferns, vines and flowers.

For several years Thorsby Institute has had one program a year given by classes. The students have popularly called it "stunt nite." Each class is allowed about 20 minutes during which time they give a sketch, debate, farce, pantomine, music or some form of entertainment. In the past these programs have given many surprises and afforded an evening of wholesome laughter, fun and pleasure. This year each class is sure they are going to out-do anything that has ever been given. Will you not be a judge by coming to Bates Hall Saturday, November 22 at 7:30?

The school week of Nov. 17-21 is being observed as American Education week in our morning chapel exercises. The programs already given on the Constitution, Patriotism, and School and Teacher, have been well planned and executed.

The Christian Endeavor Society gave a very interesting program Sunday evening, November 16th, at the Congregational church. The leader was Miss Boona Lee Wood. The topic was "Our Money for Christ." The first part of the program was very well rendered by the Junior Endeavors. Their topic was "The Meaning of the Pledge and why we keep it." The meeting was continued by the Senior Endeavors, and several of the young people took part. We also had the installation of new officers by Rev. Each, as follows: President, Bernice Williams; Vice-president, Lewis Kelly; Treasurer, Harris Turner. We have added several new members to our society since the first of September.

Patterson-Burnett Wedding.

Before a circle of friends, beautiful was the wedding on Sunday evening of Mr. Tommie Patterson and Miss Flossie Burnett, daughter of Mrs. Martha Burnett at her home in Thorsby. The home was beautifully decorated with autumn flowers of yellow and white. The bride was exquisite in a traveling gown of tan crepe Romaine with accessories to match. The vows were read by E. R. Piper. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will be at home in Columbus, Ga. The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Judge Culver, Mr. Robert Culver of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Wyatt of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson of Verbena.

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HOUSE FOR SALE—A 5-room bungalow on Second Avenue South, in block and half of high school; water and lights; lot 75 x 140 feet.—J. W. Franklin, Clanton, Ala. 11-12-2t-pd

LOST—Between Clanton Mercantile Company and Wilson Hotel, one black crepe dress in small box. $5 reward for return. Clanton Mercantile Co., Clanton, Ala. 2t c

LOST or STOLEN—One 12 size gold watch and chain, stratford dial; reward for information leading to recovery, will be worth while.—C. D. Wells, with Robinson Lumber Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-12-3t-pd

FOR RENT

One four room house on Birmingham-Montgomery highway. Write or see Mrs. G. W. Finley, 1013 10th Ave. and 29th St. N. Birmingham. 10-23—4t—pd.

FOR SALE—One nice black horse, 9 years old, weighs about 1100 pounds, well built, good qualities, work anywhere; also 3 bushels ear corn. If interested see me quick. 11-20-2t HUGH JONES.

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Night coughing which, through loss of valuable sleep, often makes you feel utterly worn-out and useless during the day, and by quickly weakening the system lays you open to the most dangerous infections, can now be promptly checked by a very simple treatment. People who have hardly been able to rest on account of coughing spells have found that they can sleep the whole night through undisturbed often after the very first trial.

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LOST—Between Walnut Creek church and Clanton, a handbag containing one Bible, one discipline book, one clothes brush, soap and salve, and some papers. If found, please return to Rev. G. B. Golden, Clanton, Route 5, or the Union-Banner office. 1t-c

CARPENTER and Cement Work of any kind, done by Jas. A. Lawrence & Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-20-4t c

FARM FOR SALE—I will offer and sell to the highest bidder, on Saturday, Nov. 22, my 20-acre farm, located on the new B. & M. highway, half-mile north of Thorsby.

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FOR SALE—My home in Gowan Addition; has water and lights, garage, etc. Will sell at reasonable price.—W. L. Powell, Clanton, Ala.

LOST—One little bull calf, weighs between 20 and 25 lbs. to the quarter. Left home about the first of November, been gone about three weeks. Finder please return to J. L. Dupree, Clanton, Ala. R. 2. 11-20—3t.

FARM FOR SALE—The Harrison farm, 4 miles east of Stanton, 160 acres, about 60 acres under cultivation; one 4-room house, one 3-room house; wire fencing; good well of water; creek running through farm. Price $700.00; terms to right person. Mrs. Deborah Harrison, Box 4, Republic, Ala. 11-13-2t c

LAND FOR SALE—40 Acres, near Enterprise Junior High School. Has running water in good pasture. 24 acres in cultivation. 7 1-2 miles of Clanton. Good dwelling and outbuildings. Apply to W. J. Bice, Clanton, Ala., R. 6, or to Union-Banner. 11-6—5t-pd.

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LAND FOR RENT—I have a 2-horse farm for rent; prefer to rent on halves; a good place, good house; two miles north of Coopers; 28 acres clear of stumps and rocks.—R. T. Grant. 10-30-3t-c Cooper, Ala.

LOST—Between Lomax and the poor house one crank for Donge Car. Finder please return to J. M. Mims Clanton, Route 4, or The Union-Banner office.

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LEGAL NOTICES

IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE No. 7

An ordinance to provide for certain improvements on Eighth Street, from the north property line on Second Avenue, North, to the South property line of Seventh Avenue, North.

Be It Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. That the sidewalk on each side of Eighth Street from the North property line on Second Avenue, North, to the South property line on Seventh Avenue, North, shall be connected and paved with Portland cement concrete sidewalk paving for a width of five feet, and a depth of four inches. That alley crossings shall be paved with Portland cement concrete paving for eight inches thick.

Section 2. That said impropements shall be made in accordance with the established grades on file in the office of the Town Clerk, for said portion of said Street, and according to full details, drawings, plans, specifications and surveys of said work, and estimates of said work which shall be prepared by the City Engineer as early as practical, and placed by him on file in the office of the Town Clerk of Clanton, Ala., at least two weeks prior to the date hereinafter fixed for hearing objections, remonstrances, or protests before the Town Council, where property owners affected by said improvement may see and examine the same.

Section 3. That the cost of constructing said improvement shall be assessed against the property abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(a). That the cost of improvements at or upon the street intersections shall be assessed against the lots or parcels of land abutting on said highway so intersecting for one-half block in each direction.

(b). That the cost of laying alley paving shall be assessed against all lots or parcels of land abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(c). That no assessment shall exceed the cost of such improvement or the increased value of such property by reason of the special benefit derived from such improvement.

Section 4. That the estimated cost of said improvement is $1300.00. The Council of the Town of Clanton, will meet on the 12th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the Council Chamber of the Town office, to hear objections, remonstrances, or protests that may be made against said improvements, the manner of making the same or the character of the material to be used.

Read and approved and finally adopted this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

A true copy:
ADA M. ATKINSON, Town Clerk.

IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE No. 8

An ordinance to provide for certain improvements on First Avenue, from the West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street.

Be It Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. That First Avenue from West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street, shall be graded.

Section 2. That the sidewalks on each side of First Avenue from the West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street, shall be paved with Portland cement concrete sidewalk paving, for a width of five feet and a depth of four inches. That alley crossings shall be paved with Portland cement concrete paving for a depth of eight inches.

Section 3. That said improvements shall be made in accordance with the established grades on file in the office of the Town Clerk, for said portion of said Avenue, and according to full details, drawings, plans, specifications and surveys of said work, and estimates of said work shall be prepared by the City Engineer as early as practical and placed by him on file in the office of the Town Clerk of Clanton at least two weeks prior to the date hereinafter fixed for hearing objections, remonstrances or protests before the Town Council where property owners affected by said improvements may see and examine the same.

Section 4. That the cost of constructing said improvement shall be assessed against the property abutting on the portion of the Avenue so improved.

(a). That the cost of improvements at or upon the Avenue intersections shall be assessed against the lots or parcels of land abutting on said highway so intersecting for one-half block in each direction.

(b). That the cost of laying alley paving shall be assessed against all lots or parcels of land abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(c). That no assessments shall exceed the cost of such improvement or the increased value of said property by reason of the special benefit derived from such improvement.

Section 5. That the estimated cost of said improvement is $4000.00, and the Council of the Town of Clanton, will meet on the 12th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the Council Chamber of the Town office, to hear objections, remonstrances or protests that may be made against said improvements, the manner of making the same, or the character of the material to be used.

Read and approved and finally adopted this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

A true copy:
ADA M. ATKINSON, Town Clerk.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

To Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll or list, prepared in accordance with the law in such cases, made and provided under an ordinance entitled "Improvement Ordinance No. 4, an Ordinance to provide for certain improvements on Sixth Street," adopted and confirmed on July 14th, 1924, by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama has been delivered to me and is open for inspection in the office of the Town Clerk, the person authorized to make collection of assessments of improvements constructed under said ordinance, and that the Council of the Town of Clanton will meet on December 12th, 1924, in the Council Chamber of the City office of Clanton, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to hear any objection, protests or defenses that may be filed to such proposed assessments, or the amount thereof.

The general character of the improvement constructed under said ordinance consists of certain concrete sidewalk paving, alley clossings and grading.

The Streets, Avenues, Alleys, or other highways or portions thereof, which said improvement has been constructed and the terminal points of said improvement are as follows, to-wit: On Sixth Street, from the North property line of First Avenue, to the South property line of Fifth Avenue North.

ADA M. ATKINSON.
1t Town Clerk.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll or list, prepared in accordance with the law in such cases, made and provided by an ordinance entitled "Improvement Ordinance No. 6, an Ordinance to provide for certain improvements on Second Avenue South," adopted and confirmed on July 28th, 1924, by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Ala., has been delivered to me and is open for inspection in the office of the Town Clerk, the person authorized to make collection of assessments of improvements constructed under said ordinance, and that the Council of the Town of Clanton will meet on December 12th, 1924, in the Council Chamber of the City office of the Town of Clanton, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to hear any objections, protests or defenses that may be filed to such proposed assessments, or the amount thereof.

The general character of the improvements constructed under said ordinance consists of certain grading, concrete sidewalk paving, and alley crossing.

The Streets, Avenues, Alleys or other highways or portions thereof, which said improvements have been constructed and the terminal points of said improvements are as follows, to-wit: On Second Avenue South, from the West property line of First Street to the East property line of Sixth Street.

ADA M. ATKINSON.
1t Town Clerk.

Mr. R. W. Goodin and son, Henry from Fearns Springs Miss., were visitors to Mr. George Ewdards recently.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on the 23rd day of November, 1918, by G. G. Riggins, and due and payable to the undersigned, W. A. Wood, on November 20th, 1919, and which said mortgage is recorded in Mortgage Book 166, page 234, in the office of the Probate Judge of Chilton County, Alabama, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in Clanton, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale, on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1924, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

South 1-2 of the Northwest 1-4 and North 1-2 of the Southwest 1-4, of Section 25, Township 22, Range 13, containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) Acres of land, more or less.

Said sale to be made under the powers contained in said mortgage and the proceeds of said sale are to be applied, first, to the expenses incident to this foreclosure sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and second, to the payment of the indebtedness due on said mortgage.

Witness my hand this 29th day of October, 1924.

W. A. WOOD, Mortgagee.
J. OSMOND MIDDLETON,
10 5d1t Attorney for Mortgagee.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, convicted in the spring term, 1924, of the circuit court of Chilton County for having still in possession and sentenced to had labor for 18 to 24 months, will make application to the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

(Signed) MACK HENLEY.

TO MY FRIENDS

I wish to say that I own and operate The Best Cafe, next door to Main St. Garage. Your trade will be very much appreciated.

11-6-3t-pd. MRS. B. H. VICKERS.

AGRICULTURAL CENSUS TO BE TAKEN SOON

Auburn, Ala., Nov. 17.—F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician, will supervise the enumeration of the agricultural census in the fifth district of Alabama comprising the counties of Autauga, Chilton, Chambers, Coosa, Elmore, Lee, Lowndes, Montgomery, Russell, and Tallapoosa. Upon being requested by the Census Bureau to serve in this capacity, he has consented to do so, conducting this work along with his regular agricultural statistical work.

In assuming the responsibilities Mr. Gist said that with the co-operation of the county demonstration agents, enumerators are now being selected and that they should begin work not later than December 1 and complete it by January 1, if not before.

The census will be as complete as any other agricultural census ever taken, covering in all more than 100 subjects pertaining to every phase of agriculture. Heretofore an agricultural census has been taken only each decade along with the general census, but leaders in the work have maintained that an agricultural census should be taken every five years.

Alabama is divided for this work into seven districts. Two of them will be supervised by trained men from the Census Bureau in Washington while four will be covered by local men, leaving the fifth to Mr. Gist who has had long experience in census and other statistical work.

Co-operating with Mr. Gist, Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director of the Alabama Extension Service, has called a conference of the county agents in the counties concerned to meet in Auburn, November 21, concerning ways and means of enumerating the census, the main object of the conference being to select the personnel of the enumerators.

P. O. DAVIS.

TEA SUPPER

There will be a tea supper at Chestnut Creek church, Nov. 21, at seven o'clock, given by the Ladies' Aid, for the benefit of the church.

Everybody is invited to take part with us. We will have some good songs, quartettes and a fishing pond, and will serve sandwiches and other good things.

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Give The Railroads A Chance To Make Good Under The Transportation Act

Of the large number of legislative measures which will be considered at the coming session of Congress, there are none of more importance to the American people than those affecting the operation of the so-called "Transportation Act".

This act, commonly known as the Esch-Cummins Bill, became a law on February 28, 1920, and the railroads had barely begun to adjust themselves to its regulations when criticisms were directed at the measure and politicians started tinkering with its provisions.

There are many bills pending in Congress designed to repeal or modify important parts of this act, notably Section 15 (a).

In this much-discussed section of the law Congress prescribes what the courts had already decided, that since the Government had taken from the railroads the power to make rates, the Government must itself make rates that would produce a fair return upon the value of the property used for transportation purposes. Anything short of this would be confiscation, and hence unconstitutional. Under this arrangement the Commission fixes the value of the property, fixes what is a fair return (at present 5½ percent has been designated) and fixes the rates themselves. How else could the interest of the public be more perfectly protected?

So far under this law, the railroads have not in any year earned as much as the rate of return fixed by the Commission. They are desirous, however, of giving the law a fair trial; but the political agitators, never satisfied, are not willing to do this.

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By Dr. V. M. Pierce

Knowing the vast amount of harm wrought by diseases of the kidneys, and having had opportunity to observe the analyses and the successful methods of treatment in thousands of cases of kidney trouble at the Invalids' Hotel, I have recently given to the public the latest and perhaps most important of the Dr. Pierce home remedies, "An-uric" (anti-uric-acid) Tablets, which I now recommend to those who suffer with kidney backache, irregularity of urination and the pains and disturbances that come from excess of uric acid in the blood.

"An-uric" can be had now at all the drug stores. The mere drinking of a cup of hot water each morning and a little "An-uric" before every meal should bring remarkably quick improvement. You may have kidney trouble and not know it. The danger signals to be watched for and quickly heeded are backache, depression, aches, pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability, headaches, chilliness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints, gout.

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CIRCUIT COURT CLOSES AFTER A VERY BUSY TERM

(Continued from page 1)

Eunice Watson, violating road law; continued.

Cleve Watson, failure to dip cattle; continued.

Leo Dykes, cruelty to animals; continued.

Ella Mae Ellison, abusive language; continued.

Rosa Bowdoin, assault and battery; continued.

Gus Wallace, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; guilty, sentenced 18 months to two years; appealed, bind fixed at $1,000.00.

Rube Jones, violating game law; continued.

Willie Bowman, driving motor vehicle while intoxicated; continued.

Joe Y. Gray, violating prohibition law; not guilty.

Orville Roper, violating prohibition law; nol prossed.

Pearl Scott, assault with intent to murder; nol prossed.

Henry Ratliff, assault with intent to murder; continued.

Rother Dutton, assault with intent to murder; continued.

Frank Thomas, grand larceny; plead guilty, sentenced 2 years to 3 years.

Irby Webb, disturbing public worship; continued on payment of fees.

Clayton Ratliff, assault with weapon; plead guilty, fined $15.00.

Martin Giles, violating prohibition law; not guilty.

George Headley, manufacturing whiskey and having still in possession, guilty, sentenced for two to three years.

Marshall Headley, manufacturing whiskey and having still; plead guilty, sentenced one year to 18 months.

Martin Giles, violating prohibition law; mistrial.

Lewis Dennis and Argie Pierce, adultery; continued.

Roy Clayton, carnal knowledge; guilty, sentenced to penitentiary for five years.

Calvin McNeil, grand larceny; plead guilty, sentenced three years.

Joseph Leonard, violating prohibition law; guilty, and fine of $100.00 assessed; appealed.

Annie Peavey, violating prohibition law; guilty and fine of $30.00 assessed; appealed.

Steve Dutton, manufacturing liquor and possession of still; jury and verdict of guilty; sentenced to penitentiary for one year and one day to thirteen months.

Will J. Gore, violating prohibition law; guilty and fined $50 and cost, and sentenced to hard labor for county for three months.

Robert Harris, murder 2nd degree; jury and verdict guilty manslaughter, sentenced to penitentiary one year and one day.

Joe Dees, burglary and grand larceny; plead guilty to petit larceny; fined $150.00 and sentenced to hard labor for fine and cost.

Chatman Trott, assault with intent to murder; plead guilty to assault and battery with a weapon and fined $50.00; sentenced to hard labor for fine and cost.

Nathan Parris, assault with intent to murder; plead guilty of assault with weapon and fined $25.00; sentenced to hard labor for county for fine and cost.

James Gaylor, violating prohibition law; jury, verdict guilty and fine of $50.00; fine paid.

Sam Cunningham, manufacturing liquor and possession of still; plead guilty, sentenced to penitentiary for one year and one day to 13 months.

Calup Smith, manufacturing liquor and possessing still; plead guilty and sentenced to penitentiary for one year and one day to 13 months.

Mack Boswell, assault and battery; jury, verdict guilty and fined $10.00; appealed.

L. B. Patterson, assault and battery; jury, verdict guilty and fined $10.00; appealed.

REPORT OF THE GRAND JURY OF CHILTON COUNTY

Continued from page 1).

way very satisfactory to us.

We want to express our appreciation to the efficient service the Sheriff of our county is rendering. We feel that the people of the county should feel proud and are to be congratulated upon the efficient and earnest work which our Sheriff is doing toward the enforcement of all laws. We feel that as a result of his work we have a cleaner county, and a better and a more law-abiding citizenship.

We want to thank the Bailiff for his prompt attention to his duties.

Now having completed our duty, we await the further orders of the Court.

Dated this the 13th day of November, 1924.

W. A. KEMP, Foreman.

Exhibit "B"

Clanton, Ala., Nov. 3, 1924.

To the Honorable Grand Jury of Chilton County, Fall Term, 1924:

I beg to submit the following report of cash on hand in the several funds:

General Funds	$1,415.22
Road Funds	936.29
Special Gasoline Tay Funds	2,300.00
Land Redemption Funds	557.85
Fine and Forfeiture Funds	1,972.93
	$7,182.29

JESSE BAKER, Treasurer
Chilton County, Alabama.

GRADY REYNOLDS
Attorney-at-Law
Office Opposite Court House
Clanton, Ala.

DEATH OF MR. HARDY GILES

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow us space in your dear old paper to thank the good people of this community for their loving kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our dear father and husband, Hardy Giles, who was called from our home Tuesday morning, November 11, 1924. May God's richest blessings rest upon each and every one who lent a helping hand, a word of sympathy, during the illness of one that had been with us for many years and had been afflicted for over 20 years with a chronic sore leg.

Hardy Giles was 74 years old, and he leaves to mourn his loss ten children, all living, a wife, 22 grand children, two brothers, and a host of other near relatives and friends. The wife and all children were by the bed side, and he knew them all, giving them good advice. We will make a great mistake if we do not obey and take his good advice. We are determined by the help of our Father in heaven to do our best at any and all times. Father leaves a vacant chair in his home here in the world, where he has lived, which can never be filled. We miss him every where we go, though we know by his parting words that he is gone to a Home beyond this veil of tears, where sorrow he shall see no more.

A great consolation to his loved ones and friends is that he did not fear death. He was ready and willing to pay the debt we all must pay.

The remains were laid to rest at Mt. Carmel Church November 12th, Rev. C. Taylor having charge of the service. Bro. Taylor delivered words that all the family was pleased with, his favorite song being sung by Mrs. Gladys Short and others, "Beautiful Home," and "When the Angels Come for me."

We thank the people for their continuation of help and words of sympathy to us lonely ones that are left at home. Only four must bear the burden at the old home place—wife, two daughters and one son. We are friends to all until death calls us to meet Him.

THE HOME FOLKS.

BIG BOX SUPPER

On next Saturday night, November 22nd there will be a box supper at Mineral Springs schoolhouse, also various contests. Everybody is cordially invited to attend as a grand time is assured to all. Proceeds will go for school equipment.

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PROGRAM WEEK OF PRAYER

Program of Week of Prayer at Methodist Church, Sunday Morning, Mrs. M. L. White, Leader.

1. Hymn No. 652.
2. Bible lesson, subject, "Prayer," Mrs. Claude Jones.
3. Prayer, by Mrs. Claude Jones.
4. "How Mina Pak's Prayer was Answered," Corrine Polk.
5. "The Boy who Prayed a Garden of God into Africa," by Louise McSwain.
6. Hymn 682, by Juniors.
7. "Children's Evangelism and Home Missions among the West Virginia miners," Mrs. J. C. Jones. Hymn No. 701.
8. "Cofigio Progress, Parral, Mexico," Mrs. Joe Calloway.
9. Hymn No. 633.
10. Prayer, Mrs. B. M. Roberts.
11. Offering. Hymn No. 688.
12. Prayer, Miss Florence Headley.

Commissioners Court was in session at the court house in Clanton the first of this week. Last week was the regular time for the quarterly meeting of the court, but it was postponed on account of circuit court and the grand jury being in session.

Practical Nurse Tells

Mrs. N. E. Snow, of Route 1, near Paris, Tenn., tells the story of her experience as follows:

"I am 62 years old and I have been a practical nurse for more than 20 years, taking mostly maternity cases. One of my daughters suffered from cramping at . . . She would just bend double and have to go to bed.

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EAST COX NEWS

Our school here at Cox Chapel is progressing nicely at present. Miss Eula Abbott is the teacher.

A large crowd from around here attended the Harris Bros. Circus at Maplesville Thursday.

Seems like moving is all the go here with the people, who are preparing for next year's crop.

Mrs. Rube Smitherman and children are visiting relatives at Selma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Lawley and family left for their new home at Tuscaloosa Thursday. They will be badly missed.

Miss Mary Lee Smitherman spent Sunday with her chum, Miss Thelma Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strough and family are visiting relatives of North Alabama this week.

SINGING AT SHILOX

The singing at Shiloh last Sunday afternoon was a grand success and enjoyed by a large crowd. The society was opened by the usual method. One song by the chairman, J. I. Bice, followed with prayer by Prof. F. I. Popwell. A very interesting program was then arranged by Misses Moore and Traywick. Directors for the afternoon were Misses Ruth Cox, Jeanette Mims, Messrs. Tommie Billingsley, Sam Henley, L. F. Eckler, I. D. Huett, Raymond Brigance, and F. I. Popwell. Organists were Miss Susie Huett, Profs. Brigance, Huett and Popwell.

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Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

MRS. WARREN G. HARDING IS LAID BESIDE HUSBAND

Hundreds Pay Tribute to Wife of Late President; Flowers Cover Casket.

Marion, Ohio, Nov. 24.—Under a leaden November sky, Florence Kling Harding was laid to eternal rest in Marion cemetery today beside the mortal remains of her husband whom she helped rise from a country editor to the presidency of the United States.

Grouped around the gray vault with heads bared to the chill wind that carried a flurry of snow flakes, hundreds paid a last tribute to the widow of Warren G. Harding, twenty-ninth chief executive of the nation.

Inside a small vault, the few relatives and the friends who were with her in the last days of her life, listened to the brief services that preceded the final commitment of her body.

The casket, a veritable mass of flowers, was carried into the narrow room. The Rev. Jesse Swank, pastor of the Epworth Episcopal church, read the regular burial service of his church. Rev. Geo. M. Landis, who had been President Harding's pastor, pronounced the benediction, and hardly had his words ceased when softly on the air swelled the refrain of "The End of a Perfect Day" from two-score male throats. The brazen tone of bugles sounding taps rung through the cemetery and as the final notes ended, the vault doors were gently closed and the silent crowd turned away.

Mrs. Harding's body will rest beside that of her husband in the receiving vault at the cemetery until the proposed Harding Memorial, which will be erected on a high bit of land outside the city limits, is competed, when they both will be moved there.

BIG AUDITORIUM AT SOLDIERS HOME BURNED LAST WEEK

The big auditorium at the old Soldiers Home at Mt. Creek was destroyed by fire Tuesday of last week. The large building with practically all of its contents was destroyed, together with the old soldiers' library. Also a lot of the old soldiers' clothes were burned up in the fire. The building, belonging to the State, cost about $20,000, and was only partially covered with insurance. The structure was made of logs, stone and lumber.

SINGING SOCIETY TO MEET AT NEW SALEM CHURCH

The United Singing Society will meet next Sunday afternoon, Nov. 30 at New Salem Church. Mr. Elijah and Archie Glass will be there to conduct the singing as usual. Mr. Duff Devaughn is expected to be there. Everybody is invited to come.

R. H. BEAN.

OLD HENRY MAHAN PLACE BURNED DOWN SUNDAY

The old home place of Henry Mahan on Yellow Leaf Creek was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning. The building belonged to Mr. Jim Mims of Collins Chapel, and Mr. Archie Traywick was living at the place.

THREE MEN AND ONE WOMAN ARRESTED THE PAST WEEK

On last Wednesday Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Easterling raided the place of Reese Blewster a few miles above Jemison, and found buried in the edge of his yard a five-gallon can containing about three gallons of whiskey. Blewster was arrested and brought to jail, later making bond.

Clifford Culp and Senie Culp af Bear Creek community were arrested Saturday, charged with grand larceny. The two were brought to jail. Mrs. Culp was released on bond, but Clifford Culp has failed to make his bond.

Oscar Miner of near Refuge was arrested and put in jail Sunday evening, charged with violating the prohibition laws. The arrest was made in connection with the raid made by the officers last week in the Easterling community. Mined made bond Sunday night and was released from jail.

REVIEW OF 1924 FOOTBALL SEASON AT CHILTON HIGH

Closes Most Satisfactory Season of Athletics in History of the High School.

By defeating University High last Friday, 13 to 12, the Chilton County High School football squad closed a satisfactory football season.

The first game resulted, C. C. H. S. 21, F. D. A. S. at Sylacauga, 0. Next, Marbury bowed to a 20 to 0 defeat. Then the tie with Prattville which is in the hands of the Association executives for settlement, Chilton putting the ball on Prattville's goal line, but a touchdown was not allowed. The Aviation Repair Depot, a Montgomery team, was next defeated, 23 to 3. This was the first score to be made on Chilton for the season. Playing outside the association, the next game was lost, 41 to 0. In this game the Chilton boys were outweighed to such a degree that football critics wondered how the light Chilton team held them so well. Next, Bibb County Hi was defeated 45 to 0, this being the easiest game of the season, the first touchdown coming 30 seconds after the opening whistle. And the final game last Friday, the hardest of the season was won. Chilton supporters are very well pleased with the 1924 football record, it being one of the best, if not the best in the history of Chilton County High School athletics.

Vann, at center, has shown that he has the makings of a good man when he enters college, a bad pass not being chalked up againht him for the season. The DeLonch brothers are as good as could be wished for, they being, with Vann the center of the impregnable wall that held University High on the one-yard line for four successive downs. Gragg has played with the best of high school tackles and has not yet found his better. Arant, alternating with Parrish and Grant at left tackle, all have done well. Collie and Rutland have played stellar roles at the ends, running good interference and at times snagging long passes that were great factors in the winning of games. Hayes has played the game; a better honor could not be bestowed on any man. He has a peculiar knack of using the right play at the right time, keeping the enemy guessing all of the time, besides being a good ground gainer. Jones and Littlejohn have done well, Jones being one of the mainstays in Chilton's fine forward passing game, besides being good around the ends and through the line. Littlejohn is a dependable man on line plunging. Thompson, at full, has been a consistent ground gainer, he being another great factor in the passing game. It may be a long time before a Chilton team does as well as the present one, and so every Chilton athletic supporter should appreciate the work that has been done by our High School aggregation this year in making Chilton a feared name in nearby football circles.

Today Is Thanksgiving!

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"Your Bounty is beyond my speaking. But if my mouth is dumb, my heart shall thank you."

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Old Father Time has rolled us around again to Thanksgiving Day---the great occasion set aside for us all to give Thanks for the bounties that have been bestowed upon us by Our Great Creator during the past year. We are also grateful at this season for the many courtesies and considerations extended us by our neighbors and fellow-citizens.

On this day we try to imitate the Plymouth Colony, which, after the first dreadful Winter of 1621, was blessed with bountiful crops. In the Fall, Governor Bradford set aside a day for giving thanks. On this first such day more than four score Indians were invited to attend, and they supplied venison and wild turkeys as their share of the feast which marked the celebration. Since that time America has observed the day annually.

Among the numerous things for which we are now thankful, the Goodwill and Friendship of our neighbors hold first place. And to show our thankfulness and appreciation for all these blessings, let us all strive to be faithful in the future as we have in the past, and exert every effort to make life for others happy, healthful and successful.

NOTICE TO ALL RURAL PATRONS OF CLANTON POSTOFFICE

Clanton, Ala., Nov. 24, 1924.

To the Farmers Living On Rural Routes From Clanton, Alabama:

The Act of Congress, approved March 3, 1919, directs that there shall be a census of agriculture for the year 1924. This postoffice has been furnished a supply of blank schedules and has been directed to have the rural letter carriers from Clanton, Ala., place one copy of the schedule in the mail box of each farmer or in some way see that the schedule is delivered to the farmers on rural free delivery mail routes from Clanton Ala.

Within a few days there will be placed in each box on each rural mail route from Clanton, Ala., a blank form sent out by the Bureau of the Census. Patrons receiving the blank forms will please read them carefully that each one may be prepared to give the information desired when an enumerator calls at the homes to take the census. The blank must not be mailed or returned to the carrier. The persons receiving the forms may prepare them and have them ready when the enumerator calls, if they will.

I am giving this notice that the farmers may be prepared when an enumerator calls, and I hope each farmer receiving the blanks to be filled out and given to an enumerator will give his co-operation in this matter.

Very truly,
W. M. BEAN, Postmaster.

IN MEMORY

On last Monday morning the angel visited the home of Mrs. Magg Parve and took their dear father away. He has been in bad health for quite a while. He was brought to Jemison last Wednesday from Texas to the home of his doughter, Mrs. John Glass. He leaves a host of friends and relatives to mourn his loss. He will be greatly missed by his friends and relatives, but we hope to meet him again some day where we will never have to say good bye.

Bro. T. J. Ellison leaves one son, Genie Ellison of Texas, and four daughters, Mrs. Magg Parve of Texas, Mrs. Annis Thomas of Birmingham, Mrs. Maude Ellison of Gantts Quarry, Mrs. Mae Glass of Jemison. He was about 70 years of age.

We have separated here, but not forever. A FRIEND.

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OAK GROVE

Everybody is well and enjoying themselves after the nice little rain.

Our Sunday School is doing a splendid work. We have such a large crowd every Sunday, which we are very proud of. The B. Y. P. U. is doing fine work. The Juniors had a good program Sunday night. The Seniors had a real good play, "Facing the Fact" Sunday night. The house was crowded with people. We were very glad to have all the visitors with us and ask them to come again next Sunday night.

Quite a crowd from here went to singing at Oak Hill Sunday, and reported a nice time.

Mrs. C. L. Martin gave her Sunday School class a social Saturday night. They enjoyed several games and pulling candy.

Mrs. Jim Cobb and children are spending a few days here. They are moving from Gadsden to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Glass are visiting relatives at Gantts Quarry this week.

Mr. Ernest Durbin of Gadsden spent last Sunuday here.

Mr. Vollie Glass of Wylam spent a few days at home last week.

Miss Flossie Ellison of Bessemer was here last week and attended the funeral of her grandfather.

Mr. C. L. Martin of Wylam spent Sunday at home.

Miss Ollie Glass spent a few days last week in Birmingham.

Misses Lola Mae Martin, Mattie Lea and Ola Glass dined with Lesta Cobb Sunday.

Miss Mildred Durbin is staying with Ollie Glass a few days.

Mrs. D. W. Cobb was called to Helena recently on account of the illness of her daughter.

Messrs. Henry Cobb and Almond Glass have purchased them a new Ford.

SUPPER AT NEW CEDRON

There will be a market supper at New Cedron Nov. 29. The ladies will give it for the benefit of the church. They will serve hot chocolate and sandwiches and many other good things to eat. Everybody is invited to come and take part with us.

Mr. Louis Lande of Nashville, Tenn., was in Clanton a few days recently. He went down to Montgomery Sunday with his brother, Maurice, to see the latter's young son, Ervin M.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Shiloh schoolhouse, 8 miles southwest of Clanton, on Saturday night, November 29, at 7:30 o'clock. Also, a program will be rendered by the pupils of the school. Priceeds will go to the school. Everybody is invited to come.

MYRA MOORE.

LOST OR STOLEN—One liver and white spotted bird dog, medium size, untrained, missing Saturday, Nov. 22, answers to name "Joe." Notify K. M. Vinson, Clanton, and get reward. tf

Mr. Sie Foshee and Miss Cleo King went to Maplesville Sunday.

NEW BUILDING GOING UP IN CLANTON

Some towns grow and some towns don't, but Clanton keeps on growing. A few days ago Mr. Wess Danforth began laying the brick for a big new building on Mr. J. Q. Wade's lot on Second Avenue just above Mr. Tom Kemp's store. Wess says that if the brick and mud hold out he is going to slap them together, and the fact that Mr. Wade is behind it is assurance that material will come forth. The building will extend from the new store now occupied by Mr. Hugh Jones to the alley above Tom Kemp'h, which makes a frontage of about fifty feet. It extends back about sixty feet. The building will be one story high and will be divided into two sections. We understand that the lower section will be occupied by Mr. Durwood Broadhead with a meat market. The upper half has not been rented yet.

ALABAMA POWER CO. TO EXTEND ITS LINES TO MISS.

Martin Heads New Company Formed By Joining Alabama with the Mississippi Power Co.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 25.—That Alabama hydro-electric developments were being made with the view of furnishing power to neighboring states from Alabama sources was indicated Monday, when it developed that the Mississippi Power Company, officered by officials of the Alabama Power Company, had been formed..

The formation of the Mississippi Power Company, which has been manged quietly, is for the purpose of running transmission lines from the Alabama plants to Mississippi points. Thomas W. Martin, president of the Alabama Power Company, is head of the new company, with J. M. Berry as vice-president. The officials are hesitant about giving out information, saying that the plans are progressed to the point where complete details are available. However when it was learned that a party of 30 persons from Aberdeen, Miss., was en route to Birmingham and would be shown over the properties, the officials admitted that the Mississippi Power Company, owned by the Alabama organization or its holding company, had plans to run lines into the neighboring states. He said that the power sold in Mississippi would be developed from the Alabama stations.

This expansion of the Alabama Power Company into the adjoining state will involve a large appropriation for transmission lines, substations and other equipment, it is stated. Except the fact that the company had been formed; that it is under the same management as the Alabama Power Company; that it was entertaining the visitors from Aberdeen, and that its power would be transmitted from Alabama developments, company officials have made no statement as to costs, time of entrance into the neighboring state or how much power would be offered to Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Smith of Birmingham were visitors to relatives and friends in Clanton last Sunday. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

EDWARDS HEIRS COMBINE TO PUSH CLAIM TO ESTATE

Three Major Branches of Noted Thomas Edwards Family Consolidate

Consolidation of the three major organizations of the heirs of Thomas Edwards, who are seeking to secure an heritage composed of the richest tract of land in the United States, was effected at a meeting held in Birmingham during the past week, it was announced Saturday.

The three organizations, the Edwards Estate Corporation of Birmingham, the Mid-West Heirs association of Cincinnati, Ohio, and the Edwards Heirs Incorporation of Greenville, S. C., have enrolled more than 2,000 heirs of Thomas Edwards. Through the action taken recently, it has been decided to prosecute their claims to the New York City land, which included the Wall Street district, the famous Trinity church, the Woolworth building and scores of other skyscrapers, at one time.

Board Elected

The board of governors elected consists of John F. Edwards, Collinsville, Ill., F. Elwood Leonard, Indianapolis, Ind., W. T. Edwards and Felix W. Carlisle, both of Greenville, S. C., and P. M. Carlisle and T. C. McCain, of Birmingham.

Under the new organization, which plans to push the claims in New York rapidly, P. M. Carlisle was chosen secretary of the board of governors and chairman of the legal committee, and Mr. McCain is treasurer. W. T. Edwards was chosen chairman of the genealogy committee with headquarters in Greenville.

Organized Recently

The Birmingham organization, incorporated two months ago, and already enrolling a large number of direct descendants of the wealthy Tory who died about 1790, made a great step in pushing its claims to the property in New York City when deeds, asserting ownership in question was filed in the New York City recorder's office several weeks ago.

These deeds assert ownership on the grounds that the property was leased for 99 years by the sons of Thomas Edwards, and, although they did not revert to the heirs at the expiration of the lease, they have never relinquished their claims.

There are several people living in Chilton county who believe they are descendants of Thomas Edwards, and who will be interested in learning that progress is being made toward the recovery of this vast estate to its rightful owners.

FIDDLERS CONTEST AT MAPLESVILLE TO-NIGHT

There will be a Fiddlers Contest at Maplesville High School on Thanksgiving night, November 27th. Come and hear the fiddlers from Autauga, Bibb and Chilton.

BOX SUPPER AT ANTIOCH

There will be a box supper at Antioch church Saturday night, Nov. 29th. Proceeds will go for the benefit of the church. Everybody is invited to come and all the girls that will bring a box.

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"MY EXPERIENCE AMONG BANDITS IN KWANGSI MTS.

By Rev. Rex Rey, Wuchow, Baptist Missionary to China.

(Continued from Last Week.)

Many times as we were traveling at night, we passed through very dangerous places. Sometimes we would be climbing around a mountain on a ledge of rock only a few inches wide. On one side of us there would be a perpendicular wall of rock while on the other there would be a steep precipice below. One misstep and perhaps we would have fallen hundreds of feet into the dark canyons below. But when we were in these dangerous places, there was another promise that cheered us along, "He shall give His angels charge over thee, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone." Whether we were wading streams, walking slippery trails, climbing through brush in the darkness, or crossing over a deep ditch or gorge on a few unsteady little poles, we knew that our Master was with us and would keep us.

We met other dangers too. We had to eat out of the same rice bowls, and use the same wash basins, etc., which the robbers used. The majority of them had some form of loathsome disease. At times some of the fellows who were covered with syphilitic sores would get into our bunk and roll up in our two precious blankets which we had managed to keep back. Under these circumstances, it was easy to imagine that some of the loathsome disease germs would get us, unless the Lord delivered us. He kept us safely.

The robbers were ever on the watch for soldiers who might be trying to catch them. Bandits certainly do as the Bible says, "The wicked fleeth when no man pursueth." Many times they got scared at nothing, and ordered us to march at once. Our entire band could pack and be on the march in ten minutes.

As an illustration of some of our marches, I will describe one. About midnight Bro. Carne and I were ordered to get up and pack for marching. We started from an old fortified farm house, down the mountains following a water course. We waded across it several times with our shoes on, as they never gave us time to pull off our shoes to wade. About daylight we came down into the foothills. When we started across these, the robbers wanted us to almost run, lest the soldiers would see them. About sunrise we came to a large stream. Here they captured a boat some 30 feet long and put us into it together with several of the guards and some of the women. The owners of the boat were commanded to take us down stream. For some three miles we shot the rapids. This was a thrilling ride. Sometimes it was like riding a runaway Ford on a rocky road. Then we came to the Foo river, crossed it and went ashore. We walked along the river bank for several miles and then turned back into the mountains.

When we started on this trip at midnight, they gave us a bowl of rice water with a little rice in it. We got nothing more to eat until about noon the next day when we were given two hot sweet potatoes each to eat. We were commanded to eat these in a hurry and hasten on our way up into the mountains. About 3 p. m. we stopped to eat some rice, but I didn't care for any, as the bitter weeds and DOG meat that I ate for supper the night before hadn't agreed with me very well. About 4 p. m. as I was slowly climbing the mountain, a tin of milk which the robbers had taken off our boat was given me to drink. I surely drank it and felt better. A little later we reached the robbers' den. And there we rejoiced with Bros. Jaffray and Miller, from whom we were separated a few days before. It was a very happy reunion. There is one promise of Jesus that came into my soul very often. "Whatsoever ye ask in my name, I will do it." Now if I asked Jesus to make a way of escape for me, would He really do it? I believed Him, and began praying to that end.

Many times I was tempted to take up one of the rifles and a belt of cartridges, get the drop on my captors and take them away with me, but the Holy Spirit always caused me to remember these words of my Master, "All they that take the sword shall perish with the sword." I always replied, "Alright, Lord, I know that you can deliver me just as easily without a rifle, and I want to follow your plan."

After we had been with the bandits nearly three weeks, I got real tired of robber life and desired to go home. That day about noon we set out on the march over the mountains towards the north, but I wanted to go south. I wasn't feeling very well in the region of my belt, as the spoiled pork that I ate the night before had upset me. However, they said, "March" and I hit the trail, but was rather stubborn about moving on. But I set my own pace ond stopped to gaze over the beantifu modntains whenever I desired.

About 5 p.m. we reached the top of a mountain, and my guard pointed out another robber den in the canyon, a distance of half a mile or more below, and said that was to be our stopping place. It was about the 9th we had occupied since we took up bandit life. Somehow, it looked about as attractive to me as my own coffin would have. My soul absolutely refused to go any further. So I sat down and began to pray to my Lord and Master. I prayed, "Lord Jesus, I feel that a great number of people are praying for you to set me free, and if it is your will that I set out over these mountains and travel for days without food, in order that you may answer their prayers, I am willing and glad to make the journey."

All the food that I had with me was a dried persimmon and a handful of burned rice. This seemed to be a small amount of food for what I thought would be a four-nights' journey.

As I sat there by the side of the trail and prayed, I thought of how Jesus refused to talk to His persecutors on one occasion. So I refused to speak another word to my guard who kept urging me to move on down the trail. I set my eyes upon him and never took them off until the Lord answered my prayer.

into camp, and this one rough-neck into ramp, and this one rough-nelk band:t was left to bring me in. As I sat there and looked at him, I thought of seizing his rifle and taking him along with me a part of the way. But I said, "Lord, you can handle this fellow in a better way. You put the fear of God into his heart, and make h'm go down the trail and leave me here on the mountain top alone, and you shall have all the glory." I continued to gaze at my guard, and silently prayed on, even though my guard was throwing the bolt of his gun as though he was preparing to shoot me if I didn't obey his orders. After a bit, he began to try to sing, and glanced at me now and then. I saw that he realized my eyes were fastened upon him. He continued to get more restless, and I knew the Lord was working upon him.

Just at this time a man from camp brought me a rain hat. In a little while a heavy rainstorm came and drenched me to the skin. My guard had me bested in this as he had a good umbrella. As I began to shiver with cold, I wondered just for a moment whether or not the robber was going to get the best of me in this test. But I kept praying for the Lord to move him away. The storm passed and another came. But this time the Lord had moved my man some thirty yards down the mountain, and I felt sure that my Father in heaven was going to remove him from my sight. I kept praying and my captor kept moving. When he was about out of rifle-range, I begged the Lord to send a cloud to cover up my guard and the entire camp in the canyon below, so that no one could see me. In a few seconds, the Lord sent a cloud over the mountain tops, and it floated down into the valley and buried from my sight, not only my bandit guard, but the entire robber den. When I saw that God had answered my prayer, and that now the bandits could not see me, I turned my face homeward.

It was now about 6 p.m. or later. I ran as fast as I could for miles, as I wanted to cover as much ground as possible before dark. After I had gone some distance, I realized the Lord had led me into a new trail. Just before dark, I came to the head of a deep canyon. Here the trail played out. Then I walked, climbed, and slid down the grassy mountain side into the jungles below. By the time I reached the brush and trees towards the bottom of the canyon, it was so dark thot I could scarcely see. I was praying every step of the way, begging Jesus to show me the path and guide my footsteps. Finally, I got across this first smaller canyon that led into the big one. Just as I was crawling out of the brush at the top of the embankment, I discovered that I was within fifteen feet of a house. Lest I should arouse the natives, I crawled back into the brush and went around to the front yard. I looked for lights and listened for sounds of voices. There being none, I got up and ran across the yard and into the brush, briars, bamboo thickets, steep bluffs, etc., that I was about to wear myself out without getting anywhere. Hence, I decided to turn back a short distance and hit the water course, even though it was a roaring torrent. I had not gone more than thirty feet when I came out into a plain trail. Out of the depths of my soul I thanked Jesus, and ran down the trail as fast as my feet would take me, for I was fighting hard to keep ahead of the news of my escape.

Quite often the trail was hard to keep in the darkness. Many times it led through tall grass, over barren rocks and around on narrow ledges of rock. At times it led me into cold mountain streams that slid and tumbled down the canyon. The difficult part of this was to find where the trail was on the opposite bank. But we traveled on, Jesus and I. He was very near me all that night, and not once did He leave me.

My plan was to follow the water course regardless of direction. I knew that in the end it would lead to either the Foo or the North River, both of which led south to where I wanted to go. I planned to follow the stream until it was smooth enough for me to ride a log or something that would float down stream. I hoped to do this by night and hide by day. I thought that it would take me some four days to get out of the robber country, but Jesus had better plans for me.

By following this course, I knew that somewhere I would have to cross the robber trail over which Bro. Carne and I had already gone. Far into the night I came to a village that I recognized as the head robber village, where the bandit chiefs were then stopping. This village looked about as encouraging to me as did the Red Sea and the Egyptians to the Israeljtes. If I should try to go around the village over the mountains, I would lose much precious time and would still be at the very doors of the robbers. So I felt that Jesus could lead me through the village as well as around it. I passed some of the houses and came to the real test at the most dangerous place, as the trail led right under the eaves of a house. I said, "Alright," Lord Jesus, You lead me by safely, for I know you can." I passed along within two or three feet of the open front door, but didn't stop to tell the folks that I was leaving them. I thanked the Lord when I had passed the last house. But I was not to be at peace for long.

I crossed a small stream, and was rounding a hill when I saw lights in the village behind me and a number of robber torches on the trail some thirty or forty yards just ahead of me. I thought they must have heard of my escape and were setting out to hunt for me. I did not faint with fear, nor sit down to weep over hard times, but decided on the spot to hit the trail in some other direction. So I turned and fled back up the gorge on another trail that Bro. Carne and I had traveled over when we left the village a few nights before. I now called upon Jesus as never before in my life, "Lord Jesus, SAVE me, or the bandits will surely get me." I don't know, but I feel that I was more in earnest about it than Peter was when he found himself wading in the deep sea.

The trail soon led straight up a slippery, wet, clay mountain. Some times I was on my feet, then on my knees, and other times when my feet and knees were out from under me, my hands were digging into the mud and grass. Finally, the Lord got me up that, and how my heart and soul thanked Him when I saw the robbers' torches still at the bottom. The other side of the mountain was just as slippery as the side I had just ascended. I went down the trail "in high." Some times I was up and sometimes down, but I was going fast and that was all I wanted.

Once more I came back to my water course, which by this time was so deep and swift that I could hardly cross it. I now reached the farm villages along the valley. In order to get around the villages, I had to wade and bog through many rice fields. Many times I had to go into such dark places that I couldn't see a hand before me. Each time that I started into one of these dark places or holes, this message from God's Book always came to me and kept my soul calm. "Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me."

Whenever the ground was smooth enough, I continued to run, and only halted long enough to dip up a few handfuls of water as I crossed the streams.

A little while before day I came out to a big sand bar covered with bushes, along a stream of water. I couldn't see how wide the stream was on account of the darkness, and neither could I find anything that looked like a trail. So not being able to make any progress, I felt that my Master wanted me to stop and rest my engine for awhile. I had been on the march since about noon of the day before, and during the past ten hours I had been either walking fast or running continuously. About three o'clock in the morning, while on the go, I ate my dried persimmon and a few bites of my burned rice. Here on the sand bar I bent down a little bush and used it for my bed. The heavy rains and dripping trees had kept my clothes soaking wet. So when I lay down, it wasn't long before I was quite cool. I hugged my wet clothes to me, and took deep breaths of air to get warm, as I didn't care to take any more exercise just to get warm. As I rested there on that bush and watched the lightning bugs, I saw one a few feet away that didn't go out. But I soon realized that it wasn't a bug, for just then I heard voices. I felt that I was being overtaken by the robbers. Just then a man and a woman walked within two or three feet of me, but never saw me, as my clothes were about the same color of the sand. After they passed by, I quickly arose and followed them a little way to find out whether or not they were looking for me. And too, I wanted to see to it that no one should get so close to me again.

As soon as it was light enough to see a little, I crossed this new stream and hit the trail again. It led along the bank of the main stream which had grown to be almost a river. Soon the trail left the river and led over the mountain. Here I came back to my big stream again at a ferry. I soon aroused the ferryman, and rested in his boat as he rowed me across.

You remember how the Lord let me keep sixty cents when the bandits captured us. I had given twenty cents of this to buy a stamp and some extra food. Now I gave twenty cents to the ferryman and hastened on. About 7 a.m. I arrived at the ferry on the Foo river at Chiu Ping. Hiring this second ferryman to put me across this final river, I gave him my LAST twenty cents, and stepped off this ferry boat on to the big motor boat that took me safely to my "Home, sweet home" in Wuchow. So the Lord had provided all the finances that were needed. He does that always, if we trust Him.

I afterwards learned that the first river I crossed on the ferry boat was the only place where it was possible to have gotten through to Chiu Ping. The crossing of this river was almost like the "Red Sea" experience, since it was only about thirty minutes after I crossed until the robbers came there to intercept me, but they were too late. The Lord didn't drown them in the river, but had they followed me any further, the Chiu Ping soldiers would have put them to death. So the bandits dared not follow me any longer.

In this experience we see how the Lord Jesus delivered His unworthy servant from the hands of the enemy. The fact that he led me over those wild, rugged mountains, through jungles and streams, in an unknown country, and that during a cloudy night, at a speed faster than the bandits could travel their own familiar trails, is to be one of the miracles which our Lord Jesus is working in present times. Praise His name now and forever more.

"Sorry, Mr. Turk, But Your Time Has Come!"

MIGHT title this picture "The End of a Perfect—Turkey" or "A Mid-November Ceremony." For such it is. The big feast day—Thanksgiving—is here.

While little Jane bewails and sobs over the loss of her friend, Daddy and Grandpa select the best looking turkey if the flock and lead it to the chopping block. It's every turkey's fate, for, who would know it was Thanksgiviny without a nice, biv fat turkey—roasted nice and crisp and brown and stuffed, maybe, with chestnuts—pracing that dining room table?

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—I Can Always Tell When My Man Don't Want Me 'Round (Vocal)

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SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Mrs. R. C. McDavid and little son, Cameron, Jr., came home Sunday after a two weeks visit to relatives and friends in Tallahassee, Fla.

Mrs. T. C. Oliver of Tuscaloosa, who has spent some time with Miss Kathleen Mullins, returned home last Thursday.

The Wednesday Card club will meet with Mrs. Arthur Johnson next Wednesday.

Mrs. Elna Roberts went to Birmingham Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Sallie Kicker went to Montgomery last week on business.

Mr. Clem Hackney, the great ventriloquist of Macon, Ga., is in our town Monday and Tuesday putting on a doll show. They can sing, dance and talk. He is working for the benefit of the dependent children of Georgia Industrial Home.

Mr. E. E. Upchurch went to New Orleans last week to see his daughter, Miss Mary Upchurch.

Dr. N. S. Johnson went to Birmingham Monday on business.

Mrs. Bamma Cox spent two weeks in Montgomery with her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Taylor.

The junior department of the Baptist Sunday school bought gifts and carried to the Alms House Sunday afternoon.

Mr. P. P. Lewis of Marion was in town last week.

Mrs. M. L. White went to Birmingham Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Taylor of Montgomery spent Saturday in Clanton.

Mrs. Frank Foshee went to Birmingham Tuesday to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. M. P. Wigington.

Mr. Arthur Taylor and family left Monday for Alexander City, where they will make their future home.

Mr. J. C. Jones went to Montgomery last Thursday on business.

Card Club.

At her home on Second avenue, Mrs. Lawrence Gerald entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few friends on last Wednesday afternoon.

The home was beautifully decorated in roses and pot plants.

Bridge was played at four tables. After a series of rubbers the top score was held by Mrs. Frank Callen, who was given two dainty handkerchiefs.

A salad plate with hot coffee was served the members and guests, who were Mrs. Hance Allred, Mrs. Victor Heard, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. Oscar Jones, Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. John VanDerveer, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. T. C. Oliver and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Dr. H. F. Wilkins, M. D., of Birmingham, spent Friday in Clanton.

Philathia S. S. Class Meets.

On last Friday afternoon the Philathia S. S. class held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones.

The living room was beautiful with pot plants and vases of white roses. The meeting was called to order and presided over by Mrs. J. C. Jones. A very appropriate program was rendered by Mrs. T. H. Neighbors, who had an interesting paper on "The first Thanksgiving in America."

Mrs. J. O. Middleton gave an interesting talk on "What the women of America have to be Thankful for."

Mrs. M. L. White talked on the subject, "Showing we are Thankful for Church Loyalty."

Late in the afternoon delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

POPLAR SPRINGS

Our Sunday school is still progressing nicely. We have large attendance, and great deal of interest manifest, which we feel very proud of.

Next Sunday morning we will have singing here at 9 o'clock. Bro. Ocie Devaughn and Bro. Duff Devaughn are expected to be with us. We invite everybody to come out and bring your new song books, and I'm sure you'll hear some real interesting, good old-time singing, which we all enjoy.

Giles - Shirk Wedding Solemnized

The marriage of Miss Mildred Leone Shirk and Mr. Yancey Lee Giles was quietly solemnized in the presence of the immediate families at the home of the bride in Norwood, Birmingham, at Eight-thirty o'clock, Saturday evening, November Fifteenth.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles left immediately after the ceremony for an extended trip in the East and will be at home to their friends after November 30th at 1304 North 25th Street.

Mr. Giles has a number of friends in Clanton and Chilton County, who will learn with interest of his marriage.

OAK HILL

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon with a full house. The society was called to order promptly at 2 o'clock by our faithful president, who sung as the opening song, No. 3 in the new Showalter book. Prayer was offered by Bro. T. L. Matthews, who invoked the divine blessings of God upon us all and especially our great society, which has united together to sing praises and thanksgiving in honor of our great Creator who doeth all things well.

Those who directed were E.L. Glasscock, W. M. Devaughn, J. A. W. Mims, O. L. Devaughn, E. H. Foshee, A. H. Glasscock, O. B. Robinson, with Profs. O. L. and W. M, Devaughn directing the second time. Those who presided at the organ were Misses Flossie Cobb, Emma Campbell and Mrs. E. C. Cox.

The singing was fine and enjoyed by all present. This was evidenced by the good order and attention given by all. Throughout the two hours of almost continuous singing, our hearts were made to rejoice with exceeding great joy, as we listened to that great class singing so sweetly those beautiful songs. We said in our hearts, like one of old, "It is good to be here."

We had many visitors with us including the Oak Grove class, who did their part in making the occasion the great success that is was, which we appreciated very much. The closing song, No. 59, in the new Vaughan book, was directed by O. B. Robinson, followed with prayer by A. H. Glasscock. The society adjourned to meet with New Salem next Sunday afternoon, November 30th. All who are interested are urged to attend. Both Showalter and Vaughan books will be used. Visitors are always welcome.

THE UNION-BANNER A DAY EARLY THIS WEEK

The Union-Banner is coming to you a day early this week. We are getting the paper out early in order that our subscribers getting mail on the rural routes may get them before Thanksgiving, since the mail carriers do not go on the routes Thursday. The paper either had to be a day early or a day late, so by doing a lot of extra work the force has managed to get the paper out a day in advance of the regular publication day.

FARMERS UNION AT JEMISON

There will be a County Union of the Farmers Educational and Cooperative Union of America on the 29th of November. We earnestly urge that all locals in the county be represented and all who have once been in the Union are especially invited. Business of importance will be attended to. There will be speakers of interest there on that day.

J. D. HOLSOMBECK,
County President.

NURSE SAVES TWO PEOPLE FROM AN OPERATION

"I had two patients that the doctors seemed unable to reach with their medicines, and in both cases advised the knife. A friend who had tried Mayr's Wonderful Remedy for stomach trouble proposed that I recommend it to my patients, which I did. Both are now entirely well. I am very glad that I was able to recommend it." It removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract, and allays the inflamation which is the cause of practically all stomach and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at Alred Drug Company and all druggists everywhere.

Messrs. J. M. Wyatt, Cary Robinson and Napoleon Willis left Monday afternoon on a Ford truck for Fort Payne. They were going to bring the household goods of Mack Wyatt back to Clanton. Mr. G. D. Retherford went through in his car.

Dr. V. J. Gragg is in New Orleans this week attending the American Medical Association. He left Clanton Sunday and will return the latter part of this week.

Old-Time Cough Remedy—Pine Tar and Honey—Still Best

According to specialists, there is really nothing better or quicker-acting for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup and throat irritation than good old pine tar and honey. No matter whether the cough is dry and tight, or loose with much mucus, the pine tar quickly aids in the removal of the phlegm and congestion which are the direct *cause* of the coughing, also relieving soreness, while the honey both soothes irritation and gives a pleasant taste.

The original compound, which has been used in thousands of families for many years, is Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. It has had many imitators, but still remains the best, as it is scientifically compounded of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other healing ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in giving quick relief. It contains absolutely no narcotics or harmful drugs, so can be given to young and old alike. If you want the best, be sure you get the original Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey and no other. Only 30c. at any good druggists.

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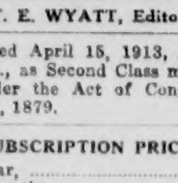

Politics in Chilton County is running at a mighty low ebb now. We wonder why somebody doesn't start a contest or something.

Now the beneficiaries of "special privilege" under the Republican protective tariff can reap their unholy profits for four years more—and incidentally give employment to hundreds of thousands of workers at good wages who would find themselves without a job if the protective system should be abolished.

Supporters of the publicity section of the income tax law are about as numerous as supporters of the radical Third Party. The provision serves no good purpose whatever, and only satisfies the radical craving to put every possible obstacle in the way of legitimate business. There probably will be little difficulty in repealing the offensive legislation.

The Union-Banner is carrying this week an advertisement for bids for the construction of the southern portion of the State Highway through Chilton County. The State highway commission is getting down to real business now in building roads over the State. The concrete will be laid on the northern portion of the road in Chilton in about two or three more months.

The matter of which street the highway will take through Clanton is still pending. It appears to us that by far the most advantageous route would be through Sixth Street by the court house. In the first place, Sixth Street is about 20 feet wider than Seventh, and in the next place, there is already a fill across the creek at the south end of Sixth street and there is none at Seventh Street. And too, the highway certainly ought to pass by our court house. We believe that Sixth Street will eventually be selected for the highway.

The attempt to prevent the sinking of the uncompleted battlehhip Washington was defeated, as it should have been. There are no facts to substantiate the claim that England and Japan are not living up to their obligations under the treaty, but even if they were not, that would not excuse the United States from following its provisions. The time has not yet arrived when this country can consider a solemn treaty a mere scrap of paper, and so long as the present administration at Washington is in power our international agreements will be scrupulously observed.

There will be no change in the American attitude toward Russia for at least four years more. Meanwhile we can watch developments in that unfortunate country. According to all accounts the condition of the Russian People has been growing steadily worse since the death of Lenine last January. He at least had the good sense to acknowledge the failure of Bolshevism, and the courage to make changes in government policy that would benefit the peasants. But extreme communists are again in power, and are rapidly reducing the country to the same helplessness that existed during the terrible years immediately following the revolution. Private property rights have all but disappeared, and imprisonment and death await any who dispute the prior rights of the government to everything.

George Wyatt, Winston Mims, Jodie Lansford, Bud Parrish, and Wibb Parrish are over in Coosa this week hunting squirrels and birds.

Peters Shells

A large measure of the pleasure is in the anticipation.

There's pleasure in carrying PETERS SHELLS to the traps because previous results prove that the shooter may expect the fullest co-operation from this ammunition.

You will have this advantage before you fire a shot and the results will show that in a pinch you can depend on PETERS SHELLS.

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Clanton, Ala.

THANKFUL

THE UNGRATEFUL SOUTH

Although the South has been one of the chief beneficiaries of the protective tariff policy, the returns of the recent election show that that section is still unwilling to support the political party that maintains the protective tariff. Because of that attitude, it is interesting to review the cotton trade record.

From 1856 to 1861 Great Britian took over half of our raw cotton production—53.45 per cent, in fact; France took 12.78 percent; North Europe, which included Germany, took 6.89 per cent; other ports 5 per cent. The total sold abroad amounted to over 78 per cent of our production, while at home we consumed less than 22 per cent. This was at a time when the South was a very powerful factor in Congress and the Southern Representatives believed with Senator Hayne, of South Carolina, that it was better to sell our raw cotton abroad and buy from Great Britain the goods made from it. According to the U. S. Statistical Abstract for 1922, our exports of raw cotton totaled something over a billion pounds in 1855, and 1,768,000,000 in 1861. Then the Civil War broke out, Southern cotton was blockaded, and in 1865 but 8,894,000 pounds was exported.

Following the Civil War a rigid policy of protection to the Cotton textile industry was inaugurated and continued, with two exceptions down to 1913, when the Democratic tariff law was passed. That law was in real effect less than one year, when the European War began and reduced competition far below that ever existing under the protective policy. Following the War competition from abroad in cotton textiles began to grow rapidly until it reached $137,000,000 in value in 1920. But a balance was put on it by the passage of the Republican law of 1922, though large opportunity is still afforded foreign textiles in this market, and is being taken advantage of.

From 1905 to 1910, under protection, Great Britian took 25.22 per cent of our raw cotton production; France 7.46 per cent; North Europe 19.14 per cent; and the total sent abroad was 59.75 per cent, leaving a little over 40 per cent to be consumed at home. From 1910 to 1915, the period affected by the year of the Democratic law, the amount taken by Great Britain showed a slfight percentage of increase, as did that sent out to the rest of the world. Our own consumption fell below 40 per cent.

From 1920 to 1924, two years under protection, British purchases fell to 13.83 per cent of our total production; and our world exports were 46.65 per cent. We consumed in our own factories 53.35 per cent of all the cotton raised in this country, a remarkable evidence of a growing industry, and one which has been expanding far more rapidly in the South than in the North, notwithstanding Southern support of free trade with one hand and the acceptance of the benefits of protection with the other.

In 1860 this country counted 5,236,000 spindles, of which only 324,000 were in the cotton growing states. In 1922 we counted 35,708,000, of which nearly 16,000,000 were in those States. In 1923 there were above 37,600,000 spindles in the land, and the South was ahead of the North on the count. The South is now producer and manufacturer of cotton, but its attitude toward the protective policy is provincial. It will take all it can get, but it will not help itself in getting any. In 1924 the South voted for a "competitive" tariff law.

Dixie Auto Week Will Attract Many Visitors To Birmingham

Official emblem of the Dixie Automobile Show, Birmingham's first all Southern automobile exposition, which is to be held during the first week of December.

Birmingham.—Alabama's first all-Southern motor exposition—the Dixie Automobile Show—will be held at Birmingham's new Municipal Auditorium the first week in December, and is expected to attract visitors from all parts of Alabama and adjoining States.

It will be an interesting week for the visitors. In the first place, the Birmingham Motor Trade Association, which is sponsoring the automobile show, is negotiating with the railroads for reduced railroad rates to Birmingham for this occasion. Many Birmingham merchants, also, are interested in this plan, for it is proposed to have special shopping week attractions that will make it worth while for visitors to come to Birmingham to make Christmas purchases. The stores will make a special feature of automobile togs and like merchandise, and this will be the keynote of many window displays.

While the automobile show is sponsored by the local dealers having membership in the Motor Trade Association, it will be national in scope. National manufacturers of automobiles and automobile accessories are co-operating to the extent that handsome and interesting exhibits prepared for some of the national automobile shows, like those of Chicago and New York are to be seen at the Birmingham exposition.

50 Motor Car Exhibits

There will be 50 automobile exhibits, and the present car owners and the person who expects to own a car in the future, will have an opportunity to learn the relative merits of 50 different motor cars. It will be the first formal showing of 1925 models of these cars, and they will be exhibited under such conditions that the person not versed in technical motor matters can learn something about them. For instance, there will be mounted chasses that will demonstrate the inner workings of a car—specially constructed with glass windowed apertures to show just what is going on inside. It will be an educational exhibit—that is the only purpose of the Motor Trade Association in putting it on—and every person who owns or expects to own an automobile will learn something interesting and helpful.

In the accessories exhibits, of which there will be 30, space will be provided for a number of displays and demonstrations of radio apparatus since several automobile dealers of Birmingham now handle radio supplies, too. This feature of the show is expected to appeal to the radio fan as well as the car owner. In the accessories exhibits, also, there will be complete displays of all the latest and improved automobile appliances—details in which every car owner is interested.

Nappi and His Orchestra

There will be entertainment features, besides, that will attract thousands. Music will be furnished continuously by William Nappi and his famous jazz orchestra, there will be vaudeville entertainers, valuable souvenirs will be given away at the various exhibitors' booths, and there will be other attractive features. In addition the visitor will have a chance to weigh the relative merits of all leading makes of automobiles, and to learn all about them at one opportunity.

G. P. Caldwell, secretary-manager of the Birmingham Motor Trade Association has been appointed managing director of the Dixie Automobile Show, and a committee of well-known Birmingham automobile dealers is in charge of arrangements for "the motor event of Dixie."

Following is the complete list of exhibitors in the motor car division:

Bissell Motor Company, three booths, Reo car.
Brownell Auto Company, four booths, Dodge car.
Crawford's Auto Shop, three booths, Ford.
Cruse-Crawford Manufacturing Company, four booths, Studebaker.
Willys-Knight-Overland Company, two booths, Willys-Knight and Overland.
Drennen Motor Car Company, eight booths, Cadillac and Buick.
Detroit Motor Car Company, four booths, Paige and Jewett.
Edwards Motor Company, and Stevens Motor Company, three booths, Chevrolet.
McCarty-Greene Motor Company, two booths, Chandler.
McCormick Bros. Motor Company, eight booths, Pierce-Arrow and Nash.
Packard Motors Company, of Alabama, seven booths, Packard and Hupmobile.
Pryor Motor Company, two booths, Hudson and Essex.

The Alabama Public Service Commission in an order dismissed the petition of citizens of Greenville against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, at request of petitioners, an agreement having been reached between the citizens and the railroad. The petition sought to have certain Louisville & Nashville trains receive passengers at Greenville.

Deputy Sheriff H. E. Badger lodged in the Jefferson County jail George Bailey, negro, wanted for the murder of Tom Trust, negro, at Loivicy, Ala., in June. The negro was arrested in Akron, Ohio, on information furnished by Chief Deputy Henry Hill. The negro confessed to the killing, Mr. Hill said.

Twenty-five hundred dollars worth of material has been placed by the Twin Cities Wholesale Grain Company to be used in the construction of the new $10,000 concrete building on Sixth Avenue, near the Louisville & Nashville freight tracks. The new structure will have a basement floor and one above the ground.

John Harkins, 17, and Cecil Alexander, 21, were indicted for highway robbery by the recent Ettowa County grand jury and will be tried for their lives at an early date. It is alleged they held up and robbed Charles Kimball, negro, in Gadsden last month, relieving him of $1 in money after a terrific struggle.

A. G. Patterson, president of the Alabama Public Service Commission, was elected first vice-president of the National Association of Railway and Utility Commissioners at the recent meeting of the association held at Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. Patterson held the post of second vice-president last year.

The case of Police Sergeant C. M. Riggins, who was arrested in Birmingham by Chief Fred H. McDuff on a liquor charge and sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined $100 and $10 costs in Recorder's Court by Judge Henry Martin, threatens to become a test case, as Riggins has appealed to the higher courts.

A carnival showing in Ensley under an arrangement whereby part of its receipts were to go to the Loyal Order of Moose, was closed down by city officials after the Ensley Merchants' Association had complained that gambling and other forms of lewlessness were in evidence.

Early construction of the State highway connecting Boaz and Attalla was urged on the Alabama Highway Commission at Montgomery by O. D. Dupre and R. O. Noojin, who constituted a special committee appointed for that purpose by the Attalla Rotary Club.

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Express charges on practically any package carried long distances are less than parcel post rates. In almost all cases, where packages are light, charges are less than freight charges.

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If you have shipments in or out, the following agents will be glad to quote rates and make comparisons with other rates.

See—Mr. Erwin, at Jemison.
Mr. Petersen, at Thorsby.
Mr. Hester, at Clanton.
Mr. Bibb, at Coopers.
Mr. Hubbard, at Verbena.

CANCER
BY DR. W. J. SCHOLES

The hope of the victim of cancer lies in an early diagnosis and prompt and efficient treatment. As someone has put it, "In order to cure cancer, it must be destroyed before it gets fairly started!"

Whether or not an early diagnosis can be made is often within the control of the patient. If an early diagnosis is to be made, it is necessary that the patient lose no time in having the nature of all doubtful conditions determined.

Lumps, swellings, ulcers and sores that fail to heal readily, and the tendency of bleeding to occur from any part of the body without apparent cause, are among the conditions that deserve careful investigation. Pain is frequently absent until the growth is far advanced.

Symptoms Often Absent.

It is unfortunate that many internal cancers are not suspected during their early stages. Symptoms may be absent until the working of some organ is interfered with. But vague ailments occurring in the abdominal or pelvic organs should lead one to search for the cause.

In the course of his examination, the physician may wish to remove a small piece of tissue so that a microscopic examination can be made. This is often extremely necessary for an early diagnosis.

Surgery, the X-Ray and radium are the accepted means of treating cancer. The method of treatment to be used in any individual case is determined by the location, extent and nature of the growth, and is best decided by the physician or surgeon who is treating the case.

From the patient's standpoint, the essential thing is that he or she should submit to an examination soon enough to permit of an early diagnosis. If the suspected condition is not cancerous, one will be pleased to know. If it proves to be cancerous, one is in position to have it treated without delay.

Valuable time and money should not be wasted in experimenting with unknown and unusual methods of treatment.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

He Puts Gas Into The Stomach.

R. G. B. writes: "I am often troubled with gas on the stomach. On the advice of one of my neighbors, I have been taking baking soda and vinegar and seem to get some relief. Is it a good remedy?"

Reply.—Among the products formed by the inter-action of baking soda and vinegar is carbon dioxide, a gas. So if you do not have an uncomfortable amount of gas in your stomach before taking this "cure," there is a good chance that you will after.

If you put the soda and vinegar together before you take them, you may swallow the carbon dioxide gas. If you swallow the soda and vinegar separately, they will inter-act in your stomach to form gas.

The remedy is not a good one. Find out just what the trouble is. The sensation that you assume to be caused by gas may arise from some other disturbance. Your habits may be faulty. You may "swallow air." Or your diet may contain too much sugar and starch.

Treatment of Birthmark.

Mrs. J. I. H. writes: "My 8-year old daughter has a birthmark on her cheek and is becoming sensitive about it. The birthmark is the kind called a "port wine" mark. Is there any satisfactory way of removing them?"

Reply.—Freezing with carbon dioxide or liquid air, is highly recommended by leading skin specialists. Radium has given excellent results. Surgery, the X-Ray and electrolysis have also been used.

If your doctor does not do this kind of work, he will be glad to refer you to some skin specialist. It is best to let the doctor who has charge of the case select the method of treatment.

At Six Years

Mrs. L. W. asks: "How much sleep does a child six years old require? How many meals a day should it have, and should the heaviest meal be given at noon or in the evening?"

Reply.—At six years of age the child reruires about eleven hours of sleep. It should have three meals a day, the heaviest meal being given at noon.

Incubation of Infantile Paralysis

Mrs. H. T. asks: "How long after exposure dos it take for infantile paralysis to develop?"

Reply.—The disease occurs from 3 days to two weeks after exposure.

Raynaud's Disease

Miss E. S. writes: "When the weather is cold, one of my fingers gets dead near the end. It tinges and feels numb, then gets white and cold from the last joint to the tip. What would cause it to do that? It only happens to one finger."

Reply.—It sounds like a mild case of Raynaud's disease. A spasm of the arteries supplying the end of the finger causes the numb and bloodless condition. The effect is the same as though a string were tied tightly around the finger so as to shut off the blood supply.

Raynaud's disease is uncommon, occurs most frequently in young women, and is apparently caused by some lack of stability in the nerves which govern the blood vessels.

Massage and care to keep the fingers warm may help. Your general health may require attention.

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POOR OR

"Hearld of Peace" Arrives Safely in U. S.

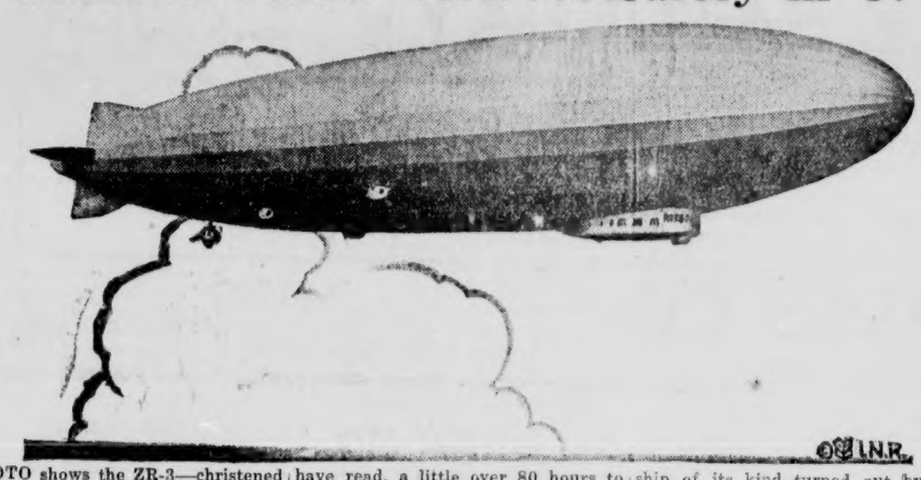

PHOTO shows the ZR-3—christened the "Los Angeles" by Secretary of the Navy Wilbur—arriving at Lakehurst, N. J., after her successful flight from the Zeppelin works at Friedrichshafen, Germany. It took the giant dirigible, as you perhaps have read, a little over 80 hours to make the trip across the Atlantic—or twice as fast as the speediest steamship afloat. The feat was heralded as the most brilliant chapter in the history of lighter-than-air aircraft.

The "Los Angeles" is the 126th ship of its kind turned out by the Zeppelin company and came to this country as a reparations payment. According to the terms of the armistice, the Germans will not be allowed to build any more like it—the work of dismantling the company's plants in Germany now being under way.

Men who do not pay their debts cannot remain in the employ of the City of Gadsden, Mayor Wier told policeman, fireman, sanitary inspectors, clerks, engineers, street workers and others who gathered at the city hall at his call. He told them they were believed to be gentlemen and honest and they would have to live up to that reputation.

Five freight cars, loaded with cotton from Fort Payne and two with lumber from Louisiana were burned in the Southern yards at Attalla, the loss being estimated at $20,000. The blaze was discovered in one of the lumber cars. Two switch engines were forced to work at great speed to save the trains.

Congressman W. B. Bankhead has received communication from the acting first assistant postmaster general advising that a post office inspector will be sent to Carbon Hill to see about establishing free city mail delivery there. The matter was taken up with Congressman W. B. Bankhead by the Kiwanis Club three weeks ago.

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Work on the Gimbell Hill, near the Walker county line, has been finished. Several hundred dollars was appropriated by citizens of Corona and Berry to be used in working the hill, which was practically rebuilt for over a half-mile.

Sixty university students have been chosen to membership in the Blackfriars, the university dramatic organization, after the annual tryout that lasted nearly four hours. Over 160 students were candidates for membership.

Selection of Birmingham as the convention city for 1925 featured the final day's session of the one hundred and third annual meeting of the Alabama Baptist State Convention, which was at the Parker Memorial Baptist Church at Anniston.

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PROGRAM OF THE FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The Chilton County Association will convene with Pates Chapel, two miles West of Thorsby on Nov. 30.

9:45 a.m.—Devotional exercises by H. D. Durbin.

10, a.m.—The vision of our day, J. D. Hughes.

10:30 a.m.—The bible and stewardship, B. Lawrence.

11:00, a.m. The W. M. U., Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

11:20 a.m.—By state worker subject to be sleected.

12:00 Noon.

1:15. Devotional.

1:45. The relation of the Holy spirit to the Kingdom work, T. J. Deason, E. T. L.

2:15. The place of Prayer in the Kingdom work, W. P. Lowery.

2:40. The B. Y. P. U., Mis Lena Franklin.

2:50. Miscellaneous.

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$1.00 Two large full cut Work Shirts—not a cheap shirt but a good one. Now is your chance.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

NOTES OF TRAVEL

Concluded

(By S. E. Norton)

This final letter descriptive of the delights we experienced in our visit to Wshington, D. C., which came somewhat unexpected, as a fitting climax to about four months of continuous pleasure, previously detailed in the numerous letters published in The Union-Banner each week during our absence, has been delayed until this time, in order to gather data and definite informatiin worthy to assist in giving descriptions of so many attractions encountered in two days, in order that the reader may better visualize what we saw in this unique city.

A man in a motor boat approached a battleship of the U. S. Navy, standing at anchor, and shouted "I want to come aboard." An officer inquired, "Who are you." The man in the boat replied, "I am one of the owners of this craft." In the same sense every citizen of these United States is part owner of the District of Columbia comprising 100 square miles of territory originally carved out of the eastern edge of both Maryland and Virginia, together with its great and costly buildings, parks, highways and other improvements pertaining to this area known as the Nation's Capital. The whole comprising a district, whose citizens have no vote in affairs of local control" whose government is vested in the Congress of the United States, through commissioners whom the Congress appoint.

Here in 1789 Major Pierre Charles L'Enfant, a 35-year-old French engineer, who had served in the Revolutionary war under General Washington, but at that time President Washington, applied to Washington for a commission to design the federal city and district. Having received the appointment he began the work and finally submitted a design so beautiful, symmetrical and comprehensive, that it was adopted, and the generations which have come and gone since that day have never been able to make any modifications that would improve it, although it has often been tried, and today whatever of improvements are contemplated or accomplished must conform to the original design. Hence Washington is fast becoming one of the most beautiful cities of the world. There still remains a good deal of space occupied by mean and shabby structures, built as a temporary makeshift, but they are all slated for removal as fast as the ground is needed for more substantial and permanent structures. For a striking example of how difficult it is to get things done under government ownership, one need but to read the history of Washington where for a century and a quarter the U. S. government has been in complete control.

Many readers of The Union-Banner will remember Mrs. T. O. Swan, who for several years had charge of Thorsby local telephone central, also her daughters, Mabel and Harriet. After leaving Thorsby they joined the throng called for government service in Washington, where Mrs. Swan died last May, at the home of her daughter, Mabel Swan Walden at Mount Ranier, Maryland, a suburb about five miles from the capitol building at Washington. Harriet was married to Mr. Lee Taylor last June, and they being room renters, are not permanently located. Mr. Walden is employed in a bank. Mr. Taylor is a machinist. Both appear to be fine young men, ambitious and energetic.

Our decision to return from New Jersey, via Washington was based on an earnest invitation from these young people to do so and become their guests while in Washington. They met us when the train arrived at the union station in Washington and planned for and helped us to see as much as it was possible to crowd into the time we stayed, from Friday night to Monday noon.

There are two objects within this city of 450 inhabitants, mostly government employees, that no matter where you go, are always visible. First is the Capitol building, and second the Washington Monument. Neither of them, except when seen close up, enables one to form any conception of their collossal size. Both have been pronounced perfect specimens of their respective styles of architecture. The monument standing more than 500 feet high, exclusive of its foundations, is a simple unornamented shaft of exceeding grace and dignity, a fitting tribute to him for whom it stands.

The Capitol building stands at the intersection of numerous radiating avenues. Being set on a hill one never looks down at it.

Situated thus, it simply dominates the whole landscape. Its great wings which house the Senate and House of Representatives respectively, although of mammoth size as structures, appear dwarfed in height by the great central portion surmounted by the collossal and exquisitely beautiful dome, always a delight to the eye whether seen by day under the light of the heavens or at night with its myriads of electric lights. As one walks beneath it he wonders what supports the nine million pounds of material woven into its construction. Sometimes the exterior of this dome needs a coat of paint, in fact so many times has it been done that the superintendent knows that it takes exactly 4300 lbs. of paint, and requires a force of 35 men for three months to put it on. As we entered this massive structure we noticed half a dozen men in uniform; one of them stepped forward and asked if we wanted a guide. Mrs. Walden being with us we replied that we already had one. However as we strolled about from place to place we sometimes met this guide followed by a company of probably 100 or more sight-seers, each of whom we suppose paid the reuired quarter for a guide. Once or twice we stopped and listened to the information he was giving his "Personally Conducted" audience, and we concluded had we been alone the specific information he gave them would be well worth the money.

By the time we had visited the most important rooms and scenes in the building, though neither the Supreme Court nor Congress were in session, we were ready for dinner. Our "guide" took us to a spacious, neat and moderate priced restaurant. There are a few such even in Washington. We were then conducted to a street corner where we met (Harriet), Mrs. Lee Taylor, who was our hostess for a visit to Mount Vernon, about fifteen miles south of the city and across the Potomac river in Virginia, a historic place where George Washington lived, died and is buried. The Tomb is a simple stone structure built above ground with an iron grating across the front. The vault is about 12 feet square and contains two marble Sarcophagi, one for Washington and the other for Martha Washington who sleeps beside him. All are in plain view and it is evident that the vault may be opened, as there were fresh flowers within.

The Mount Vernon Ladies Association purchased a portion of the estate from one of the heirs of Washington, in 1858 and later acquired more of it so that today they hold title to 237 1-2 acres, including the Tomb, original residence, outbuildings, gardens, servants quarters and wharf. The Potomac river flows adjacent to the property and adds much to its scenic beauty. Many trees and shrubs planted by Washington and his friends LaFayette are still growing and the flower gardens are preserved in their original form. Since organization these ladies have assiduously sought out and collected much of the original furnishings of the residence and by a charge of 25c for admission to the grounds ample funds are provided to furnish caretakers and keep the property in good repair. The day we were there we estimated there were a thousand visitors, and there was no unusual attraction. They come and go in a constant stream by auto, trolley and steamer on the river. We felt well repaid, and like many others would go again if opportunity offers.

Sunday, the young ladies planned to take us to the First Congregational church to see the President, who happened to remain in the city that day. We were most fortunate in being shown to a pew just across the aisle from the President and Mrs. Coolidge. After dinner, Mr. Walden secured a "Drive-It-Yourself" taxi, and took us to all points of interest throughout the city, even out to Arlington, Virginia cemetery where thousands of United States soldiers and marines are buried, giving one a lively understanding of the cost in human life to maintain this land of liberty and opportunity. Here we saw the Arlington Memorial Amphitheater, built entirely of marble even to the benches providing seats for many thousands. At the front of this artistic structure we saw the widely heralded grave of the "Unknown Soldier."

Returning to the city, we visited "The Lincoln Memorial" recently finished, a marvelously beautfiul structure, portraying in all its lines greatness with simple dignity. We also saw the White House and many of the department buildings. Passed the home of Herbert Hoover and near by it the home of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, and later saw the unfinished cathedral where her illustrious husband was given his final resting place. Potomac Park, along the banks of the Potomac river, the Agricultural Departments Botanical gardens, the Soldiers Home, Rock Creek Park with its remarkable Zoo, and other places of interest, made a moving panorama never to be forgotten. Just as the shades of night began to gather we visited the Library of Congress, one of the most ornate buildings in all the world; said to be surpassingly grand in conception, and so replete with expensive detailé in construction that one could spend a week within its walls and still not see it all. We simply took passing glimpses and yet retained a sort of kalidascopic picture of most of it.

Having finished our sight seeing for the day, another great pleasure awaited us by accepting an invitation to dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Henderson (nee Clara Soberg) another Thorsby girl, who not only invited us but also Mr. and Mrs. Walden and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, for the dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herbert, who came later to meet us. Mrs. Herbert was formerly Miss Delia Holmes, one of our Thorsby Institute students. Thus we found quite a colony of Thorsby Young people, and we understand Miss Mae Parnell and some others are there, but did not meet them. But with those present we certainly had a most delightful visit, and many reminisences of former days in Thorsby. Mesdames Walden, Taylor, Henderson and Herbert are all in the employ of the government, as are many thousands of other young people of that great official hive.

If anybody tells you that our Thorsby girls have been in any degree spoiled by life in Washington, don't you believe it! One could never hope to meet a finer quartette of girls, and so far as we could judge on short acquaintance, each of them has made a wise choice in selecting a life-mate.

Monday morning found us turning our faces homeward. Mrs. Walden and her brother, Harry Swan, who lives with her, and is engaged in brick making, accompanied us to the Union Station, where all trains arrive and depart in Washington, where they saw us safely aboard the one train we wanted, out of some 400 that arrive and depart there daily. Here we bid them farewell, but shall long cherish the kindly and courteous attentions we received from this group of splendid young people.

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A package of these pills in your pocket or in your shopping bag may save you hours of suffering.

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New Way to Stop Night Coughing

Those who have suffered the tortures of sleeplessness due to continual coughing at night, and who as a result often feel utterly worn-out and useless during the day, need no longer permit their systems to be weakened and their vitality sapped by this distressing ailment. For through a very simple treatment the trouble can be stopped almost at once, and people often get their full night's rest undisturbed after the very first trial.

Here is the method: Simply get a bottle of the prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery from any good drug store. Then to-night before retiring take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing it. This prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals the soreness and irritation, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which is the real cause of the cough. So your throat is left wonderfully soothed and cleared of irritating gatherings, you can sleep soundly and restfully, and the cough is usually gone in a very short time.

Dr. King's New Discovery is a remarkable remedy for coughs, chest colds, hoarseness, sore throat, spasmodic croup, bronchitis, laryngitis and bronchial asthma. At all good druggists. Ask for

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS

CHILTON COUNTY MINUTES READY

The Union-Banner has just finished printing the 1924 minutes of the Chilton County Baptist Association. Mr. Billingsley, the Clerk of the Association, wishes the church clerks to call at The Union-Banner office within the next few days and get their pro-rata share of the minutes for their churches. We hope that the clerks or some other members of the churches will call for their minutes at once, so that they may be taken out of our way.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

COOK WANTED—For family of two, good place to stay—D. F. Jones, Clanton, Ala., Route 5. 11-13-3t-pd

LOST or STOLEN—One 12 size gold watch and chain, stratford dial; reward for information leading to recovery, will be worth while.—C. D. Wells, with Robinson Lumber Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-12-3t-pd

FOR SALE—One nice black horse, 9 years old, weighs about 1100 pounds, well built, good qualities, work anywhere; also 3 bushels ear corn. If interested see me quick. 11-20-2t HUGH JONES.

CARPENTER and Cement Work of any kind, done by Jas. A. Lawrence & Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-20-4t c

FOR SALE—My home in Gowan Addition; has water and lights, garage, etc. Will sell at reasonable price.—W. L. Powell, Clanton, Ala.

LOST—One little bull calf, weighs between 20 and 25 lbs. to the quarter. Left home about the first of November, been gone about three weeks. Finder please return to J. L. Dupree, Clanton, Ala. R. 2. 11-20—3t.

LAND FOR SALE—40 Acres, near Enterprise Junior High School. Has running water in good pasture. 24 acres in cultivation. 7 1-2 miles of Clanton. Good dwelling and outbuildings. Apply to W. J. Bice, Clanton, Ala., R. 6, or to Union-Banner. 11-6—5t-pd.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—R. C. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t

LADIES WORK AT HOME, pleasant, easy sewing on your machine. Whole or part time. Highest prices paid. For full information address L. Jones, Box 2, Olney, Ill. 1t-pd.

WANTED—A reliable man to sell Whitmer's complete line Home Remedies, Extracts, Toilet Articles, Soaps, Spices, etc., in Chilton County. Good profits. Zahnd of Alabama made $56 in five days. Car or team needed. Experience unnecessary. We teach you. Write today. The H. C. Whitmer Co., Dept. 198, Columbus, Ind. 11-27—3t-pd.

LAND FOR SALE—40 acres, located on Kincheon road, 2 miles from Clanton. About 25 acres in cultivation, rest in wood. Terms to reliable parties. Apply to Mrs. Mollie Goodgame, R. 6, Clanton, Ala. 11-27—3t-ch.

LOST DOG—Black back and yellow legs, small mark one ear; answers to name of "Tyler". Finder will please return to Bill Davis, two and one-half miles north of Canton, and get reward. 1t-c

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court.

Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation, vs. J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, Partners composing the Firm of J. B. and J. R. Miller.

Whereas, Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation as plaintiff, has obtained an attachment out of this Court issued on, to-wit: The 3rd day of November, 1924, against the estate of the said defendants, J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, which attachment has been levied upon the following described property, to-wit: One 21-E Rex Paver with four-cylinder engine, batch meter with locking device, as the property of said defendants; and, whereas, it appears that the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, defendants, are non-residents of the State of Alabama, and reside in Baconton, State of Georgia.

Now, therefore, the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, wherever they may reside, are hereby notified of the levy and pendancy of said attachment.

Witness my hand this the 25th day of November, 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk of Circuit Court,
11-27-3t.c. Chilton County, Ala.

The wife of Mr. Dudley Collins of Friendship community was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton one day last week for treatment. Reports say that she is very sick.

The Union-Banner is $1.50 a year.

SOUTH CALERA

Sunday was the regular preaching day at Shiloh. The new pastor, Bro. Weston preached in the morning and there was singing in the afternoon. Bro. Morton, the former pastor, was also in the community Sunday and assisted in the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby of Pelham were visitors to the community last Sunday.

Mr. Brown of Birmingham spent the week-end with his home-folks in South Calera.

Mrs. Boyer of Calera was the guest of Mrs. G. S. Tate Sunday.

Mr. Edd Haynes has moved to South Calera in the house formerly occupied by Mr Rogers.

Mrs. Oscar Martin and children of Calera were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Cecil Martin Saturday.

A few friends were entertained at the home of Miss Hazel Cox last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams of Bessemer were the week-end guests of Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Richard Busby of South Calera. They also visited Mr. Williams' parents near Jemison.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Chism of Florida are spending a while with Mr. Chism's parents near Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans spent Sunday in South Calera as the guest of relatives there.

SUPPER AT CHESTNUT CREEK

I would like to say a few words in regard to our tea supper we had Saturday night, the 22nd, at Chestnut Creek church. Everybody seemed to enjoy it very much. We had the best of order. Profs. W. M. Devaughn, Archie, Mack, Lena, Bonnie, Floy Devaughn rendered two of the best quartets I ever heard. The title of the songs were: "Is your necktie up behind," and "Good-night ladies." Everybody should have been there and heard them. You missed it all by not being present.

Prof. W. M. Devaughn has promised to get up a concert, the purpose of which will be to help get money to finish our church. Will announce just where and when it will be held later.

We have a Grant quartet band and a Devaughn quartet band. No one will regret their money to just come hear them.

Perhaps some one would like to know how much we took in—$29.50. We had seven boxes there to sell also. Mr. Cecil Smith auctioned them off for us.

Rev. B. Lawrence of Marbury was in Clanton Tuesday.

Rheumatism

"Good-bye old crutch!"

THERE IS positively no longer any excuse for suffering the agonies of rheumatism! Especially in the autumn of your life, when the vital organs weaken, impurities multiply and linger in the muscles and joints, as never before. It is now, just now, when you cannot afford to guess. No day returns!

Here is a joyous fact which can mean to you a fond farewell forever to all the miseries, the tortures, the body-twisting pains that you have suffered from the demon of rheumatism. It is a fact that rheumatism means "blood poverty." It is a fact with the increase of red-cells in your blood, impurities are destroyed. It is a fact that S.S.S. will help Nature build these red-blood-cells! S.S.S. is one of the most powerful blood cleansers in existence. Its results in thousands of rheumatic cases have been nothing short of amazing! The medicinal ingredients of S.S.S. are purely vegetable. This is very important to remember! What can be more inspiring, more wonderful than to see the shackles of pain released from your struggling body, swellings, lingering pains, stiffness of joints and muscles all disappear; your stomach made strong; your face pink with the old sweetheart glow, your blood enriched and your cheeks more plump as they used to be. You can do it! Take S.S.S., the great destroyer of rheumatic impurities.

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LEGAL NOTICES

IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE No. 7

An ordinance to provide for certain improvements on Eighth Street, from the north property line on Second Avenue, North, to the South property line of Seventh Avenue, North.

Be It Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. That the sidewalk on each side of Eighth Street from the North property line on Second Avenue, North, to the South property line on Seventh Avenue, North, shall be connected and paved with Portland cement concrete sidewalk paving for a width of five feet, and a depth of four inches. That alley crossings shall be paved with Portland cement concrete paving for eight inches thick.

Section 2. That said impropements shall be made in accordance with the established grades on file in the office of the Town Clerk, for said portion of said Street, and according to full details, drawings, plans, specifications and surveys of said work, and estimates of said work which shall be prepared by the City Engineer as early as practical, and placed by him on file in the office of the Town Clerk of Clanton, Ala., at least two weeks prior to the date hereinafter fixed for hearing objections, remonstrances, or protests before the Town Council, where property owners affected by said improvement may see and examine the same.

Section 3. That the cost of constructing said improvement shall be assessed against the property abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(a). That the cost of improvements at or upon the street intersections shall be assessed against the lots or parcels of land abutting on said highway so intersecting for one-half block in each direction.

(b). That the cost of laying alley paving shall be assessed against all lots or parcels of land abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(c). That no assessment shall exceed the cost of such improvement or the increased value of such property by reason of the special benefit derived from such improvement.

Section 4. That the estimated cost of said improvement is $1300.00. The Council of the Town of Clanton, will meet on the 12th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the Council Chamber of the Town office, to hear objections, remonstrances, or protests that may be made against said improvements, the manner of making the same or the character of the material to be used.

Read and approved and finally adopted this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

A true copy:
ADA M. ATKINSON, Town Clerk.

IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE No. 8

An ordinance to provide for certain improvements on First Avenue, from the West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street.

Be It Ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. That First Avenue from West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street, shall be graded.

Section 2. That the sidewalks on each side of First Avenue from the West property line of First Street, to the East property line of Sixth Street, shall be paved with Portland cement concrete sidewalk paving, for a width of five feet and a depth of four inches. That alley crossings shall be paved with Portland cement concrete paving for a depth of eight inches.

Section 3. That said improvements shall be made in accordance with the established grades on file in the office of the Town Clerk, for said portion of said Avenue, and according to full details, drawings, plans, specifications and surveys of said work, and estimates of said work shall be prepared by the City Engineer as early as practical and placed by him on file in the office of the Town Clerk of Clanton at least two weeks prior to the date hereinafter fixed for hearing objections, remonstrances or protests before the Town Council where property owners affected by said improvements may see and examine the same.

Section 4. That the cost of constructing said improvement shall be assessed against the property abutting on the portion of the Avenue so improved.

(a). That the cost of improvements at or upon the Avenue intersections shall be assessed against the lots or parcels of land abutting on said highway so intersecting for one-half block in each direction.

(b). That the cost of laying alley paving shall be assessed against all lots or parcels of land abutting on the portion of the highway so improved.

(c). That no assessments shall exceed the cost of such improvement or the increased value of said property by reason of the special benefit derived from such improvement.

Section 5. That the estimated cost of said improvement is $4000.00, and the Council of the Town of Clanton, will meet on the 12th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the Council Chamber of the Town office, to hear objections, remonstrances or protests that may be made against said improvements, the manner of making the same, or the character of the material to be used.

Read and approved and finally adopted this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

A true copy:
ADA M. ATKINSON, Town Clerk.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

To Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll or list, prepared in accordance with the law in such cases, made and provided under an ordinance entitled "Improvement Ordinance No. 4, an Ordinance to provide for certain improvements on Sixth Street," adopted and confirmed on July 14th, 1924, by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama has been delivered to me and is open for inspection in the office of the Town Clerk, the person authorized to make collection of assessments of improvements constructed under said ordinance, and that the Council of the Town of Clanton will meet on December 12th, 1924, in the Council Chamber of the City office of Clanton, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to hear any objection, protests or defenses that may be filed to such proposed assessments, or the amount thereof.

The general character of the improvement constructed under said ordinance consists of certain concrete sidewalk paving, alley clossings and grading.

The Streets, Avenues, Alleys, or other highways or portions thereof, which said improvement has been constructed and the terminal points of said improvement are as follows, to-wit: On Sixth Street, from the North property line of First Avenue, to the South property line of Fifth Avenue North.

ADA M. ATKINSON.
1t Town Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

To levy a tax of five Mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property and on all subjects of taxation, liable therefor, within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year of 1924, and to provide for the assessing and collecting of said taxes.

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section 1.—There is hereby levied a tax of five (5) mills on each dollar's worth of property and on all subjects of taxation within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year, 1924, which are not by law exempt from taxation. Said tax is levied for the purpose of raising revenue with which to pay legal obligations and expenses heretofore created or which may be hereafter created by said Town of Clanton, Alabama.

Section 2.—The Town Clerk of the Town of Clanton, Ala., be and hereby is directed to make the assessment of said taxes. Said assessment to be made as provided by Article 31 of the Political Code of Alabama, 1923. Upon the completion of the assessment, the clerk of said town is hereby directed to return the assessment to the town council, which shall thereupon give ten days notice, by publication in some newspaper published in Clanton, Alabama, that the assessment has been completed and that the council will hear and determine objections thereto upon a day not more than thirty days from the date on which said notice was directed to be made.

Read, adopted and approved finally, on this the 18th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor.

Attest:
ADA M. ATKINSON,
Clerk of the Town of Clanton,
11-20-2t Alabama.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Of The Town of Clanton, Alabama, Of Tax Levy and Assessment for 1924:

Whereas, the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, did by ordinance duly adopted on the 18th day of November, 1924, levy a tax of five mills on each dollar's worth of property and all subjects of taxation, within the corporate limits of said town for the tax year of 1924, and by said ordinance ordered the Clerk of the Town of Clanton to make the assessment of said taxes in accordance with the provisions of Article 31 of the Political Code of Alabama, 1923, and deliver the same to the town council when completed, and

Whereas, the Clerk of said Town did in compliance with said ordinance, deliver to the town council on said date the assessment book containing the assessments of said tax, and

Whereas, the Town Council designated and fixed December 1, 1924, as the day and date when it would meet, hear and determine objections to said assessments, and ordered notice given as required by law of said meeting;

Now, therefore, all parties interested in said assessment may appear before the Town Council on said December 1, 1924, in the office of the Town Clerk of said Town, and make any objection to said assessment, as they may deem proper.

Witness our hands and dated, this the 19th day of November, 1924.

V. J. GRAGG, Mayor of
The Town of Clanton, Alabama.
ADA M. ATKINSON, Clerk of
11-20-2t The Town of Clanton, Ala.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Chilton County No. 100, Section "B"

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, January 7th, 1925, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.184 miles of road between Calera and Autauga County line in Chilton County.

Contractors are notified that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids will be the ones that govern.

Contractors in submitting bids on one course plain cement concrete pavement or combination cement concrete header curbing base course may bid on these items as follows:

Contractor furnishing all labor and materials including cement or the contractor furnishing all labor and materials with the exception of cement which will be furnished by the State.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Should the grading and dranaige and surfacing be awarded to different contractors the contractor on the surfacing must absorb into the unit price bid for surfacing the cost of the necessary find grading within the following limits:

Six inches above or six inches below sub-grade:

Either Portland Cement or Puzzolan Cement may be used in the construction of concrete base course.

The principal items of work are approximately as follows:

PROPOSAL No. 1
Grading and Draining

22.557 acres clearing and grubbing; 171,452 Cu. Yds. common excavation and borrow; 1,897 Cu. Yds. solid rock excavation; 92,076 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation; 136 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed; 206 Lin. Ft. 15-inch pipe; 1484 Lin. Ft. 18-inch pipe; 243 Lin. Ft. 21-inch pipe; 492.5 Lin. Ft. 24-inch pipe; 804.96 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete in culverts; 90,065 pounds steel reinforcing in culverts; 59 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap; 140.22 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls and inlets; 282 concrete right-of-way markers; 14 structures to be removed from right-of-way; 12,702 Lin. Ft. fence to be reset; 26 Lin. Ft. pipe to be taken up and relaid; 42,365 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting; 1,000 Cu. Yds. channel excavation; 360 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piles for culvert.

PROPOSAL No. 2
Surfacing

120 Sq. Yds. reinforced concrete bridge approach paving; 27,228 Lin. Ft. 3-4-inch galvanized cable for guard rail; 993 concrete posts for guard rail; 122 concrete end post braces for guard rail; 17.184 miles shoulder construction.

SURFACING ALTERNATES

181,459 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement; 171,378 Sq. Yds. rock asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. Warrenite bitulithic pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. sheet asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. bituminous concrete pavement on concrete base; 181,459 Sq. Yds. combination cement concrete header curbing base course.

PROPOSAL No. 3
Bridges

1888.92 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete; 251,666 pounds reinforcing steel; 520 Cu. Yds. dry excavation; 1,088 Cu. Yds. wet excavation; 59 Cu. Yds. rock excavation; 300 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piling; 95.5 Sq. Yds. surfacing; 1,342 Lin. Ft. Type "C" handrail.

The pipe used on this project may be either triple strength vitrified clay, concrete, or cast iron.

Contractors may bid on either proposal independent of the others.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Alabama. Any addtional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama.

Cash, certified check or bid bond for Five Thousand Dollars, made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must acrompany earh bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

The right to rejert any or all bids is reserved.

Contractors are notified that any interlining with pen or pencil on the proposal form is sufficient cause to make the bid informal and may be rejected.

W. S. KELLER,
11-27-3 State Highway Engineer.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, convicted in the spring term, 1924, of the circuit court of Chilton County for having still in possession and sentenced to had labor for 18 to 24 months, will make application to the State Board of Pardons for pardon or parole.

(Signed) MACK HENLEY.

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11-27—3t-ch. EDGAR WILLIS.

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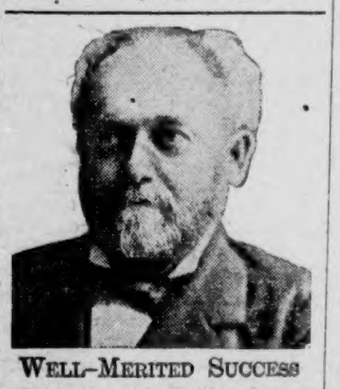

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ALABAMA FUNERAL DIRECTORS' ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED

Leading funeral directors from practically every section of the state met in Birmingham Tuesday, Dec. 18, and formed an organization to be known as the Alabama Funeral Directors' Association. For the past five or six years there has been very little done in the way of association work in the profession, but judging from the plans formulated at the meeting the new organization will function on an unusually active basis in bringing about a higher standard of service and improved business methods.

The principal address at the meeting was made by Joseph N. Sletton, of Chicago, Ill., executive secretary, National Funeral Directors' Association, Inc. Mr. Sletton spoke at length on the advantages of organized effort. The Alabama Assiciation voted to affiliate with the national body.

Officers elected at the meeting are as follows: E. J. Duncan, president, Alexander City; O. L. McLaughlin, 1st vice-president, Carbon Hill; Tom Roach, 2nd vice-president, Mobile; F. H. Sorrow, secretary-treasurer, Atlanta, Ga. The 1925 annual meeting will be held in Birmingham the 2nd Tuesday in May.

NOTICE—TELEPHONE MEETING

The regular meeting of the People's Telephone Company will be held at the court house, the second Monday in December, Dec. 8. The directors of eah line are requested to call a meeting of the stockholders of their line, Monday, Dec. 1, and elect directors for the coming year and it shall be the duty of these directors elected from each line to meet at the court house on Monday, Dec. 8,1924, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a President, Vice-president, Secretary and Treasurer and a board of 5 directors and to transact all other business that might come before the meeting.

W. W. FOX, President.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec'y.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Alpine schoolhouse, 5 miles East of Plantersville, on Thanksgiving night at 7:30 o'clock. Proceeds will go to the church and school. Everybody invited.

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Railroads Don't Make Their Own Rates

What the railroads charge for their passenger and freight service is a matter of extreme importance to every citizen of the United States. Every fair-minded man and woman believes that the owners of the railroads (nearly two million Americans are directly interested in railroad securities) should receive a fair return on their money invested. For many years this condition has not prevailed.

Contrary to general opinion, the railroads do not make their own rates, this being the principal duty of the Interstate Commerce Commission, a governmental bureau which has for many years established and controlled the making of all interstate rates and supervised the work of various State Railroad Commissions in making intra-state rates. The only thing new about rate making is the designation on the part of Congress, through the Esch-Cummins bill, (Sec. 15-A of the Interstate Commerce Act) of what is considered by Congress as "a fair return".

This figure was fixed on March 1, 1922 at 5½%—at which it now stands. *The Government does not guarantee any return* to the railroads, but simply says that for rate-making purposes the roads are *permitted* to earn 5½% upon their aggregate property value. This is the particular section of the so-called "Transportation Act" that is being so much discussed by politicians and will receive so much of the attention of Congress.

The railroads believe that they should be given the opportunity to operate under this act until there is a demonstrated need for its revision. Great improvements have been made in railroad service during the past two years—the roads are handling the largest volume of business in their history and are rendering outstandingly good service to the American people—yet, they have never earned the *permitted* "fair return" of 5½%. Does this look like rates are too high?

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Auto Chassis of Gold Planned As Feature of Dixie Auto Show

To Furnish Music For The Auto Show

SIGNOR WILLIAM NAPPI

Nappi and his famous jazz orchestra have been engaged to furnish the music for the Dixie Automobile Show, which will be held at the new Birmingham auditorium the first week in December. Signor Nappi last year was featured on the leading vaudeville circuit, in association with the Clyde Doerr Orchestra from the fashionable Congress Hotel, Chicago. His orchestra will furnish continuous music during the Automobile Show, and there will be other entertainment features.

Birmingham.—Co-operation of automobile manufacturers with local dealers will make the Dixie Automobile Show, Birmingham, December 1 to 6, an event that will vie in interest with the big shows at New York and Chicago. It is announced by G. P. Caldwell, managing director of the exposition to be held here the first week in December at the Auditorium, that Birmingham exhibitors have been promised factory assistance in presenting unusual and interesting features.

The cut-out chasses displaying the inner workings of motor cars, and perhaps a gold-plated chassis displayed at the big national shows, will be secured for Birmingham's event if the efforts of dealers here are successful. In addition there will be special "paint jobs," showing the progress made in decorative improvement, and other instructive features.

Continuous music will be furnished during the show by Nappi's jazz orchestra, and Manager Caldwell is negotiating for other entertainment features.

Radio fans, as well as present and prospective automobile owners, will find the show of special interest, inasmuch as there will be a number of radio exhibits displaying up-to-the-minute improvements in wireless accessories.

Fifty Types of Autos

All space has been contracted for in the motor car division of the show, in which more than 50 types of automobiles will be displayed, and Manager Caldwell is busy now accepting reservations for the accessories section, in which there will be over thirty booths.

Birmingham will have a clear field in the South this year with her first interstate automobile show, it is said, for the reason that there will be no Southeastern Show at Atlanta. Reports from Alabama towns, as well as from other States, indicate that there will be many out-of-town motorists in Birmingham for the occasion. It will also be an opportunity for visitors to do some early Christmas shopping in Birmingham, and merchants are planning to offer special shopping week attractions.

Alabama's 154,000 automobile owners and her hundreds of thousands of prospective automobile owners will assure the success of the Dixie Automobile Show, but it is proposed to make it something bigger than a State event, according to T. B. McCarty, president of the Birmingham Motor Trade Association, which is sponsoring the exposition.

Alabama Leads All States

"The figures recently published showing that Alabama leads all States of the Union in increase of automobile ownership during the past 12 months, indicate that this State should be second to none as far as interest in automobiles is concerned," said Mr. McCarty. "We are confident that the Dixie automobile Show is going to be as big and as successful as some of the best that Atlanta has had—and some of the 'Southeastern' shows held there have been good ones.

"We have every reason to believe that the 'Motor Event of Dixie' will be entirely successful, from the standpoint of attendance, excellence of exhibits and every other angle."

Mr. McCarty is chairman of the Motor Trade Association Committee, cooperating with G. P. Caldwell, secretary-manager, in arrangements for the show. His associates on the committee are H. E. Bissell, P. R. McCormack, C. W. Drennen, Ted Brownell, A. R. Pryor, W. S. Edwards and Douglas Kirkpatrick.

While superintending the clearing of the debris caused by eight freight cars leaving the track at Conecuh River near Troy, Roadmaster E. W. Beck was injured. He fell and his left leg was broken above the ankle and two ribs fractured.

Tom Cowan, well-known citizen of Piedmont, is reported to be securing leases on 30,000 acres of land in Calhoun and Cherokee Counties for C. P. Price, of New York, who proposes to bore for oil and gas.

A proclamation has been issued calling an election in Huntsville to determine whether or not the form of city government shall be changed.

Sheriff Golsby, of Elmore County has given notice that Sunday closing of stores will be strictly enforced in the future.

Selma's cotton receipts for the present year have exceeded the 40,000 mark, according to figures just compiled.

RED CROSS YEAR'S COST $21,366,255

Nearly $12,000,000 Devoted to Helping Victims of Great Japanese Earthquake.

OVER 3,000 BUSY CHAPTERS

Aid to Disabled War Veterans Paramount and Reaches Nearly $4,000,000.

Washington.—More than $21,000,000 was the total of funds expended in all activities of the American Red Cross during the last fiscal year ended June 30, says a statement issued by the National organization. This expenditure was almost one sixth of the amount of money disbursed by the Red Cross in the war year, July, 1917, to June, 1918. Of this extraordinary sum $11,631,303 was America's contribution to the Red Cross for relief of the Japanese earthquake victims. This was increased to $11,768,803 by appropriations from general funds of the Red Cross and it represented probably the largest spontaneous outpouring of beneficence of a single nation in the history of the world.

Over 3,000 active Chapters expended during the year $4,869,000, the National organization disbursed $16,497,255.35, making the total $21,366,255.35—all for humanitarian work which reached practically around the world.

In announcing the year's record of American Red Cross industry the executive officials at Washington emphasize the fact that the extensive and never-halting work of the Red Cross depends almost wholly upon the nation-wide support of the organization from the memberships enrolled during the annual roll call which this year will be in progress from Nov. 11 to 27, when everyone is asked to join or renew their membership in the American Red Cross.

Soldier Service Paramount

Service in behalf of the disabled veterans of the World War and their families is a paramount obligation of the Red Cross. The organization, through its Chapters, is constantly in touch with this duty in 2,639 communities throughout the United States—the Chapters alone during the year expending in service for veterans about $2,000,000. The National organization expended $1,735,825—a total of $3,735,825 applied to assisting war sufferers toward recovery from disability and distress.

This work is constant in hospitals, sanitariums, camps, soldiers' homes, in the community. For example, in helping disabled men and women in places where they were transient residents $173,076 from national funds alone was required to help solve their problems. Every Red Cross service is ever at hand ready to meet the individual need of these men and women.

The enlisted men in the Regular Army, the Navy, and the Marine Corps, with their home ties, mean a never-ending Red Cross service which figures cannot fully interpret. In this work a total of $685,285 was applied in meeting an obligation under the Red Cross charter which has been fulfilled for over 20 years.

Domestic Operations Extensive

In the past year Red Cross operations were almost wholly confined to continental United States and the insular possessions. Relief work following disasters called for immediate activities in 192 places and a total of $737,603.87 was spent in this service alone. In 33 major disasters trained workers were kept at the work of rehabilitation for many months.

In carrying on the health activities a total of $444,886.66 from Red Cross national funds, and $808,000 from Chapter treasuries—appropximately $1,252,886 in all—was applied, giving some idea of the extent of Red Cross service in the fields of public health nursing, nutrition instruction, and spreading knowledge of personal hygiene and care of the sick in the home.

For advancing the cause of human safety, the First Aid instruction, locally by Chapters and over extensive national territory by the Red Cross instruction car covering trunk line railroads, and in teaching water safety and increasing the membership of the Red Cross Life-Saving Corps the total cost was $288,234.71, of which $216,234.71 came out of national funds.

Army of Over 5,500,000

The Junior Red Cross in the schools—with over 5,500,000 in its "I Serve" ranks—was aided with $233,510.78 to which it is estimated the Chapters added some $277,000—a total of $510,510.78. In various other domestic activities the Red Cross spent $283,473.19, and the Chapters, in their numerous voluntary services expended an additional $1,048,000 during the year.

Foreign obligations, aside from Japan, were met with national funds as follows: Relief of refugees in Greece, $200,887.18; Junior Red Cross projects, $99,579.75; League of Red Cross Societies, $165,000; other insular and foreign work, $221,855.31. The American Red Cross budget for 1924-25 is $4,647,790.85, or $868,286.99 less than the budget for the year ended last June 30.

In good deeds for all peoples in time of distress the American Red Cross never rests. Help this work with your membership dollar—join on Armistice Day.

Announcement is expected daily of the impending visit to Birmingham of Secretary Weeks of the War Department on an inspection trip over the Warrior barge line and other inland waterways. The trip was announced.

Mrs. Lou Locke, of Troy, died at the Masonic hospital where she had been for treatment since she fell and broke her hip.

Tuscaloosa subscribed $2,100 the first day of the campaign for the Alabama Woman's College at Montevallo. The quota for that city is $20,000.

E. L. Thomas, 61, and his son, Edward, 25, were seriously injured at the depot grade crossing in Oneonta when their truck was struck by a fast Louisville & Nashville through freight train.

Birmingham staged a "Confederate Navy Tag Day," income to be expended in research work.

M. S. Jones, 39, of Irondale, died at the Hillman Hospital from gun shot wounds said to have been inflicted by Sam Arnett, State Law Enforcement officer, during a still raid in West Jefferson County near the Warrior River.

Gained Ten Pounds

Mrs. George S. Hunter, of Columbus, Ga., says she suffered severely with female troubles.

"I had to go to bed and stay sometimes two weeks at a time," says Mrs. Hunter. "I could not work. My . . . were irregular and I got very thin. I went from 126 pounds down to less than 100. My mother had been a user of

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and she knew what a good medicine it was for this trouble, so she told me to get some and take it. I sent to the store after it and before I had taken the first bottle up I began to improve. My side hurt less and I began to mend in health. I took four bottles in all during the last ten months. Cardui acted as a fine tonic. . . I am well now. I have gained ten pounds and am still gaining. My sides do not trouble me at all and my . . . are quite regular. I know that Cardui will help others suffering from the same trouble."

Take Cardui.

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is a prescription for

Colds, Grippe, Dengue, Headaches, Constipation, Biliousness

It is the most speedy remedy we know.

Still on the Job

There has been a report put out that I had sold out my garage business, and I wish to herewith advise the public that I have not sold out, and that we are very much on the job ready to do business with you.

We will appreciate any business given us, and we assure you that we will do our very best to give you real service.

Yours for service,

Lawrence Motor Co.

J. P. LAWRENCE, Owner and Manager
CLANTON, ALA.

GRADY REYNOLDS
Attorney-at-Law
Office Opposite Court House
Clanton, Ala.

THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR

Everybody Ought to Be Thankful

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Coolidge Makes Big Cut in 1925 Budget

In Reduction of More than Fifty-Nine Million From Estimated Expenditures of Current Year.

The estimates of six major departments of other agencies of the government—Interior, Navy, War, Treasury, Shipping Board and Veterans Bureau—were reduced in the new budget, while there was only one noticable increase—that for the Department of Agriculture.

Practically all of the $26,000,000 reduction in the Interior Department total was one of the smaller allotment for the Pension Bureau. That department's outlay was cut from $210,000,000 for the current year to $190,114,000 for next year, largely because of the decreasing pension roll resulting from the death of pensioners.

The cut of $33,000,000 in the Navy was scattered over many items of expenditure, but a large part of it was due to a reduction of the fund appropriated under the heading of "Increase of the Navy." It is understood supplemental estimates for needed construction will go to Congress later. The Budget Director's report to the President declared that under the total allowed the Navy can continue at its present enlisted strength of 86,000 men; the Marine Corps will have provision for 18,000 men instead of the present 16,000; the present aircraft force will continue [illegible] to increase the average [illegible] range of battleships from [illegible] miles to 28,700; two more of the submarines authorized in 1916 can be laid down; new aircraft can be purchased and it will be possible to continue work "at a normal rate of speed" on all new ships under construction within the limitation of number and cost.

There were scattered reductions totalling $8,600,000 in the War Department's allowance, but no particular branch of the military service was singled out for reduced appropriations. Under the total authorized the Budget Bureau declared, the regular army can continue on its present basis of 12,000 officers and an average enlisted strength of 118,000; the number of reserve officers who can be trained will remain about the same; attendance at the citizen's training camps must be limited to 29,000 instead of 33,900 in the current year, and the Militia Bureau will be able to maintain an average strength of 173,500, a reduction of 3,500 from the present authorization. The Air Service allotment was increased from $14,900,000 for the current year to $17,000,000 during the coming year to "enable the Air Service to make reasonable progress toward cutting down its present shortage in heavier-than-air craft and at the same time assist in keeping alive the aircraft industry for use in time of emergency." The total fixed for rivers and harbors improvement—$59,277,990—is practically the same as for the present year.

It was in the Veteran's Bureau estimate that the Budget Director made his biggest cut under the figures submitted a year ago. A net total of $79,000,000 was lopped off, in spite of increases in some departments of the Bureau's activities. The factors which more than offset these increases included a drop from $89,000,000 to $38,000,000 for vocational training to men wounded in the war; a reduction from $127,800,000 which the Budget Director estimated would be sufficient to carry the payments through next year if applications continue to come in at their present slow rate; and a $7,000,000 reduction in the amount set aside for hospital construction.

The Treasury Department's reduction of $16,810,000 under the total for the present year was largely accounted for by the fact that tax refunds amounting to $16,140,000, resulting from the 25 percent reduction voted by Congress at the last session, were included in the expenditures of the current year and no like item was necessary in the new budget. The Coast Guard allotment was increased by $1,650,000, as a part of the drive against rum-runners, while the total given the Customs Service was cut $712,000—a reduction declared by the Budget Director to be due to decreased activities and an estimated falling off in refunds.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION FAILS TO RECOGNIZE BAKER

At the regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Education last Monday, the matter of who would be recognized and seated as member of the Board to fill the vacancy of L. A. Calloway came up, and the Board decided in favor of seating Mr. C. C. Conway, the man who was elected by the County Board, in preference to Wm. R. Baker, who was elected by the people of the County to fill the vacancy.

This action of the County Board will necessitate a ruling of the Circuit Court on the matter. Of course, Mr. Conway is a good man and a qualified person for the position, and we know of little, if any opposition to him among the people of the County, but the fact that Mr. Baker was seated according to law, will make it necessary for a court ruling on the matter. According to all information, however, the suit will be a friendly one among the advocates of both parties, but it will be instituted merely to determine who is the legal incumbent of the office.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The next regular Examination for teachers' will be held at the Courthouse on December 15, 16, and 17th. All applicants not known to me must be properly identified and no applicant will be permitted to take who does not live or teach in this County, or who does not present a permit from the State Dept. of Education, if living in some other County to be transferred to this County.

No one will be permitted to take for Second who had not finished at least two years of High School or its equivalent and no one will be permitted to take for First who has not had the equivalent of a full High School course.

On Monday, December 15., an examination for certificates to teach piano and public school music will be given.

All applicants should be present at 9 a.m. on Monday except thise who turn in valid certificates to take for a higher certificate. Those turning in Third to take for Second should report at 3 o'clock Monday p.m. those taking for First and submitting valid Seconds need not report until 1 o'clock Tuesday p.m.

Respectfully,
HOWARD L. FOSHEE,
County Supt. Education.

THREE SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR $3.00

From now until January 1st, The Union-Banner will be sold in clubs of three or more subscriptions for one dollar each. This is under the condition, however, that not more than one third of the club be renewals. For instance, if three subscriptions are brought in two of them must be new subscribers and the other may be a renewal. However, if they are all new subscribers, it would be better. This club rate will run only through the month of December, so if you want the paper for one dollar, you had better work fast.

By the way, if you have trouble in deciding on what to give your friends for Christmas, just send three or four of them The Union-Banner. You could not give them a present that would be more appreciated. If you send them The Union-Banner for a Christmas present your friends will be reminded of your yuletide gratuity every week during the coming year. Send in your club today.

THE UNION-BANNER

JOEL FULMER ARRESTED FOR VIOLATING PROHIBITION LAW

On last Saturday night, Sheriff Littlejohn raided the home of Joel Fulmer in the Gowan Addition of Clanton, and found there a five gallon jug containing about one-half gallon of whiskey. Fulmer was arrested and placed in jail under a bond of $300. He remained in jail until Monday morning, when his bond was made and he was released.

GET TWO STILLS IN COOSA

Walter Gillespie, with the aid of J. W. Atkins, federal officer and J. W. Dows and C. M. Gardner, State officers, were over in Coosa County the first of this week looking after the moonshine business. Their maneuvers yielded two large copper stills, but no arrests were made.

OLD FASHIONED PARTY

There will be an old fashioned party at Mrs. Napoleon Johnson's home next Friday night, Dec. 5th. Everybody invited. Admission 25c.

SINGING AT THORSBY

There will be a singing Sunday afternoon at Thorsby Baptist church and we will have Mr. Devaughn and probably Cooper quartette and others, with us. Everybody is invited.

AKINS COLLINS.

NOTICE OF PREACHING

There will be preaching at The Church of Christ, Clanton, Ala., on Sunday December 7th at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. I. L. Boles of Montgomery, Aa., will preach. The public is invited to attend these services.

EVENTFUL DAYS AT METHODIST PARSONAGE

Friday, 28th. inst,, was an eventful day at the Methodist parsonage. Earl Gore, one of our young men, conveyed to the parsonage two ladies who, when leaving the car, filled their arms with various and sundry things to eat; just such as the preacher and his wife likes most, and deposited them on the dining table with the explanation: "This is for you, which is an expression of the love and friendship of the members of your church and your friends in Clanton." Then in their characteristic way, Mesdames Gore and Kicker welcomed us back and express a joy in having us another year for their pastor.

Others came or sent throughout the after-noon at intervals and brought their packages that failed to get in the first lot. Finally when dark had come, like Nicodemus coming to Christ, several others came and they too like the wise men of the East brought their gifts and added to the occasion by sitting around the fireside with us and enjoying a social evening like our fathers in the days of yore did.

These are the things that hearten the ministry and makes the preacher and family feel that there is no other place in life like theirs.

May God bless each one of you and may there not be a stone unturned this coming year that will add to God's Kingdom in this country.

Your pastor and friend
C. C. WILKERSON.

The Commissioners of Chilton County were in regular monthly session at the court house last Monday. They were attending only to road matters at this session.

HIGHWAY THROUGH CLANTON TO BE BID ON SEPERATELY

By a recent ruling of the State Highway Commission, that portion of the State Highway passing through Clanton will not be handled together with the bids for Section "B" as advertised last week in The Union-Banner, but this section will be advertised seperately as section "C." This change in the plans was made known Tuesday of this week.

CHRISTMAS TREE WILL BE GIVEN PEOPLE OF BEAT ELEVEN

To somewhat show their appreciation to the good people of Beat 11 for the splendid vote given the Republican ticket in the last general election, the Republican leaders of the County are arranging to give the people of that Beat a Christmas tree one night during the coming holidays. The arrangements are not complete yet, but it is far enough advanced to be stated a certainty. The full announcement of the affair will be made in the near future. Look for it.

MRS. CHARLES LITTLETON DEAD

Mrs. Charles Littleton, who was formerly a descendant of the New Salem community, but who was living in Bessemer, died there last Friday.

The remains were brought back and buried at the New Salem cemetery, Rev. S. M. Adams, officiating.

MRS. MOLLIE GOLDEN DIES

The many friends and the relatives of Mrs. Mollie Golden, who lived about four miles north of town, are saddened by the death of this good woman, which occurred at the home of her daughter in Bessemer last Sunday morning. She was 62 years of age.

The remains were brought and buried at Lomax last Monday.

UNCLE JUNIUS DEAD

Old Uncle Junious Winfield, the oldest negro in Chilton County, died at his little cabin home on First Street near the cemetery last Saturday night. Uncle Junius had been sick for two or three days before the end came.

No one knows the exact age of Uncle Junius, but old settlers say that he was over a hundred, and judging from his appearance, this estimate is very conservative.

This old darky will be greatly missed in Clanton by the white people as well as the black, as he has been jogging his old bended form over the streets of Clanton as long as most people here can remember. Everybody in this neighborhood knew Uncle Junius, and his friends were numbered no less. He was buried in the Clanton cemetery Monday of this week.

Uncle Junius, as a liberated slave, came to Chilton County shorty after the Civil War. When Clanton was being settled, he acquired a small lot in Clanton on which he built him a cabin. He has lived there ever since. His trusty old feminine companion, Aunt Mary, died three or four years ago. They were the parents of no children.

NOTICE

The People's Telephone Company's annual meeting is hereby called to meet at the court house, Monday, Dec. 8, 1924, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, and a Board of Directors, and to transact any business that may come before the meeting.

Each line is urgently requested to have someone at this meeting to represent your line.

W. W. FOX, Pres.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec.

EDWARDS—PATTERSON WEDDING

On last Sunday at the home of Rev. A. C. Wells in Clanton Mr. Albert Edwards was joined in marriage to Miss Lera Patterson, Uncle Dock performed the ceremony. Mr. Edwards is the son of Charley Edwards of near Billingsley, and his bride is the daughter of Mr. Daniel Patterson of West Clanton.

$25 REWARD—Lost November 21, Large white male pointer dog with lemon colored spots, answers to the name of Dan. Above reward for his return or location.

Dr. P. T. HINKLE.

HONOR ROLL—CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The following pupils have made an average above 90 and have not been absent or tardy:

2nd year Junior High.

Myra Johnson, Mittice Duncan, John VanDerveer, Grover Harris, Aubrey Gore, Gladys Williams, Clarence Jones.

1st year Junior High.

Nelson Parrish, Georgea Wood, Bronson Ruffin, Bill Minor, Mary Nell Goodgame, Mattie Arant, Leola Calloway, Elizabeth Johnson.

Fifth Grade.

Josephine Littlejohn, Zebbie Gray, Pauline Wells, Charlsie Pyron, Byron Bean, Lavalia Roper, Bonnie Hann, Lawrence Edwards.

Fourth Grade.

Dorris Aldridge, J. P. Jones, Elizabeth McSwain, Lois Miller, Dorothy Sessions, Gladys Thomas.

Third Grade.

Louise Marcus, Nell Neighbors, Jno. Thomas Marlor, Helen Moore, U. L. Baker.

Second Grade.

Helen Roberts, Grace Plyler.

First Grade.

Lois Foshee, Ida Mae Bean, Gladys Martin, James Parrish, Celia Gerald, Bill Armstrong, Charles Gandy, Pricilla Johnson.

W. E. MARTIN, Prin.

MRS. SUSAN B. THACKER DEAD

This most estimable lady died in Birmingham last Thursday and was buried in the City Cemetery here on the following day.

She was the last living charter member of the First Baptist church of Clanton and had been a member for 72 years.

She was for many years a citizen of our town and was remembered and loved by all of the older citizens here. She was always a most devoted and earnest Christian, ever ready and anxious to do her utmost for the cause of Christ and the upbuilding of her church; was noted for her efforts in the interest of all who suffered or needed assistance.

The remains were followed to their last resting place by a great throng of sorrowing friends. Dr. Ezell officiated at the service in most solemn and affecting eulogy of the dear good old lady.

KNIGHT TEMPLAR BANQUET

On the night of Thanksgiving Day the local commandery of the Knights Templar pulled off their annual banquet at their hall on Eighth street.

They also put through the largest class of applicants in the history of the local Lodge. Under the direction of Dr. P. T. Hinkle, one is not surprised to learn that a proper amount of pep and push exists in this splendid organization.

Dr. T. J. Marcus represented, by special request and appointment, the Grand lodge of the State of Nevada, at the Grand Lodge Convocation in Montgomery this week.

Clanton is proud of its Masonic strength. It embraces a very large number of the best citizens in this vicinity and is always alive and ready to act when any occasion arises that demands their attention.

Mr. G. F. M. Easterling, R. S. Easterling, W. E. Easterling, J. H. Johnson and Will Cox left in a Ford, Monday, for Florida, where they will spend a few days.

Highway Settled on Seventh St. Route

Two Delegations Go Before State Highway Commission In Montgomery Tuesday.

The question of whether the State highway passing through Clanton shall go through Sixth street instead of Seventh street was definitely settled Tuesday by the State Highway Commission in session in Montgomery. The highway will go through Clanton on Seventh street by Maddox's gin and the postoffice, according to the ruling of the Highway Commission.

The highway commission, through Judge Reynolds, notified the people of Clanton Monday that the matter would be heard and settled by them Tuesday at 10 o'clock. After Judge Reynolds made public this fact, delegations representing the merits of each route began to get together and make arrangements to present their pleas to the commission. When the highway commission met at 10 o'clock the room was packed with Clanton people, about an equal number representing each proposal. About an hour was allowed each delegation to present its argument, and in about thirty seconds after the argument ceased a vote was taken by the commission and it registered unanimous for the Seventh street route.

So, be it advantageous or unadvantageous, the highway will pass thru the street by Maddox's gin and the postoffice; that is, so far as this particular skirmish is concerned, but of course, it would be very presumptuous to say that the highway will go in any specified place until after the cement is placed, as these things are often changed overnight and without the least warning so far as the public is concerned.

Due to the fact that the highway remains where it was formerly surveyed, no one has been benefitted by the skirmish in mention except Chilton county. But by the wide-awake and cautious management of Judge Reynolds and the County Commissioners, all of whom went before the State Commission, Chilton county will not have to purchase the right-of-way for the highway through Clanton, but same will be cared for by the citizens owning property on the route. Judge Reynolds went before the Highway Commission with a petition from the property owners on Sixth street guaranteeing the county the right-of-way without cost to the county,and before the discussion went very far the representatives of the Seventh street route were smoked out and forced to make the same offer. Therefore, Chilton county was safe whichever way the highway went. So by the skillful management of Judge Reynolds and the Commissioners the county was saved two or three thousand dollars, which otherwise they would have been forced to pay for the right-of-way. So the trip to Montgomery was not altogether in vain, even if there was no change made in the right-of-way.

The most noticeable and noble thing in the whole scramble was the good humor manifest by both delegations. Although every fellow was contending with all his might for his route, yet it was all done with smiles and good feeling among everybody.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

The Oldest Bank In Chilton County

GREETINGS!

Imbued with the Christmas Spirit and desirous of spreading cheer at every opportunity, the officers of this Bank sincerely wish each and every man, woman and child in Clanton and Chilton county

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

May supreme Happiness abound in every home and this Yuletide be a never-to-be-forgotten event. And may next Christmas find us enjoying the same pleasant relationship with our patrons that we enjoy now.

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Our Best Wishes

are with all our friends for A Merry Christmas and Health Happiness and Prosperity all through the coming New Year

Total Resources Almost One-Half Million Dollars
Under the Strict Supervision of the
United States Government.

WE PAY 4% ON TIME DEPOSITS

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS $65,000
CLANTON, ALA.

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

POOR ORIGINAL

CORN ALONE FOUND POOR HOG RATION

Experiments Show That Grains Are Cheaper When Protection Ration Is Fed With Corn.

Auburn, Ala., Dec. 4.—Special—Corn alone is a poor and very expensive for growing and fattening pigs and hogs, according to Prof. F. W. Burns, of the Agricultural College at Auburn. Corn contains only a small amount of protein and when fed alone growth of animals is slow, requiring much more feed per pound of grain.

In seven feeding trials conducted by agricultural experiment stations, Prof. Burns reports that when corn alone was used an average of 642 pounds were required to produce 100 pounds gain. When corn was supplemented with tankage, 100 pounds gain was made on 387 pounds of corn and 42 pounds of tankage. Thus 265 pounds of corn was replaced by 42 pounds of tankage. Taking these two feeds at their present price it can be seen that $1.47 worth of tankage replaced $5.67 worth of corn, saving $4.20 per hundred pounds gain. When tankage was used the daily grain was approximately doubled.

A feeding test now in progress at the Experiment Station here is giving the same market results. It shows that farmers who are using corn alone as a feed for hogs can well afford to sell part of their corn and buy some tankage or some other good protein supplement. Fish meal, skimmilk and buttermilk will give the same good results as tankage.

Legume pastures contain much protein, and are especially good for growing pigs. These crops also contain much calcium, a mineral content much needed for rapid growth. A mineral mixture of equal parts, by weight, of charcoal, lime, and salt should be kept before growing pigs all the time.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

MALARIA LEAVES A HEAVY MARK

Malaria, unfortunately, does not end with the breaking of Chills and reducing of Fever. Even after the patient is free from actual illness, the marks on his system are plain to see. Vitality is weak, appetite poor, weight fallen off, spirits low. In such conditions Wintersmith's Chill Tonic, a reliable anti-malaria prescription is invaluable.

Wintersmith's Chill Tonic builds up and restores what the malarial fever has taken away. It enriches and purifies the blood, aids the appetite, tones up the system, hastens the return of health and strength.

Taken as you feel Chills and Fever coming on, Wintersmith's Chill Tonic gives prompt and certain relief; and a long siege of Malaria can often be avoided. Its beneficial effects have been proved in thousands of cases, over 56 years of continued use. At your drug store. Popular size, 60c; mammoth size, $1. Made only by the Wintersmith Chemical Co., Inc. Louisville, Ky. —Adv.

WILL HAVE PLAY AT INDIAN GRAVE SCHOOL

The following play will be given Saturday night, December 6, 1924, at the Indian Grave School, with R. R. Riggins, director:

Time of play—two and a quarter hours.

Aunt Jerushy on the War-path.

Synopsis

Act I.—Scene: The Kitchen of Hiram's Farm House.

Morning: The Pink Letter.

Act II.—Scene: The Carnival Grounds in the Village.

Afternoon: Aunt Jerushy and the Wild Man!

Act III.—Scene Same as Act II. Same afternooon. Call the Constable.

Characters

Rolland R. Riggins—Sufficiency Fish—Right off the Farm.

Monroe Jones—Elder Snuffels—An old hypocrite.

Alonza Askins—Hiram Fish—The Constable, by heck!

Aron Parker—Bill Barker—Manager of the Carnival.

Jetta Adams—Aunt Jerushy Fish—Hiram's better half.

Everee Coggins—Litttle Sis Popkins—her hired girl.

Lora Billingsley—Miss Stelly Etta Snapper—An old maid.

Winnie Adams—Madam Reeno De Beeno—A fortune teller.

Ethel Traywick—Elsie Barker—A carnival queen.

Chorus Girls—Six or eight more.

With and through the co-operation of our school, we extend to everybody a cordial invitation to come and bring somebody with you.

INDIAN GRAVE SCHOOL.

MAPLESVILLE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The following students have made the honor roll of Maplesville school during November:

First Grade.

Gala Roy Coburn, Beryl Crane, Emoree Gay, Sarah Louise McAfee, Lucy Osburn, Francis Sexton, Lucile Wallace, Frank Brown, Edward Hayes, Willard Hicks, Billie Smitherman, Horace Wallace, Melton Wallace, Tommie Williams.

Second Grade.

Lillie Wyatt, Douglas Hayes, Raymond Davenport, Ottis Moore, H. M. Nix, Jr., C. V. Smith, Woodrow Wyatt.

Third Grade.

Ruth Gray, Louvene Moore, Hattie Mae Atchison, Irene Amberson, Monroe Hayes, Marvin Hayes, Lewis McGee, Jack Jackson.

Fourth Grade.

Houston Noble, Alletha Latham, Marjorie Wallace, Tommie Christian, Cleo Seales.

Fifth Grade.

Sullivan Williams, Bessie Mae Moore, Margaret Nix, Ruth Judson Parnell, Daisy Lee Lovelady, Ruby Lee Dobbs, Robert McAfee, Marvin Atchison.

Sixth Grade.

Roscoe Gay, K. C. Seales, Mattie Lou Gay, Fonso Noble, Susie Foshee.

Junior I.

Herbert Foshee.

Junior III.

Delene Lambert, Sara Lambert.

J. D. GRIFFIN, Prin.

The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to THE NEW CAFE to eat. We always have a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

E. A. THOMAS E. M. THOMAS

BIRD RUGS

For the next 30 days or as long as they last, I will sell Bird Rugs as follows:

9x12 Bird Rug, with border.....$12.80
9x12 Bird Rug, without border.....$10.80

I have a line of Furniture and can give some good bargains in Living Room Suites, Kitchen Cabinets. So come to see me before you buy.

Retherford Furniture Co.
CLANTON, ALA.

AUCTION SALE

100 Beautiful Residence Lots and 3 Houses at

Maplesville, Ala.

Thursday, December 11th

10 A. M.

THE W. W. EARNEST FINE PROPERTY, LOCATED NEAR NEW HIGH SCHOOL, SELLS TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER AT YOUR PRICE

Biggest Day Ever in Maplesville—Picnic and Lunches, Brass Band Music—a Good Time For All. Lot Given Away Absolutely FREE. Each person at this Sale will have a Free Chance at Each Prize, $100.00 in Cash, $50.00 in Gold all GIVEN FREE.

Many entertainments, something doing every minute to entertain you. There will be cash prizes given to the person who brings the most people to this Sale on their truck, car or wagon; to the Prettiest Baby; to the Fastest Runner, men above 60 years participating; to the one buying the Most Property; to the Prettiest Young Lady; the Ugliest man, ladies to be judges.

There will be Turkeys and Guineas turned loose, catchers to be the owners, also a greased pig. Daylight Fireworks and a Balloon Ascension. COME!

Maplesville is one of Alabama's leading towns—two good railroads, with twelve passenger trains daily and one of the best High schools of the country.

A certain per cent of the proceeds will go to the school, and five per cent of the commissions will be donated.

There is no mortgages on this property. The Conveyor will give you a Warranty Deed Free from Incumbrance. Mr. Earnest has moved away from Maplesville and has decided to sell all this property for the benefit of the School and Community. We ask the co-operation of those especially interested in the school and town, also the citizens of the country.

Remember your price is our price, you make the price, we make the deeds. Mr. Earnest has signed an agreement to deed each lot to the highest bidder. We will also sell 272 acres of land for Mr. Earnest the same time. The land is located about one and one-half miles north of Plantersville, Ala., Dallas County.

The Deeds will be made right on the grounds—bring your check book with you. Terms of Sale, One-third Cash and Balance in 6, 12 and 18 Months. Come to this Sale—Don't Miss It—Your time will be worth more here than elsewhere. COME! COME!!

The Sale Will Be Managed by Col. Thos. W. Millican, the World's Greatest Auctioneer. It's Almost Like a Circus to Hear Him.

SALE MANAGED BY

Tennessee-Alabama Auction Company

FORT PAYNE BIRMINGHAM MAPLESVILLE

POOR OR

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Wednesday Card Club.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon.

Carnations and narcissus were attractively arranged throughout the apartments. After several games of bridge was played the top score was held by Mrs. John Browder, who was given two linen handkerchiefs.

Late in the afternoon a salad course with hot coffee was served to the members and guests, who were Mesdames Hance Alred, John Browder, Victor Heard, N. S. Johnson, L. F. Gerald, Willis Lyman, Hugh Simpson, Frank Callen, Oscar Jones, Kathleen Mullins, Watts Moore, Hugh Jones, Eric Hart.

Miss Mammie Smith Entertains

On last Wednesday afternoon Miss Mayme Smith entertained in honor of the Y. W. A. The living room was beautifully decorated in cut flowers and pot plants. There being no business for the afternoon, the hostess showed the girls a jolly time. Late in the afternoon the guests were invited into the dinning room where they had a contest. Drawing a piece of ribbon which had the name of a certain flower, so each one had to guess the right flower to correspond to the plate served. Those enjoying the evening were: Pearl Miner, Frances Moore, Pear Harris, Elizabeth Duncan, Jewell Miner, Era Mims, Jettie Popwell, Virgil White, Annie Bell White, Lois Tayor, Mary Bess Sims, Marjorine Alred, Erin Danforth, Gladys Mae Nix, Mrs. Ruth Gowan, Mrs. Latham Ellis, Mrs. Joe Higgins, Mrs. Kenneth Smith and Mrs. Milton Smith.

Kittrell—Marcus Wedding.

A marriage of much interest was that of Mr. Clay Marcus and Miss Pauline Kittrell, which occurred on last Thursday morning, Nov. 27th, at the Baptist parsonage, Dr. Ezell performing the ceremony in the presence of ony a very few close friends. The happy couple went right on to their home on Second Avenue, South.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will give a community party at the home of Mrs. Napoleon Johnson next Friday evening. All the parents are urged to come. The aim of this meeting is to have a larger town and better schools.

Mrs. Ed Plier will entertain her Sunday school class Thursday night.

Dr. and Mrs. Powe and children of Bessemer spent Sunday with relatives in Clanton.

Miss Bertie Ray of Helena, spent Thanksgiving with her aunt, Mrs. Ed Plier.

The county commissioners and several business men of Clanton went to Montgomery Tuesday to the highway meeting.

Mrs. Bamma Cox spent Thanksgiving with her sister at Stanton.

Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins, Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, Mrs. Bamma Cox and Mrs. V. J. Gragg motored to Thorsby Saturday night to visit the Chapter of the Eastern Star and aid in the degree work.

Miss Cox, a niece of Mrs. Will Reynolds, from Birmingham, spent several days here last week.

There will be an old-time party at the home of Dr. N. S. Johnson Friday night. Come and dance as you used to do. Don't forget the old-time party.

The four Circles of the Baptist Missionary Society met at the church Monday afternoon. After the business meeting was over there were several interesting talks on the Convention.

Sam Upchurch spent Thanksgiving at home.

Miss Sarah Mullins spent Thanksgiving with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Jim Wade was home from Anniston to spend the week-end with his parents.

Mr. Burton Mullins from Marion Institute was home to spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Willadean Reynolds, who is in school at Montevallo, was home last Thursday; also had two friends to spend the time with her from the Girls' Industrial School.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis from Maine stopped over in Clanton Thursday. They were on their way to California.

Miss Mittice Hyman, who is teaching at Wylam spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Hyman.

Miss Laura Darby of Jemison was a welcome visitor to our town Saturday.

There will be an old-time party at the home of Dr. N. S. Johnson Friday night. Everybody be there.

Sarah Mullins, Sarah Jones, Burton Mullins and Reese Mullins, Jr., went out to Jumbo last Saturday on a hunting trip.

Mrs. Renfroe Mullins and little son, Edwin from Montgomery, spent several days with relatives and friends here recently.

Miss Gladys Mae Nix, of Wilton, is spending some time with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Mr. Otto Jones, Mr. S. C. Matthews, and Harry Margolis, motored to Montgomery Tuesday afternoon to attend Grand Opera.

Prof Stevens spent Thanksgiving in Atlanta, returning Sunday afternoon.

Mr. S. C. Matthews went to Birmingham Thanksgivings to see the foot ball game between Alabama and the University of Georgia.

Robert Alred and Arthur Littlejohn went to Birmingham Thursday to take in the foot ball game.

Mr. Jette of Birmingham finished the repair work on the steam plant at the court house Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Luckie and family have moved to Boyles. Mr. Luckie will operate for the Rail road there. He was operator for the L. & N. in Clanton for about eighteen years.

Mr. W. J. Nunnaly, of Hellena, spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Ed Plier.

The banquet given by the Knights of Templars on Thanksgiving was quite a grand affair. The Eastern Star ladies furnished the supper.

Mr. Butler of Montgomery, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Warrick of Birmingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White.

Mr. Roy Sewell of Montgomery was a welcomed visitor to our town Monday.

The Clanton Mercantile Company is still giving away a Genuine Pearl Necklace to its customers who purchase one hundred dollars worth of goods and pay cash for same. If you have begun to save coupons, this offer will hold good until you finish trading out your hundred dollar's worth.

CENTER HILL

Health of this community is very good at present. Everybody seems to be enjoying this cold weather.

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely. We had a large attendance Sunday.

Miss Lois Cobb entertained a number of friends on last Sunday afternoon.

Mish Myrtle White gave a singing last Sunday night. A large number of friends was present, and some real good singing was done.

Next Sunday evening there will be an old time singing at this place. All lovers of music be present and help to make the evening a great success.

Smilin' Charlie Says

The difference in our girls o' to-day and th' girls o' grandmother's day is that our girls do th' things that grandmother wished she could do---

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Removes the cause of disease. Especially effective in treating Asthma, Catarrh, Hay Fever, Stomach and Bowel disorders, Liver, Kidney and Bladder troubles, and diseases caused by impure blood. At your druggist's or write
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RECORD DISASTER YEAR KEPT RED CROSS BUSY

In 192 Places in United States Its Relief Operations Cost $737,603.

One hundred and ninety-two disasters resulting in 735 deaths and injury to 1,932 persons, rendering nearly 44,000 homeless and causing property losses estimated at more than $44,750,000, established a new record in the United States in the year ended last June 30, according to reports of the American Red Cross In all of these disasters immediately relief activity was applied by the Red Cross, which expended $737,603.37 through the national organization and the local Chapters in assisting stricken communities.

Help yourself by helping others with your dollar Red Cross membership. The dividend in good works is guaranteed.

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Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run-down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health. This fact proves that while Catarrh is a local disease, it is greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years.
Sold by all druggists.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

BUSINESS DEALS

Yesterday we learned that Mr. Joe Ben Downs had purchased the entire outfit and business of the Powell Pressing Club and the Sanford Barber shop which adjoins it.

Mr. Downs will assume control next week and continue both businesses as at present.

He is a young man who is well known and liked here and will, no doubt, carry a strong patronage in both. He invites his friends to call and try him out. He will also conduct a general watch and gun repair shop down there.

AUTO ACCIDENT

Late last evening, as Mr. W. H. Sartor was returning from a trip to the country in his Buick car, the little daughter of Mr. J. A. Hester, Julia Ruth, was playing in the street and by some ill fortune, got in the way of the car and before Mr. Sartor could avoid it, she was knocked down and the car passed over her chest.

At a late hour last night she was resting well and great hopes were entertained that she was not seriously hurt.

Both families are prominent in Clanton, are near neighbors and lifelong friends, and this accident is doubly sad on that account.

We learn that Dr. Gragg is the attending physician but we failed to catch him on the phone and get his diagnosis.

The manw friends of both families will rejoice if they can learn today that all danger is passed and no serious results are to be feared.

Miss Mary Lowe and Mrs. Clenna Sorrell were the charming guests of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Cox of Thorsby, for the past week end.

- Say--Folks! Here's a Real Gift -

Nearly all of you have some perplexing gift problem nowadays, haven't you? Well, here's solving it for you. Make that Gift—a Year's Subscripton to

THE UNION-BANNER

Whoever gets it will consider it a real, thoughtful Gift. For, as our many readers know, this paper is always alive with the latest news, the latest serial stories, the latest features—yes, as appealing and interesting as any paper in the county. So what could make a better Christmas present?

Time is Fleeting

CHRISTMAS WILL SOON BE HERE---LONG GIFT LISTS STILL POINT TO WEEKS OF HURRIED PREPARATION---AND ONE CANNOT HELP BUT WONDER WHEN AND HOW CAN EVERY GIFT BE PURCHASED AND THE SHOPPING LIST MADE COMPLETE. IT IS JUST AT THIS TIME THAT THE WONDERFUL INSPIRATION COMES---AND IN THE SIMPLEST, HAPPIEST AND EASIEST WAY IMAGINABLE YOU FIND A SOLUTION TO EVERY GIFT PROBLEM --- "BUY YOUR GIFTS AT OUR STORE,"'---AND THE BIG BARGAIN STORE, WITH ITS BIG ASSORTMENTS AND VALUES THAT ONLY A STORE OF ITS KIND IS IN POSITION TO OFFER, IS THE STORE FROM WHICH TO MAKE UP YOUR YULETIDE SELECTIONS.

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The action of the National Grange in asking that the Government conduct cost-of-production inquiries recalls the fact that it was a Democratic Administration that put a stop to such an inquiry and a Republican Administration that renewed it.

Whatever may be the official outcome of the contest over the election of Senator Brookhart in Iowa, the people of the country will be interested in seeing how many votes were marked against his opponent but not counted because of a technicality. If a plurality of the ballots were marked for his opponent, the people will not be satisfied until the real winner takes his seat.

Our people are using 25 per cent more soap for bathing purposes, according to reports of manufacturers. Five years ago the average family used 40 cakes a year. Now 50 cakes are used. In the same period the country has changed from a Democratic to a Republican government. The two facts are closely related. One is symbolic of the other. As a man's Prosperity increases so does his self-respect. Whenever Republicans gain the ascendency over the party of "the great unwashed," soap sales ascend. Upon examination one will discover that the curves of soap production and well-being of the Republican Party have been intimately associated.

Entrance into the League of Nations is about as dead in the United States as any issue could be; nevertheless, events in Europe sometimes arouse American interest in League affairs. The League was wholly ignored in the controversy between Great Britain and Egypt, although the situation was precisely such as the League was intended to handle and as each of its members is obligated to refer to it. Imagine the position of the United States were it a member. Unless we were to treat the covenant as a scrap of paper, American warships would be rushed to the Mediterranean to protect Egypt against warlike British aggression, thereby forfeiting friendship with Great Britain. Happily we are free from such entanglements, and intend to remain so.

BUSY ALL YEAR 'ROUND

"When winter comes," as it is proceeding to do in regular order, the people of the country will appreciate the importance of regular railroad service as compared with the highway bus and truck lines which operate on schedule in good weather. When ice forms on the highways and the snow begins to drift, the bus and truck lines suspend operations or operate when they feel like it. They let their customers turn to the railroads for service temporarily.

Just imagine what would happen if the railroads adopted the same policy as the motor lines. Suppose the tables were turned about. Suppose that when the snow forms in drifts the railroad companies ordered all their engines into the roundhouses and directed travelers and shippers to utilize the motor buses and trucks. Of course the public would not stand for it for a minute. Yet that same public gives the motor buses the cream of the traffic in good weather and offers no criticism whatever when they suspend operations in bad weather.

Hardly fair, do you think?

ABLE LEADER SHIP ASSURED

Washington, Dec., 1—The selection of Senator Chardes Curtis, of Kansas, as leader of the Republicans in the Senate, to succeed the late Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, was a move that will expedite business, promote harmony and insure a wise legislative program. His long legislative experience makes Curtis a master of legislative procedure—something that is highly essential in getting measures through the Congressional mill. He is personnally popular among Senator regardless of party or faction, which makes it easier for him to adjust difference. He comes from the Moddle West and fully understands the problems of agriculture, but is not of the radical type so numerous among political leaders in that section of the country.

The selectoin of Curtis as Senator leader was made possible by the voluntary withdrawal of Senator Francis E. Warren, of Wyoming, who would have been entitled to the position by virture of seniority. Warren declined the honor, probably on account of his age, although that need not have barred him, for he is an exceedingly vigorous legislator despite his 80 years. Warren has a remarkable record. He was born in Massachusetts and at the age of 18 enlisted in a Massachusetts infantry company for service in the Civil War. He practiced in many engagements, among them the bloody battle at Port Hudson, and was awarded the Congressional medal of honor for gallantry on the fied in that battle. Upon the restoration of peace Warren returned to Massachusttts and engaged in farming for a short time and in 1868 went to Wyoming where he has since been known as one of the most extensive sheep-owners in the world.

So great has been the confidence of the people of Wyoming in their great agricultural leader that they have kept him almost continuously in some office of trust since 1873. He has been mayor, member of the State Senate, State Treasurer, Governor and U. S. Senator. He has been a Senator for 32 years. During this career in public life, he has been many times made the object of bitter attacks by political rivals but the high regard his constituents have for his ability, his integrity and his willingness to work always brought him a victory at the polls. He is aquiet man, making few speeches, but always to the point. In regularity of attendance and close attention to the business before the Senate he forms one of a well known group which long included Smoot of Utah, Gallinger of New Hampshire, and Lodge of Massachusetts. The latter two have passed on, but Smoot is still one of the recognized ever-present and ever-dependable Senate members.

Senator Curtis, the new Republican leader, olso has a long and highly creditable record in public life. He was born in Topeka, and has spent his entire life as a resident of that city. He was elected county attorney when 24 years of age and sent to Congress at the age of 33. He served seven terms in the House and was elected to the Senate in 1907. Near the expiration of that term he received the popular vote for re-nomination but lost the nomination under a district plan of selection. When the legislature enacted a law for the nomination of candidates by direct vote, he again won and returned to the Senate as a result of the election of 1914.

Like Senator Warren, Curtis is of the quiet type, making few speeches and those of the style expected of a business man rather than an orator. He talks only when there is something important before the Senate, and then briefly but directly to the point. His most effective work is in personal conferences with Senators, and in planning and putting through a program of legislation. His selection as leader is a forecast of a satisfactory record in Senate procedure.

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA WINS 1924 FOOTBALL TITLE

By defeating the University of Georgia last Thursday, the "Crimson Tide" of Alabama earned the right to be called the champions of the South during 1924.

Showing a brilliant offensive, the "Tide" swept the "Bulldogs" off their feet, beating them 33 to 0.

The Georgia team saw what they were up against, early in the game, and resorted to a defensive method of play, seeming to be trying to keep Alabama from scoring rather than to score themselves.

Mr. T. E. Wyatt has purchased a new Studebaker roadster.

DECEMBER PEN-O-GRAMS

RED CROSS DUTY TO AID VETERANS

Spends Nearly Four Millions in Year to Lessen Burdens of Disabled Soldiers.

SERVES 63,700 IN HOSPITALS

Every Case Is Given Individual Service—Assists Families of These Men Everywhere.

Washington.—The need of individual assistance by ex-service men and their families from the Red Cross is as pressing today as it was immediately after the end of the World War. For six years this work has been foremost of all Red Cross services, and in emphasizing the steady public support of this work the Red Cross National Headquarters urges the largest enrollment this year during the membership campaign opening on Armistice Day, November 11.

Nearly four million dollars of Red Cross funds spent for disabled veterans and their dependents during the year ended June 30 last presents some idea of the magnitude of this work. The current year, it is estimated, will call for still further disbursements of funds for the reason that the Red Cross, through more than 3,500 Chapters in as many communities in the United States, has been called upon to help the ex-service men in making out their applications for the adjusted compensation granted in the so-called bonus law.

58,767 Soldier Cases a Month

The Red Cross work for the disabled soldier is designated "home service," for it gives individual attention to the man and his family approximating the interest and loving care of the home. Such service in the hospitals, camps, soldiers' homes and sanatoria, averaged 33,951 cases a month during the year. Assistance to ex-service men and their dependents averaged 58,767 cases a month. In addition, the Red Cross in the last twelve months provided 32,000 recreation and entertainment events in the hospitals and camps.

Thus the Red Cross, symbolized as the "Greatest Mother," still watches over these many thousands of men, comforts them, helps to lighten the tedium of their physical reconstruction, and in their homes lifts some of the burdens from their "own people."

Work in Communities Increases

The home service of the Red Cross was the most pressing duty of 2,609 Chapters, an increase of 182 communities where problems affected by the war veteran's condition required solution through immediate and intelligent assistance. The Chapters alone expended some $2,000,000 in this work.

The transient disabled soldier, usually suffering from disability or tuberculosis, is almost everywhere a grave problem. From national funds the past year $173,976.36 was expended in helping the Chapters to care for these wandering men.

According to government report there are 4,800 veterans in civilian institutions, and in the national homes for soldiers the complications are increasing. The large groups of patients whose claims have been disallowed, of veterans of foreign wars, and the great number of men permanently resident in these institutions call for Red Cross work which cannot be avoided nor denied.

Definite Service to 73,700

Of a total of 84,500 ex-service men in hospitals and other institutions 73,700 were rendered a definite and specialized service by the Red Cross. In a single month 4,185 new cases were presented and a total of 20,125 was acted upon—figures which serve to illustrate the magnitude of the information and claims service engaging the attention of Red Cross workers. New veteran legislation amending the War Risk act which extends many additional rights to disabled ex-service men will reopen thousands of cases and require still greater Red Cross service.

When Congress granted a charter to the American Red Cross it charged the organization with the duty to act as "the medium of communication between the American people and their Army and Navy." This responsibility to the enlisted men and their families is met every year without restriction.

Serves Men on Active Service

The extent of this Red Cross activity during the last year embraced a total of 195,246 cases. There were 36,995 separate soldiers' and sailors' claims; 20,316 investigations of home conditions; 11,421 cases related to discharges, furloughs, etc. Assistance was given in 39,688 instances for personal, business or family problems; 744,220 visits were made to the sick or disabled, and nearly 40,000 letters and telegrams dispatched to the homes of enlisted men.

From June to September at the numerous military training camps the Red Cross provided information and home service to the trainees, also instruction in First Aid and Life-Saving. The entertainment and recreation events at the various Army and Navy hospitals reached nearly 9,500 during the year, and occupational therapy in nine Naval hospitals gave constructive and beneficial results and occupied the time of patients in the making of useful and ornamental things.

FARM FACTS

It really means something to name your farm and you will appreciate it more each year.

Exposure to the weather conditions is to take its annual toll in thousands of dollars as the bales of cotton lie exposed.

A balanced ration for livestock is good evidence of a balanced brain and a good farmer.

It is your privilege to plant seed "by the moon" but if you forget to do so you will not lose by it.

If you want to be certain about the variety of fruit trees you buy you should join with your neighbors and buy co-operatively. You can get better trees at a lower price by doing so.

Present indications are that the average per acre yield of corn in Alabama this year is 13 1-2 bushels.

Alabama's sweet potato crop this year is about two-thirds of the 1923 crop, the reduction being 4,550,000 bushels.

A CORRECTION

In last week's issue we gave a review of the 1924 football season at C. C. H. S. In this review, by mistake we left out a victory over the Marion Institute Reserves, 12 to 7. This makes the standing of the team, out of 8 games played, 1 lost, 1 tied and 6, instead of 5, won.

"Chuckle" Column

December—the month
That Dad suddenly
Becomes recognized
As "head of the house!"
When the moment
He steps into
The door
Sister Susie
Brings him his
Smoking jacket and
Slippers while
Brother John helps
Take off his shoes.
And son Teddy hustles
About and gets him
His tobacco jar and
His favorite pipe and
Even lights the match
For him. And little
Jane brings him his
Newspaper and Mother
Never says a word even
Ir Dad does get ashes on
Her parlor rug and it
Seems everybody is too
Darn affectionate and
Polite to be natural.

BUT—

Dad wakes up to the
Meaning of it all a
Few days later when he
Hears the choruses of
"Gimmes" and "I gotta gets"
And "I wannas" and
"Could you let me haves."
And just when the
Last of his bank-roll
Evaporates for "Gifts"
Somebody pipes up and
Shatters the last of
Dad's nerves—by wishing him
"A Merry Christmas!"

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How To Meet A Rolling Pin—Face To Face!

Take your wife up on her suggestion that she wants "only your love and devotion for Xmas."

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Going—Going—GONE!
(From the American Legion Weekly)

"And how many joints have we?" asked the professor of anatomy of sophisticated freshman.

"Well, professor," answered the s. f., "I know about a dozen in town now, but they're talking of closing some of them up."

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Never knew that a lot of our young ladies now-

adays have a "business on their hands"—did you? Aren't their vanity cases—miniature drug stores?

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They caught an escaped lunatic making moonshine down in Oklahoma. What we got last night, tasted like it.

—o—

See you later.

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If you have shipments in or out, the following agents will be glad to quote rates and make comparisons with other rates.

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Mr. Petersen, at Thorsby.
Mr. Hester, at Clanton.
Mr. Bibb, at Coopers.
Mr. Hubbard, at Verbena.

POOR OR

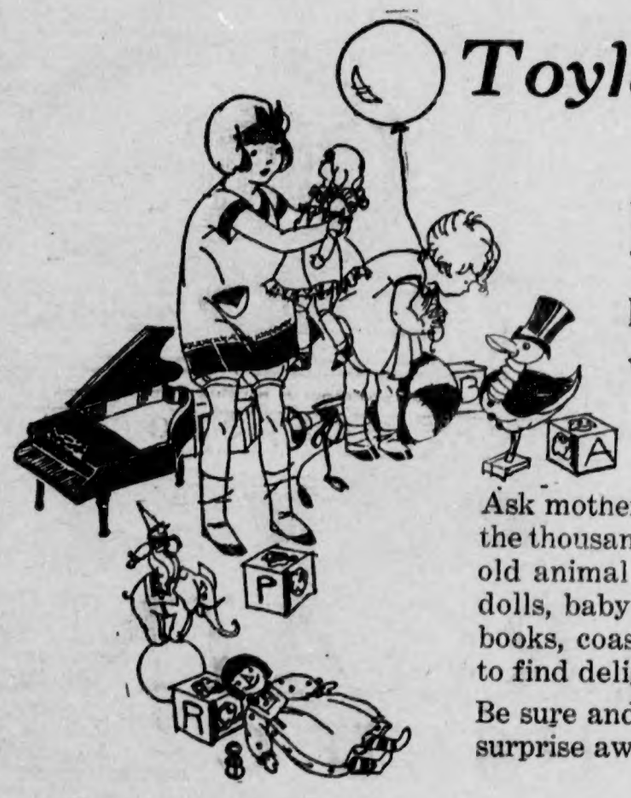
Johnson Drug Company Announces

OPENING OF TOYLAND

Hurrah! Jolly Old Santa Claus Has Been Here

He Left A Gift For Every Good Little Boy and Girl

Toyland Is a Magic Fairyland



DEAR old Santa was here last night and left the most wonderful toys for the youngsters, and he left a surprise for each and every little boy and girl who comes to Toyland to visit us.

Ask mother or daddy to bring you here so you can see the thousands of fascinating toys and dolls. See all the old animal friends, the shiny tin soldiers, character dolls, baby dolls, doll's furniture, tinker toys, story books, coasters, and all sorts of new friends awaiting to find delightful little owners.

Be sure and see them tomorrow—for more than one surprise awaits little girls and boys and mothers.

Of course a little boy wants some kind of a building toy.

Every little girl wants a walking baby or character doll for Christmas.

Look at the blocks and all the animals and toys for tiny baby.

A coaster, automobile or tricycle will please Mr. Junior.

Betty will be delighted with doll furniture. We have what she needs.

How Sonny's eyes will sparkle when he sees the train go around.

MANY OTHER ENTERTAINING AND ATTRACTIVE TOYS AT MODERATE PRICES.

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RIGINAL

FRENCH TURPENTINING PLAN APPLIED TO LONG LEAF PINE

Under our present destructive method of obtaining gum naval stores (turpentine, rosin etc.) from our forests of the south, that industry faces a hazardous future. Indeed it is regarded by many as in a dying condition at the present time. Why is this so and what is the remedy?

The answers to these questions are to be found in the Department Circular 327 of the United States Department of Agriculture, The French Turpentining System Applied to Longleaf Pine, just off the press.

In that publication the results of years, experimental work with different methods of obtaining turpentine from the long leaf pine in the Florida National Forest are set forth. Especial emphasis is laid on the comparison between the method used in France and the Government method used in America.

The tests indicated that the American method is the best for the mature trees, can thus be worked 14 years without damage, but that for the second-growth, trees which have not the saw-timber size, the French method is superior.

The importance of this information is shown in this: whereas since 1820 America has led the world in naval stores production and even now produces 70 per cent of the world supply, our virgin timber is being rapidly exhausted. Hence we shall have to depend more and more upon second growth timber for our turpentine supply. But our destructive turpentining methods used on the smaller trees render them incapable of the further production, after the very short period of 3 to 6 years. The French system, on the other hand, can be used on trees of that size for much longer periods without injury. In fact, France has been turpentining second-growth areas for 80 years and the supply, instead of decreasing is increasing, and it has been found that for periods of 30 to 50 years such areas can be profitably worked without materially reducing the saw-timber value of the trees.

In that situation the lesson is indicated for American operation. It is believed that it will apply not only to longleaf pine but to slash pine as well. Hope thus rises anew in the permanence of our great American turpentine industry.

Copies of this circular may be obtained free of charge from the Forest Service, Washington, D. C., as long as the supply lasts.

Power in the Blood!

You will be compelled to admit that the results of S. S. S. are really amazing!

MAN'S GLORY is his strength—yet how few there are who are really as strong as they should be. The blood thins, gets weaker, blood cells wear out—general weakness and a gradual break-down of the system results.

We know there is one thing that puts power in the blood, and that is more red-blood-cells! S.S.S. builds them by the million! We know that as blood cells increase in number, blood impurities vanish! But have you ever actually taken advantage of this wonderful fact? Thousands just like you have never thought of it. So-called skin eruptions—pimples, boils, blackheads, eczema all pack up and go when the tide of blood cells begins to roll in. Blood cells are the fighting giants of Nature. S.S.S. is one of the greatest blood cell builders, blood cleansers and body builders known to us mortals. Here is your opportunity! S.S.S. contains only vegetable medicinal ingredients. Because S.S.S. does build red-blood-cells, it routs rheumatism, builds firm flesh, fills out hollow cheeks, beautifies the complexion, builds you up when you are run-down.

Start taking S.S.S. today and get back that power in your blood!

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. Makes You Feel Like Yourself Again

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

A remarkable record of convictions secured for law violations was found in the report of Chief Walter K. McAdory, of the State Law Enforcement Department, for the month of October. Of cases made by state officers which were tried during the month, a majority of which were prohibition cases, convictions were secured in 337 instances, while only six defendants were acquitted. Twenty-four cases were nol prossed, and two abated by death. Thirty-seven penitentiary sentences ranging from a year and a day to 20 years were imposed from the above cases, and cash fines assessed during the month reached the record figure of $23,452.19. Expenses of the department for the month were only $9,646.53. The figures, as to the number of arrests, convictions and fines assessed for the month were the highest in the history of the department.

Under the terms of an order made by Judge William M. Walker, in the Chancery Division of the Jefferson County Circuit Court, A. B. Aldridge, receiver of the Ensley Southern Railroad Company, is authorized and directed to pay to the Mississippi (Mississippi-Warrior barge line) $16,404.08. This is the amount due the Mississippi Service, according to a statement filed by Mr. Aldridge, on joint business handled by the railroad and the barge line during his receivership. A claim of the railroad company against the barge line for several thousand dollars alleged to be due for business jointly handled prior to the receivership, is not affected by the order.

A company of Illinois Congressmen is expected to reach Florence this week for a visit to Muscle Shoals for the purpose of gathering data and making recommendations to Congress in December as to the disposition of the Shoals project. The Albany-Decatur Chamber of Commerce has wired members of the party to pay visits to the Twin Cities on their way to and from the Shoals. The party comes under the auspices of the Illinois manufacturers.

Grover Tucker, poet, inventor and ex-preacher, was found guilty in Tuscaloosa Circuit Court, second hearing, on the charge of statutory offense and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. He gave notice of appeal and was freed on a $1,500 bail. The case was first brought to court last February, when the first verdict of guilty was returned and Tucker appealed. The case attracted considerable attention at the time.

The construction volume in Birmingham for the first 10 months of 1924 is 67 per cent greater than the entire year of 1923, according to figures given out by the F. W. Dodge Construction Corporation. In the announcement it is pointed out that in Birmingham the construction increase for the 10 months has been 91 per cent greater than the same period of 1923, amounting to $24,607,200.

Methodists of Alabama will raise $200,000 for hospital purposes. This plan was consummated by adoption by the Alabama Methodist Conference in session at Ozark, of a report and recommendation by the hospital board. The Alabama Conference agreed to raise $125,000 of the total sum, the North Alabama Conference having already taken action in regard to its part.

JUNIOR AMERICAN RED CROSS ARMY 5,596,663

Children of 29,942 Schools Now Enrolled in Movement of Service to Humanity.

The American Junior Red Cross, which was organized as a children's auxiliary during war-times especially to help the young refugees in Europe, and to exemplify in peace-time the Red Cross ideal of service, has now a membership of 5,596,663 in the schools of the United States and the insular possessions.

This Junior movement gives opportunity for the children to share in Red Cross effort parallel to that of the parent organization. Juniors are therefore identified in varying degree with the health services, disaster relief work, salvage and other suitable activities of value to the operations of the Red Cross.

It is a valiant host marching on under its "I Serve" banner in the cause of happier childhood everywhere and particularly wherever the American flag flies. The enrollment embraces 29,942 schools and 147,486 school rooms, a gain over 1923 of 5,655 schools and 22,414 school rooms. The year's gain in membership was 769,402 children, or nearly 80,000 for each month of the school year.

The educational and social values of the Junior Red Cross movement is thus evidencing the firm and cordial endorsement of school authorities. The government has added the weight of recognition by extending the Junior Red Cross in the schools for American Indian children. The American Red Cross is also planning to develop the Junior program in 600 rural schools in isolated sections.

There is no abatement of the exchange of correspondence between schools in the United States and schools in the insular possessions and foreign lands. During the year the Junior Red Cross in part supported operations in twelve European countries. It is a potent influence for the cultivation of international goodwill and its example has been the means of stimulating the formation of Junior Red Cross societies in more than thirty countries.

RED CROSS RAISES $10,000,000 IN 21 DAYS FOR RELIEF

Terrible catastrophes, such as the Japanese earthquake, prove the wisdom of the people in maintaining the American Red Cross as their national and international relief agency. The readiness of the Red Cross for duty in the greatest of emergencies was also proved by test.

The record shows: Sept. 3, President Coolidge assigns the duty of raising $5,000,000 to the American Red Cross; Sept. 4, Red Cross Chapters in over 3,500 communities given fund allotments; Sept. 12, fund totals $5,563,000; Sept. 17, fund nearly $8,000,000 and President announces formal closing of campaign; Sept. 27, fund passes $10,000,000 mark.

In 21 business days the Red Cross doubly performed the duty entrusted to it—all the while keeping a steady flow of relief supplies going out from many Pacific ports to the stricken areas in Japan. Thus was the confidence of the American people in their Red Cross justified and the wisdom of Red Cross preparedness to cope with an unprecedented relief emergency confirmed.

WELLS—LITTLL WEDDING

On last Sunday morning occurred the marriage of Mr. Tom Wells of South Clanton to Miss Birtie Little. Tom Wells is the son of Mr. Lee Wells Who lives in the south edge of town, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. W. J. Little of near Clanton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Wilson.

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Don't struggle trying to get your children to take bitter, evil tasting laxatives.

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Adults and children find these tablets mild, sure and thorough.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents.

SOUTH CALERA

Coll Chism of South Carolina is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chism near calera.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker and children of Anniston spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Virgin. Little Miss Aileen Crim returned to Anniston with them for the week end.

Mr. Holen Crim, Miss Ruth Mooney, guest of Mr. Fred Broadhead a few days last week.

Mr. Bruce Brown of Birmingham was the guest of relatives here last week-end

Mr. Holen Crim, Miss Ruth Mioney, Mr. Leon Busby and Hazel Cox enjoyed a picnic near Childersburg, Thanksgiving.

Miss Audie Broadhead of Birmingham spent Sunday with her mother here.

The regular Christian Harmony singing date has been changed from the Fourth Sunday evening to the First Sunday.

Mr. Homer Martin came from Birmingham Saturday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Jane Martin.

Mrs. Jessie Cox, Misses Ethel Brown, Lilian Haynes and Mexa Tate attended Thanksgiving serviceh at Minooka Thursday.

Mr. Alza Martain and Miss Lutie Jones motored to Birmingham Thanksgiving.

A number of boys and girls from South Caleria motored to Jemison Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Mooney spent a few days last week in Columbiana as guest of her mother. She returned to South Calera Sunday morning.

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COMMON SENSE AT GRADE CROSSINGS

"Not least among the problems encountered in the effort to reduce automobile accidents is that of the railroad grade crossing with its annual toll of approximately 2,000 lives and some 6,000 non-fatal casualties," says Insurance Field.

Common sense would counsel that a man stop and look before crosaing a railroad track. As automobile drivers will not do this voluntarily, why not make it unawful to cross a track without coming to a dead stop. This would certainly be a humanitarian piece of legislation and would be no expense to the taxpayers. As a matter of fact it would be a money maker for public treasuries due to fines collected for failure to obey the law. Most of all, the lives of many persons would be saved who would otherwise cross the track.

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MAPLESVILLE NEWS

A Fiddlers' Convention was held at the Maplesville School Auditorum Thursday evening under the auspices of the P. T. A. A nice sum of $160. 45 was realized. The silk quilt which was sold attracted very much interest. The lucky number was held by Dr. H. M. Nix.

Miss Virgie Nell Foshee spent Thanksgiving with home folks and had as her guest Miss Juanita Strickland of Vernon, Alabama.

Miss Evelyn Coleman who is attending school at Birmingham spent the week-end with her parents Mr. nad Mrs. G. A. Coleman.

Mrs. Emmie Berry of Pine Belt visited her sister, Mrs. T. U. Crumpton Sr.

A delicious six o'clock dinner was given Thursday evening by Messrs. Howard L. Smith and L. P. McCrary at the Bank Building. The Thanksgiving idea being carried out in the menu and decorations. Those enjoying their hospitality were Misses Annie Spivey, Evelyn Coleman, Agnes Mason, Juanita Strickland, Annie Slicks and Virgie Nell Foshee; Messrs. A. L. Dyer, Pau' Cobern, Werthe Foshee, W.C. Dyer and including the chaperons, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Foshee.

Miss Virgie Nell Foshee entertained at a six o'clock dinner Saturday evening in honor of her guest Miss Juanita Strickland. Those present were: Misses Evelyn Coleman, Annie Slicks and Messrs. Paul McCary, H. L. Smith A. L. Dyer, Werth Foshee, including the hostess and her guest.

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STATE COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

Two hundred hunters recently spent two days on approximately a township of woodland and started not a single forest fire, according to the State Commission of Forestry. This was notwithstanding that the present drought is said to be the most serious that has occured in the history of the State.

The occasion of this splendid example of using but not abusing the woodlands was the annual hunt on the forest holding of the Allison Lumber Company near Bellamy. Hunters were present from over the entire State and many of them engaged freely in smoking. The woods were exceedingly dry and a single lighted match or cigarette stub dropped without being extinguished might easily have resulted in a disastrous forest fire. This was particularly true of the second day of the hunt when the entire State was swept by heavy winds. Most of the visitors were members of the Alabama Wild Life Conservation League and the security of the woods during their presence was concrete evidence of the ability of the association to put into effect its high standards of sportsmanship.

Forestry employees, both of the State Commission of Forestry and of the Allison Lumber Company, scoured the vicinity lest through some accident fires should occur. While fires were found and extinguished in the general locality, none occurred on the area covered by the hunt.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at White City schoolhouse, Saturday night, Dec. 6. Come and enjoy the music and good eats.

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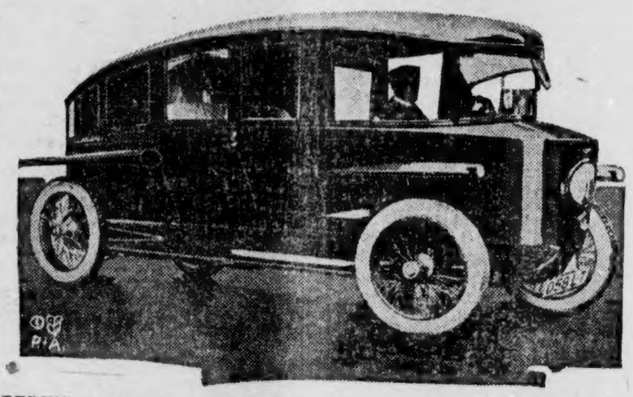

HERE'S the largest speed freak to appear on the streets of London—an automobile that might well be termed the "pedestrian's nightmare!"

It's shaped and constructed so that you can't tell whether it's coming or going. At first glance, it looks as if it's moving backward when it's going forward and vice versa. You hardly know which end to believe.

The engine in it is placed over the rear axle and the body lines are those of an aeroplane fusilage. It has a 16 horsepower motor which, its makers declare, can develop a speed of 85 miles an hour. That's going some.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and help entended us in the burial of our mother, Mrs. Susan B. Thacker. We shall never forget your kindness.

HER CHILDREN.

Unless you actually want to buy an automobile, you had better not say anything about it, because if you do the salesmen will worry you to death until you say the fatal word "yes" and put your name on the dotted line."

BETHSALEM NEWS

The school at this place is progressing nicely, the teachers are Mr. J. R. Raye and Miss Gertie Mae Foshee.

Miss Mary Hill spent the day with her friend, Miss Atta Bell Vinson, and reported a nice time.

The Sunday School at this place is going dead but we wish everybody woud come and less start up our Sunday School again, it is every Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyd and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter Mrs. Ethel Billingsley.

Next Sunday afternoon is our regular singing evening everybody is invited to come and be with us for we wish to have a large crowd with us.

Mr. Alvin Billingsley and Miss Josephine Vinson motored over to Miss Ida Owens and spent Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

The preaching days at this place have changed from the 2nd Sunday to the 3rd Sunday. Rev. C. A. Taylor is the pastor of the church and we invite everybody to come and be with us every Sunday if possible.

Misses Mary Hill and Alta Bell Vinson spent Friday night with Misses Dollie and Jeshie Mae Pierce, and reported a nice time.

We are sorry that Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilkins have moved from this community, for we miss them very much.

Miss Alta Bell Vinson spent Friday afternoon with her friend Miss Mary Hill and reported a nice time.

Mr. Olvin McSwain has been here most of the week showing the new Studebaker automobile models.

Cough Remedy Mother Gave Us Still Best

Pine Tar and Honey Beat All Modern Drugs

In thousands of families it has been the custom for many years to keep pine tar and honey always on hand for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, and throat irritations. Our mothers knew that it was good, that it often broke up the worst cough in 24 hours, and that it could be given to young and old alike, as it contains no narcotics or harmful drugs.

And now we are told that in spite of modern medical discoveries there is still no better or quicker cough remedy. Doctors say the pine tar quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion that *cause* the coughing, also healing soreness, while the honey not only gives a pleasant taste, but helps soothe irritation.

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STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Bessemer people entered joyfully into the Thanksgiving holiday, and the entire city laid aside business and worry and made joyous occasion out of the day. Many of the stores closed in the morning. In the forenoon a record crowd attended the Bessemer-Hueytown football game, and saw Bessemer come home with a 13 to 0 score in her pocket. Even the boarders at the city bastile profited by the spirit of the day, for the warden fed them royally on turkey meat, dressing, cranberry sauce and other Thanksgiving trimmings.

Birmingham firemen at stations nine and thirteen declare they picked up both England and France the eve of the international radio test between Europe and America. A Liverpool orchestra was tuned in at 10:25 o'clock and at 10:45 o'clock. London was picked up. Aberdeen, Scotland, was picked up a few minutes later, according to men at station thirteen when a 20-minute piano recital was plainly heard. Both radios are three-tube sets.

An entirely new complaint is being lodged against the old Attalla depot, which has been under fire of the cities of Gadsden, Attalla and Alabama City for six years. It is that rats are actually eating small mail packages thrown off at the station. The complaint has been officially made to the postoffice department because so many damaged packages have been found, particularly in late mails for Gadsden that remain over night in the depot. It is said that many valuable parcels have recently been ruined by maurauding rodents.

The Mayor and aldermen of Tuscumbia will meet with the dairymen supplying the city with milk and decide on the proposed unemployment of a milk inspector for Tuscumbia. This decision was reached at a meeting when the dairymen of the district met with the city officials and discussed the need for milk inspection. A representative of the State Health Department addressed the assemblage and explained the need of rigid inspection of milk and milk products offered for sale to the public.

Plans for organizing a Junior Chamber of Commerce at Gadsden is scheduled to be discussed at the regular monthly membership luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce. E. B. Banks, President of the Anniston junior organization, and also of the state body, will be present to explain the workings of the Junior Chamber. It is understood that some steps toward an organization in Gadsden have already been taken.

Announcement has been made by J. Fred Johnson, Jr., department commander of the American Legion, that the generosity of Gen. R. E. Steiner, a beautiful banner to cost from $60 to $75, will be awarded to the Post of the Legion in Alabama that turns into Department Headquarters by December 31 the largest percentage of renewals of its 1924 membership for 1925.

The Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company is rapidly clearing its poles from the business section of Huntsville, the wire having been placed in underground cables. Plant improvements has been under way for a long time past and a considerable amount of money has been spent by the telephone company.

Charged in three government indictments with prohibition law violations, Alfred L. Staples, former Mobile banker, business man and at one time president of the Alabama Bankers' Association, was placed under arrest at the federal building in that city.

Lilly Hopper, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Van Hopper, of Selma, died from the effects of burns sustained when her clothing caught fire from an open grate. The child was rushed to a hospital but her body was so badly burned that her case was thought to be hopeless.

An expenditure of $750,000 for improvements to the Gulf, Mobile and Northern Railroad in and around Mobile has been announced. One of the big improvements proposed is the building of what is known as the Chickasaw spur, to connect with the river front docks.

New Method Heals Pyorrhea

Ten Years Bad Case Completely Healed in a Short Time Writes Florida Woman.

Faced with the lohs of her teeth, after 10 years' suffering, Mrs. M. J. Travis, an esteemed residence of Jacksonville, declares she finally saved her teeth by a simple home treatment: "worth ias weight in gold." using her own words: "After having pyorrhea for 10 years my mouth is now healed. Before I found out different, I was told there was no relief and had yielded to the loss of six fine solid teeth. Then I discovered Moore's pyorrhea treatment. Three days after starting its use, the soreness left my gums; my teeth began to tighten. Now my teeth are clean, my breath sweet, and my mouth completely healed."

The experience of Mrs. Travis is duplicated in hundreds of other cases. If you have pyorrhea—or threatened with pyorrhea your teeth are in danger. Quick and effective treatment is necessary. You can test, without money risk, the treatment used by Mrs. Travis. Simply write the Moreham Co., 1928 Gateway Station Kansas City, Mo. Under their guarantee of refund send two dollars. Or pay postmaster the $2 with few cents postage. Use the treatment 7 days Then if you are not wholly satisfied, write to that effect and your $2 will be returned at once.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

On last Wednesday November 26, the body of Mrs. Charley Littleton was brought to Thorsby, from Bessemer where she died, November 25. Aged 63 years. Burial was at Salem, attended by a large number of relatives and friends of the family, who for many years resided in the Collins Chapel district, near Thorsby. Mrs. Littleton leaves a husband and eleven children all grown and married, and all but one, at Mulberry live in the Birmingham district. The sons are James, Andrew Lee, Matt, Edgar, Austin; Daughters, Lela, Lula, Birdie, Minnie, Luella.

Mrs. Littleton was before her marriage a member of the well known Bean family of Collins Chapel, and was a sister of Mrs. J. B. Littleton, Mrs. A. C. Marcus and Mrs. Lavia Cleckler. Her brothers are; John William, Robert, Oscar, Elbert and Jadie Bean. The By-Product Plant at Tarrant City, The Bessemer Rolling Mill and many others sent floral offerings.

Miss Althea Parker, director of Thorsby Institute music department, will present a number of her girl students in eight hands music recital. This means there will be four players, using two pianos playing the same piece, a sort of piano choral society. This is a novelty in piano performance and is likely to prove well worth attending. This recital will be given in the music room and the one adjoining, on the first floor of Bates Hall. Friends and all interested are cordially invited to be present at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Barrett of Selma formely residents of Thorsby were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mead. They made brief visits to the homes of several other of their Thorsby friends, and there are still many more who would have been glad to entertain them had there been opportunity to do so. They returned to their home Sunday evening.

Thorsby Institute will close Dec. 18 for ten days of holiday vacation.

Misses Jennye and Edith Robinson, who are attending college in Lebanon, Tennessee, spent Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson in Thorsby.

Herbert and Mrs. Peterson of Jemison were the week end visitors at the home of their parents, Charles A. and Mrs. Peterson and Wm. H. Goodgame. They were accompanied by their two children, Herbert Jr., and the baby girl.

Mr. M. J. Soberg has recently rented his farm to a Mr. Pounds, who last year lived on Felix Eiland's farm southeast of Thorsby. Mr. Soberg and family are now settled in the home in Thorsby which they bought from F. E. Gronquist, and Mr. Pounds and family are installed at the Soberg place.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will be entertained at the home of Mrs. C. E. Lucas Thursday afternoon December 4th.

At a short business session of the Ladies Guild of Thorsby, held during their social at the home of Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson Friday, November 28th, it was voted that the sale of articles at their bazaar, to be held at Thorsby Restaurant, Saturday, Dec. 13th, begin promptly at 10, a.m., and the serving of dinner will begin at 11 a.m., the same day.

Thanksgiving day was very generally observed in Thorsby. Union services were held at the Baptist church at 11 a.m., and the church was well filled, a large choir of young people led the singing and a special choir of children sang "Bringing In The Sheaves"', Miss Lois Prim played the piano as accompanist. Rev. Joseph E. Each officiated, assisted by Rev. J. P. Lowery and Rev. E. W. Butler. A $15 collection was received for the children of The Near East Relief.

The annual custom of collecting good things to send to the poor, who are wards of the county, was carried out in a generous manner, and directly after dinner at the Dormitory, wagons were loaded with about fifty young people, together with members of the Thorsby Institute faculty and Rev. Joseph E. Each, and all went out to the Poor Farm to give the folks a short service of song. On the return trip they stopped for supper by a camp fire, which was very carefully guarded and entirely extinguished before leaving it. All came in about 7:30 p.m., having greatly enjoyed the outing.

The only preaching service in Thorsby last Sunday was at the Congregational church, Rev. J. E. Each, pastor, both the Baptist and Lutheran churches having no pastor at present. The church was well filled and a very interesting sermon preached. In the evening, after the Christian Endeavor meeting, Rev. Each put on a Stereoptican lecture on China, showing some phases of missionary work there, together with landscapes, architecture, and costumes of the oldest nation on earth.

Next Sunday night, Dec. 7th, there will be held the regular monthly praise service, under direction of Miss Althea Parker. Everybody come and enjoy the singing.

Mr. George Garrick, 65, died at Senoya, Georgia, at 5 p.m., Monday, Dec. 1st. He leaves a wife, one son, and six daughters. Howard Garrick, Mrs. Chas. M. Williams, and Mrs. Tom Burdett, all of Thorsby, left Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of their father, Wednesday. The wife of Dr. Ollie Wilson, a former resident of Thorsby, was also one of the daughters. Two more married daughters live in the vicinity of Senoya and an unmarried daughter lives in the family at their homestead.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins entertained her "Queen Esther" Sunday school class at her home in Campus Cottage Saturday night, Nov. 29th. This is a large class of young ladies who, under direction of Miss Jenkins, are capable of getting a lot of enjoyment out of an evening of entertainment which they produce.

Within the next six days citizens of Thorsby may expect to be visited by sales agents from Spark Plug, Barney Google or Scissy Susie divisions of the Helen Keller Literary Society. They have a splendid suggestion for a Christmas present for a friend that will continue throughout the year if you subscribe for the Country Gentleman.

Thursday and Friday, Dec. 4th and 5th are test days for the second term of six weeks at Thorsby Institute. We hope honor rolls will have many new names added to them.

Saturday, Dec. 13th, at 7:30 p.m., in Bates Hall, members of the student body will present three scenes from Kate Douglas Wiggins, "Birds Christmas Carol." All nine of the Ruggles children may be seen in their home with their mother. Come and see this happy family. Admission 10c.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary and family had as their guests for the past week Mr. Leary's nephew, Harry J. Leary of Birmingham and his wife, a bride of Sept. 16th, who was the attractive Miss Ruth Landers of York, Ala. Mr. Leary holds a responsible position in the First National Bank at Birmingham. The time sped gaily and only too rapidly for both entertainers and guests.

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LAND FOR SALE—40 Acres, near Enterprise Junior High School. Has running water in good pasture. 24 acres in cultivation. 7 1-2 miles of Clanton. Good dwelling and outbuildings. Apply to W. J. Bice, Clanton, Ala., R. 6, or to Union-Banner. 11-6—5t-pd.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—R. C. Jones, Clanton, Ala. 1t

WANTED—A reliable man to sell Whitmer's complete line Home Remedies, Extracts, Toilet Articles, Soaps, Spices, etc., in Chilton County. Good profits. Zahnd of Alabama made $56 in five days. Car or team needed. Experience unnecessary. We teach you. Write today. The H. C. Whitmer Co., Dept. 198, Columbus, Ind. 11-27—3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Small coal or wood heater, good condition. Price very reasonable.—Call or see Mrs. Mayme C. Smith, Clanton, Ala. 12-4-3t-p.

LAND FOR SALE—40 acres, located on Kincheon road, 2 miles from Clanton. About 25 acres in cultivation, rest in wood. Terms to reliable parties. Apply to Mrs. Mollie Goodgame, R. 6, Clanton, Ala. 11-27—3t-ch.

LOST OR STOLEN—One liver and white spotted bird dog, medium size, untrained, missing Saturday, Nov. 22, answers to name "Joe." Notify K. M. Vinson, Clanton, and get reward. tf

FOR SALE—One fine red horse, 8 years old, weighs about 900 lbs., well built, good qualities. Work anywhere. If interested, see me quick. Mrs. M. A. KILLGORE, Clanton, Ala., R. 8.

NOTICE—I have purchased the E. P. Mims Holstein bull, will serve him at Arthur Thompson's place for $1.00 cash, a calf guaranteed. 12-4--1t-pd. G. T. TIPPETT

WILL guarantee salary $50.00 per week and furnish automobile to several men selling excellent Ford accessory. Address Salesmanager, Box 21-A, Granville, Ohio. 1t-p.

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Thorsby, Ala.

I will run my gin Friday and Saturday of this week, which will be the last ginning days this season. Everyone having cotton to gin will please bring it to me Friday or Saturday.
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Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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Beginning Thursday, Dec. 4th, we are going to give the greatest bargains ever offered in Clanton on our entire stock of Shoes and Dry Goods.

We have 800 pair of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes and Slippers, priced from ..... 49c up

Men's $7.50 Shoes going at $5.65

26-inch Josie Bell Ginghams at, per yard 10c

Best Grade Outing at, per yard 17½c

Ladies' Silk Hose at, per pair 99c

All Piece Goods at Rock Bottom Prices.

We are only giving prices here on a few articles; other goods will be sold in proportion to prices given here.

This Sale will last only 30 days, so come at once before the stock is picked over.

Remember if you miss this opportunity you will miss the greatest bargain event ever offered in your town.

DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THIS BIG SALE
FOR CASH ONLY

Clanton Mill & Gin Co.

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Chilton County No. 100, Section "B"

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, January 7th, 1925, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.184 miles of road between Calera and Autauga County line in Chilton County.

Contractors are notified that that part of the road within the Town of Clanton is designated as Section C and the right is reserved to award Section C separately from Section B.

Contractors are notified that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids will be the ones that govern.

Contractors in submitting bids on one course plain cement concrete pavement or combination cement concrete header curbing base course may bid on these items as follows:

Contractor furnishing all labor and materials including cement or the contractor furnishing all labor and materials with the exception of cement which will be furnished by the State.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Should the grading and dranaige and surfacing be awarded to different contractors the contractor on the surfacing must absorb into the unit price bid for surfacing the cost of the necessary find grading within the following limits:

Six inches above or six inches below sub-grade:

Either Portland Cement or Puzzolan Cement may be used in the construction of concrete base course.

The principal items of work are approximately as follows:

PROPOSAL No. 1
Grading and Draining

22.557 acres clearing and grubbing; 171,452 Cu. Yds. common excavation and borrow; 1,897 Cu. Yds. solid rock excavation; 92,076 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation; 136 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed; 206 Lin. Ft. 15-inch pipe; 1484 Lin. Ft. 18-inch pipe; 243 Lin. Ft. 21-inch pipe; 492.5 Lin. Ft. 24-inch pipe; 804.96 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete in culverts; 90,065 pounds steel reinforcing in culverts; 59 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap; 140.22 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls and inlets; 282 concrete right-of-way markers; 14 structures to be removed from right-of-way; 12,702 Lin. Ft. fence to be reset; 26 Lin. Ft. pipe to be taken up and relaid; 42,365 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting; 1,000 Cu. Yds. channel excavation; 360 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piles for culvert.

PROPOSAL No. 2
Surfacing

120 Sq. Yds. reinforced concrete bridge approach paving; 27,228 Lin. Ft. 3-4-inch galvanized cable for guard rail; 993 concrete posts for guard rail; 122 concrete end post braces for guard rail; 17.184 miles shoulder construction.

SURFACING ALTERNATES

181,459 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement; 171,378 Sq. Yds. rock asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. Warrenite bitulithic pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. sheet asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. bituminous concrete pavement on concrete base; 181,459 Sq. Yds. combination cement concrete header curbing base course.

PROPOSAL No. 3
Bridges

1888.92 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete; 251,666 pounds reinforcing steel; 520 Cu. Yds. dry excavation; 1,088 Cu. Yds. wet excavation; 59 Cu. Yds. rock excavation; 300 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piling; 95.5 Sq. Yds. surfacing; 1,342 Lin. Ft. Type "C" handrail.

The pipe used on this project may be either triple strength vitrified clay, concrete, or cast iron.

Contractors may bid on either proposal independent of the others.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Alabama. Any addtional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama.

Cash, certified check or bid bond for Five Thousand Dollars, made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must acrompany earh bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

The right to rejert any or all bids is reserved.

Contractors are notified that any interlining with pen or pencil on the proposal form is sufficient cause to make the bid informal and may be rejected.

W. S. KELLER,
11-27-3 State Highway Engineer.

PARDON NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, convicted at the Spring term 1923 of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, for having still in possession, will make application for pardon or parole, to the State Board of Pardons.

11-27—3t-ch. EDGAR WILLIS.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court.

Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation, vs. J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, Partners composing the Firm of J. B. and J. R. Miller.

Whereas, Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation as plaintiff, has obtained an attachment out of this Court issued on, to-wit: The 3rd day of November, 1924, against the estate of the said defendants, J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, which attachment has been levied upon the following described property, to-wit: One 21-E Rex Paver with four-cylinder engine, batch meter with locking device, as the property of said defendants; and, whereas, it appears that the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, defendants, are non-residents of the State of Alabama, and reside in Baconton, State of Georgia.

Now, therefore, the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, wherever they may reside, are hereby notified of the levy and pendancy of said attachment.

Witness my hand this the 25th day of November, 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk of Circuit Court,
11-27-3t.c. Chilton County, Ala.

NOTICE—TELEPHONE MEETING

The regular meeting of the People's Telephone Company will be held at the court house, the second Monday in December, Dec. 8. The directors of eah line are requested to call a meeting of the stockholders of their line, Monday, Dec. 1, and elect directors for the coming year and it shall be the duty of these directors elected from each line to meet at the court house on Monday, Dec. 8,1924, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a President, Vice-president, Secretary and Treasurer and a board of 5 directors and to transact all other business that might come before the meeting.

W. W. FOX, President.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec'y.

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Eptiomized Form.

Coming as an unexpected bombshell in the testimony being presented in the sensational murder trial at Anniston of Bud Thompson and his son, Irvin Thompson, charged with the death of Lawrence Curd, young Ragland business man, the 18-year-old youth took the stand and absolved his father of all blame in connection with the fatal shot and admitted shooting Curd, as the man was alleged to have been reaching for a gun with which to shoot the elder Thompson.

Dr. S. W. Welch, State health officer, has been notified that the Jackson County Court of County Commissioners has voted unanimously to establish a county health unit with an all-time county health officer effective January 1. An appropriation of $5,000 has been made by the county for the purpose. Jackson County will be the twenty-fifth county in the State to organize with an all-time county health officer.

The Farley W. Moody post of the American Legion at Tuscaloosa recommended to the executive committee that the likeness of General Gorgas, chief of ordinance of the Confederate Army for four years, be placed on the Stone Mountain memorial at a recent meeting. The matter will now be taken up by the committee for consideration.

The State Department of Archives and History at Montgomery has acquired under the will of Mrs. J. S. Johnson, of Talladega, paintings comprising copies of old world masters, the value of which is estimated at several thousand dollars. The paintings will be placed in the capitol, to await the erection of a memorial building, which it is hoped will be built later.

State law enforcement officer, Kyle Young, believes he and officers Gilbert and Gee broke all records, in the size and contents of distilling outfits captured, when they raided and destroped three mammoth stills nine miles south of Gilard, in Russell County last week. Two of the stills were of 2,500 gallon capacity each, and the other was of 1,800 gallon capacity.

W. E. Meyers, former Mobile court bailiff, convicted last March in the Circuit Court of attempting to bribe a juror in the first trial of the murder case of Thomas W. Cleveland, and sentenced to a term of not less than four years or more than five, must begin his term within fifteen days. Notice that the Supreme Court had affirmed the decision of the lower court has been received in Mobile.

Riley Cheatham, negro, accused of having caused the death of George McCain, another negro, in a fight in a boat in the Tennessee River, near Finley's Island, when the boat turned over and several negro occupants were drowned, was found guilty of second degree murder in Circuit Court at Decatur and given 25 years in the penitentiary.

Speaking at the National Educational Week program of the Auburn Lions Club, Dr. Spright Dowell, president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, declared that despite Alabama's high rank in potential natural resources she stands almost at the bottom of the list of States in the support of public education, and in the percentage of illiteracy.

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With colors flying and cheering madly, patrons of an impromptu platform, elevated so they could obtain a birds-eye view of the football classic from outside Rickwood's farthest fence between Alabama and Georgia, crashed to the ground from their lofty perch during the height of the contest. The accident cost R. H. Brill, 561 Main Street, Bessemer, a broken leg. Another patron fell on top of his hip pocket and the bottle was broken. A check up revealed numerous cuts and bruises. The proprietor of the stand, who was gathering in two-bit pieces for standing room, disappeared.

A statement showing receipts and disbursements of the state treasury for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1924, was made public by State Treasurer George W. Ellis. Receipts for the year totaled $24,131,663.21 and disbursements, $24,446,182.84. The disbursements included $1,029,186.95 of warrants issued during previous years and paid during the year ending September 30, 1924.

Thomas H. Stephens and associates have taken up options on a "paint mine" in Cherokee County which has attracted much attention recently. The clay is said to be fine material for commercial paints containing as it does, an oil base. The clay has no grit and when dissolved in water forms an excellent ink and dye. Chemists are now making tests to see just what is in the claim of the promoters.

Dr. G. B. Stewart had just finished marketing a 5,000-bushel apple crop from his orchard near Manchester, in Walker County. Dr. Stewart says he could have sold 500,000 bushels of such apples if he had them. He did not retail any of them himself, but some of his choice ones sold at retail for $4 per bushel. It is estimated that he sold $10,000 worth of his apples from his 1924 crop.

Arrests of all persons found setting woods and grass afire has been ordered by Sheriff Paul Cazalas, of Mobile County, who instructed deputies to urge hunters to use caution in the use of matches and fire in the woods. The sheriff's order followed a disastrous fire which swept the territory between Dog River and Deer River, south of Mobile.

Governor Brandon has been informed by telegram of the death of George L. Lambert, judge of probate for Baldwin County. Judge Lambert, it is stated, had been in bad health for several months. He was a physician until elected judge four years ago. His home was at Bay Minette. Among the relatives of the deceased judge is Prof. J. S. Lambert, of the State Department of Education.

The University of Alabama sits on top of the world, the undisputed champion of the Southern Conference by virtue of the crushing 33 to 0 blow its hard-hitting eleven dealt the University of Georgia Bulldogs at Rickwood Field, in Birmingham, Thanksgiving Day, before the largest and most colorful crowd that ever saw a game of football in Alabama.

Postmaster Thomas H. Stephens, of Gadsden, and associates are preparing to develop a "paint mine" which they recently acquired in Cherokee County. They claim to have discovered a clay deposit which forms the base of an excellent paint, one that has all ingredients of the ordinary commercial article.

R. E. Smith, of Mt. Pinson, and a member of the legislature from Jefferson County, has been elected president of the Alabama Motor Bus Operators' Association, which was formed at the Tutwiler Hotel at Birmingham. V. C. Hicks, of Kellerman, was selected as secretary.

The undisputed South Alabama prep school championship was won by Butler High at Greenville when Butler defeated Brewton High by a lopsided score of 55 to 0.

Moved by statements that building costs are mounting because mechanics are scarce, the Ensley Realty Board voted approval of proposals for establishing a trades school at its semi-monthly meeting.

FROM BON AIR

Editor Union-Banner—I am a little girl, ten years old and in the fifth grade; my teacher's name is Miss Esther Derrett. I like my teacher and playmates very much. I have attended school at Highland and would like to see my teacher and playmates there. I want to come down there Christmas but Santa Claus might not come to see me down there as I would not be at home.

Aunt Eliza Rhodes is very ill and has gone to Talladega for treatment. I sure do miss her, she is so kind to me and everyone else.

ROBERTA TRAYWICK.

OPPOSED TO AUTOMATIC SHOTGUNS

"I hope to see the next legislature pass a law forbidding the sale or use of an automatic shotgun in Alabama," said H. Key Milner. "And I hope those misguided sportsmen who own them will get rid of them. I don't think it is sportsmanlike to use a pump gun, even. And when we get down to bedrock as to the scarcity of game here in Alabama, you can charge a lot of that scarcity up to the use of automatic and pump guns. They ought to be abolished—that is, if we are going ahead to try to restore our game."—B'ham News.

Neglected hedge rows and ditch banks take a heavy toll of the farmer's crop, annually.

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If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

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Automobile Repairing, Acetylene Welding, Machine Work
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WE have the cake material in stock, also Swansdown Cake Flour for making the better cakes, and Flours to suit all occasions, viz: Swansdown for biscuit, Perfect biscuit, I. S. R., the best self-rising. Seed Red Rust-proof Oats.
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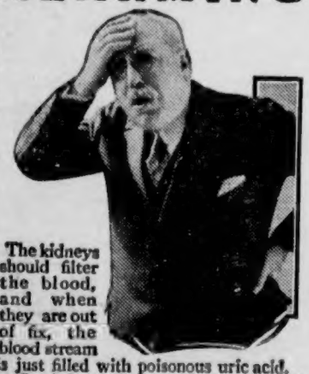

The kidneys should filter the blood, and when they are out of fix, the blood stream is just filled with poisonous uric acid.

Carried to all parts of the body, this poison causes backaches, headaches, rheumatic pains, heaviness, drowsiness, dizziness, irritability or depression and distressing bladder troubles.

But that isn't the worst of it. In chronic neglected cases, the excess uric acid is apt to form into gravel or kidney stones, and to cause gout, sciatica, dropsy and even Bright's disease.

Let the first pain in the back be your warning. Get a bottle of Dr. Pierce's new An-uric tablets (anti-uric-acid). Your druggist can tell you about this new discovery for bad kidneys. Or, send 10c for a trial package to Dr. Pierce, Pres., Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

There Is No Transportation Problem —

When Congress convenes this week, it will consider many issues more deserving of serious discussion than the various bills affecting the rail transportation lines of the Nation. "The Transportation Problem" has always been a subject for political haranguing but, during the past two years, while stump speakers and radical editors have been talking and writing—the railroads have been *solving* the so-called problem.

Look at the figures for yourself—during the week that ended October 25, 1924, more than one million one hundred thousand loaded freight cars were handled by the railroads of the United States (1,112,345)—the greatest tonnage ever handled in their history.

If you are neither a shipper nor a receiver of freight, ask some of your friends who are in business whether or not the railroads are doing their part towards increasing prosperity.

Congress should give the "Transportation Act" a fair test and the railroads should not be annoyed by useless changing of rules and regulations governing their operation.

J. MELL MARTIN
Undertaker Clanton, Ala.
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MANAGER, M. LANDE

CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

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NOVEMBER MARRIAGES

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J. E. Smith and Miss Antoinette Gore.

James Dewey Thompson and Miss Mattie Mae Fiquette

Robert Retherford and Mish Vera Mae Davis.

Jesse A Hand and Miss Myrtle Gray.

M. C. Sullivan and Miss Ada Dupree.

J. C. Foster and Miss Epsie Gilland.

Vearl L. Hosey and Miss Beula A. McCary.

Elzie Patterson and Miss Alma Adams.

Lincoln Vines and Miss Lovannie Wright.

Malcomb E. Williams and Miss Susie Mae Littlejohn.

Claudie M. Thomas and Miss Mary Glenn.

J. L. Ratliff and Miss Myrtle Mae Nichols.

Luther L. Williams and Miss Nancy Dunlap.

W. F. Jones and Miss Lena Manning.

Gattis W. Deloach and Miss Seney McKee.

J. D. Barrett and Mrs. M. E. Hughes.

Cecil Clay Marcus and Miss Pauline E. Kittrell.

Horace Mims and Miss Ella Cleckler.

Newt Foshee and Miss Dovie Devaughn.

J. S. McNeil and Miss Bertie Delene Teel.

W. M. Kelly and Mrs. D. D. Jones.

Albert Edwards and Miss Lera Patterson.

Tom Wells and Miss Birdie Little.

W. M. Thompson and Mrs. Ida Barringer.

Miss Rubie Johnson, Miss Gracie Easterling and sister Ressie went hickory nut hunting on Thanksgiving Day. They report a nice time.

The Alabama oyster industry is in better condition than in several years past, according to I. T. Quin, State Commissioner of Game and Fisheries.

Louie Chandler, age 16, son of Mr and Mrs. Newt Chandler, of Opelika, was killed by an automobile on the road between Five Points and Stroud

M. Brotherton, of Fayette, Ala., has purchased the Skelton telephone lines in Lamar County, and is now repairing and putting them in first-class condition. Vernon will then have long distance telephone connections to any part of the country.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Announcement has been made that the boy and girl scouts of Gadsden would hold their annual field day exercises at Dwight Park, October 18. The boy scouts will enter a six weeks efficiency contest October 12.

Information has reached the State Department of Game and Fisheries of the conviction of Spencer Tinker, Washington County, on a charge of hunting without license. Tinker was fined $10 and costs.

Aubrey Smith, aged 26 years, prosperous farmer living on the highway between Albertville and Guntersville, died from what was supposed to be a poisonous drug, taken with suicidal intent.

A new street sweeper has been purchased by the City of Troy to keep the recently paved streets clean. The sweeper is motor driven and has a sprinkler attached.

Fayette County farmers are rushing their cotton to market. It is opening fast and most of the crop will be harvested by November 1.

In the fat stock show held at Montgomery, Miss Hattie Kopecky won the second prize with a Dallas County raised calf, and Joe Givhan, a Dallas County club boy, held sixth place with the "Rotary Calf," so called because the local Rotary Club took a substantial interest in this special exhibit.

Wife No. 1 with two children, and Wife No. 2 with one child appearing in court at Greenville against the Rev. Joseph Matthews, charged with bigamy was sufficient evidence for the trial jury to render a verdict of guilty without deliberation.

The small dredge which finished the upper canal of Luxapalila near Fayette last July and went into dock to wait the decision of the Supreme Court on the constitutionality of the drainage act, was burned with all the machinery, last week.

Ralph Levi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Levi, of Anniston, was killed by an accidental shot at the home of a friend in Alexandria Valley. Reports are that a gun was discharged when dropped to the floor by a companion. The bullet pierced the lad's wrist and entered his abdomen.

According to the latest cotton report there were 5,629 bales of cotton ginned in Cleburne County prior to November 14, as compared with 2,564 bales ginned to the same date last year, being 2,465 bales in excess of last year's crop.

Funeral services were held at Antioch Church, Morgan County, for John Pritchett, well known farmer who died at a hospital at Albany from the kick of a horse.

The City Council of Anniston has passed an ordinance which makes loitering on the streets after 11 o'clock at night a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment.

The first of the runners for the 30,000,000 horsepower units of the Muscle Shoals development has been successfully placed at Wilson Dam.

County Agent J. W. Sartin, who is in touch with more farmers of Walker County than any other man in the county, says crops are turning out better in Walker County this year than he or any one else thought they would have a few months ago. Cotton, corn, potatoes, sorghum and other crops are turning out well enough to keep the farmers in heart.

J. E. Vann, superintendent of the Wisconsin-Alabama Lumber Company's logging camp, was killed instantly, and his 12-year-old daughter Illa May, died in about fifteen minutes after the overturning of a seven-passenger Studebaker driven by Mr. Vann at Stewartville, about three miles from Sylacauga.

Silas Blankenship, 16, has been sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge James E. Horton, of the Morgan County Circuit Court. Blankenship plead guilty before Judge Horton at Decatur to the murder of Robert Tosh 50, October 28, at a blacksmith shop, said to have been owned and operated by Tosh.

Head of a dog sent in by Dr. J. H. Hastie, of Stockton, was examined at the State laboratory and showed the animal was rabit. Three persons were reported to have been bitten.

Lieutenant Tarkington in charge of the Tuscaloosa Salvation Army has left for New York. While there she will attend an important conference in regard to the work of the Salvation Army.

Sale of a lot of 50-foot frontage at Anniston for $20,000, or an average of $400 a front foot, was the outstanding transaction of an auction held there by the Anniston Land Company.

"Illiteracy Day" was observed at the State Normal School at Troy, November 18, at the assembly exercises

GETTING AROUND—THE HIGH COST OF TRANSPORTATION

OVER in Germany, people have quite a problem in trying to solve the high cost of transporation. And many are the ignenious methods they pursue in beating it.

The picture here shows how one Berliner worked out the problem. He built himself the semi-tandem bicycle and semi-automobile contrivance on which you see him taking his youngesters for a ride. And they all seem to be enjoying it.

No gasoline bills to pay for running it. Father and the eldest son just do the pedaling while the rest of the family hop on behind in that comfortable-looking basket seat arrangement you see in the photograph. Quite an idea at that.

Pressing Shop Changes Hands

I wish to state to the people of Clanton and Chilton county that I have recently purchased the Pressing Shop formerly owned by Mr. W. L. Powell, known as the Powell Pressing Company, located on Seventh St., and will operate same in the future.

I have retained the services of Mr. O. J. Powell as operator of the pressing machines who has held this job for several years, and can assure you the same prompt and efficient service in the future as in the past.

Next week I shall open up in connection with the pressing shop a Watch, Clock and Gun Repair Shop. An expert in this line will be in charge, and I ask you to give us a trial when in need of any work in this regard.

Powell Pressing Co.

JOE B. DOWNS, Manager

CLANTON, ALA.

Smilin' Charlie Says

There may never be a universal language, but y' gotta go a long ways t' find a place where th' American dollar sign ain't well known - - -

Old Folks' Ailments

"I began taking Black-Draught over fifty years ago and my experience with it stretches over a good long time," says Mr. Joe A. Blakemore, a Civil War veteran and former Virginian, who is now a prominent citizen of Floyd, Texas. "It is the best laxative I know of for old people. . . A good many years ago, in Virginia, I used to get bilious and I found that

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was the best and quickest relief I could get. Since I came to Texas I have these bilious attacks every now and then—a man will get bilious anywhere, you know—and I find that a little Black-Draught soon straightens me out. After a few doses, in little or no time I'm all right again."

Thedford's Black-Draught is a purely vegetable liver medicine, used in America for over eighty years. It acts on the stomach, liver and bowels in a gentle, natural way, assisting digestion and relieving constipation. Sold everywhere.

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"For ten long years I had suffered with my stomach. I tried everything without relief, but after one dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy I knew I had obtained what I had been looking for and I took the full course of treatment. It is going on 4 years now and I have never had any pains or bloating since." It removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract, and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at Alred Drug Co., Clanton, Ala., and all druggists everywhere.

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Attorney-at-Law
Office Opposite Court House
Clanton, Ala.

Enjoy Health!
Dr. H. E. Fountain
CHIROPRACTOR
Over Upchurch Drug Store
CLANTON, ALA.

I will run my gin Friday and Saturday of this week, which will be the last ginning days this season. Everyone having cotton to gin will please bring it to me Friday or Saturday.

J. N. DENNIS.

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COOLIDGE MESSAGE STIMULATES TRADE

Possibility of More Tax Reduction and Economy Causes Cheerful Tone in Industry, but Cotton Prices Slump Slightly.

Washington, Dec. 8.—With the markets still buoyant and with industrial news still encouraging, a cheerful tone persisted throughout financial and commercial quarterh last week. The President's message to congress, by drawing attention afresh to the possibilities of further tax reduction, added to optimistic feeling.

A further moderate tightening of money rates was considered a natural result of the expansion in credit demands occasioned by reviving industry and active markets. The federal reserve statements showed that these banks are still helping to furnish additional credit. A sizable increase in discounts for member banks was accompanied by another substantial addition to the volume of bankers' acceptances purchased by the reserve banks in the open market. Part of the enlargement of earning assets was attributed to the special demands that centered around the first of the month. It was thought, however, that more than merely transient influences were at work.

Two large exportations of gold toward the end of the week were a reminder of the importance that the international gold movement now carries. Although the influx of the metal slackened during the fall, a definite excess of gold exports has yet to be established. Bankers realize that fundamental economic forces favor an export movement and are watching closely for a turn in the tide.

While railroad car loadings now are showing the normal seasonal decline, they are continuing to set new high records for this time of year. The loadings for the week ended November 22, the latest for which figures are available, amounted to 1,010,000 cars.

With the traffic movement at such levels it was not considered surprising that the railroads' October earnings were excellent. The class one records were able to show net of $127,000,000 which is equivalent to 5.6 per cent on the Interstate Commerce Commission valuation.

Cotton prices sagged off slightly with the January future losing about 45 points at 22.95 cents. The loss was attributed to expectations that tomorrow's government crop report would show an increase over the 12,992,000 bales estimated in the last official report. Average figures indicated that the trade has been coming to expect a crop of about 13,250,000 bales. The exceptionally favorable fall weather which increased the yield, has helped to solve the problems of the textile trade.

The grain markets have been quiet with values generally well maintained. Rains and snows in the west have helped the winter wheat crop.

Our good friend, Mr. J. P. Rushing of Verbena, Route 1, was a visitor to our office Tuesday. We are always glad to see Mr. Rushing, because he is a fine old man, but we were especially elated over his visit this time since he brought us a club of sevel subscriptions. The Union-Banner thanks Mr. Rushing very tenderly for this favor and for his interest in the success of the "Dear Old Union-Banner."

OFFICERS GET FIVE STILLS DURING THE PAST WEEK

On last Wednesday, Sheriff Littlejohn, Deputy Foshee and Deputy Easterling destroyed a small box-still with three barrels of mash made of meal and shorts 2 miles east of Stanton on Mulberry Creek. On Thursday, Littlejohn and Foshee destroyed a 75-gallon box still two miles south of Stanton, together with three barrels of mash. The same day a 100 gallon still with two barrels of mash were destroyed 4 miles west of Stanton. Also a 100-gallon box still with three barrels of mash were destroyed two miles north of Stanton. No arrests were made in these raids.

On Monday of this week Deputy Foshee with the assistance of W. H. Gillespie, Mr. Gardner and Mr. Baker, State officers, destroyed a 150-gallon copper still near White City. There were ten barrels of beer at this still, which the officers also confiscated. No arrests were made in this raid.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST BEEN GROWING DURING PAST WEEK

During the past week, since the club rate has been in force, The Union-Banner has been taking in quite a number of subscriptions, most of which have been new ones. We are very proud of these subscriptions, and we wish to thank each and everyone for them, and especially those who took the interest and trouble to get up the clubs. Following is a list of those subscribing:

A. C. Cleckler, Clanton, Route 1.
W. C. Moore, Clanton, Route 2.
L. D. Atkins, Roanoke, Ala.
W. H. Goodgame, Thorsby, Ala.
W. G. Grover, Maplesville, Rt. 2.
Rev. W. P. Lowery, Thorsby.
M. L. Rogers, Clanton.
W. C. Neal, Ridgeville, Ind.
O. D. Bone, Autaugaville, Ala.
Miss Verbie Littleton, Thorsby.
G. C. Mims, Thorsby, Route 1.
J. W. Moore, Clanton, Route 7.
J. L. Miner, Clanton, Route 1.
Lawrence Littleton, Billingsley, R.
Nathan Miner, Clanton, Route 3.
A. F. Childress, Thorsby, Route 1.
J. D. Cleckler, Thorsby, Ala.
Stoughton N. Bice, Philadelphia, Pa.
R. T. Grant, Verbena, Route 2.
J. L. Davis, Verbena, Route 2.
T. R. Grant, Birmingham, Ala.
K. U. Hull, Titus, Ala.
N. C. Williams, Bessemer, Ala.
F. W. Johnson, Billingsley, Ala.
A. M. Mims, Billingsley, Ala.
C. C. Vinson, Billingsley, Ala.
J. D. Cox, Clanton, Route 8.
Robert Gore, Clanton, Route 8.
W. C. Benson, Clanton, Route 4.
R. C. Collins, Clanton, Route 4.
S. L. Gray, Clanton, Route 6.
J. W. Lett, Verbena, Route 1.
J. M. Taylor, Verbena, Ala.
Roy Baker, Verbena, Route 1.
J. A. Neeley, Verbena, Route 1.
Edgar Patterson, Verbena, Rt. 1.
J. P. Rushing, Verbena, Route 1.
T. N. Miner, Clanton, Route 5.
M. Lockhart, Clanton, Route 5.
Willie Mims, Clanton, Route 5.
A. N. Johnson, Clanton, Route 5.
J. E. Miner, Clanton, Route 5.
Mrs. W. R. King, Columbus, Ga.
L. O. Vickers, Thorsby, Ala.
M. L. Driver, Thorsby, Ala.
Walter Driver, Thorsby, Ala.
I. L. Langston, Thorsby, Ala.
J. A. Cleckler, Jemison, Route 1.
J. E. Connell, Tallassee, Route 1.
Mrs. J. B. Northcutt, Jemison R. 2.

W. O. Rich of Birmingham was in Clanton last Tuesday.

Rev E. W. Butler of Thorsby was in Clanton, awhile Tuesday.

THREE SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR $3.00

From now until January 1st, The Union-Banner will be sold in clubs of three or more subscriptions for one dollar each. This is under the condition, however, that not more than one third of the club be renewals. For instance, if three subscriptions are brought in two of them must be new subscribers and the other may be a renewal. However, if they are all new subscribers, it would be better. This club rate will run only through the month of December, so if you want the paper for one dollar, you had better work fast.

By the way, if you have trouble in deciding on what to give your friends for Christmas, just send three or four of them The Union-Banner. You could not give them a present that would be more appreciated. If you send them The Union-Banner for a Christmas present your friends will be reminded of your yuletide gratuity every week during the coming year. Send in your club today.

THE UNION-BANNER

WORLD WAR VETERANS EXEMPT FROM PAYING ANY POLL TAX

In the last general election an amendment to the State Constitution of Alabama was voted upon and carried exempting World War veterans from paying poll tax in Alabama.

The probate judge of Chilton County has received from Governor Brandon instructions to this effect, and also an order to issue certificates of exemption to such voters. Below is the letter from the Governor of Alabama to Judge Reynolds:

"The amendment to the Constitution exempting World War veterans from the payment of poll tax, having been adopted, I beg to advise that any person who honorably served in the Military or Naval service of the United States between January 1, 1917 and November 11, 1918, upon proper proof to you of such service, shall be exempt from poll taxes, which have accrued or which may hereafter accrue, and you are authorized to issue a certificate of such exemption to such person.

"In my opinion, Section one of the Act is self-executing and anyone who had such service would be exempt even without certificate, but for the convenience of such veteran, Probate Judges will issue such certificates upon satisfactory proof to him of such service.

"Yours very truly,
"Wm. W. BRANDON, Governor.
"December 2, 1924."

MERCHANTS OF CLANTON PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS

We believe that everybody who reads The Union-Banner this week will realize that Christmas is somewhere in the near future. This fact will be made clear by all of the Christmas advertising we are carrying for the merchants of Clanton.

The Christmas season is a season of good cheer among all people, and the merchants and business men of Clanton want their friends and customers to know that they haven't forgotten them. So, come to Clanton to do your Christmas shopping where the merchants have issued an invitation to you. They want your trade and will appreciate it.

The Union-Banner joins with all those carrying advertising this week in wishing everybody in Chilton county a merry Christmas. We hope that your enjoyment and good feeling will be bounded only by the extent of your own desires, and that you may have everything you may wish for.

To the children of our county, we hope that old Santa will fill your stockings so full of toys, apples and candy that you will have much trouble in emptying it on Christmas morning.

So, read every word of advertising in The Union-Banner this week and do your Christmas trading with those who have invited you by putting an advertisement in your home paper.

JAMES M. DAVIS DIED NEAR COOPERS SUNDAY NIGHT

Mr. James M. Davis, age 72, died last Sunday night. The remains were buried at Mountain Springs Monday, The deceased was the father of Mrs. Rev. C. C. Wilkerson officiating. at his home two miles east of Coopers Moses Bates of Friendship community, John Davis of Clanton Route 5, Tom Davis, Lucian Davis and Marion Davis. He is survived by some more daughters.

GRADY REYNOLDS' NAME SENT TO THE SENATE

The nomination of Grady Reynolds, of Clanton, to be United States Attorney for the middle district of Alabama, and which was sent to the senate last Monday by President Coolidge, will probably be considered this week by the judiciary committee to which it was referred. Inasmuch as the Alabama senators have not received any protests against this nomination, the chances are that Mr. Reynolds will be confirmed.

EXPERIMENT STATION'S LETTER TO FARMERS

Auburn, Ala., Dec. 10.—That Alabama land is capable of producing a bale of cotton or more to the acre is shown conclusively by results at the Experiment Station here this year. They are reported by Prof. M. J. Funchess, Director, who delares that high yields of cotton are possible if conditions are right.

In a two-year rotation of cotton and corn with hairy vetch as a winter legume planted each fall, a yield of 1,347 pounds of seed cotton per acre was made, which was enough to make more than 500 pounds of lint cotton. This rotation has been running 29 years, or since 1896, and the yield this year was the largest ever made. Prof. Funchess attributes this increase to a better crop of hairy vetch which was caused by applying acid phosphate in the fall. It is fertilized each year with 160 pounds of acid phosphate and 160 pounds of kainit. No nitrogen fertilizer is used, it being supplied by legumes just as farmers are urged to do.

The yield on a two year plot of cotton and cowpeas was 1,504 pounds of seed cotton per acre. This rotation has been running 29 years also and the yield this year was the largest ever made. The peas were cut for hay, making over a ton to the acre, and the land planted in hairy vetch, giving it a winter cover. It has received 160 pounds of acid phosphate and 160 pounds of kainit annually.

A test plot started this year on land bought last year by the Experiment Station shows that a bale to the acre can be made by using enough commercial fertilizer of the right kind. Check plots receiving no fertilizer yielded a little over 100 pounds of seed cotton per acre but the same kind of land produced a bale to the acre where 2,000 pounds of commercial fertilizer was applied.

AGRICULTURAL CENSUS ENUMERATOR AT CLANTON

Mr. J. M. Grant, who has been selected as Agricultural Census Enumerator for Beat 4, asks us to announce that he will be upstairs at the court house every Saturday from now until the last of January for the purpose of taking the Agricultural Census of this Beat. All farmers are asked to go to Mr. Grant's office and make a report of their farm productions and conditions.

REV. A. L. FOSHEE TO PREACH AT CANE CREEK

Messrs. J. A. Cleckler and J. N. Miner of Cane Creek ask for the announcement through our paper that Rev. A. L. Foshee will preach at Cane Creek church the third Sunday in December, 21st. Everybody is invited to attend, and especially the members of Cane Creek, since a pastor for the church will be called. The church is now without a pastor, Rev. Parrish having resigned. The members are all urgently asked to attend.

NEW YORK TO HAVE 88-STORY BUILDING

New York, Dec. 9.—New York is to have an 88-story office building, according to real estate circles.

A test to determine whether the 51-story Woolworth Tower sways in the wind is planned in contemplation of the new skyscraper.

The new mammoth structure will occupy an entire block in downtown Broadway, it is said.

SHAREHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Clanton, will be held in the directors room of the bank at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, January 13th, 1925, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

This, December 8, 1924.
12-11-4t. J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

POWER COMPANY REJOICES MONDAY OVER DOWNPOUR

The longest drought the Alabama Power Company has ever experienced in their 12 years operation was broken Sunday night and Monday by the general rainfall over the state which filled the reservoirs of the company and placed their operating conditions back to normal. Hydro-electric power replaces the expensive process of operating under steam power and the company's excessive expense on this account is now at an end.

For the past 65 days the power company has burned coal in its plants over the state. Approximately 2,500 tons of coal per day was consumed during this period in maintaining separate plants and power stations. This has cost the power company a tremendous sum of money, executives said Monday.

Now that the drought is broken the plants will return to operation under hydro power, it was said.

"SIN" AS VIEWED BY A YOUNG MAN

I shall take as my subject one that concerns all of us, "Sin." Sin is the blackest, meanest, dirtiest thing this side of hell. Sin is a deceiver, a betrayer, and it is a curse to humanity. Sin goes to the limit and stops for nothing. Sin took Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden and gave to them and their seed a life of toil and sorrow. Sin brought a flood upon a cursed world and destroyed all people on it except Noah and his family. Sin caused the hands and feet of our Savior to be nailed to the cruel cross of Calvary. Sin goes into the home and wrecks it. It causes the parents to neglect their children, and causes the wife to fail to do her duty as a wife and mother. It causes the husband and father to neglect his family. Sin causes sharp and cruel works, wicked and evil thoughts. Sin drives the boy or girl from their home and sends the boy on a wayward road to hell. Sin takes the girl from a beautiful home, a loving father and mother—all things that are pure and clean—to a life of ruin and shame. Sin causes the poor little children to shiver in the cold, barefooted and hungry. Sin causes a man (or boy) to slowly burn his life out with liquid hellfire called whiskey. Sin causes the sad clank, clank, clank of a chain as it is bound to some man's legs, and still echoes the clank, clank, clank. It is awful. Sin places the black cap on the murderer's head and the rope around his neck. Sin causes the heart-broken mother to listen for the knock of the door, for a wayward boy. Sin causes the wayward boy to ruin the purity and holiness of some girl. Sin causes so many divorces in our land and so many heart-broken mothers and wives. Sin is a curse to all humanity. Thank God! there is a curse for this demon sin. It is the blood of Jesus Christ. May this discourse inspire you boys and girls to right living, and may it cause you to think and "come and join the host of the Lord against the mighty" demon. Then let me say:

Awake, begin no fear;
Let joy thy work endow;
No where so good as here,
No when so good as now.
—Exchange.

Mr. John W. Lett of Verbena, Route 1, was in Clanton Tuesday. John is fondly remembered by the editor of The Union-Banner as a fellow-soldier at Camp Pike during the war.

CHILTON COUNTY WINS LOVING CUP

Largest Percentage of Chilton Citizens Voted of any County in the State.

When arrangements were being made for the general election in last November, the League of Women voters of Alabama put on a State-wide campaign for the purpose of getting out as large a vote as possible. This movement was sponsored through the local women's organizations of the towns and cities of the State, and in connection with this campaign, the League offered to the county polling the greatest percentage of its voting strength a beautiful loving cup.

As bhown by statistics recently compiled, Chilton County ih the proud winner of this loving cup, it having voted in the last election 84.1 per cent of all its qualified voters. The next highest county to Chilton was Franklin, which polled 81 per cent.

Chilton County and its voters have a right to and will feel proud of this splendid record, since, in this repsect, it is the highest in the whole State, not excepting Jefferson and Montgomery counties.

Several agencies in Chilton claim the credit for this record, and no doubt, more than one cause had something to do with it, but the main reason is that there are two strong political parties in this county. In looking over the list of the counties, one can readily see that the counties with a Republican and Democratic party are ahead, hence, the reason is conclusive.

But, be the cause whatever it may, Chilton made a splendid showing, and we are all justly proud of it.

HIGGINS-REYNOLDS WEDDING

The following announcement has been distributed:

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Alred request the honour of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Miss Willie Dolores Higgins, to Mr. Omar L. Reynolds, on Thursday, the eighteenth of December, Nineteen hundred and twenty-four at eight o'clock in the evening. First Baptist Church, Clanton, Ala.

This announcement will be of interest to many, as both parties have many friends, here and elsewhere.

The charming bride-to-be is the daughter of Mrs. D. C. Alred. The groom is the son of Judge L. H. Reynolds. Omar is a promising young attorney of Clanton who, since his admission to the bar a short time ago, has shown that he is to be one of Clanton's influential citizens.

The Union-Banner joins with their many other friends in wishing them a long and happy life together.

W. B. GREEN DEAD

Mr. W. B. Green, who lived near County Line, died November 15th. Mr. Green was 59 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by a widow, four sons and one daughter.

Mr. Green had long been active in the business and political life of his section. He was known and numbered by friends by the score, and was a neighbor to everybody who needed a favor.

The remains were buried at Mt. Olive cemetery, Rev. Arthur Blake officiating.

TWENTY-TWO YEARS OF SAFETY

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The Oldest Bank In Chilton County

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GREETINGS!

Imbued with the Christmas Spirit and desirous of spreading cheer at every opportunity, the officers of this Bank sincerely wish each and every man, woman and child in Clanton and Chilton county

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

May supreme Happiness abound in every home and this Yuletide be a never-to-be-forgotten event. And may next Christmas find us enjoying the same pleasant relationship with our patrons that we enjoy now.

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Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

Our Best Wishes are with all our friends for A Merry Christmas and Health Happiness and Prosperity all through the coming New Year

Total Resources Almost One-Half Million Dollars
Under the Strict Supervision of the United States Government.

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Remember the Wife--the Kiddies--yes, Everybody!

Shop Early for Christmas!

WE ARE NOT CONSUMING A BIG SPACE IN ENUMERATING ALL THE ITEMS WE HAVE WHICH ARE SUITABLE TO THE YULETIDE SEASON, BUT THAT DOES NOT MEAN THAT WE ARE SHORT IN THIS LINE --- WE HAVE A VARIETY FROM WHICH YOU MAY SELECT YOUR CHRISTMAS GOODS. WE EXTEND OUR FRIENDS A SPECIAL INVITATION TO TRADE HERE AND MAKE YOURSELF AT HOME IN OUR STORE. OUR PRICES ARE VERY CONSISTENT

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JESSE BAKER — CLANTON, ALABAMA — R. W. TAYLOR

THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Mrs. J. H. Goddard left Wednesday evening December 3, for Columbus, Ohio to attend the funeral of her mother who died Tuesday December 2, aged 86. Mrs. Goddard herself had been quite ill for several days.

Mrs. Parker's eight hand piano recital last Saturday night was a complete refutation of the opinion expressed by a music teacher friend, to whom she wrote, of what she was trying to do. Her friend replied," You can never do it with high school girls."

People sometimes accomplish the impossible, but we never heard of anyone doing that, who says "It can't be done." Miss Parker with seven High School girls namely; Misses Dorothy Butler, Bernice Williams, Iola Gerald, Pearl Steiner, Lois Prim, Althea Johnson and Irene Benson, made two sets of four players, with two pianos in concert. The scores were written in first and second part, each instrument being considered as a part, and each player had a part like no other, the same as instruments in an orchestra. The selections were not dinky amateur stuff but difficult music.

Miss Geraldine Dobson read a history of the Opera of Romeo and Juliet, and Miss Eva Mae Lynch sketches of the life and writing of Rossini.

There were a number of people in the audience who at some time in their life have been familiar with high class vocal and instrumental music, from these we heard most enthusiastic congratulations to Miss Parker and commendation of the skill and technique of the young ladies. We did not notice any lack of appreciation on the part of any, in an audience much larger than usually attended a piano recital, in a small town.

The copious rains of the past week have broken the longest and hottest dry season ever experienced in Alabama, for 163 days, from June 25 to December the 5, inclusive. Thorsby has had less than two inches of rainfall. Cotton made a good crop, but food crops for man or beast were far below normal and the ground has been so dry and hard that little fall plowing has been done. A normal rainfall for the time mentioned would be at least 20 inches.

On account of the heavy rain last Sunday night, the usual monthly praise service at the Congregational church was omitted.

Rev. J. R. Stodghell of Chambersburg, Ala., will preach at Thorsby Baptist church at 11 a.m., and 7:30 p.m., Sunday, December 14th.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society Social will be held Thursday afternoon, December 11th at the home of Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mrs. C. E. Lucas celebrated her birthday anniversary by entertaining the Congregational Ladies Aid Society last Thursday. If any more of our Thorsby ladies have such an anniversary falling on any Thursday in the year and want to have an "honest to goodness" celebration, there is always one or other of our ladies societies which may be induced to help make up a genial assembly.

We want to call the attention of our new Town Council to the fact that there is, or was, an ordinance prohibiting sweeping dirt and litter out on the sidewalks or into the streets. Anyone taking a walk along our main thoroughfare at 7 a.m., can see how well this it NOT observed. As a consequence, this street is abominably dirty. This is bad for our reputation and decidedly unfair to those who try to keep clean. If there is no ordinance, there should be one, and rigorously enforced, to stop the disgusting and unsanitary habit of spitting on our sidewalks. Such practices are not permitted in well ordered communities.

Mrs. Magne Anderson went to Birmingham Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ivy Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Primm of Birmingham were visitors in Thorsby Monday, while motoring home from Montfomery. Mrs. Primm was formerly Miss Hazel Woolley, and lived in Thorsby for several years. She seemed delighted to meet old friends and see Thorsby again.

M. J. Soberg and wife spent the week end visiting their daughter and family, Mrs. Walter L. Morgan at Ensley.

Saturday evening, December 13, at 7:30 o'clock, in Bates Hall, the Helen Keller Literary Society will give their annual Christmas program. This year the entertainment will consist of Carols by a boys' chorus, selection by girls' chorus, and three scenes from "The Bird's Christmas Carol."

Mrs. W. L. Batson of Birmingham, formerly Miss Emma Patton of Tuscaloosa, spent the week end with her husband, who is boarding at the home of W. L. Leary in Thorsby. Mr. A. W. Smith and family of Birmingham, also have rooms at the Leary home. Mr. Smith and Mr. Batson are employed by the Southern States Laboratories, making tests of all material used in the Chilton County section of the State highway.

The time is at hand! Saturday, December 13th, the Ladies Guild of Thorsby will have their annual Bazaar at Thorsby Restaurant, secured for the day. Sale of useful and fancy articles begins at 10 a.m., sharp. Dinner at 25c will be served, beginning at 11 a.m.

In the race of the races to secure adequate facilities for housing both white and colored public school children, it looks very much as though the colored people of Thorsby would "Go over the top" first. They are working like beavers to raise the required amount to secure such aid, as will be furnished to enable them to erect a centrally located modern school house, suitable for their needs, and at last reports they had secured three-quarters of the amount they must raise, and were pushing on with determination to get the balance, and we believe they will do it.

FOR SALE—One fine red horse, 8 years old, weighs about 900 lbs., well built, good qualities. Work anywhere. If interested, see me quick. Mrs. M. A. KILLGORE, Clanton, Ala., R. 8.

Do not forget HODGES' AT-COST SALE.

FOR SALE—Estey organ in excellent condition. Apply to Mrs. S. J. Prince, Clanton, Ala. 12-11-3t-p.

Quick Way To Break Heavy Cough

Many have been astonished how quickly a bad cough disappears when treated with a new double-action treatment that is simple but wonderfully effective.

Here is the method, which is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs: You simply take one teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing, without following with water. The prescription has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and inflammation, but also loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. When the cause is removed, the severest cough quickly disappears.

This treatment is for coughs, chest colds, tickling, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, etc. Recommended for children as well as grown folks—no narcotics or opiates. Economical, too, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. At all good druggists. Ask for

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR COUGHS

CLASSIFIED ADS

CARPENTER and Cement Work of any kind, done by Jas. A. Lawrence & Co., Clanton, Ala. 11-20-4t c

TURKEYS FOR SALE—I have a few turkeys for sale. If interested, call or see W. H. Robinson, Clanton, R. 1. 12-11—1t-pd.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—W. E. Easterling, Clanton, Ala. tf

WANTED—A reliable man to sell Whitmer's complete line Home Remedies, Extracts, Toilet Articles, Soaps, Spices, etc., in Chilton County. Good profits. Zahnd of Alabama made $56 in five days. Car or team needed. Experience unnecessary. We teach you. Write today The H. C. Whitmer Co., Dept. 198, Columbus, Ind. 11-27—3t-pd.

FOR SALE—Small coal or wood heater, good condition. Price very reasonable.—Call or see Mrs. Mayme C. Smith, Clanton, Ala. 12-4-3t-p.

FOUND—Two black and tan hounds both about same size. Found December 4, near my landing on River disturbing my goats and catching hogs.

If this advertisement reaches owner please call at my place at once, and pay 50c for this advertisement.

ED MIMS, Clanton, Ala. Rt. 5 1tp.

LAND FOR SALE—40 acres, located on Kincheon road, 2 miles from Clanton. About 25 acres in cultivation, rest in wood. Terms to reliable parties. Apply to Mrs. Mollie Goodgame, R. 6, Clanton, Ala. 11-27—3t-ch.

Now Is the Time to Plant

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Best Stock

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—See or Write—

Mrs. A. S. Villadsen

Thorsby, Ala.

--- CHRISTMAS IS COMING ---

Select Your Gifts from Our Full Stock of TOYS, GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, and other Useful Articles, Colored Tissue Papers and Christmas Tree Trimmings.

Open Evenings Until Christmas

THORSBY HARDWARE COMPANY
Thorsby, Alabama.

Don't deposit your money in an unusued stove, an old stocking or a tin can. People who have tried it have found it exceedingly expensive!

There are many advantages besides "Safety First" in having a bank account,—It stimulates self-respect. The man who pays his bills by check has a record of the transaction, and business men have respect for his methods.

THE BANK OF THORSBY

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POOR OR

'TWAS THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS

HUSH! Not a sound! Santa's just come in and he's peeping over the bedside to see if these little darlings are asleep before he starts unpacking the toys in his bag.

But wait a minute there, Santa. We've got a hunch that two of these little angels—the tiny miss in the middle and the youngster at the right—are not as fast asleep as you may think. That "squeezed-up" look around their eyes, tells us that the minute you turn your back they're going to watch the performance. Better come back later.

Will this old familiar scene be enacted in your home this Christmas, folks?

HELP FOR THE HELPLESS

In pursuance to the understanding at their last meetings that the Unity and Chilton County Baptist Associations would ship some produce to the orphan children in the Baptist Orphanage at Troy, Ala., the plans have been set for making a Christmas offering from at least the churches that are in reach of Clanton. I understand that some of the churches gave a thanksgiving offering. It was first thought that arrangements could be made so that the churches could all ship together and send at least a car load some time this fall, but it was found that the car could not be stopped along the route, so that necessitates local shipments. I will not take the time and space to argue the importance of giving to the children, we all know they are helpless, absolutely dependent upon us and that God made it so and that God blesses a cheerful giver. These children are not so fortunate as we, some of them have never known and will never know what father's or mother's love is, but we can make their little hearts glad one time during the year by sharing with them our material blessings. We are not asking for money, but just the ordinary things of life; anything that you can and do use in your home for your children will be good enough for the children at the Home, and it will be appreciated.

I have mapped out the following churches as those whose shipping point would be at Clanton: Clanton, Friendship, Cane Creek, Concord, Providence, Refuge, Poplar Springs, Maple Springs, Samaria, Highland, Shiloh and Liberty Hill. Now brethren, I feel that these twelve churches could easily give a car load of the necessities of life and I believe they will if they are properly canvassed. There are probably other churches or communities that would like to ship from Clanton; if so, we will be more than glad for you to ship with us.

I have appointed some in the various parts of the county to look after the collections, but I now take the authority to appoint the Superintendents of the Sunday Schools in the various churches who ship with us from Clanton, as Chairman of a committee of his officers and teachers and others whom they may see fit to appoint to canvass their respective communities and to assist in the collection and bringing to the depot, the donations.

The shipment will be made on the 23rd day of December. The thing for the collectors in each community to do is to collect the donations, label them to J. O. Colley, Troy, Ala., and bring them to town. If you bring it in before December the 21st, you will unload it in the back part of Bro. D. A. Wingard's store, just north of the depot. If you bring it in on the 22nd or 23rd, you will unload it in the rear of the depot for immediate loading. Do not bring anything after 1 or 11 o'clock on the 23rd, because we want to ship on that day. You Sunday School workers, I am counting on you practicing some of your preaching in this gift. May God greatly bless your efforts.

I hope that the churches at the other shipping points who have not done so will get busy and send an offering to the Home.

I understand Jemison has already shipped her donation. We are praying for one from Thorsby, Cooper, Verbena, Mt. Creek, and Marbury. I feel that the brethren in the west side of the county will do their duty. The agent here informs me that we can ship produce in small shipments at the same rate as in car lots, so if we cannot get but a small shipment at a place, send it in and keep an account of the amount shipped.

Bro. Colley said that the Home would pay the freight on car lots and I suppose they would on smaller lots. Anyway, if you get a shipment and do not feel like paying the freight, just send it on anyway.

If there is any other information that I can give any of you, I will be pleased to do so. Just write or call at my office.

Yours very truly,
J. Z. MIMS, Mod. Unity Asso.

APPEAL FROM ORPHANAGE TO CHILTON PEOPLE

Troy, Ala., Nov. 7,1924.

To the Baptists and Friends of the Baptist Orphanage in Chilton Co.:

I have just learned through Mr. J. Z. Mims, that you are planning to give a car of produce to the Children in our Institution. I want to assure you that you could not attempt a more worthy task. You may wonder what you can give; just anything that you can use in your own home for your children. I would urge not only the farmers, but the merchants throughout the county as well, to make contributions. Whatever you do will be wisely used to make the children in the home more comfortable.

Thanking you for your co-operation, I am

Very sincerely,
J. O. COLLEY, Sup't.

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Farm and farm life are not appreciated by our people. We long for more elegant pursuits, or the ways and fashions of the town. But the farmer has the most sane and natural occupation and ought to find life sweeter, if less highly seasoned, than any other. He alone, strictly speaking, has a home.—Burroughs.

Shoe the kiddies AT-COST at HODGES'.

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at Collins Chapel schoolhouse, Saturday night, Dec. 13. Everybody invited. Proceeds to go to school.

JOHN M. PARRISH, Prin.

The Clanton Mercantile Company is still giving away a Genuine Pearl Necklace to its customers who purchase one hundred dollars worth of goods and pay cash for same. If you have begun to save coupons, this offer will hold good until you finish trading out your hundred dollar's worth.

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Why Not Close The Book On Law Making

Too many laws and too stringent regulations are just as detrimental to the public welfare as too few. The greatest problem which confronts the American railroads to-day is not one of transporting freight and passengers, or of its dealings with the public or its employees.

The real transportation problem is the never-ceasing activity on the part of politicians and lawmakers in suggesting changes in present laws and substitutes for those railroad regulatory measures which are working satisfactorily. In addition to suggested changes, new laws affecting the railroads are being proposed in many states, in the National Congress.

Why not give the railroads a legislative holiday? Why not close the book on lawmaking until there is a well-demonstrated need for new or different regulatory measures; and permit the carriers to operate efficiently and satisfactorily; continuing to afford to the people of the United States the best transportation facilities on the face of the globe, and at the lowest cost to the people?

Just at this time, it is interesting to know that the actual Governmental expenditures on account of railroad regulation during the year of 1923, totaled $5,293,444.00.

L&N
THE OLD RELIABLE

Time is Fleeting

CHRISTMAS WILL SOON BE HERE---LONG GIFT LISTS STILL POINT TO WEEKS OF HURRIED PREPARATION---AND ONE CANNOT HELP BUT WONDER WHEN AND HOW CAN EVERY GIFT BE PURCHASED AND THE SHOPPING LIST MADE COMPLETE. IT IS JUST AT THIS TIME THAT THE WONDERFUL INSPIRATION COMES---AND IN THE SIMPLEST, HAPPIEST AND EASIEST WAY IMAGINABLE YOU FIND A SOLUTION TO EVERY GIFT PROBLEM --- "BUY YOUR GIFTS AT OUR STORE,"---AND THE BIG BARGAIN STORE, WITH ITS BIG ASSORTMENTS AND VALUES THAT ONLY A STORE OF ITS KIND IS IN POSITION TO OFFER, IS THE STORE FROM WHICH TO MAKE UP YOUR YULETIDE SELECTIONS.

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RIGINAL

BIG AT COST SALE

Beginning next Saturday, Dcember 13, our At-Cost Sale will start and last until the 25th. Every article will be sold at absolutely cost. No prices will be quoted, but you will be pleased. Our stock consists of big variety of piece goods, a large stock of shoes and notions and also a line of clothing.

We are going to continue in business, but have decided to reduce our stock; and at the same time, give our customers real cheap prices. No article will be charged at these prices.

We will be glad to show you our prices whether you buy or not.

Look for the sign, "Hodges Clearance Sale Now On."

50 Men's Suits at Cost
50 Boys' Suits at Cost

W. Z. Hodges Dry Goods Co.

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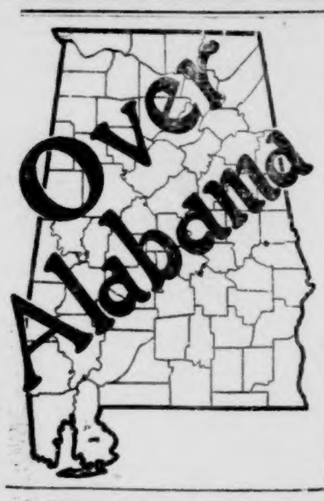

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Illiteracy campaigns will be waged in 14 Alabama counties next summer, Miss Clutie Bloodworth, director of the division of exceptional education of the State Education Department, made this announcement, following a conference of county superintendents of education, supervisors and teachers experienced in schools for adults. Counties to be included in the campaign are: Butler, Calhoun, Choctaw, Covington, DeKalb, Elmore, Marshall, Pickens, Randolph, Shelby, St. Clair, Tallapoosa, Tuscaloosa, and Washington. Most of these schools which will hereafter be known as "opportunity schools," will not open until crops are "laid by," it is stated. The work of preparation, and the selection of teachers has already begun, however.

Work has been started on the necessary excavation for the approach to Wilson Dam over which three highways will be brought together across the Tennessee river. Steam shovels and other necessary equipment are busily engaged in preparing the road bed which will connect the giant dam with the Shoals. It is expected the work of connecting the dam with the roadways which are near the banks of the river, will begin at an early date. Work on the 58-foot gates which will regulate the flow of the river, above the spillway sections of the dam has been going forward at a rapid rate and the superstructure is rapdily taking shape.

The Ensley Steel plant is the only one in America now ahead of its 1923 record, according to information. Following the smashing of all November records at the steel plant and blast furnace, it was stated that the plant will have a record for 1924 surpassing any in this country. The prevailing opinion is that the open hearth furnace produced over 2,000 more tons of steel during November than ever before in one month. The Ensley works during the present year has assumed gratifying proportions and there is wide interest among industrial men in the knowledge that the Ensley steel works will lead all plants in the country for 1924.

Residents of Coming entertained members of the Tuscaloosa county board of Revenue and members of the construction crews to a chicken dinner in celebration of the completion of the gravel road through that section. The thoroughfare is 20 miles long and runs to the county line from Tuscaloosa. The folks in that section were so pleased in getting this good road that they got together and entertained those responsible for it.

Action in connection with the citation of the Northern Alabama railroad and the Southern railroad to show cause why they should not furnish adequate depot facilities at Parrish, Ala., was deferred by the Alabama Public Service Commission, until the call of the January docket.

Two Morgan County deputies reported that they had found a still which they were informed was being operated on a community plan. Customers were permitted to use the still to make their own liquor, and the owner of the outfit took a share of the output for pay.

The Confederate Square in Greenville is being beautified by the Daughters of the Confederacy. Walks in the Square are being paved, and when completed an experienced gardenor will plant flowers, evergreens and grass.

The Birmingham Water Works Company has filed in the Jefferson probate office a mortgage on all of its properties and its franchise, to secure $5,500,000 of gold bonds dated October 1, 1924, and due October 1, 1954.

Grading of the State highway between Fayette and Winfield is now under way, and is to be completed by next June first.

Jim Hany and Bob Hany, brothers were sentenced to 12 months hard labor, by the Etowah County court charged with decoying 16-year-old Myrtle Bland from her home in Attalla. An appeal was taken.

Captain Thomas Craig died in a Selma hospital of gunshot wounds accidentally received the day before Thanksgiving.

G. L. Duncan was killed in an automobile near Tuscumbia, when he lost control of the machine while going down Russellville mountain.

The third day the weather turned colder and the moist snow crusted enough to bear one's weight. The snow changed to a bitter, driving sleet.

It was much harder traveling, but the crust enabled one to go more swiftly. This day Holden completed his delivery, and returned to the post office with the mail he had collected on the way.

Mrs. John Batly, of Oxford, turned over to the Anniston Salvation Army post a fruit jar filled with pennies which she had saved since January 1, 1924. There were 1,450 pennies in the jar.

Sale of the weed known as "marithuana" from which a species of cigarettes called "muggles" are made, was prohibited by ordinance adopted by the City of Mobile. The ordinance also forbids the growing of the weed.

Mrs. Susie Hodd, of Mobile, when she discovered J. F. Lowrey peering into her window at night, rushed into the yard and held him at bey with a pair of scissors until officers arrived and placed him under arrest.

L. M. Harris has been reappointed Chairman of the Etowah County Board of Registrars, and N. C. Bond has been named to succeed N. E. Jelks as a member of that body.

The State Docks Commission has authorized the purchase of a $270,000 suction dredge to be used in connection with the building of the State docks at Mobile.

A new corporation known as the East Alabama Hatchery, has been organized at Opelika. The purpose of the organization is to do custom hatching of eggs.

A negro laborer, while cutting timber at the Mills Lumber camp near Loachapoka, was instantly killed by a falling tree.

Organization of a platoon of the national guard at Birmingham Southern college will take place soon, according to recent announcement.

Robert M. Chambliss, charged with killing Alonzo H. Graves, was acquitted by a jury in the Montgomery circuit court.

M. J. Bray and wife, of Montgomery, were killed when their automobile was struck by a Central of Georgia train at Kenyon's Crossing.

G. W. Russell, of Morgan County, killed a hog weighing 592 pounds. The meat brought $52.

Pupils of the negro high school at Decatur donated $15 to the poor of their race on Thanksgiving Day.

The girl's dormitory of the Eldridge Academy at Eldrige, was destroyed by fire.

Alabama City will sell $50,000 worth of bonds to retire a floating debt.

Robinson Brown, of Tuscaloosa, has been appointed land agent of the University of Alabama.

The jitneys have been barred from Huntsville streets by the Alabama Public Service Commission.

Dr. Robert A. Lovelady, of Birmingham, was elected junior grand warden of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Alabama, at the concluding session of the grand lodge in Montgomery. He fills the vacancy created by the death of Albert L. Reese, of Birmingham.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Beginning Thursday, Dec. 4th, we are going to give the greatest bargains ever offered in Clanton on our entire stock of Shoes and Dry Goods.

We have 800 pair of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Shoes and Slippers, priced from..... 49c up

Men's $7.50 Shoes going at..... $5.65

26-inch Josie Bell Ginghams at, per yard..... 10c

Best Grade Outing at, per yard..... 17½c

Ladies' Silk Hose at, per pair..... 99c

All Piece Goods at Rock Bottom Prices.

We are only giving prices here on a few articles; other goods will be sold in proportion to prices given here.

This Sale will last only 30 days, so come at once before the stock is picked over.

Remember if you miss this opportunity you will miss the greatest bargain event ever offered in your town.

DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THIS BIG SALE
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POOR OR

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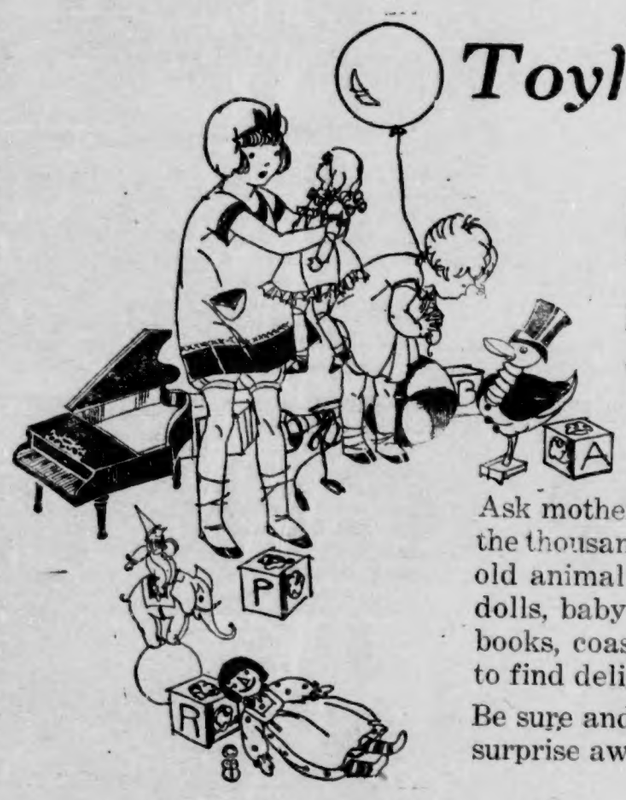


DEAR old Santa was here last night and left the most wonderful toys for the youngsters, and he left a surprise for each and every little boy and girl who comes to Toyland to visit us.

Ask mother or daddy to bring you here so you can see the thousands of fascinating toys and dolls. See all the old animal friends, the shiny tin soldiers, character dolls, baby dolls, doll's furniture, tinker toys, story books, coasters, and all sorts of new friends awaiting to find delightful little owners.

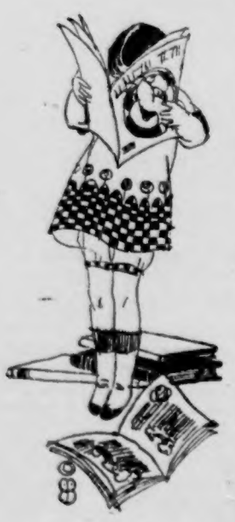
Be sure and see them tomorrow—for more than one surprise awaits little girls and boys and mothers.

Of course a little boy wants some kind of a building toy.

Every little girl wants a walking baby or character doll for Christmas.

Look at the blocks and all the animals and toys for tiny baby.

A coaster, automobile or tricycle will please Mr. Junior.



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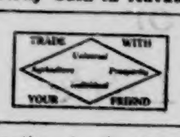

Co-operation is the keystone of success.

Alabama farmers produce only half the hay consumed in the State; yet it is the easiest of all crops grown.

Our foreign loan will run well over a billion dollars in 1924, and 1925 will see many more big issues of foreign bonds sold here. Largely because of American financial aid, European recovery is becoming increasingly rapid. For a nation accused of adopting a policy of "isolation" we seem to be doing pretty well.

BEWARE OF CATTLE QUARANTINE

During the past few weeks some people of Chilton County have unthoughtedly or otherwise transported cattle from Chilton into an adjoining county which was not under cattle quarantine and were arrested for violating the law. Our people should be very careful when they go ti haul cattle from this county into a tick-free county, since this is a violation of the law. If you want to carry cattle out of Chilton County, you should first get a permit from the county supervisor, Mr. H. B. Roper, or from some of the local inspectors. This will save the carrier lots of trouble and expense.

DOLE DEMORALIZATION

A British writer has called attention to the double effect of doles. Says he, "The moment the reward in money for unproductive energy exceeds its proper proportion to that paid to productive energy, the reward to both is debased, the increase in money being set off by a greater decrease in the value of that money and its purchasing power." That is a generalization that may be better understood if stated in more specific language. If the Government of Great Britain, or of any other country, adopts the policy of paying doles to be unemployed, whenever those doles reach a scale that begins to be tempting to a workman, the workman loses interest in his work and his job, because he feels that if poor work results in his losing his job he can get along on the dole he will receive as one of the unemployed. Thus the dole system not only keeps men from seeking jobs, but it tends to reduce the productiveness of men who are usefully employed. And, of course, reduced productiveness means a smaller supply of goods and correspondingly higher prices. The dole of today will be inadequate to next year because the dole has tended to make cost of living higher. It is an endless chain. As a temporary expedient a system of doles may be necessary, but if it is more than temporary, it will become disastrous.

THE PEOPLE PAY

A New York State farmer writes to a city paper that he does not find his name or the names of his farmer neighbors in the published lists of income-tax payers, but he surmises that they pay the tax nevertheless. He is absolutely right, and probably he and his neighbors recognized the fact that they went to the polls and voted for Coolidge. The Democrats and Third Party candidates tried to fool the people into beleiving that they could escape part of the tax burden by putting the tax on the operators of large enterprises. But the manager of a large enterprise includes the tax in his costs of doing business, and it figures in the price of the commodity. The consumer pays.

President Coolidge put this fact clearly before the voters in his speech of acceptance when he said: "Only about 3,500,000 people pay direct income taxes. The remainder pay, but pay indirectly, in the cost of all purchases, from a pair of shoes to a railroad ticket. Whatever cry the demagogue may make about his ability to tax the rich, at the end of the year it will always be found that the people as a whole paid the taxes."

That utterance is a fair sample of the "common sense" President Coolidge put into the recent campaign, and it is that sort of common sense doctrine that appealed to the people and sent them to the polls in such large numbers to vote for Coolidge and Dawes.

Coolidge stood for tax reduction all along the line, but, even more important, he stood for the reduction in expenditures which must precede any tax reduction.

HIS ANNUAL VISIT

UNCLE TED'S BED-TIME STORY

A cold, sharp whistle rang through the still night. It continued with force added upon force until it seemed that a thousand steam engines were having a gathering just outside the house. As a matter of fact it was nothing more nor less than Jack Frost and his big army of wind that had been kept away for so long a time by the good old warm weather that he wanted to have a good time and get himself noticed once more.

"It sure is cold outside tonight," said Jack.

"I'll say it is cold," answered Ruth. "Yet you wanted to go running around the neighborhood and would, too, if mother had let you."

"Of course any girl would say that," was Jack's retort. "I guess you'd curl up and freeze to death if you were out two minutes tonight."

"Now, Jack, remember your sister is a lady and gentlemen don't talk like that," said Uncle Ted. "As a matter of fact it is very cold outside tonight and I told your mother I did not think you should go out. You know you must keep well these days. Christmas is only just around the corner and we have so much to look forward to. If you want me to, I will tell you a story tonight and then you can forget about freezing outside and all those things you wanted to do."

"Sure we want a story, Uncle Ted, you know we always do," said Jack.

"First of all, kiddies, this old year is almost over. Christmas with its message of peace and good-will is nearly here and the New Year will be showing on the calendar in a very few weeks. I cannot help but think how much has happened to us and to this country of ours during the past twelve months. How much we have for which to be thankful. A campaign year is not always the best time for general business conditions. Yet we have gone through a period of rather unusual anxiety and have come out without a scratch. In fact our Government is safer and sounder today than it has been in many years. During the past year we have had a quiet sane administration. The man at the head of our Government was selected by his party as the candidate for the same position. He did not go out and spend his time campaigning throughout the country. He did not attack those men running against him. He stayed on the job, a job that was brought to him through the death of Warren G. Harding. He said that was his duty first, last and all the time.

"This naturally kept the Government on its feet, for no business whether it be small or large, can long run without a head, an interested, working head. So we can first of all be thankful for that situation.

"Then the election came along with the worry in many minds as to just how far the radical element would go in gaining a foothold on Governmental affairs. The answer came in an overwhelming vote for Calvin Coolidge, with the radical element running far behind on the national ticket and on the state and municipal tickets. The result was to place added confidence in the minds of every true American citizen. It has made us stand a bit straighter, walk more proudly and feel certainly more happy that "Government of the people, for the people and by the people" has not perished and we know it never shall.

"Congress is again in session. The first act of the Republican leaders of the Senate was to bar those men from party meetings who had declared against Republican principles. This action, it seems to me, was the only thing that could have been done. We find in the place of the great Henry Cabot Lodge (a splendid statesman who had been the Senate leader for years and who died only a short time ago) a man who has long been the close friend of the President. Senator Butler is that man, the same man who was Chairman of the Republican National Committee, brought the campaign to a successful close and with an expenditure of less money than had been spent in many a campaign.

"Senator Butler, while new to the highest law-making body, will be a big figure throughout this session of Congress. He will help to bring harmony between the White House and the Capitol so that the best may be accomplished for all of the people. Not much has been known about him heretofore except that he is a successful business man and a proved executive, a man of few words like the President, but a deep thinker and a man of action.

"Already, as usual, the question of saving more money is the big issue of the Republican Administration. The national budget, a creation of a Republican Administration, was submitted to Congress on December 2, by President Coolidge, and its contents is a credit to the Director of the Budget. After a year of listening to the various departmental and bureau heads and with the advice of President Coolidge, the Director prepared a budget which, if approved by Congress, will bring even greater reductions in national taxes. This will be accomplished without hurting any of the necessary work of the Government.

"It is interesting to note in connection with the budget system that every now and then a Government official returns a balance to the Treasury—money over and above what was needed for the year. Before the budget system was put into effect this was never done. Each one of us could take this budget idea right unto ourselves and stop a lot of personal extravagance. I know, I have found that it works and works well. If you only allow yourself so much money for certain things you find you can get along. Now run along to bed and there will be more next time. Good night!"

FARM FACTS

Government can do little for us—help yourself.

Farm premises are not attractive by accident. What are you doing this fall toward shrubbery, flowers, fruit and nut trees?

As a mere house is not a home, so a tract of land is not necessarily a farm. "Thar's more in the man than thar is in the land."

A chicken doesn't shrink very much at a time, but that's no sign that it doesn't need any water.

Many farmers are friendly enough to the weeds to give them the choice parts of the field, the terraces. There they can produce a bountiful supply of seed for the next season and also serve as ideal winter quarters for harmful insects.

Reducing the cost of farm operations is the surest way the farmer has of making increased profits. The production of larger yields on fewer acres by the enrichment of the soil, the breeding and production of good quality livestock, which means the use of only good purebred sires, are good steps in this direction.

SUBSCRIBERS GET ADVANTAGE OF REDUCED SUBSCRIPTION RATE

In order to boost their subscription lists, most papers over the country put on a big free-prize contest in which automobiles and other costly articles are given away to the person who happens to be lucky. In this kind of a contest, no reduction is made in the subscription price of the paper, but a big portion of the profit from the subscriptions sold is taken up by the cost of the prizes and the big salary paid to an experienced contest manager.

The Union-Banner believes in giving this profit to its subscribers instead of paying it out for prizes and to contest managers who live in the big cities. This is the idea The Union-Banner has in mind every year in putting on its reduced club rate. Our subscribers are the ones who reap the benefit of the reduction.

From now until the first of January we are selling the Union-Banner in clubs of three or more subscriptions for one dollar each for one whole year. Of course you know the regular price of the paper is $1.50 per year, and we honestly believe it is worth every cent of it. But in order to boost business and get up a little money to spend for Christmas we are making this special offer.

So, if you want The Union-Banner a year for an even dollar, now is your chance, and it will positively close on December 31, 1924. In making up your club, be sure to bear in mind that at least two out of every three subscriptions must be new ones—that is, people who are not now on our mailing list. Also remember that this rate applies to any number of subscriptions above three. It will be an accommodation to your friends to tell them about this special offer and let them get the advantage of the reduced price.

All piece goods going AT-COST at HODGES'.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

In this week's issue of the Union-Banner we are giving the first of a series of cross-word puzzles. In the issue containing the second puzzle, we will give the solution of the one of the week before, and so on until the series is completed.

Cross-word puzzles are interesting and really instructive. By solving them, one learns new words and their meaning as well as cultivate their sense of constructive imagination. These puzzles are not hard to work, as one word suggests another, but the average man's vocabulary will be enlarged greatly by studying out the different angles and forms which make them up.

Cross-word puzzles are the rage now, everywhere that people match their wits against some problem all of the time, so get your dictionary before you and everybody you can think of around you, for it will take several to think 'em all out.

Treat yourself to a sweater AT-COST at HODGES'.

Our good old friend, Mr. C. C. Crumpton of Centreville, was in our office a while Monday. He came to see about his Union-Banner, but to his delightful surprise his subscription was paid up for six more months. Mr. Crumpton was here spending a few days with his son Pink.

Hats and caps AT-COST at HODGES'.

"Chuckle" Column

The "Bucking Flivver

Now that thePrince of Wales is back in England with that nickel-plated flivver Henry Ford gave him, some of his horses are going to be out of a job. For, we're sure, his highness will feel just as much at home in that galloping gondola as he does on a horse's back. You know—now you see him—now you don't!

Can't you just picture what a "jolly bit o' fun" the Londonites would have watching the Prince hold up a big parade in his honor—just because his nickel-plated Henry "went dead" and he had to get out and crank it?

Things Worth Knowing

REFERENCE: A written pack of lies from one employer to another.
LAYING: Something the bill collector does for you.
SAFETY PIN: A married man's lodge emblem.
PAINT: Substitute for soap. Ask any flapper.
MAHOGANY TABLE: Resting place for burning cigars or cigarettes.
WATER: A colorless liquid that makes two quarts of milk out of one.
RESTAURANT: A filling station. Also, a fly's boarding house.

All men are born free but not equal—in height and width.

They always said he "made his money easy." Now he's in jail. Counterfeiter.

Woman shot her husband because he told her to "go to h—l." Guess she wanted company.

We never envy the guy who lands a soft job because of having a "pull." He's usually the first one to pull out—by request—when administrations change.

A Kissing Game

She KISSED—
Him and whispered
"Now go and ask father."
He did. And got
Another KISS—
From five closed fingers
That sent him out
KISSING—
The sidewalk!

We smiled at the young lady and she smiled back. But

there was something about her that didn't make avery favorable impression on us. Sort of odd looking. 'Twas her husband.

It's possible to run and catch a train but you can't run and catch Opportunity once it starts away from your door.

The man of no account has no bank account.

Curtain.

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Ship Your Packages By Express For Speed and Safety

Express charges on practically any package carried long distances are less than parcel post rates. In almost all cases, where packages are light, charges are less than freight charges.

Especially low rates on perishables. Free insurance on all shipments up to $50 and 50c per pound for heavier packages.

If you have shipments in or out, the following agents will be glad to quote rates and make comparisons with other rates.

See—Mr. Erwin, at Jemison.
Mr. Petersen, at Thorsby.
Mr. Hester, at Clanton.
Mr. Bibb, at Coopers.
Mr. Hubbard, at Verbena.

BLEED THROUGH

POOR O

"WELL, you can't go no furder," old Farmer Benson yelled, curving his mittened hands to his mouth so the words would reach the mail carrier, five or six feet on the other side of the fence. At the same time he nodded significantly toward the road farther on, where the snow had drifted entirely across, covering the fence on either side. "Five foot deep an' still driftin', an' plenty more places on ahead jest like it. Don't see how you got this fur. Well, we'll shovel out the gate, an' then you can drive in under my shed. It's three miles back to town, an' you can't return any more than you can go ahead. I never see snow fly so fast. Mebbe it'll ease up by tomorrow so we can start to plow the roads out, but 't ain't likely you'll get the mail round under two or three days, or perhaps a week. You'll drive right in."

It was trying, for this was the last day of rural free delivery No. 3. The route had been started as an experiment, but now was thought to hardly be worth while, and was to be dropped. John Holden had been one of the strongest advocates for it, and had obtained the route, leaving his oldest boy to look after the farm. The salary was not large, but in a year or so would enable him to stock the farm as he had wanted to stock it all his life.

At length the snow was cleared from sufficient space for the gate to be opened and swung back. Holden led his horse through the shed, then unharnessed and took him to the stable, where he fed him generously with the hay which Benson threw down from the mow. Then the two men returned to the wagon, and Holden quickly arranged his mail into a compact package.

"We'll take it right into the house," said Benson. "It'll be safe there till you're able to go on."

Holden smiled and shook his head. "I shall go right on now," he said. "Mail mustn't be delayed, you know. Besides, a lot of this is Christmas mail."

"But, man alive, you can't do it!" expostulated Benson, incredulously. "It's half a mile to the next house, and that drift right ahead is up to your armpits, an' too soft to stand on an' too deep to push through. You're crazy!"

"Mebbe," laconically, "but it's got to be done."

All this time he had been fastening the package securely upon his shoulders. Now he straightened up, taking the broken half of a rake handle he saw near.

"Look Here, Holden, Don't Try It," He Said.

"If you don't mind, I'll take this along," he said. "It will help steady some."

Benson placed his hand upon his shoulder.

"Look here, Holden," he said, earnestly, "don't you try it. The thing's nothing more nor less than suicide, and you know it."

Holden met his neighbor's look squarely and smiled. "I don't think so," he answered. "I shall try to creep along the fences where it's bad, and stick mostly to the high, windy ground across lots, where the snow will be less deep. I wouldn't wonder if I could make it all right. It's only a half mile to the next house, an' not more than that between any two places, an' only fourteen miles round the whole route. Then there's another thing, the main one," his face becoming grave; "you forget the folks who are waitin' for their mail, especially a Christmas one. The ones away are writin' to their folks then. What will it mean to them if I don't get 'round? Of course I don't know much about what's in the mail, but there's the Widow Cross, livin' alone, an' her son workin' up country in a mill. I've got a little for her this mornin'. Mebbe 't ain't the one, but I wouldn't be surprised if she was without wood or coal to keep her warm an' a scrap to eat, an' that this letter will fix her up all right. Then there's Johnson an' his wife, who have a sick son off in China. They're out to the box every mornin' waitin' for me. I've got a letter for them, an' it's from China. An' there's Almy Rose, whose husband is off to sea, an' little Nina Clark, whose fellow is up to the mines workin' hard to earn enough to start housekeepin'. I've got letters for both of them. An' 't ain't all the mail, either. I do errands for a good many. You know the Watts', whose boy is so awful sick. They ain't nobody to send for a doctor. What mightn't it mean if I didn't get there in two or three days? No, no, Benson, I wouldn't dare to stay if I wanted to. I'm only one, an' they're a good many. Good-by."

Usually it required less than five minutes to drive between the houses, but it was two hours later when Holden struggled up on the plazza and knocked on the door, looking more like a crudely made snowman than anything human.

"For the land sake!" cried the woman who opened the door, "if it isn't Mr. Holden! How'd you ever manage to get through? But come right in. You can't go on any more today. My folks are almost scared to go to the barn.

It Was Still Snowing and the Drifts Much Deeper.

Come," throwing wide the door, "don't stand there in the cold. Take your wraps right off and set right up to the fire and warm."

"I haven't time now, thank you," Holden replied, as soon as he could interpose a word. "I must get on to Watts'. I have some medicine for the sick boy, an' he may need it. Here's your mail. Merry Christmas, speaking ahead." And once more he went out into the storm, disappearing in its blinding whirl almost instantly.

It was scarcely half a mile to Watts', but it took him twice the time to reach it. And when finally he stumbled up the steps, he had to pause to catch his breath before he could summon strength to knock.

"M-merry Christmas, an' here's your mail, an' medicine," he gasped, as the door was opened. "No, I can't stop. I'm a good deal behind-time, an' must reach the widow's tonight, an' Johnson's, an' Rose's an' others. They all ain't much over a quarter of a mile. The storm's something terrible. Good-by."

When he reached the Widow Cross' it was she who heard him fumbling about the door, and opened it, thinking it was a cat or dog wanting shelter.

At first he could not speak, but held out her letter.

"If it's the right one," he whispered presently, "I'll take it down to the store an' get your supplies in a few minutes, soon as I'm rested. It's only a few rods. An'—I hope you'll have a Merry Christmas."

"You'll stay all night, of course," she said anxiously. "You're completely used up an' it won't be safe to attempt going any farther."

"Only to Johnson's an' Rose's an' one or two more, just beyond the store," he answered. "I have letters for them which I want to deliver tonight."

The next day it was still snowing, and the drifts much deeper. Although he started early and struggled through the snow until after dark, he made little more than a mile. It was Christmas day, when mail was not supposed to be delivered, but Holden did not even think of that. He had letters to leave, and anxious people were waiting for them. So Christmas went by.

Do not forget HODGES' AT-COST SALE.

Alabama Power Co.

Announces that effective

January 1, 1925

The Sale Price of

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The Cooking for this Demonstration will be done on a Giant Washington Stove through the courtesy of the Chilton Hardware Company.

Under the personal direction of Miss Martha Brown, of the Home Economics Department, the Acme Mills, Mopkinsville, Ky.

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Shop Now!

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Bring the little children and the big ones too. We can help all select just the article suitable for a gift. And don't wait too late for the assortment will soon be picked over.

SANTA CLAUS has arrived! Most of you kiddies have heard about how Santa comes squeezing himself and his great big pack of toys down the chimney where your stockings are hung, but did you really ever truly catch him, or are you sure you have positively seen him?

The old Gent has been to Alred Drug Company's store, and has left sign to prove it. At this store you will find everything anyone could wish for Xmas. If you want toys they are here; if you want jewelry and articles of value for Gifts you will find a big assortment to select from.

Look--Santa's Been To Our Store

HE left his happy home up in Icicle Town in the Frozen North and paid us a flying visit. And what do you suppose he did when he got here? He chose our store to empty his bag of Marvelous Toys, Jewelry, etc.

So being plentifully supplied---Thanks to Santa's generosity---we've arranged our store into a veritable Fairy Land of Toys, whose magic curtain will be open unto you until December 25th. We cordially invite all Chilton County parents and their children to shop here. Come early and stay as long as you like.

Trade here and get coupons on that $140.00 Radio Set to be given away Christmas Day. One chance is given with each one dollar purchase.

DON'T FORGET TO CALL FOR YOUR TICKETS ON $140 FRANKLIN RADIO SET TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE ON CHRISTMAS MORNING AT 10 O'CLOCK. ONE CHANCE GIVEN WITH EACH ONE DOLLAR PURCHASE. BE AT OUR STORE XMAS. MORNING WITH ALL YOUR TICKETS

Alred Drug Company

"THE HOME OF QUALITY"

CLANTON, ALABAMA

POOR OR

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100, Section "B"

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, January 7th, 1925, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.184 miles of road between Calera and Autauga County line in Chilton County.

Contractors are notified that that part of the road within the Town of Clanton is designated as Section C and the right is reserved to award Section C separately from Section B.

Contractors are notified that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids will be the ones that govern.

Contractors in submitting bids on one course plain cement concrete pavement or combination cement concrete header curbing base course may bid on these items as follows:

Contractor furnishing all labor and materials including cement or the contractor furnishing all labor and materials with the exception of cement which will be furnished by the State.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Should the grading and dranaige and surfacing be awarded to different contractors the contractor on the surfacing must absorb into the unit price bid for surfacing the cost of the necessary find grading within the following limits:

Six inches above or six inches below sub-grade:

Either Portland Cement or Puzzolan Cement may be used in the construction of concrete base course.

The principal items of work are approximately as follows:

PROPOSAL No. 1
Grading and Draining

22.557 acres clearing and grubbing; 171,452 Cu. Yds. common excavation and borrow; 1,897 Cu. Yds. solid rock excavation; 92,076 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation; 136 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed; 206 Lin. Ft. 15-inch pipe; 1484 Lin. Ft. 18-inch pipe; 243 Lin. Ft. 21-inch pipe; 492.5 Lin. Ft. 24-inch pipe; 804.96 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete in culverts; 90,065 pounds steel reinforcing in culverts; 59 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap; 140.22 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls and inlets; 282 concrete right-of-way markers; 14 structures to be removed from right-of-way; 12,702 Lin. Ft. fence to be reset; 26 Lin. Ft. pipe to be taken up and relaid; 42,365 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting; 1,000 Cu. Yds. channel excavation; 360 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piles for culvert.

PROPOSAL No. 2
Surfacing

120 Sq. Yds. reinforced concrete bridge approach paving; 27,228 Lin. Ft. 3-4-inch galvanized cable for guard rail; 993 concrete posts for guard rail; 122 concrete end post braces for guard rail; 17.184 miles shoulder construction.

SURFACING ALTERNATES

181,459 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement; 171,378 Sq. Yds. rock asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. Warrenite bitulithic pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. sheet asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. bituminous concrete pavement on concrete base; 181,459 Sq. Yds. combination cement concrete header curbing base course.

PROPOSAL No. 3
Bridges

1888.92 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete; 251,666 pounds reinforcing steel; 520 Cu. Yds. dry excavation; 1,088 Cu. Yds. wet excavation; 59 Cu. Yds. rock excavation; 300 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piling; 95.5 Sq. Yds. surfacing; 1,342 Lin. Ft. Type "C" handrail.

The pipe used on this project may be either tripie strength vitrified clay, concrete, or cast iron.

Contractors may bid on either proposal independent of the others.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Alabama. Any addtional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama.

Cash, certified check or bid bond for Five Thousand Dollars, made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must acrompany earh bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

The right to rejert any or all bids is reserved.

Contractors are notified that any interlining with pen or pencil on the proposal form is sufficient cause to make the bid informal and may be rejected.

W. S. KELLER,
11-27-3 State Highway Engineer.

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
Chilton County.
Circuit Court.

Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation, vs. J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, Partners composing the Firm of J. B. and J. R. Miller.

Whereas, Mutual Grocery Co., a Corporation as plaintiff, has obtained an attachment out of this Court issued on, to-wit: The 3rd day of November, 1924, against the estate of the said defendants, J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, which attachment has been levied upon the following described property, to-wit: One 21-E Rex Paver with four-cylinder engine, batch meter with locking device, as the property of said defendants; and, whereas, it appears that the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, defendants, are non-residents of the State of Alabama, and reside in Baconton, State of Georgia.

Now, therefore, the said J. B. Miller and J. R. Miller, wherever they may reside, are hereby notified of the levy and pendancy of said attachment.

Witness my hand this the 25th day of November, 1924.

J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk of Circuit Court,
11-27-3t.c. Chilton County, Ala.

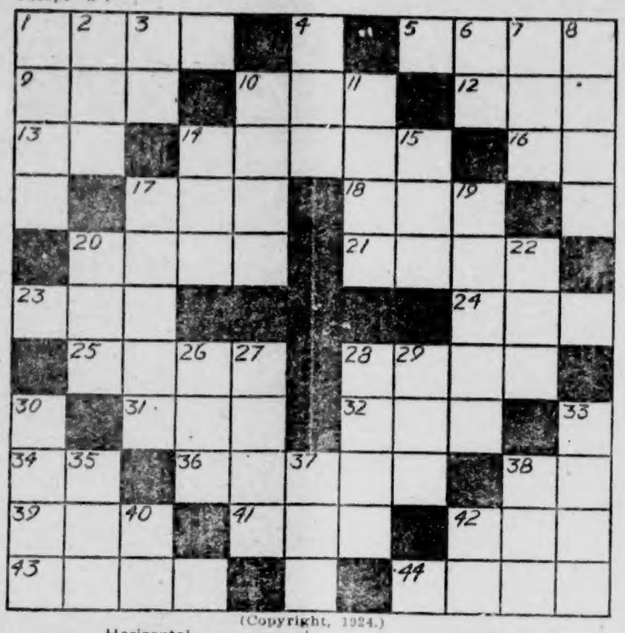
LOST OR STOLEN—One liver and white spotted bird dog, medium size, untrained, missing Saturday, Nov. 22, answers to name "Joe." Notify K. M. Vinson, Clanton, and get reward. tf

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 1
"STEPPING STONES"

If you like them easy this one will suit you, for the interlock helps you over the stickers. If you're in the expert class you can find an unusual word or two. This puzzle contains every letter in the alphabet except "k".



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Horizontal.
1—Mohammedan call to prayer
5—Fatten
9—Large vehicle
10—By way of
12—South American reptile
13—Beast of burden
14—Boy's name
16—Initials of a famous President
17—Possesses
18—Elongated fish
20—To allot
21—At a distance
23—Body of water
24—To fix
25—Envelop
28—Luck
31—Crafty
32—Card Game
34—Impersonal pronoun
36—Sets of three
38—Note of scale
39—Notch
41—Unit of work
42—Human beings
43—Metal
44—A landing place

Vertical
1—Acknowledge
2—Tool for trimming slates
3—Indefinite article
4—Species of pine
6—Hebrew month
7—Decay
8—Attempt
10—Receptacle
11—Region
14—Head covering
15—Coniferous tree
17—Listens
19—Cowboy's rope
20—Cat's cry
22—Affirmative
26—High in the scale
27—Funeral pile
28—Dancing shoe
29—Goddess of Dawn
30—Islands of the South Sea
33—Simpleton
35—A sailor
37—Anger
38—Meadow
40—Proceed
42—Greek letter

The solution will appear in next issue.

Smilin' Charlie Says

Sister Susie was very much surprised t'find a hairpin in her room this morning - - -

J. OSMOND MIDDLETON
Lawyer
Office Over Upchurch Drug Co.
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Mrs. W. T. Jones

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Quick and Sure

Last week I told you I would tell you somethin of my boyhood days, but as the holiday season is so near I will leave that off for this week, at least. We are trying to stock to take care of any order of candy, fruit or nuts. In short, anything in the line of GOOD EATS.

We are also closing out the last half car of good flour. In this we can please any customer. Rosco, (the hustler), will be back with me for the holiday trade, as chief clerk.

We invite you to come in and give us a trial at your order. We sell goods that don't come back, but the customer does. Once tried, never denied. We adhere to our motto: "HONEST WEIGHT, AND A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL."

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When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to THE NEW CAFE to eat. We always have a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe
E. A. THOMAS E. M. THOMAS

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For the next 30 days or as long as they last, I will sell Bird Rugs as follows:
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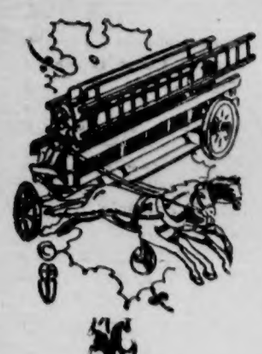
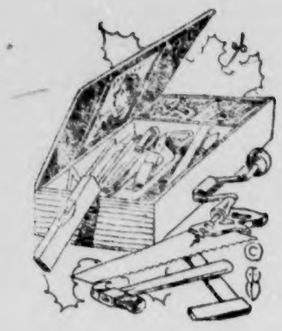


The Christmas Gift Store

"DICK'S PLACE"



YES, DICK'S PLACE IS REALLY AND TRULY THE CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE. WE HAVE PUT IN A LINE OF SANTA CLAUS AND HOLIDAY GOODS THAT COMMANDS THE ATTENTION OF EVERYONE.

IF YOUR FRIEND IS A LADY, COME HERE AND GET HER A BOTTLE OF CHOICE PERFUME, EXQUISITE POWDER, OR A NICE PIECE OF JEWELRY. IF YOUR FRIEND IS A MAN, GET HIM A BOX OF FINE CANDY OR A BOX OF CIGARS. AND DON'T FORGET THE LITTLE ONES---BUY THEM A JUMPING JACK, A ROCKING HORSE, OR A MAIL TRAIN. WE HAVE A BIG ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM.

MAKE "DICK'S PLACE" YOUR CHRISTMAS HEADQUARTERS, AND BUY YOUR GIFTS AND OTHER ARTICLES HERE.

HAYES DRUG COMPANY

"DICK'S PLACE"

CLANTON, ALA.

STATE COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

The few scattered rains that recently have occurred in the State do not end the severe fire season, according to a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. Rains check forest fires, continues the statement, but in many cases they leave stumps, logs and snags still burning. After a day or two of drying winds, or even after a few hours, these burning materials begin throwing sparks down the wind, thus igniting new fires outside the original fire line.

In other cases the trains merely dam pen the surface burning, while deep down in the peat, moss and leaf layers fire continues to smoulder Ground fires of this character may break out to the surface and start burning briskly many days or even several weeks after they have been thought to be completely extinguished. During the present season conditions have been such that complete extinction of fires has been very difficult for both of the reasons cited.

Stumps and snags have been known to start burning sharply two months after the rain fire was completely extinguished around the edges. Swamp and bog fires have been known to burn under ground all winter and break out anew in the spring.

Under conditions existing in the Southern Pine Region, however, it is extremely unlikely that the longevity record for a forest fire will ever approximate that held in the Old World where a fire on the island of Crete started in the year 1400 and burned for seven years before entirely extinguished.

MACEDONIA

There was preaching at this place Saturday and Sunday. Rev. M. J. Parrish filled the pulpit with a fine sermon on Saturday. It was the kind you have often heard people say would do to live and die by.

On Sunday, Bro. M. Lockhart preached. If you missed this, you missed something fine.

I am very sorry that we could not have Sunday school but we will have it next Sunday, and want everyone to come out and help. We thank Bro. Parrish and Bro. Lockhart for coming and preaching for us and want them back again.

V. G. SMITH.

HODGES' AT-COST prices will give you a real Christmas spirit.

Subscribe for The Union-Banner.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of The People's Telephone Company was postponed, on account of extreme bad weather and not having a quorum prehent, until Monday, Dec. 15, 1924, at 10 a. m.

Every phone holder is urgently requested to be present next Monday morning at 10 a. m., for this meeting. Come and bring someone with you. Important business to attend to.

W. W. FOX, Pres.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec'y.

MRS. J. J. McFARLAND DEAD

On last Friday morning, Dec. 5th, after a few days of illness, the death angel visited the Woodlawn Hospital in Birmingham and bore away the wife of Mr. J. J. McFarland home to the peaceful shore.

She was Miss Toy Mullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mullins, before her marriage. She leaves her husband, two sons, four sisters, one brother and seven step-children to mourn her loss, with a host of friends and relatives. She was forty-nine years of age, had been a member of the church and lived a Christian life for thirty-two years.

The remains were laid to rest in Rehobeth cemetery after the funeral ceremony, led by Rev. W. Blake.

May God bless and comfort all of the bereaved ones.

Get a pair of WALK-OVER shoes at cost at HODGES'.

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!

What? Box Supper! Where? Mt. Carmel church, Adams! When? Saturday night, Dec. 13, 1924—8:00 o'clock, p.m. Why? Benefit of Adams school. Everybody knows of the delapidated condition this house is in, and knows this is a worthy cauhe. So, gorls, please came and bring boxes; and boys, bring fat purses of money.

GAS ON STOMACH WON'T LET YOU SLEEP

Gas pressing on heart and other organs sometimes causes a restless, nervous feeling and prevents sleep. Adlerika helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deepseated causes. The QUICK action will surprise you. Because Adlerika is such an excellent intestinal evacuant it is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes.
Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

Still on the Job

There has been a report put out that I had sold out my garage business, and I wish to herewith advise the public that I have not sold out, and that we are very much on the job ready to do business with you.

We will appreciate any business given us, and we assure you that we will do our very best to give you real service.

Yours for service,

Lawrence Motor Co.

J. P. LAWRENCE, Owner and Manager
CLANTON, ALA.

Children like
Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets

Don't struggle trying to get your children to take bitter, evil tasting laxatives.

Get a package of
DR. MILES'
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and the children will beg for them — they taste so good.

Adults and children find these tablets mild, sure and thorough.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents.

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All Prices Reduced

Effective December Second, the Ford Motor Company announces new low prices on all Ford Cars. A reduction of twenty-five dollars on the Fordor and lower prices on all other types make Ford Cars even greater values than ever before.

NEW PRICES

Runabout	$260.00
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Fordor Sedan	$660.00
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Truck Chassis	$365.00

ALL PRICES F. O. B. DETROIT

These are the lowest prices ever offered in the history of the Ford Motor Company. They create a new standard of value for motor car transportation.

Ford Motor Company
Detroit

SEE THE NEAREST AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER

POOR OR

Your Christmas Present

With each new Starr Phonograph sold for Christmas we will include Ten Special Christmas Records and Ten Records of your own selection. The Christmas Records are in Special Designed Folders, appropriate for the occasion. We have only a limited number of these sets, so get your Phonograph now.

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A Christmas Present for the Whole Family—Why Put It Off—Terms Can Be Arranged!

Radio Receiving Sets

We have the pleasure to announce the exclusive agency of the most perfect Radio Set in America—

"SLEEPER MONOTROL" Type 54

Arrangements for time payments have robbed the price question of its question mark. Anyone can purchase "The most perfect radio set in America" simply by paying down the sum he would give for an ineffective little one or two tube set of inferior quality, paying off the balance in convenientmonthly installments that are easily spared from income.
Let us demonstrate this "The most perfect radio set in America" in your own home without any obligations to buy.

ALSO THE GRIMES DUPLEX RECEIVING SET—A THREE TUBE SET EQUAL TO ANY SIX TUBE SET.

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CLANTON, ALA.

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

ENGAGEMENTS

Higgins—Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Alred of Clanton announce the engagement of their daughter, Willie Dolores, to Mr. Omar L. Reynolds, the wedding to take place on the 18th of December.

Smith—Higgins.

Mrs. Mamie Smith of Clanton announces the engagement of her daughter, Mamie Clifford, to Mr. Robert Flemmon Higgins, the marriage to be solemnized at the home of the bride December 21st.

Study Club Meets.

On last Friday afternoon the Study club met at the home of Mrs. John Page.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson, president, called the meeting to order. The usual business was attended to. This being the close of the year's study "On the short story," a very interesting paper was read by Mrs. P. D. Wilson, on French criticism.

Late in the afternoon delicious refreshments was served the members and guests: Mesdames Ruth Gowan, P. D. Wilson, John VanDerveer, Willis Lyman, Grady Reynolds, Victor Heard, Barney Roberts, N. S. Johnson, Hugh Jones, Jessie Chandler, Thad McSwain, Bessie Harris, J. P. Hayes. The guests were Mrs. E. E. Upchurch, Mrs. M. L. White, Mrs. Guy Roberts, Mrs. Hance Alred and Mrs. V. J. Elmore.

Old-Time Party.

The Parent-Teachers' Association gave an old-time party at the home of Mrs. N. S. Johnson last Friday evening.

Everybody stemed to enjoy the old-time plays as it brought back the good times they had "when you and I were young."

The old-time play of walking across the room with the most peas on a knife was played, Mr. John VanDerveer winning the prize.

Everybody had a lovely time. Delicious refreshments were served to the guests.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. Frank Callen gave a miscellaneous shower on last Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 9th, in honor of Miss Mamie Clifford Smith, a bride-elect. The home was beautifully decorated in growing plants and pink and white carnations. The color scheme of pink and white predominated throughout the entire apartments. As the guests entered the living room they were introduced to the bride-to-be, who was robed in a pretty blue brocaded Faille frock, trimmed in real lace. The numerous and useful gifts were presented to Mamie which were arranged on a table in the living room. Mrs. Milton Smith kept the bride's book where the guests registered. Then the guests were invited into the dining room where sandwiches and tea were served by Mrs. Hance Alred and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Miss Lois Taylor Entertains.

On last Wednesday afternoon Miss Lois Taylor entertained in honor of the Y. W. A. The home was made beautiful with roses and chrysanthemums, which were effectively arranged in the living room. After the business meeting, there was a splendid program rendered on "Snap-shot" of foreign girls worship. Then the members and guests were served a salad plate, who were: Pearl Miner, Frances Moore, Pearl Harris, Elizabeth Duncan, Jewel Miner, Era Mims, Jettie Popwell, Virgie White, Annie Bell White, Mary Bess Sims, Marjorine Alred, Erine Danforth and Mrs. Ruth Gowan.

On Thursday, Dec. 11, (today), there will be a Bazaar at the Chilton Hardware store, given by the Methodist ladies.

Card Club.

Mrs. N. S. Johnson entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few other friends on last Wednesday afternoon. Carnations and growing pot plants were attactively arranged throughout the apartments. After several games of bridge was played the top score was held by Mrs. Hance Alred, who was given two dainty Maderia linen handkerchiefs.

Late in the afternoon fruit salad and cake were served to members and goests who were: Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. Victor Heard, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Willis Lyman, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Watts Moore, Mrs. T. C. McSwain and Miss Kathleen Mullins.

Mr. S. C. Matthews went to Montgomery Saturday on business.

Mr. Clarence Evans spent Sunday with home folks.

Mr. T. R. Price of Montgomery spent several days in Clanton last week.

Messrs. S. C. Matthews, Harry Margolis, Otto Jones and Frank Mullins motored to Montgomery last Thursday night to attend the grand opera.

Mrs. J. E. Evans spent several days in Birmingham last week with her son, Clarence Evans.

We are glad to hear that little Julia Ruth, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester is improving. She was run down by an automobile one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Retherford and little son motored to Birmingham Wednesday on business.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes motored to Montgomery Thursday.

Mr. J. C. Jones visited the Capital City Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson went to Birmingham Wednesday shopping.

Come to Oscar Jones' Hardware store Thursday, (today), to see the pretty and many useful things made by the Methodist ladies, who are giving a Bazaar.

Mrs. Alf Janney of Montgomery, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hinnle.

Miss Gertie Mae Davis spent Sunday in Verbena with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Davis.

Dr. S. J. Ezell, Dr. Gwaltney, editor of the Alabama Baptist and Mr. M. L. White went out to Lock 12 on a hunt Tuesday.

Dr. W. M. Curtis of Montgomery, the presiding elder, preached at the First Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. B. E. Jones of Montgomery visited our town Tuesday.

Mr. L. H. Davis, who is buying lumber for J. B. Walden Lumber Co., of Montgomery, was in Clanton several days this week.

Mrs. Willis Lyman will entertain the Card Club next Wednesday.

Mrs. R. C. McDavid attended the Fifth District meeting of the State Federation of Women's clubs held in Montgomery Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Dick Hayes went to see her father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Floyd, who live at Clayton, last week.

Mr. Edwin McMorris and Jack Hodges of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wingard and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wingard spent last Sunday in Columbiana.

Dr. P. T. Hinkle visited Alexander City last week.

There will be lots of pretty things on display at the Methodist Bazaar on Thursday, Dec. 11, at the Chilton Hardware Co.

Mr. John L. Gore of Birmingham spent the week-end with his family in Clanton.

Mrs. P. D. Wilson will entertain at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Willie Higgins, a bride-to-be, on next Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John L. Gore went to Birmingham Sunday to spend some time with her husband, who serves as a revenue officer in that section.

Miss Mattie L. Graham, who is teaching in the grammar school, was called home Tuesday on account of the death of her father, who lives in Oxford.

Perhaps you will find a Christmas gift for someone at the Bazaar given by the Methodist ladies Thursday, (today), at Oscar Jones' Hardware store.

GIN NOTICE

By request, I will gin Saturday, Dec. 13th. Am still paying the highest market price for cotton seed.

J. N. DENNIS.

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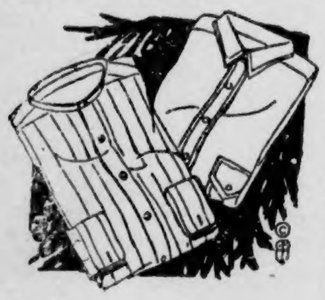
Smilin' Charlie Says

Pretense is usually a dangerous thing but there's nothin wrong with playin' Santa Claus to a lot o' poor kiddies

I WISH YOU A
Merry Christmas

AND SOLICIT YOUR TRADE WHEN YOU GO TO DO YOUR HOLIDAY SHOPPING. MAKE MY STORE YOUR STORE

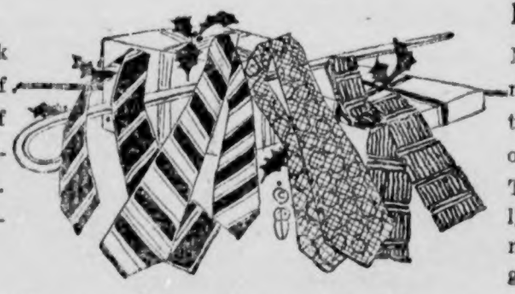


HOSIERY AND SHIRTS

If you want to make your Gent Friend smile, give him a pair of our fine silk hose or a Snappy Sport Shirt. We have a big variety to select from.

Neckwear

Our line of Neck Ties is complete. If you give him one of these, he will be exceedingly pleased. Come look them over for yourself.



Handkerchiefs

Nothing could be more appreciative than a nice box of our Handkerchiefs. They are beautifully trimmed and will make a serviceable gift.

We also Carry a Number of Items Suitable as Gifts for Ladies. Come Look our Stock Over

GIFT GLOVES

No question but that he would just as soon receive a pair of fine Gloves as a Christmas Gift of any kind. So let me suggest that you select him a pair from our complete showing. They are nifty, and you'll say so when you see them.

GIFT BELTS

A monogramed or plain buckle Belt will strike his fancy. We offer some of the most beautiful and highest quality Belts ever shown in Clanton. They will make gifts that will please both as to fancy and as to service. Come see them.

W. A. KEMP

CLANTON, ALA.

A Big Money Saving Store

THE STORE THAT ALWAYS SAVES YOU MONEY IS STILL OFFERING THE BIGGEST BARGAINS IN CLANTON. DON'T FAIL TO SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY, AND YOU WILL SAVE MONEY.

THE STORE THAT GUARANTEES TO SELL YOU MORE AND BETTER GOODS AT LESS MONEY.

MY MOTTO:

Any time you buy from me and are not satisfied, return the goods and I will gladly refund the money. "The Store with the Red Front."

In Our New and Permanent Home Next to Alred Drug Co.

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

THE LEADER
MANAGER, M. LANDE

CLANTON, ALABAMA

THE STORE WITH THE RED FRONT

MR. LANDE SAYS:

I believe in true value-giving. I never knowingly misrepresent a value. When I tell or advertise a thing, it must be as I represent it.

In Our New and Permanent Home Next to Alred Drug Co.

LOMAX NEWS

The long dry spell we have been having for the past two months was broken last Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. Katie Faris and children of Selma visited her sister, Mrs. G. W. Robinson Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. W. T. Henley, who is working in Sylacauga spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother here.

Messrs. C. C. Burnett, J. P. Robinson and R. E. L. Ward motored to Jemison Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. K. Kink of Marbury visited friends here recently.

Mr. H. V. Honeycutt and family of Friendship spent a while with R. E. L. Ward and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Robert Franklin was in Lomax one day last week.

Mr. Sloan Parker and family of Birmingham visited relatives here on last week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their help and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. W. B. Green and Children.

COUNTY LINE NEWS

Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days, but there was not a very large crowd out Sunday.

Miss Sallie B. Baldwin of Mountain Creek is spending a few days with her sister, Miss Betty Baldwin, of this place.

Miss Mildred Stanford entertained a crowd of young folks from Lawley Sunday morning.

Miss Birdie Hall spent Saturday night with Miss Sadie Littlejohn.

Miss Delene Littlejohn is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Bessie Williams at Billingsley.

COME—GIGGLE—GRIN—LAUGH

The following invitation is extended to the public by the ladies of the Methodist Church:

"Mr. and Mrs. Rastus Johnson invite you to be present at the wedding of their daughter, Malinda Safronia, to Mr. Geo. Washington Hobson Splinterfield, on December 26th, 1924, at the Court House."

Admission, 15c and 25c. Don't miss it.

Mr. J. E. Miner of Route 5, Refuge community, brought us in a club of five subscriptions Tuesday.

Smilin' Charlie Says

The biggest job o'th' year for Dad, is tryin't' get Johnny to sleep on Christmas Eve.

SHERIFF'S SALE — PERSONALTY

The State of Alabama,
Chilton County:

By virtue of an order issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Three Hundred One and 32-100 Dollars, principal and interest, and Fifteen and 50-100 Dollars, costs of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the July term, 1924, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of L. H. Reynolds, against Guy H. Roberts, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at the Reynolds old Warehouse, Clanton, Alabama, on

The 20th Day of December, 1924,

all the right, title and interest of the above named, Guy H. Roberts, in and to the following described personal property, viz:

One five-passenger Star car; one Ford Cut-down; two Racine Inner Tubes, 31 x 4; one Oil Tank; one Vulcanizing marhine; six automobile rims; one emery wheel and stand; three rear fenders for Star car; three front fenders for Star car; one radiator for Star car; one nail case.

This, the 10th day of December, 1924.

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door, December 10th, 1924. 1t

T. J. LITTLEJOHN, Sheriff.

The Clanton Mercantile Company is still giving away a Genuine Pearl Necklace to its customers who purchase one hundred dollars worth of goods and pay cash for same. If you have begun to save coupons, this offer will hold good until you finish trading out your hundred dollar's worth.

MIKE'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

It was five years ago on the fourth instant, when Joseph Michael Pickens made his advent into the world.

So the anniversory of that occasion was duly celebrated on last Thursday afternoon at his grandmother's home. The Downs' home had been prettily decorated for the occasion in Xmas tones; and all details had been arranged to insure much gladness for each guest.

A list of Mike's friends had been fowarded to his mother in Colorada, who took delight in providing the attractive invitations.

Before the appointed hour however, the fifty or more pleasure-bent tots were already at the Downs home and the entire afternoon was spent in festivity and merry making.

Mike, having dispensed appropriate favors to his happy guests, who will very likely remember for a long time that anniversary upon which Joseph Michael Pickens became five years old.

LOST—In Clanton or on road, black pocketbook containing seven or eight one-dollar bills, hunters license and some gin tickets. Finder please return to Enoch Thompson, or leave at Union-Banner office. 1t-p

A SNAKE IN AN EGG

Every now and then some unusually freakish find comes to light, but the latest and most unique is that of a live snake found in the yolk of a fresh country egg opened by J. L. Simmons, proprietor of a local barbecue stand. The reptile measured about four inches and had apparently been kept alive on the nourishment of the egg.

The egg was taken from a case of country eggs opened last Friday night when he had a call for an order of scrambled eggs. It was normal and the outward appearance failed to indicate that it was abnormal or any ways freakish.—Sheffield Standard.

WOMAN SURPRISES FRIENDS

"After a spell of Typhoid Fever 7 years ago, I began to suffer from indigestion and gas in my stomach and colic attacks. This gradually became so bad that my doctor advised an operation for gall stones. A friend advised me to try Mayr's Wonderful Remedy, which I did with spendid results. My friends were astonished at my rapid improvement. I have no more bloating, and can eat anything I wish." It removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract, and allays the inflamation which causes all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at Alred Drug Co., and all druggists.

Pressing Shop Changes Hands

I wish to state to the people of Clanton and Chilton county that I have recently purchased the Pressing Shop formerly owned by Mr. W. L. Powell, known as the Powell Pressing Company, located on Seventh St., and will operate same in the future.

I have retained the services of Mr. O. J. Powell as operator of the pressing machines who has held this job for several years, and can assure you the same prompt and efficient service in the future as in the past.

Next week I shall open up in connection with the pressing shop a Watch, Clock and Gun Repair Shop. An expert in this line will be in charge, and I ask you to give us a trial when in need of any work in this regard.

Powell Pressing Co.

JOE B. DOWNS, Manager

CLANTON, ALA.

Old Folks' Ailments

"I began taking Black-Draught over fifty years ago and my experience with it stretches over a good long time," says Mr. Joe A. Blakemore, a Civil War veteran and former Virginian, who is now a prominent citizen of Floyd, Texas. "It is the best laxative I know of for old people. . . A good many years ago, in Virginia, I used to get bilious and I found that

Thedford's

BLACK-DRAUGHT

was the best and quickest relief I could get. Since I came to Texas I have these bilious attacks every now and then—a man will get bilious anywhere, you know—and I find that a little Black-Draught soon straightens me out. After a few doses, in little or no time I'm all right again."

Thedford's Black-Draught is a purely vegetable liver medicine, used in America for over eighty years. It acts on the stomach, liver and bowels in a gentle, natural way, assisting digestion and relieving constipation. Sold everywhere.

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No Smallpox In Verbena!

Small Pox has been stamped out of Verbena. All are well and the quarantine has been raised.

Gulledge Bros., Estate of D. I. Deramus, H. T. Williams, W. H. Strock, Verbena Drug Co., R. B. Cathey, S. D. Williams, J. D. Eiland (Physician), J.S. Catts (Quarantine Officer).

ANNOUNCING A BIG MONEY-SAVING SALE AT THE DIXIE BARGAIN HOUSE

—o—

For One Week, Commencing Thursday, December 11th, We Offer the Following Special Bargains:

—o—

One lot of good Dress Ginghams, worth 14c, special for this Sale, per yard, ... 10c
One lot of Dark Outing, the yard, ... 9c
Best grade, solid color Outing, in white, pink, light blue and gray, regular 20c value, per yard, ... 16c
One lot of best grade 32-inch fancy Gingham, worth 25c, special, per yard, ... 20c
The best buy of the year—1 lot of Men's Heavy Chambray Work Shirts, while they last, ... 63c
We have a limited stock of 2:20 weight Men's Overalls, well made and worth $1.75, sale price, ... $1.35

Our store is crammed full of bargains, and Remember We are here to Save you Money. See us Before Buying

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The Leader's Old Stand, Next to Farmers Hardware Co.
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Clanton, Ala.
Dept. of Archives and History, Thos. M. Owen, Director.

ALABAMA COTTON OUTPUT UP TWENTY MILLION OVER 1923

Average Value per Bale Fixed at $128 By Federal Statistician F. W. Gist In Estimate on Dec. 1st Price.

Auburn, Dec. 13—The value of Alabama's cotton crop of 1924 is about mas's cotton crop of 1924 is about $20,000,000 greater than that of 1913, according to a statement issued by F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician. Based on the December 1 price of 22.1 cents per pound for lint and $36 per ton for seed, the average value per bale is $128. With an estimated crop of 990,000 bales, the total value is approximately $127,000,000. Last year the production of 587,000 bales was valued at about $107,000,00. The price a year ago was 31.8 per pound for lint and $50 per ton for seed.

This year's crop is the largest for Alabama since 1915, Mr. Gist points out, but was grown from practically the same picked acreage as last year. Final estimate is 3,142,000 acres planted and 3,073,000 acres picked, with an average acre, yield of 154 pounds of lint. Last year the acre yield for the state was only 91 pounds, on 3,079,000 acres picked.

While this year was not a perfect one for cotton growing, Mr. Gist says, it was on the whole a very favorable one, all things considered. The weather just following planting time was very unfavorable for awhile, and caused some difficulties in connection with chopping and cultivating. Cotton soon became quite grassy but with a clearing up of weather over the state and hard work on part of the farmers the grass was soon cleared from the fields, and the crop grew off well and fruited heavily.

The heavy freezes of last winter left a lighter infestation of weevils than usual, and the hot, dry weather kept them from multiplying to their usual numbers. Almost perfect control of the weevil was experienced, except in a few scattered localities, until a good crop had been matured.

One of the chief causes contributing to the good yield was the increased amount of plant food contained in the fertilizers used this year. Farmers used a greater tonnage of fertilizers, and very many more of them were careful in using better grades of fertilizers and in applying them in a more intelligent manner.

Had Good Weather.

Less than the usual amount of money was expended for employing extra cotton pickers. The splendid weather which lasted till the end of harvest enabled farmers to pick their crops with their own labor. This saved to their pockets the wages which sometimes goes to extra pickers.

Notwithstanding the picking of a large crop with their own labor, the crop wos almost completely picked by the first of December, only 37,000 bales being left to be ginned after that date to make the total estimated.

The plant continued green and blooms were noted until near the end of November. This gave weevils an opportunity to go into hibernation in numbers quite sufficient to prove damaging next season with favorable weather for propagation. Farmers will do well, therefore, to remember that they still have a fight on their hands with their most active enemy in the future.

The 1924 crop by counties will be published by Mr. Gist together with county figures for other crops, toward the latter part of the month. It is stated at this time, however, that the increased production for this year has been fairly well distributed over the state. The south half increased its production some more than the north half, some counties in the southern half making almost double the crop of last year.

DOYLE NIBLET IS HELD IN SLAYING IN COOSA COUNTY

Defendant Denied Bail at Preliminary Trial; Court Room Crowded

Goodwater, Ala., Dec. 13.—Doyle Niblet was bound over to the grand jury Saturday in his preliminary hearing at Rockford for killing Ellis Thomas, who was shot from ambush December 5. Niblet was denied bail. The trial brought one of the largest crowds together at Rockford on yesterday that has witnessed a preliminary hearing in many a day.

The evidence developed that Thomas and Niblet had a fight on the afternoon before the shooting, growing out of liquor dealings, in which difficulty Thomas beat up Niblet considerably. Niblet was seen just before the shooting going toward Kellyton with a gun, and on being asked by a party what the trouble was, Niblet is said to have said, "Wait until morning and you will know." Thomas was shot in the back at close range shortly thereafter with a rung shell, dying instantly.

Blood hounds of the state were procured and took up the trail at the point where the shooting took place and ran direct to the home of Niblet. When arrested that night Niblet made the statement that he would have killed him that afternoon if he had had a gun.

The preliminary hearing was heard before Justice of the Peace W. F. Robinson and W. A. Corley. The state was represented by former circuit Solicitor W. W. Wallace and John A. Darden, county solicitor for Coosa County. The defendant was represented by Henry A. Teel, of Rockford, and S. J. Darby, of Alexander City.

There were reports of a special term of the circuit court to investigate the killing but just what steps will be taken is not known.

Abe White, Maxie Bell and two Gaddises, all negroes, being held on warrants for the killing of Thomas, were discharged, there being no evidence against some of them and very little against White, but White was held on charge of violating the prohibition laws, two bottles of liquor being found in his home when the arrest was made, officers charge.

AGRICULTURAL CENSUS ENUMERATOR AT CLANTON

Mr. J. M. Grant, who has been selected as Agricultural Census Enumerator for Beat 4, asks us to announce that he will be upstairs at the court house every Saturday from now until the last of January for the purpose of taking the Agricultural Census of this Beat. All farmers are asked to go to Mr. Grant's office and make a report of their farm productions and conditions.

CHRISTMAS TREE FOR BEAT 11

On Thursday night, December 25th, Christmas night, the local Republican leaders will give an old-fashioned Christmas Tree at Cane Creek, to the boys and girls of Beat 11 up to eighteen years of age. This tree is given in appreciation of the 100 per cent loyalty of the Republicans of Beat 11, when in the last election every vote cast in that Precinct was in behalf of the Republican ticket. Not only did they vote solidly for the Republican ticket, but they all voted in unanimity on each of the amendments submitted. This is a nice tribute on the part of the local leaders to the spirit of Republicanism of Beat 11.

We are authorized to state that the tree will be open to the entire public, and anyone who wishes to place a present on the tree for a friend is cordially invited to do so. All the people of the Precinct are urged to be present as it is expected that Santa Claus will remember the voters as well as the boys and girls.

The Union-Banner extends its hearty greetings to the good people of Beat 11, and urges that they all attend. Make it an occasion long to be remembered, and let nothing be said or done that will in any way mar the pleasure of the occasion. Leave behind those things which have a tendency to disturb the joy of such occasions as this one will be.

Remember that Santa Claus will arrive promptly at 6:00 o'clock, p.m., and will immediately begin the distribution of presents. Be on time and thus be certain to get your present.

WE WISH OUR FRIENDS A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Lest some of our friends may fail to get another issue of The Union-Banner before Christmas, we will take this opportunity to express the Yuletide greeting to our friends and readers of Chilton County and elsewhere. The Christmas season is a time for peace and good will among men. This spirit is more often made manifest by and between people by the exchange of gifts. The Union-Banner is not able even to give a small present to all its readers and friends for a Christmas present, but we can and will say to all of you that you have not been forgotten but that you hold a place in our heart that is completely bound around with love, grace and good will.

When we cast a retrospective view of Bethlehem, we do not wonder that all that is grand crowds around the Cradle-Manager. The idea is worthy of it all, and we want the Star to shine in the lives of all our present-day friends. Let the angel face flash out from the great canopies of heaven and let the Shepherds worship. Let the organs and strings of the sacred harps join with our voices in the common air of praise. Let Christmas carols roll over this wide earth and even echo among the stars. Let the great universe of Godjubilate and the creatures of earth shout together; "Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest."

ECLIPSE OF THE SUN WILL BE VISIBLE IN ALABAMA AT 8 A. M., JANUARY 24.

The Eclipse in Alabama will be only A Partial One.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The total eclipse of the sun on Saturday, January 24, 1925, will be visible in the eastern section of the United States if the weather is favorable, in a shadow path stretching from Minnesota, just east of Red Lake, extending over Michigan, part of Canada, New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Naval observatory scientists say it will be the first time the east has been able to witness a total solar eclipse for many years. The central path of the eclipse will run very nearly thru such centers of population as Buffalo, N. Y. and New Haven, Conn. The eclipse will terminate in the Atlantic Ocean north of the British Isles. Communities outside the shadow path will witness the eclipse as partial.

In the Hudson River area the shadow path will be about 110 miles long. In Minnesota it will be about 85 miles.

In Alabama, it will show as a partial eclipse, and will be about 8 a. m.

OFFICERS GET ONE 100 GALLON STILL AND THREE SMALLER OUTFITS

Deputies Culp and Foshee, with the assistance of Federal Tfficer W. H. Gillespie, located and destroyed a 100-gallon copper distilling outfit two miles west of Pletcher last Saturday. The still was located in a field in a big gulley. After the big still was torn up, the officers went a few steps up the gulley and found a small still which they also destroyed.

A small tin-can apparatus of 30-gallon capacity was destroyed one mile north of Stanton Wednesday. There were 30 gallons of beer at this still.

Just beyond Watley Town, a few miles north of Stanton, a 50-gallon still was located and destroyed Monday. This was a box-type still. Officers report that the operators had just moved the beer from the still when they found it.

Sheriff Littlejohn and his deputies are continually grinding away at their task of breaking up the whiskey traffic in our country. It is a big and hard job, and is especially so when the people of a community do not back the officers up in the work. Our good people should help the officers in eradicating this monster evil.

STRAWBERRY GROWERS TO MEET HERE ON NEXT SATURDAY

Best Methods of Handling Crop to Be Discussed By Experienced Men on the Subject.

The Union-Banner has been instructed to announce through the paper that a meeting of all those interested in the growing of strawberries will be held at the court house in Clanton on next Saturday, Dec. 20th. The purpose of this meeting is to get the farmers interested in this truck to all get together and get lined up to work together to the betterment of the industry here. The best methods to handle the crop will be discussed, and good and bad methods will be spoken of by those with experience. It is expected that several of the old growers of strawberries of Thorsby will be at this meeting to give their experience in the work.

The Union-Banner wishes to stress the importance of this meeting. The business of growing strawberries, when properly managed, is one of the best paying crops to be raised in Chilton county. This fact has been thoroughly demonstrated in most every section of the country, and especially around Thorsby. Some of the more progressive farmers around Clanton have put the strawberry business to a test and have been very successful with it. It has been proven that more money can be derived from the acre in strawberries than from any other kind of crop in this section. And the most appealing thing about it is that this crop comes off right at the season of the year when farmers are most in need of a little ready cash. By planting a few acres of strawberries, a farmer can get up enough money in the spring from this crop to finish running him while he is making his cotton and corn.

Everyone who possibly can, come out to this meeting Saturday and no doubt you will learn something you had not before thought of. Come whether you are interested in strawberries or not.

NEGRO MINSTREL AT HIGH SCHOOL ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Beginning at 8:00 o'clock, a Negro Minstrel will be staged at the Chilton County High School auditorium next Friday night, Dec. 19th. The minstrel will be put on by the students of the high school, and promises to be the funniest stage performance ever put on in Clanton. The proceeds from the sale of tickets will go to the Atheletic Association of the High School.

The people of Clanton are asked to help out the boys and girls in this play. They need some money, and they are going to furnish you a good time in exchange for it. So, be sure and come out to the high school Friday night and see what they have in store for you.

CHILTON ASSESSMENTS MORE THAN DOUBLE IN TWO YEARS

In 1922 the tax assessments in Chilton County amounted to $7,127,790. This year, 1924, the assessments as filed by Tax Assessor, S. M. Pate, amount to $14,633,664, or an increase of about 105 per cent. The increase in dollars for the two years is $7,505,874. Chilton leads every county in Alabama in percentage increase, the average inertase of all counties being only about 6 per cent.

This phenominal growth in the tax assessments of Chilton County is due largely to the assessment of the Alabama power Company's property on the Coosa River, the greater part of which isin this county. The increase in Coosa County's assessment was also considerably boomed, due to this same fact.

PEOPLES TELEPHONE MEETING HELD HERE ON LAST MONDAY

Seventy-Four Lines Represented; About 125 Present; Same Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Peoples Telephone Company was held at the court house in Clanton Monday of this week, the meeting being called to order at 10 o'clock by the president, W. W. Fox. Mr. G. C. Armstrong, secretary of the company, was there and made his report of the company's business for the past year. The Secretary's report was adopted by the meeting. The election of officers resulted in the re-election of all the old officers for another year, as follows: President, W. W. Fox; Secretary, G. C. Armstrong; Board of Directors, Rev. W. S. Cox, Dr. W. L. Parrish, J. M. Robinson, Jno. E. Littlejohn, and J. W. P. Murphy. The complete report of the Secretary will be found elsewhere in this issue of The Banner.

There were seventy-four lines represented at the meeting, there being obout 125 people present at the meeting. The re-election of the same officers was practically unanimous, and several from different lines expressed themselves as being mighty well pleased with the management of the company's business during the past year. The service as a whole, has been above the average for this year, and the central office is in good repair. Some of the lines outside the corporate limits of Clanton are in bad shape, and this accounts for practicaly all of the bad service. The company keeps up the lines in Clanton, and the phone-holders in the country ought to get their lines in shape outside of town. If this is done, we will get splendid service during the coming year.

The meeting unanimously voted that the post right and central fee remain the same as for the past year.

At 1:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Board of Directors met and opened the bids for the operator for the coming year. This job was again awarded Mr. G. W. Culp, who will operate the central office and maintain the lines within the corporate limits of Clanton.

The Secretary is now ready to issue receipts for next year's post right and central service. The arrangement is the same as last year, in that all the post rights on any line must be paid before anyone on that line is allowed to pay central service. All phone-holders are urged to pay up as early as possible, so as to get the business in shape for operation for the coming year.

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GREETINGS!

Imbued with the Christmas Spirit and desirous of spreading cheer at every opportunity, the officers of this Bank sincerely wish each and every man, woman and child in Clanton and Chilton county

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

May supreme Happiness abound in every home and this Yuletide be a never-to-be-forgotten event. And may next Christmas find us enjoying the same pleasant relationship with our patrons that we enjoy now.

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Shop Early for Christmas!

Everyone is pleased when their life conduct and general treatment is such as to cause them to be admired by their friends. If you desire a warm place in the heart of your friends that will remain, give them something that will be useful and serviceable.

There is no better time to give than Christmas, when, perhaps, many around are wondering if they have a friend who will be so thoughtful as to present them with a gift. We are prepared to furnish you with many useful articles, of which several are being sold at below wholesale prices. In our Stock will be found a nice line of high grade

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Mens 90c Blue Work Shirts, ... **69c**
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Mens $3.00 Pongee Shirts, ... **$2.50**
Mens $2.50 Pongee Shirts, ... **$2.00**
Mens $2.00 Pongee Shirts, ... **$1.50**
Mens $1.50 Dress Shirts, ... **$1.00**
Mens $1.00 Dress Shirts, ... **90c**
Mens Neckwear in Individual Boxes, Extra quality, ... **50c**
Mens 50c Rubber Belts, ... **24c**

Mens Dress Hats at Special Prices

Mens Hose, per pair, ... **9c to $1.00**
Womens Hose, from ..... **10c to $2.50**

Full Assortment of Ladies & Mens Handkerchiefs at Bargain Prices for Christmas

$1.00 box Face Powder, ... **49c**
50c box Face Powder, ... **24c**
75c bottle Toilet Water, ... **49c**
75c bottle Perfume, ... **49c**
$1.50 bottle Perfume, ... **$1.00**

GROCERIES --- A FEW SPECIALS

100 pounds Sugar, ... **$8.00**
50 pounds Sugar, ... **$4.10**
11 pounds Sugar, ... **$1.00**
High grade Flour, the barrel, ... **$9.50**
Best grade Flour, the barrel, ... **$10.50**
High grade S-R Flour, the barrel, ... **$9.75**
1-2 pound high grade Cocoa, ... **10c**
1 pound high grade Cocoa, ... **20c**
2 pounds high grade Cocoa, ... **35c**
3 boxes Shredded Cocoanut, ... **24c**
Pure 15c Extract, all flavors, bottle, **12c**
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Western Field Smokeless Shells, box, **87c**
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Western Field, Smokeless, 20 G., ... **80c**

We are Headquarters for all kinds Fruits, Nuts and Candy, wholesale and retail. It will pay you to see us. We invite you to inspect our stock and compare our prices.

We want to thank each and every one who has traded with us during the year 1924, andassure you that we appreciate your business. We have tried at all times to give you 100 cents to the dollar. We invite the continuance of your trade with us.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Mr. Chas A. Peterson, who recently sold his farm and homestead, has begun the erection of a new house on one of the finest building sites in Thorsby, located directly south and adjoining the Butler home and across the street from Lewis Howard home.

Mr. Carl C. Peterson has nearly finished his new house and will probably occupy it in the near future.

Nat Bently, of Thorsby Garage, is making preparation to be on hand to catch the early traffic on the new highway. He is building at the corner of Jones Street and the said highway, a new "Filling Station" of a unique design. He is using for pillars and exterior walls cobblestones laid in cement so that a portion of each stone stands out individually the face of the structure, the effort is new in Thorsby and with all quite pleasing. Nat seems to be a sort of an "Early Bird" when it comes to getting ready for business. He built the first building in Thorsby that was put up specifically for a Garage and is evidently making a success of his business. Such improvements are the indications of a good business man and make for improvement in the appearance of our town.

Miss Rosa Forsman, from Georgia, arrived in Thorsby recently to spend the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. Marie Forsman.

Mrs. G. L. Wilder, came home Saturday night after spending several weeks in a Birmingham infirmary and a few weeks with a sister there.

Rev. Johnson of Silver Hill, occupied the pulpit of Thorsby Lutheran Church last Sunday morning and evening, and spent several days here during the following week.

Mr. Mage Anderson went to Birmingham last Saturday, to spend a few days with his daughter Mrs. Ivy Horn.

The Public School will have two weeks and two days vacation this year, closing this week and opening January 5th.

Summer, Ruth and Mary Ella Gerald, Margaret Butler and Esther Johnson will return to their Thorsby homes this week, all from Piedmont college at Demodest, Ga., to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. J. H. Goddard arrived home from Ohio, Tuesday evening, where she went several days ago to attend the funeral of her mother.

Mrs. Josheph E. Each returned Wednesday, from a five weeks visit to her parents and other relatives in Oklahoma.

"White Gifts for the King"is the title of the Christmas Service of the Congregational Sunday School, to be held Sunday Dec. 21st at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood left last week for an extended vacation in Texas where some of the Doctor's relatives reside. They are making the trip by motor.

Owing to the prevalence of some cases of Smallpox in the territory around Thorsby and in other communities of the State, Dr. McNeil of Jemison was secured by Thorsby Institute to do a wholesale job of vaccinating twenty-four people pdesented themselves for the operation. So far as we know, there are and have been no cases of Smallpox in Thorsby. The Vaccination was done wholly as a preventive measure.

Thorsby Institute will close December 18th for the holiday season, and Tuesday, December 30th is the day for re-opening.

Thorsby Institute Honor Roll—2nd Term, 1924.

Geraldine Dobson, Palmer Lefstead, Frances Wilson.

Second—Payne Brya., Ruth Champion, William Each, Claudie Eiland, Ragnar Ekblad, Doris Freeman, Meryl Freeman, Iola Gerald, Isabella Gilbert, George Hughes, Bernice Kelly, Betty Lakeman, Willie Littlejohn, Hazel Maddox, Jewel Martin, Ruth Martin, Gladys Murphy, Lois Primm, Mattie Scott, Gertrude Steiner, Mary Tindoll, Robert Ward.

Third—Perfect and punctual attendance—Clarence Billingsley, Annie Mae Bruner, Payne Bryan, Dorothy Butler, Rosa Lee Collins, Sidney Davenport, Geraldine Dobson, Cecil Each, William Each, Claudie Eiland, Ragnar Ekblad, Meryl Freeman, Doris Freeman, Ioa Gerald, Isabella Gilbest, Clara Grigsby, Sexten Hall, Mabel Howard, George Hughes, Floy Jackson, Bernice Kelly, Palmer Lefstead, Nora Lee Lesley, Willie Littlejohn, Ronald Lucas, Eva Mae Lynch, Mae Maddox, Hazel Maddox, Jewel Martin, Clyde McKee, Mary Moore, Gladys Murphy, Hilliard Nichols, Hollis Pate, Ethel Peterson, Lois Primm, Roy Raybon, Dessie Robinson, Mattie Scott, Belle Smoth, Vermell Walters, Braxton Whitaker, Frances Wilson, Essie Bell Willis, Boona Wood, Hisie Wood.

STOCKSOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Thorsby will be held in tde directors' room of the Bank at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, January 20th 1925, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

This, the 15th day of Dec., 1924.

12-18-4t-c C. R. FOSS, Cashier.

UNION GROVE

The United Singing Society met in regular session here Sunday afternoon, with a large crowd in attendance and did some real good singing, as usual. Song No. 18 in the Showalter book was used as the opening song, followed with prayer by Mr. Henderson Hayes, after which the following directors were called, and directed three songs each—O. B. Robinson, A. H. Glasscock, E. H. Foshee, and E. L. Glasscock. A quartet composed of Prof. A. H. Glasscock, O. B. Robinson, E. H. Foshee, E. L. Glasscock rendered a beautiful selection between eaih direitor, which brought forth notes of praise and added much pleasure to the occasion. A solo was nicely rendered by Prof. A. H. Glasscock which also brought forth notes of praise from almost all who heard him.

Organists for the afternoon were: Misses Inez Hays and Emma Campbell, who like all the other singers, did a good part in making the occasion the great success that it was. After singing No. 49 in the Vaughan book, followed with prayer by Mr. Guss Glasscock, the society adjourned to meet with Collins Chapel next Sunday afternoon. All who are interested are urged to attend. Visitors are always welcome. Both Vaughn and Showalter books will be used.

POPWELL SCHOOL

We are going to have a school entertainment and box supper at this place Saturday night, December 20, a most interesting play, "The Birth of Peace," will be presented. Everybody invited to come.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Get a pair of WALK-OVER shoes at cost at HODGES'.

FOR RENT—Residence on West Side of town. See J. Hance Alred, Clanton, Ala. 12-19-2t-c

LAND FOR RENT—A two-horse farm with good land and good house, to rent on halves. Two miles north of Cooper—R. T. Grant. 12-18-2tc

LOST—One Firestone Balloon Cord tire and rim. Finder return to The Leader Clanton, Ala., and receive liberal reward. 1-t-ch.

FOR SALE—Small coal or wood heater, good condition. Price very reasonable.—Call or see Mrs. Mayme C. Smith, Clanton, Ala. 12-4-3t-p.

FOR SALE—Forty acre farm,Stock, feed and tools for sale at sacdifice. This farm is under mortgage must be sold quick. G. L. GLASSCOCK. Jemison, Alabama. 12-18-2t-pd.

Lunch Stand FOR SALE—Good location in Clanton, business good, can be bought right. If interested apply at The Union-Banner for further information. 12-18-2t-pd.

RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—W. E. Easterling, Clanton, Ala. tf

Prior to December 1, 1914, there were ginned in Chilton County 14,394 bales of cotton. Up to the same date last year there were ginned only 7,991 bales.

LOST OR STOLEN—One liver and white spotted bird dog, medium size, untrained, missing Saturday, Nov. 22, answers to name "Joe." Notify K. M. Vinson, Clanton, and get reward. tf

PLEASANT GROVE

The singing society met at this place Sunday afternoon. Directors for the afternoon were: Lucille Culp, Ruth Cox, Era Scott, Albert Headley, John Jackson, Mrs. Beulah Hosey, Nettye Mims, Profs. A. D. Hoett, F. I. Popwell and Miss Gladys Jackson. This society will meet the first Sunday afternoon each month at Mt. Nebo and the fourth at Pleasant Grove. We invite all singers and lovers of musir to rome be with os and bring your 1925 song books.

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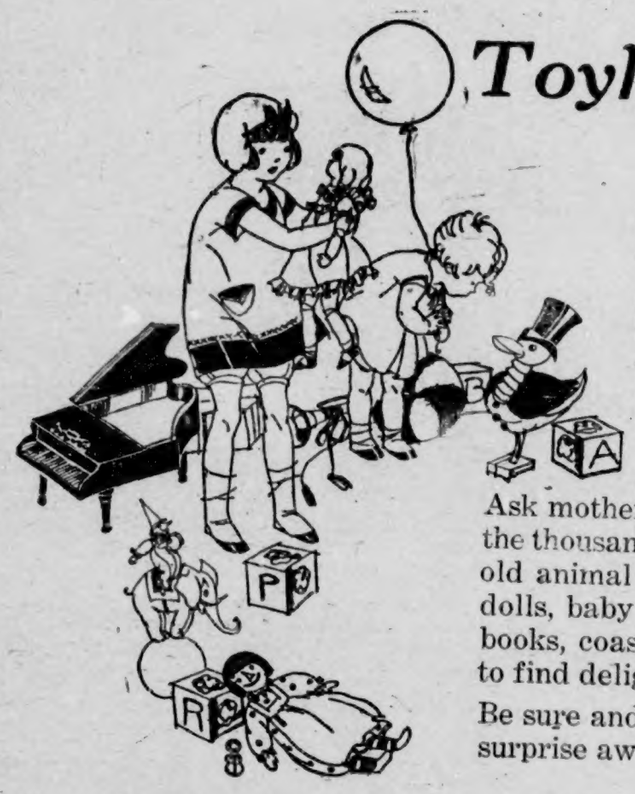

DEAR old Santa was here last night and left the most wonderful toys for the youngsters, and he left a surprise for each and every little boy and girl who comes to Toyland to visit us.

Ask mother or daddy to bring you here so you can see the thousands of fascinating toys and dolls. See all the old animal friends, the shiny tin soldiers, character dolls, baby dolls, doll's furniture, tinker toys, story books, coasters, and all sorts of new friends awaiting to find delightful little owners.

Be sure and see them tomorrow—for more than one surprise awaits little girls and boys and mothers.

Of course a little boy wants some kind of a building toy.

Every little girl wants a walking baby or character doll for Christmas.

Look at the blocks and all the animals and toys for tiny baby.

A coaster, automobile or tricycle will please Mr. Junior.

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How Sonny's eyes will sparkle when he sees the train go around.

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Four Months,	.50

(Strictly Cash in Advance)

National Republican.—Those who believe that the harboring of renegades in a poltiical party increases the size of the party would be capable of believing that coaxing a polecat to a Sunday school picnic would heighten the popularity of the picnic.

Continued progress in the negotiations for the settlement of foreign war debts to the United States was indicated by the introduction of bills by Senator Smoot. a member of the Debt Commission authorizing the settlement of the debts of Poland and Lithuania. A tentative plan of settlement arrived at by the Commission requires an authorization by Congress before being put into affect.

President Coolidge's decision to make his recent journey to Chicago in one of the regular pullman cars of a regular passenger train was in keeping with the policy of economy he has practiced ever since he has been in Washington. He has cut expenditures at the White Nouse and is very limited in his use of automobiles. His daily recreation is in the form of a walk early in the morning on streets near the White Hoose. The use of a regular car at a considerable saving as compared with a special train attracted particular public attention for the reason that the journey began on the day after his economy message to Congress and two days after he had submitted a retrenchment budget.

An interesting sidelight was thrown on the fertilizer problem while Senator Norris of Nebraska was discussing the Muscle Shoals bill. He asserted that the sort of fertilizer in most common use contains 2 per cent of nitrogen,8 per cent of phosphorus and 2 per cent of ammonia, the remainder, more than 80 per cent, being made up of waste material necessary as a carrier of the chemicals above mentioned. Said he, "Scientists have been unable to devise a combination of fertilizer ingredients without putting with them a lot of unnecessary material which must be used as a carrier of the fertilizer ingredients; and the ultimate cost to the consumer consists mostly in the mixing, the handling, and the freight cost of this material having no fertilizer value." Senator Norris also asserted that even if the nitrogen portion of the mixture could be reduced one-half in cost, the saving would be only $2.40 per ton of the completed fertilizer.

BRIGHTER SKIES IN EUROPE

President Coolidge.—"We look with great gratification at the hopeful prospect of recuperation in Europe through the Dawes plan. Such assistance as can be given through the action of the public authoities and of our private citizens, through friendly counsel and co-operation, and through economic and financial support, not for any warlike effort but for reproductive enterprise, not to provide means for unsound government financing, but to establish sound business administration, should be unhesitatingly provided."

NOT BOWING TO LEAGUE

The British government has sent none other than its foreign minister to be its delegate at the meeting of the League of Nations council in Rome. Austen Chamberlain is there, we suspect not so much to lend helpful aid to the League as effectually to squelch any attempt on the part of that body to interfere in Egypt. The covenant was a fine ideal to which to subscribe, but when British home interests are menaced there is an instant reversion to independent action. Americans would follow a similar course, with the added satisfaction that they have no league entanglements to embarrass them.

TIRED AFTER EATING? TRY THIS SIMPLE MIXTURE

If you feel tired after eating, it is often a sign of gas and undigested matter in your stomach or bowels. Simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. e. p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deepseated causes. TheQUICK action will surprise you. Adlerika is wonderful for constipation—it often works in one hour and never gripes.
Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

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DAYS WE'LL NEVER FORGET

Press Clippings

Debuque Times Journal.—People once complained of hard times when they did not know from whence the next meal or last month's rent was to come. Today "hard times" mean those brief and infrequent periods when the working man cannot afford to buy a new automobile and has to figure a little to pay the next installment on the radio or overstuffed living room suite.

Fort Wayne Sentinel.—We agree with President Coolidge that it would be helpful if some plan could be adopted for the regulation of American railways which, while retaining the principle of systematic collective bargaining with conciliation and voluntary arbitration of labor differences, could also "provide simplicity in relations and more direct local responsibility of employees and managers."

New Orleans Times - Picayune (Dem.)—"Forget La Follette" was adopted as a slogan at the El Paso labor convention. Would not "Remember La Follette" be a better watchword? He and what he stands for should be remembered as things and ideas to be avoided. We are entirely too quick at forgetting hard-earned lessons.

Lynchburg News (Dem.)—President Coolidge's message to the last session of the present Congress merits the careful attention of the public. The message, in most respects, rings true to the tests of straight thinking and wise conclusion.

Washington Post.—Mr. Mellon's prediction of prosperity such as followed the election of 1896 is based on the basic economic theory that every time a member if the Bryan family is licked business goes on a joyride.

Los Angeles Times.—All just and desirable citizens wish their country well aond it is unanimously agreed that it is prospering in a higher degree than it possibly could with any suggested political change.

Marion Star.—There is in the United States only one soldier for each 1,000 inhabitants, and yet the pacificists continue their yapping about "militarism!"

Atlanta Constitution (Dem.)—The message of President Coolidge is characteristically terse and strong. On the whole it is a common sense review of domestic problems and situations.

New York World (Dem.)—The President's message to Congress—the first in his elected statue—is sound for the occasion, comprehensive and vigilant.

Boston Transcript. — President Coolidge makes it plain that he does not look on a railroad journey as a royal progress.

Troy (N. Y.) Times.—The President's message is praised by every Republican, and by every Democrat who is able to resist the power of habit.

Salamanca (N. Y.) The crying need of American county and city governments at present is for municipal Coolidges.

FOREIGN TRADE FOR TEN MONTHS

Washington, D. C. Dec. 15.—With the exception of North America, our exports by grand divisions increased in every instance during the ten months period ended October 31st, last. Imports by divisions showed decreases without exception, ranging from $98,000,000 in the case of Asia to $1,000,000 in the case of North America. A falling in world prices was undoubtedly chiefly responsible for this and the volume of imports was not greatly changed. Exports for the ten months period totaled $3,339,000,000 in 1923 and $3,652,000,000 in 1924. Imports totaled $3,212,000,000 and $2,981,000,000 for the two periods, respectively.

Expressed in millions of dollars, our exports to Europe, the two periods compared, increased from 1,628 to 1,866; to North America (decrease) 921 to 920; to South America 227 to 258; to Asia 391 to 418; to Oceania 121 to 132; and to Africa 51 to 58.

Imports from Europe decreased from 971 to 888; from North America 860 to 855; from South America 395 to 380; from Asia 857 to 758; from Oceania 55 to 43; and from Africa 74 to 57.

Selecting one of the larger nations with which we do business, expressed in millions of dollars, the figures for the 1923 and 1924 periods, respectively, show exports to the United Kingdom to have been 658 and 740; imports from that country 347 and 291. This shows an increase of $82,000,000 in our exports to Great Britain and a decrease of $56,000,000 in our imports from that nation.

A similar trend is shown in our trade with France with which our trade for the two ten-month periods, 1923 and 1924, expressed in millions of dollars was, exports 211 and 217. Imports 124 and 119. Italy, exports 129 and 140; imports 73 and 58; Belgium, exports 81 and 91; imports 57 and 56.

It is particularly noteworthy that exports to Germany increased from 256 to 331; imports showing a decline from 134 to 115. Trade with Russia picked up a bit, exports increasing from under 3.5 to 40 millions; imports from a little over 1 to nearly 6. The Scandinavian and Dutch trade showed exports 176 and 202; imports 108 and 116.

North America: Canada, exports, 561 and 532; imports, 342 and 328; Mexico, exports, 100 and 111; imports, 113 and 137; Cuba, exports, 161 and 169; imports, 348 and 332, depreciated sugar prices mainly accountable for the decrease. Central America, exports, 46 and 54; imports, 33 and 33.

South America: Argentina, exports, 97 and 96; imports, 107 and 64. Brazil, exports, 37 and 52; imports, 110 and 137. Chile, exports, 26 and 26; imports, 82 and 82. Colombia, exports, 19 and 22; imports, 36 and 51. Peru, exports, 16 and 20; imports, 16 and 19, about balancing both years. Venezuela, exports, 9 and 15; imports, 11 and 14, considerable industrial machinery going to this country.

The Far Eastern Trade: China, exports, 87 and 96; imports, 158 and 95. This country has been hampered by political troubles. Japan, exports, 191 and 192; imports, 285 and 272, silk prices falling off. British and Dutch East Indies and Straits Settlements, aggregate, exports, 30 and 48; imports, 285 and 252. Australia and New Zealand, exports, 119 and 130; imports, 53 and 41. Exports to Egypt remained at 4.8; imports were 32 and 22.

LETTER TO FARMERS FROM EXPERIMENT STATION

Auburn, Ala., Dec. 15—To make a study of results obtained in 1924 and a program of work for 1925, county agents, home demonstration agents, farmers, and farm women will hold their annual winter conference here, December 29-January 3. It will be attended by the county agents, men and women, in each county, and the State Farm Bureau has requested each county Farm Bureau to send a man delegate and a woman delegate which most counties will do.

Although those who attend the winter conference in Auburn each year come with an open mind, seeking suggestions and information as to how improvements will be made, it is known that the chief object of the approaching conference will be to outline ways and means for continuing the safe farming program for Alabama which was worked out and adopted at the conference a year ago. Rural home improvement, boys' and girls' agricultural and home economics club work, economical production, better farm living, and efficient or co-operative marketing will be among the important subjects considered during the meeting this year.

In announcing it Prof. L. N. Duncan, Director of the Extension Service, says that the dates are convenient for practically all those who should attend. The students will be away for the holidays and the visitors will occupy the dormitories which will provide ample and comfortable quarters for all. Representatives of organizations of business men, bankers, the press, woman's organizations, and others interested in agricultural development in Alabama have been invited to be present and take part in the proceedings.

FARM FACTS

Whoso leaveth his farm implements scattered in the field in winter loseth much.

Many men could regain some of friend wife's tender love by putting running water in the home. The cost is small and the results great. Try it.

"The improved acre must yield not only corn but civilization, not only potatoes but culture, not only wheat but effective manhood."—Kenyon L. Butterfield.

The farmer has been slow to realie the value of organization.

Farmers are awakening; they begin to catch the idea of co-operation.

It is hard to admit but it is true that most of the land in cultivation in Alabama is too poor to be cultivated at a profit.

We can't get around the fact that "rich land means rich farmers, while poor land means poor farmers."

The farmer who thinks that he can make good fruit without spraying thinks wrong. It is about as impossible as it is to make cotton without cultivation.

With cotton at present prices farmers can make money producing it if they will produce enough food and feed for home needs and take care of their soil.

Treat yourself to a sweater AT-COST at HODGES'.

"Chuckle" Column

BEFORE CHRISTMAS
Ma is hopefully
Thinking of that
Beautiful Diamond
Wrist Watch she just
"Knows" Dad is going to
Give her because she
Had hinted that that
Was what she wanted.
And Dad is fondly
Anticipating that
Special Poker Set he
"Knows" Ma will
Buy for him.
And son Eddie "feels—
It in his bones" that
Dad will give him
A new car for Christmas.
And Sister Susie has
"A hunch" that her
Beau is going to bring
Up that Diamond ring
She has long expected.
But—

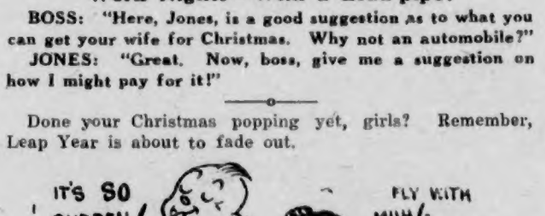
AFTER CHRISTMAS
Ma is not on speaking
Terms with Dad. He got
Her "the most horribly
Colored Lamp Shade
You ever saw."
One that she feels "isn't
Even fit for the bath-room"
And what's more—"something
She cannot wear."

Dad has already slipped
The "Christmas ropes" that
Had been insultingly labeled
"Cigars"—to the janitor
Along with that green and
Yellow striped tie which
Nearly gave him heart-failure
When he first laid eyes on it.
Eddie doesn't know what he's
Going to do with that
Book on "How to Succeed in Business"
Which dad bestowed upon him.
And—Sister Susie is looking
For a new beau.
Christmas comes but once a year.
That's enuff!

Work Nights—With a Lead-pipe!

BOSS: "Here, Jones, is a good suggestion as to what you can get your wife for Christmas. Why not an automobile?"
JONES: "Great. Now, boss, give me a suggestion on how I might pay for it!"

Done your Christmas popping yet, girls? Remember, Leap Year is about to fade out.



Well—here's hoping your teeth show, your eyes twinkle and your frame shakes. Merry Christmas, folks!

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Express charges on practically any package carried long distances are less than parcel post rates. In almost all cases, where packages are light, charges are less than freight charges.

Especially low rates on perishables. Free insurance on all shipments up to $50 and 50c per pound for heavier packages.

If you have shipments in or out, the following agents will be glad to quote rates and make comparisons with other rates.

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Mr. Petersen, at Thorsby.
Mr. Hester, at Clanton.
Mr. Bibb, at Coopers.
Mr. Hubbard, at Verbena.

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POOR OR

The Christmas Gift Store

"DICK'S PLACE"

YES, DICK'S PLACE IS REALLY AND TRULY THE CHRISTMAS GIFT STORE. WE HAVE PUT IN A LINE OF SANTA CLAUS AND HOLIDAY GOODS THAT COMMANDS THE ATTENTION OF EVERYONE.

IF YOUR FRIEND IS A LADY, COME HERE AND GET HER A BOTTLE OF CHOICE PERFUME, EXQUISITE POWDER, OR A NICE PIECE OF JEWELRY. IF YOUR FRIEND IS A MAN, GET HIM A BOX OF FINE CANDY OR A BOX OF CIGARS. AND DON'T FORGET THE LITTLE ONES---BUY THEM A JUMPING JACK, A ROCKING HORSE, OR A MAIL TRAIN. WE HAVE A BIG ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM.

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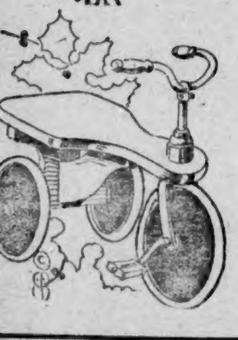

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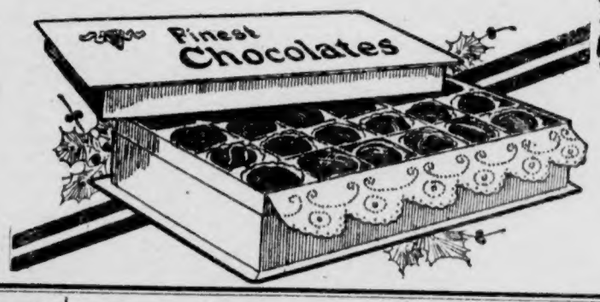

MAGAZINE writer not long ago made the statement that the real Christ- spirit was as de- ed as old Marley's st—dead as the pro- rial doornail—or dead- "We are shekel-mad," aid in substance; "we ern men and women; our children have me too sophisticated elieve in its milk and r myths—"

man who will deliberately and malice aforethought sit down be- his wheezy old typing machine whack out mildewed sentiments at kind, without a single qualify- hrase attached, is either a born n or a shameless glutton. Either me into the world with light men- uggage or else he wrote that ar- the day after the Christmas feast ce helpings of juicy, brown turkey ing close to a sugary pyramid of erries, fragrant giblet gravy and ite—southern style—done to a n turn; a feast in which a steam- raisin-studded and spice-spiked pudding played a stellar role.

s is a day of "movements." Sup- we start a brand new one. Sup- we go out and run to earth every dyspeptic, disillusioned, kill-joy crooge in the land, tie ropes of rn, scarlet ribbons and tinsel se- around each scrawny old neck ang them high as Haman on the st, brightest Christmas tree that made happy the hearts of tiny and girls. (And serve them And we'll let them screech, bug! Humbug!" as loudly as choose—once they are safely up.

s would be a sad world, indeed, it not for the other kind of folk. s be to the gods that have kept he beautiful, child-like, generous of them—those wonderful ones, oung, ever remembering, though heads be as silver, who believe ristmas; who believe in Santa in little laughing children; in ship's vows renewed; who be- in making the eyes of the best beloved to shine like the Christmas stars themselves.

And here are three lusty cheers for the men and women who stand boldly forth and stoutly maintain that "Ole Chris'mus" has changed not one jot or tittle throughout the ages—that it will never change as long as childhood lasts in the world, as long as family ties bind and friendship's faith remains. Bless their loving hearts! May their Christmas wish come true, be they rich or poor, of high or low degree, and in whatever place they bless with their sweet presence.

Christmas was surely meant to be a season of joy and laughter, as well as one in which we glorify the birth of

Brought in Loads of Scarlet-Berried Holly and Mistletoe.

the blessed Savior. Throughout the centuries a spirit of revelry has marked the tide of Yule. The observance of an annual season of merrymaking dates back even farther than the advent of Christianity. It is said that long ere the birth of the Babe of Bethlehem the ancient pagans celebrated a yearly feast near the winter solstice. Romans called this the Saturnalia. It was marked with much wine-drinking, dancing and eating.

In the ancient countries of the North huge fires were kindled and as their leaping flames shot skyward human beings were sacrificed upon the altars to Thor and Oden. The Goths and Saxons called this the festival of Yule.

The Teutons selected a huge tree which they raised amid much chanting and shouting, in honor of the god of the sun. Bright objects and lights were placed in its branches to represent the light of day, the moon and stars. Animals were fastened to the branches, historians say, that the pagan gods might be propitiated in favor of their savage worshipers.

So we know that the Christmas celebrations were not in the beginning of religious significance. But with Christianity's dawn the many old customs that remained were given a religious symbolism. There are a number of our present-day customs that are picturesque and interesting because of their great antiquity.

When we tramp into the winter woods and bring home loads of scarlet-berried holly and mistletoe we are merely following in the footsteps of our pagan ancestors. When we wreathe our doorsills and windows with the beautiful, waxy white clusters of mistletoe, when we ornament the mantle above the bright fire with its dark-green clusters we are but unconsciously repeating the pagan custom of old when the Druids, the ancient priests, performed their mystical rites upon their forest altars.

The cutting and burning of the Yule log is, today, as important as a feature of the Christmas celebrations of the manor homes of "Merrie England" as it was before the world knew the meaning of a true Christian observance of the season. The cheery, heart-ening salutation "Merry Christmas!" originated in England. This greeting has never been known to fail in bringing a smile to even the most woe-begone countenance.

And an English Christmas is, indeed, a wonderful thing to experience. Even the very tales of the Englishman's Yuletide make our hearts beat faster and our imaginations run riot. The time has not yet arrived when Dickens' "Christmas Carol" with its descriptions of the Christmas market stalls with their long rows of hanging geese decorated with bunches of sage and onions, of tarts, puddings and sweetmeats will lose its delicious charm and mouth-watering powers.

And who can write about Christmas without thinking of the humble, though none the less delectable dinner presided over by proud Bob Cratchet—and Tiny Tim seated at the board with his frail, small fingers clasping his spoon and repeating honest Bob's blessing as he gazed upon his adoring family—"God bless us, every one!" Poor little Tim with his crutch across his knee!

Some authorities state that the Christmas tree as we know it originated in Scandinavia. Others claim that the Germans first made use of it. Certain it is that we, in our own land, did not have our brightly decorated trees until after the German immigrant arrived.

Christmas carols are sung in many lands; in England, in France where they are called "noels," in Wales, Ireland and Italy and in many other countries. In Italy, at the season of Advent, the Calabrian shepherds troop down from their hills and chant their unusual mountain songs in the cities. The word "carol" is derived from "contare," meaning to sing and "rola," an interjection of joy; therefore it is not a musical form peculiarly belonging to Christmas, although it is usually associated with this season. One of the most ancient, if not the very oldest carol of a religious nature is the exquisite, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night." It was written by Nahum Tate, England's poet laureate in 1692.

Quaint old English carols that are still sung are: "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen," "Good King Wenceslas" and "The Holly and Ivy." These were sung by the waits who went from house to house in the old days. A whole book could be made interesting by recounting the customs of the ancient carol singers of the different lands.

In connection with the Christmas candle which has been used as a beautiful symbol in many countries from ancient days to the present it is interesting to know that even the gypsies, those wandering, mysterious vagabonds of unknown origin and self-confessed paganism, have a legend about a burning candle that was set at a certain season to light the way of a mother and child across the darkness of a desert land. This legend is to be found somewhere in an old book—perhaps it was recounted by George Borrow—but the writer of these lines has been unable to locate it again.

After all, it is the spirit of any observance that truly counts.

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His Nimble Brush Gives "Personality" to Dolls

DOLLS, to be alluring and real happiness makers for little girls, must have "personality" in their makeup. So says Harry Polgnar, who claims the distinction of being the only doll artist in Maryland and one of the few in America.

Polgnar loves his work of painting and, as he terms it, giving "personality" to hundreds of dolls each week. Eyebrows, carmine lips, rosy cheeks—these are his artistry. They make the doll attractive—just like the real girls of to-day dress up their eyebrows, lips and cheeks.

Photo shows Polgnar at work in his studio at Baltimore.

Christmas in Dixie

Way down Souf in de land ob cotton,
An' down in de pine-tree groun',
De possum pie am not fo'gotten
When de Christmas time comes roun';
Hooray fo' de chickuns an' de hot-cohn pone!
Hooray, hooray, fo' de sweet ham bone!

—Leslie's Weekly.

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INDIGESTION causes bloating—gassy pains that crowd the heart—constipation. *Always find relief and comfort in* CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS
No griping—no nausea—only 25 cents

Still on the Job

There has been a report put out that I had sold out my garage business, and I wish to herewith advise the public that I have not sold out, and that we are very much on the job ready to do business with you.

We will appreciate any business given us, and we assure you that we will do our very best to give you real service.

Yours for service,

Lawrence Motor Co.

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RIGINAL

Merry Christmas

Shop Now!

TOYLAND, the jolliest place imaginable these days for the kiddies. Everything from the big brown bear to the wee woolly lamb, coasters, toddle cars, trains, fire engines, blocks, building toys, baby character and talking dolls, and a wonderful host of other wonderful toys are here at prices that will save mothers and fathers many, many dollars this year.

Bring the little children and the big ones too. We can help all select just the article suitable for a gift. And don't wait too late for the assortment will soon be picked over.

SANTA CLAUS has arrived! Most of you kiddies have heard about how Santa comes squeezing himself and his great big pack of toys down the chimney where your stockings are hung, but did you really ever truly catch him, or are you sure you have positively seen him?

The old Gent has been to Alred Drug Company's store, and has left sign to prove it. At this store you will find everything anyone could wish for Xmas. If you want toys they are here; if you want jewelry and articles of value for Gifts you will find a big assortment to select from.

Look--Santa's Been To Our Store

HE left his happy home up in Icicle Town in the Frozen North and paid us a flying visit. And what do you suppose he did when he got here? He chose our store to empty his bag of Marvelous Toys, Jewelry, etc.

So being plentifully supplied---Thanks to Santa's generosity---we've arranged our store into a veritable Fairy Land of Toys, whose magic curtain will be open unto you until December 25th. We cordially invite all Chilton County parents and their children to shop here. Come early and stay as long as you like.

Trade here and get coupons on that $140.00 Radio Set to be given away Christmas Day. One chance is given with each one dollar purchase.

DON'T FORGET TO CALL FOR YOUR TICKETS ON $140 FRANKLIN RADIO SET TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE ON CHRISTMAS MORNING AT 10 O'CLOCK. ONE CHANCE GIVEN WITH EACH ONE DOLLAR PURCHASE. BE AT OUR STORE XMAS. MORNING WITH ALL YOUR TICKETS

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With each new Starr Phonograph sold for Christmas we will include Ten Special Christmas Records and Ten Records of your own selection. The Christmas Records are in Special Designed Folders, appropriate for the occasion. We have only a limited number of these sets, so get your Phonograph now.

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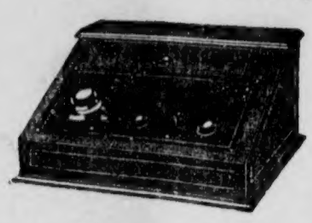
A Christmas Present for the Whole Family—Why Put It Off—Terms Can Be Arranged?



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The new SLEEPER MONOTROL (Type 54) has twenty-four improvements—all important—many of them new to radio. Can you find any other set which has either as many improvements or improvements which make as much real difference in appearance, quality of reception or simplicity and economy of operation?

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NOTICE

Owing to the fact that the last Friday in this month, the regular day for the County Board meeting, will come the day after Christmas, the meeting will be postponed until the first Friday in January, which will be January 2nd.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE.
2t. County Supt. Education.

Housework and Headache

There's relief for you housewives who suffer from aches and pains.

When lack of fresh air, working over a hot stove and the odor of cooking make your head throb, your back ache, your limbs tremble, just take 1 or 2

DR. MILES'

Anti-Pain Pills

They'll relieve you quickly and safely.

Your druggist sells them at pre-war prices—25 doses 25 cents. Economy package, 125 doses $1.00.

STATE COMMISSION OF FORESTRY

Less than four per cent of the territory included in the organized forestry districts of the State was burned over during the recent prolonged drought. The State Commission of Forestry regards this as conclusive evidence of the practicability of forest fire prevention.

Up to the time that general rains greately abated the fire hazard, approximately two million avres were comprised within the eight range district that had been established. These districts included parts of fourteen counties. Each district is laid out according to the character of the forest growth, the degree of fire hazard and the availability of suitable natural or artificial boundries. Thus there may be more than one district wholly within a single county, or parts of two or more counties included in a single district.

In the unorganized portions of the State outsde the estabished territory, a separate and detailed report upon each fire is prepared by the State forestry employees. For the outside areas slower and more difficult statistical methods are necessary; consequently a close estimate is not yet aviable. It is evident, however, that the proportion of area burned is in neighborhood of six to eight times higher than in the protected districts.

The consideration thus far in the establishment of forestry district have been the possibility of damage to young timber and the assurance of cooperation on the part of the local community. Additional districts are in progress of organization, and ultimately it is hoped to have most of the timber growing areas of the State covered by the forest fire prevention system.

SINGING AT REFUGE

There will be singing at Refuge next Sunday afternoon. Prof. O. L. Devaughn and other singers will be with us. Everybody invited.

OLIVER MULLINS WRITES

Editor The Union-Banner:

As I have been shut in for some time with severe colds, among other things, I have been thinking of the state of Chilton County. Having past my 83rd year, I am assured that the time that remains for me is short, and so I desire to express myself as feeling glad that our country has made the improvement that it has, though much remains to be done, as I see it. All citizens should stand by our sheriff in the discharge of his duties in the enforcement of the law. I feel that he is doing his whole duty.

If the prayers and tears of mithers will not suffice, to what can we look but the strict enforcement of the law, that we may have peaceful homes.

OLIVER R. MULLNS.

CHRISTMAS TREE AT BETHSALEM SCHOOL

There will be a Christmas tree and Christmas program given by the student body of Bethsalem school, on the night of December 18. Everybody invited. Remember the time and place: Decembe 18th, at Bethsalem schoolhouse! Come!

Smilin' Charlie Says

New Year's th' time t'make good resolutions-Better start practicin' them now-so's th' change won't be so sudden - - -

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BIG AT COST SALE

Beginning next Saturday, Dcember 13, our At-Cost Sale will start and last until the 25th. Every article will be sold at absolutely cost. No prices will be quoted, but you will be pleased. Our stock consists of big variety of piece goods, a large stock of shoes and notions and also a line of clothing.

We are going to continue in business, but have decided to reduce our stock; and at the same time, give our customers real cheap prices. No article will be charged at these prices.

We will be glad to show you our prices whether you buy or not.

Look for the sign, "Hodges Clearance Sale Now On."

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The New Cafe

When you come to Clanton to spend the day and get hungry, come to THE NEW CAFE to eat. We always have a complete menu from which you can select whatever your appetite calls for. We serve regular dinners every day, which we believe will please the most fastidious. We invite you to eat with us.

The New Cafe

E. A. THOMAS E. M. THOMAS

BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at New Cedron church, Wednesday night, December 24, proceeds to go to the church. Everybody invited to come and the girls to bring boxes.

Our only preaching day in this month will be on the third Sunday and Sunday night.

E. E. EDWARDS.

BIBLE LECTURE

Dr. Arthur Edwards of Birmingham will deliver two Bible lectures at Mars Hill school building, 5 miles west of Jemison, the first Sunday in January at 10:45 a. m. and 2 p. m. The Doctor is a Chilton County boy, an able and fluent speaker. All invited.

GETS PLEASANT SURPRISE

"About 6 months ago my father was very sick with his stomach, which had been troubling him for several years. Three doctors said he had cancer and one said it was gall stones—all agreed an operation necessary, but on account of his age I was afraid to risk it. I told a friend about it who said his wife had been through the same trouble and had been cured by taking Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. I at once bought a bottle for father and he is now as strong as a bear and can eat more ham and cabbage than any 3 men." It removes the catarrhal mucous from the intestinal tract, and allays the inflamation which causes practically all stomach liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded at Aired Drug Co., and all druggists everywhere.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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Enjoy Health!
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SWIFT CREEK NEWS

I am coming again after a long time. Everybody seems to be enjoying the wet weather. I want to let the people know, through your paper, that there will be a Fruit Supper at Mr. Bud Chadwick's home on Saturday night, December 20. All invited to come for a good time. Mr. Chadwick lives on the Gaines Silas place. I will close for this time, looking for a good crowd out Saturday night. Come and enjoy life!

President Coolidge not only advocates economy for the government, but he practices it as well. The country is very fortunate in having a man at its head who cares for the national treasury. Some presidents have failed to do this.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton, Ala.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED

For 6 years I practiced medicine. I graduated in Dentistry in 1895. I graduated in medicine in 1905. I practiced medicine in Birmingham for 6 years. I have practiced Dentistry constantly since. I guarantee satisfaction. Prices: A $50.00 set of teeth, upper and lower, $30.00; a $30.00 set of teeth, an upper or lower, $15.00. A fit guaranteed in either. A gold or porcelain crown, $7.00 each. Bridge work for teeth accordingly. Filling prices according to material and sizes. Teeth extracted positively without pain or danger, $1.00 each for next 30 days to get acquainted.

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FOR SALE—Estey organ in excellent condition. Apply to Mrs. S. J. Prince, Clanton, Ala. 12-11-3t-p.

Last week I told you I would tell you somethin of my boyhood days, but as the holiday season is so near I will leave that off for this week, at least. We are trying to stock to take care of any order of candy, fruit or nuts. In short, anything in the line of GOOD EATS.

We are also closing out the last half car of good flour. In this we can please any customer. Rosco, (the hustler), will be back with me for the holiday trade, as chief clerk.

We invite you to come in and give us a trial at your order. We sell goods that don't come back, but the customer does. Once tried, never denied. We adhere to our motto: "HONEST WEIGHT, AND A SQUARE DEAL TO ALL."

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POOR OR

SOCIETY and Club

Mrs. W. Z. HODGES, Editor.

Shower for Mrs. Marcus.

One of the interesting social events of the season was the miscellaneous shower given by the young people's class of the Methodist Sunday school on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. McDavid.

The Christmas idea was artistically carried out throughout the rooms in decorations of holly, bells and cedar.

The bride's book was presided over by Miss. Inez Kittrell.

After two interesting contests the French doors to the dining room opened just as a miniature Santa Claus (impersonated by Olive Rainer Elmore) entered with a huge sack of gifts thrown over her shoulder. The gifts were presented to the bride who sat by a fireplace which represented a typical Christmas scene. The bright red brick was offset by tiny Christmas trees on each side of the hearth. Two red candles burned on the mantle where the center piece was snow tipped cedar and holly. The scene was completed by Christmas bells hanging from each end of the mantle and a huge red stocking bulging with gifts.

A delicious salad course was served at the conclusion of the party.

The invited guests were friends of the bride among the younger set and the teachers of the Methodist Sunday school.

Mrs. P. D. Wilson Entertains.

Mrs. P. D. Wilson entertained last Friday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Willie Higgins, bride-elect.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson greeted the guests and presented them to the receiving line composed of Mrs. P. D. Wilson, Miss Willie Higgins,, Mrs. D. C. Alred, Mrs. L. H. Reynolds and Miss Josephine Pattillo. The guests were then ushered by Mrs. Wilbur Hayes and Mrs. Harvie Chandler into private dining room where they were served punch by Miss Exa Jones and Miss Mary Sims. Then the guests were shown into the library where Mrs. Hance Alred had charge of the bride's register.

Mrs. L. C. Ross sang "Love Nest," accompanied by Mrs. Percy Pitts, while Little Mary Wallace and Jane Pitts, dressed as fairies, led the bride down matrimony road to Happy Town and seated her under a beautiful holly tree which contained a large bird's nest. A cage of birds were turned loose and "Go Feather Your Nest" was sung, while the two little fairies presented the gifts to the bride.

The home was decorated in red and green. The dining room was especially beautiful, the columns being entwined with smilax and the lights showered with mistletoe and moss.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Guy Roberts, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. J. E. Gowan and Mrs. Penton served charlotte and cake to seventy-five guests.

Mrs. J. P. Hayes will entertain the Y. W. A. on next Wednesday afternoon.

Wednesday Card Club.

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Willis Lyman entertained the members of the Wednesday Card club and a few other friends. The home wah beautiful with growing plants and carnations. After several games of bridge were played the top score was held by Mrs. Grady Reynolds, who was given two linen handkerchiefs. At a late hour a salad plate was served members and guests who were: Mrs. Hance Alred, Mrs. Victor Heard, Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Miss Kathleen Mullins. The guests were: Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins, Mrs. John VanDerveer, Mrs. Rockwell and Miss Madelyn Orr.

Y. W. A. Meets.

Miss Sarah Cox entertained the Y. W. A. Society on last Wednesday afternoon. There being no special business the afternoon was spent in having a good time. Delicious refreshments were served late in the afternoon.

Miss Alee Stewart of Jacksonville, Fla., is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Mr. S. C. Matthews will leave Friday for his home in Florence, S. C., where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Dr. Hayes and Mrs. Dick Hayes motored to Montgimery Tuesday.

Mrs. John Browder and Mrs. Hugh Simpson motored to Montgomery on last Tuesday.

Mrs. Clint Jones and two sons from Asheville N. C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. A. Curry.

Mrs. Lee Smith and Mrs. Rhuben Lowe spent Tuesday in Montgomery shopping.

Mesdames Frank Callen and Hugh Jones visited the Capital City Tuesday.

MULBERRY NEWS

We are going to give a short program and a Christmas tree at Mulberry Tuesday night, December 23rd beginning at 5:00 o'clock hanging the presents on the tree, and the program begins at 7:30 o'clock. Be sure and have your presents there before 7:30 o'clock if you want them on the tree. Come and surprise your friends by having a present on the tree for them.

There will be a committee at the door to receive your presents and hang them on the tree for you.

Sideache Backache

"I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"It seems like it did me good from the very first. After I had taken half a bottle I noticed an improvement. I continued its use and I got better and better. The pains in my legs and sides disappeared and I began to gain in weight until now I weigh 155 pounds and feel better than I ever did in my life. I am perfectly well and strong. I have given it to my girls, too."

Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial? E 103

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"I'LL SAY SO"

"We're going to have SOME Christmas Dinner at our house. Look at all the swell Groceries I have just got from Miner's for mother."

Yes, indeed, Miner is all set to supply your table needs for a well appointed holiday dinner. Our prices are very reasonable.

Miner Grocery Company

Christmas Sale

ALLEN'S PRINCESS RANGES

DECEMBER 10th to 25th

There is no better range made than this one. And you have never had such inducements to buy offered you as we are offering during this sale. Read the exceptional offers below and decide NOW to prolong the enjoyment of this Christmas for years to come by giving the family one of these wonderful ranges.

SPECIAL OFFER

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$12.50 Value

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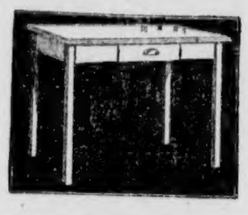
with every Allen's Princess Range purchased during this sale. See them in our window.



WIN THE FREE PRIZE IN OUR WINDOW

See our window during this sale. Make a guess—you may be the lucky one to win the free prize

FREE SOUVENIRS

FOR MOTHER

Every lady in our store during this sale will be presented with a package of best grade English Gold Eye Needles, a quantity of which have been sent us to advertise this sale of Allen's Princess Ranges

FOR THE CHILDREN

A great big, brightly colored Santa Claus Balloon will be given to every child who gets Mother to bring him, or her, into our store during this sale. See these balloons in our window.

CHILTON HARDWARE COMPANY
CLANTON, ALA.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE PEOPLE'S TELEPHONE COMPANY, DEC. 8, 1924.

Receipts

Post rights from lines	$ 340.80
Central fees for full years	1,557.50
Central fees for half years	17.50
Received from sale of 13 drops	84.50
Total paid in this year	2,000.30
Balance left over from last year, from J. N. Dennis	125.00
Grand Total	$2,125.30

Disbursements

Operator's salary, 11 months	$1,100.00
Rent on office building	110.00
Help on repairing lines and office	106.78
Drawing up contract	3.00
Insurance on office fixtures	13.90
Premium on Sec'y's bond	7.50
Two tons coal for office	18.50
Material for office—Batteries, 20 drops, 1 motor, 7 cords, 3 switches, blow fuse, lightening protectors, 2 receivers, 1 transmitter	303.24
Printing and advertising	14.60
Ala. Power Co., light bills	65.07
Material for lines—49 poles, 32 cross arms, wire, nails, spools, and brackets	77.40
City Transfer Co., hauling	16.25
Freight, P. P., stamps	5.45
Sec'y's commission, 3 %	60.00
Total disbursements	$1,999.69
Balance on hand	$ 125.61

W. W. FOX, Pres.
G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec'y.

SECRETARY'S REPORT OF TELEPHONE MEETING

The annual meeting of the Peoples Telepdone Company was called to order at 10 a.m., December 15th, 1924. The secretary's report was read and approved. W. W. Fox was re-elected president; G. C. Armstrong secretary and treasurer; for Board of Directors, J. M. Robinson, Dr. W. L. Parrish, Rev. W. S. Cox, John E. Littlejohn, J. W. P. Murphy. It was motioned and seconded that each line elect a director for said line, and the name of each director for each line be given to the secretary; and it shall be the duty of said directors to see that his line is kept up and in working order if possible at all times.

The present operators were given unanimous approval by being re-elected to serve as operators for the year 1925. Your operators, Mrs. G. W. Culp and Miss Nettie Culp, and Mr. G. W. Culp linesman.

Please remember that your post rights must be paid before you can pay your central fee. Also all post rights and central fees must be paid by January 15th, 1925, if you get central service. Please call at my store and pay up, and let us all cooperate together for another year of good telephone service.

G. C. ARMSTRONG, Sec'y.

KU KLUX KLAN SERVICE

It has been announced that there will be a Ku Klux Klan service at the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend.

Mr. Leon Kemp spent the weekend with home folks last week.

CHILTON CASES AFFIRMED BY SUPREME COURT TUESDAY

The following cases appealed to the Supreme Court from the Circuit Court of Chilton County were passed upon by the Supreme Court of Alabama the first of this week:

T. S. Peavey vs. State, Affirmed.
Esco Smith vs. State, Affirmed.
Lum Rasberry vs. State, Affirmed.
Millard Ratliff vs. State, Affirmed.
Benjamin Easterling vs. State, Affirmed.
Albert Barnett vs. State, Affirmed.

COUNTY'S LOVING CUP TO BE DISPLAYED OVER THE COUNTY

The lovng cup recently awarded Chilton County by the League of Women Voters of Alabama, for having polled the greatest percentage of its votes in the general election, will be sent to different parts of the county and put on display in some public place, so as to give everybody in the county a chance to see it. The cup is now on display at the Upchurch Drug Company, where it will remain for a few days. After this, it will be sent to other towns of the county and kept at each place for a few days. All the voters of the county should make it a point to see this cup, since it belongs to every citizen of the county. It is a very beautiful gift, and the county should feel proud of it, and especially we should feel proud of the record which won the cup.

CONCORD PEOPLE WILL REBUILD SCHOOL HOUSE

Shortly after the Concord School House burned two months ago, the citizens of that community pitched in and went to work toward the rebuilding of the house. The plans are not complete yet, but their untiring efforts have awarded them great progress along the line of financing the scheme. It is hoped that all the money will be raised within the next week or so.

The new building will cost a total of $2,900, and will consist of four or five rooms. The blue print of the building has not been furnished by the State yet, so it is not known exactly what style of building it will be. The new house will not be built where the old one was but will be located about a quarter of a mile east of where the old building was and on the opposite side of the Higgins Ferry Road.

The good people of Concord community have had a mighty hard pull raising this money on such short notice but they got togethed and wirked out a plan to go by and have been working their plan, so their success has been noticeable. The Uunion-Banner commends the work these people have done for the education of their children, and we bespeak for the help and co-operation of the neighboring communities.

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UNION-BANNER BARGAIN PERIOD OVER HALF GONE

The dollar-a-year rate for The Union-Banner in clubs of three or more is over half gone. We have received very gratifying results from this special offer, but there are others who ought to take advantage of it. If you want the paper for one dollar, don't wait till after the first of the year and expect to get it, because this offer positively closes after this month. After January 1st, 1925, the price will be strictly $1.50, as heretofore So don't sleep over your rights, but take advantage of this opportunity while it is passing

You should read The Union-Banner whether you are a Republican or a Democrat, or whatever you are. Although this paper is Republican through and through yet we are publishing a NEWS paper, and we do our best to make it interesting and worth while, even if politics is altogether disregarded. We do our best to carry all the news of the county whether it be political or otherwise. We believe that even a dollar and a half a year is dirt cheap for the class paper we are getting out, and you should grab at the chance of getting it for one dollar even in clubs of three or more.

In getting up your club remember that at least two-thirds of the names must be new subscribers

LIVED 18 DAYS WITH ITS HEAD CUT OFF

Some may not believe this report, but if you are in doubt about it ask H. C. Johnson for he kept watch every day and will vouch for it.

A turtle after having its head completely cut off with an axe would move and stand on its feet for eighteen days. This turtle was dug from under the mud in a branch near where Thompson was running a little saw mill on J. W. Mims' land. Its head was cut off on the 20th day of November and the end of its life finally came on the 8th day of December. There were also several other witnesses to this.

Mr. Green Retherford went to Birmingham Monday on business.

Smilin Charlie Says

The feller who believes that "every thing comes to him who waits" is the same bird who later says, "th' world owes me a livin"

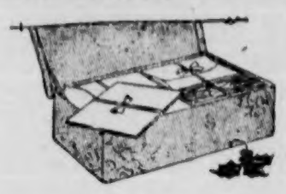
WHAT WILL I GIVE FOR CHRISTMAS?

[HERE IS LIGHT ON THE DARK QUESTION]

Many a holiday present might just as well bear the tag, "Forget it." Something to wear is the gift in 1924 that isn't forgotten in 1925. How can a person put out of their mind what they put on their back, neck, hands or feet? It unites the essential elements of the perfect purchase. There is unlimited usefulness to the one who receives and a limited price to the one who gives. The waste that is shocking to the good old Christmas stocking is the cash squandered on trash. This year, where you be a man buying for a man, or whether you be the head of the house—women—in quest of a rememberance for the head of the house, chooses Gifts To Wear. They will raise one in their own respect and you in theirs and will make them subscribe all the more resolutely to the creed— "DRESS WELL AND SUCCEED"

YOUR wishes encased in a pretty Sweater are doubly warm and welcome.

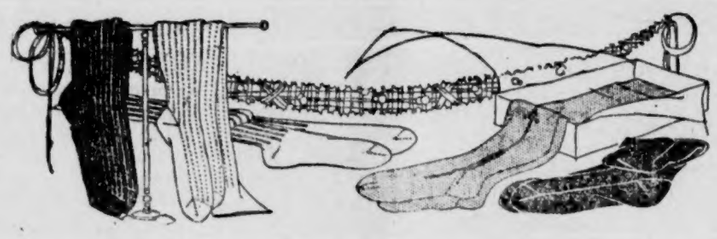
SHIRTS are Old Bosom Friends of the Holiday Gift seeker. We have a complete assortment.



HANDKERCHIEFS will brighten up his breast pocket and disposition. COLORFUL SCARFS are the closest Christmas Tie-up. Get his here.

WIDE-AWAKE Christmas shoppers choose Pajamas first of all.

A REAL nice Cap or Hat would be a nice present for Christmas. Our stock is complete.



HOSE are two feet of other gifts you may pick. We have all shades, colors and materials to select from.

BELTS are the finest presents going around. Come see ours.

WE ARE showing the completest assortment in men's, ladies' and children's House Shoes ever shown in Clanton. They are ideal Xmas Gifts.

PARRISH'S

CLANTON, ALABAMA.

BUY HIM a Curlee Suit for Xmas and make him happy.

BUY HIM a pair of SELZ Shoes for Christmas.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100, Section "B"

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, January 7th, 1925, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.184 miles of road between Calera and Autauga County line in Chilton County.

Contractors are notified that that part of the road within the Town of Clanton is designated as Section C and the right is reserved to award Section C separately from Section B.

Contractors are notified that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids will be the ones that govern.

Contractors in submitting bids on one course plain cement concrete pavement or combination cement concrete header curbing base course may bid on these items as follows:

Contractor furnishing all labor and materials including cement or the contractor furnishing all labor and materials with the exception of cement which will be furnished by the State.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Should the grading and dranaige and surfacing be awarded to different contractors the contractor on the surfacing must absorb into the unit price bid for surfacing the cost of the necessary find grading within the following limits:

Six inches above or six inches below sub-grade:

Either Portland Cement or Puzzolan Cement may be used in the construction of concrete base course.

The principal items of work are approximately as follows:

PROPOSAL No. 1
Grading and Draining

22.557 acres clearing and grubbing; 171,452 Cu. Yds. common excavation and borrow; 1,897 Cu. Yds. solid rock excavation; 92,076 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation; 136 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed; 206 Lin. Ft. 15-inch pipe; 1484 Lin. Ft. 18-inch pipe; 243 Lin. Ft. 21-inch pipe; 492.5 Lin. Ft. 24-inch pipe; 804.96 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete in culverts; 90,065 pounds steel reinforcing in culverts; 59 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap; 140.22 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls and inlets; 282 concrete right-of-way markers; 14 structures to be removed from right-of-way; 12,702 Lin. Ft. fence to be reset; 26 Lin. Ft. pipe to be taken up and relaid; 42,365 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting; 1,000 Cu. Yds. channel excavation; 360 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piles for culvert.

PROPOSAL No. 2
Surfacing

120 Sq. Yds. reinforced concrete bridge approach paving; 27,228 Lin. Ft. 3-4-inch galvanized cable for guard rail; 993 concrete posts for guard rail; 122 concrete end post braces for guard rail; 17.184 miles shoulder construction.

SURFACING ALTERNATES

181,459 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement; 171,378 Sq. Yds. rock asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. Warrenite bitulithic pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. sheet asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. bituminous concrete pavement on concrete base; 181,459 Sq. Yds. combination cement concrete header curbing base course.

PROPOSAL No. 3
Bridges

1888.92 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete; 251,666 pounds reinforcing steel; 520 Cu. Yds. dry excavation; 1,088 Cu. Yds. wet excavation; 59 Cu. Yds. rock excavation; 300 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piling; 95.5 Sq. Yds. surfacing; 1,842 Lin. Ft. Type "C" handrail.

The pipe used on this project may be either triple strength vitrified clay, concrete, or cast iron.

Contractors may bid on either proposal independent of the others.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Alabama. Any addtional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama.

Cash, certified check or bid bond for Five Thousand Dollars, made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must acrompany earh bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

The right to rejert any or all bids is reserved.

Contractors are notified that any interlining with pen or pencil on the proposal form is sufficient cause to make the bid informal and may be rejected.

W. S. KELLER,
11-27-3 State Highway Engineer.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Mayor of Clanton Alabama, until 3 o'clock p.m., December 20th 1924, for street Improvements on First Avenue. The principle items of construction are approximately as follaws: 600 Cu. Yds of common ercavation, and 1600 Sq.Yds. of concrete sidewalk.

Specifications and plans may be obtained r examined at the office of the Town Clerk, of Clanton Alabama.

Certified check or bidders bond for $1000.00, must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

V. J. GRAGG.
Mayor of the Town of Clanton.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Mayor of the Town of Clanton Alabama, until 3 o'clock p.m., December 20th 1924, for Street improvement on Eight Street.

The principle items of construction are approximately as follows: 900 Sq. Yds., of Concrete sidewalk.

Specifications and plans may be obtained or examined at the office of the Town Clerk, of Clanton Alabama.

Certified check or bidders bond for 500.00, must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

V. J. GRAGG,
Mayor of the Town of Clanton.

SHAREHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Clanton, will be held in the directors room of the bank at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, January 13th, 1925, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

This, December 8, 1924.
12-11-4t. J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

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Merry Christmas

NEVER A CHRISTMAS MORNING — NEVER THE OLD YEAR ENDS
BUT SOMEBODY THINKS OF SOMEBODY — OLD DAYS, OLD TIMES, OLD FRIENDS

Strawberry Meeting Held Here Saturday

Several Attended Meeting and Agree to Try Out Raising of Strawberries on Farms.

As announced in The Union-Banner last week, the people of the County interested in the raising of strawberries met together at the court house last Saturday and discussed among themselves the best methods and plans for raising the crop in this section. Quite a number of farmers from over the county attended the meeting.

Messrs. J. M. Benson, J. M. Smith and Lee Smith, who have had experience in growing strawberries attended, and each expressed himself as being very enthusiastic toward the planting of from one to three acres of strawberries on the farm next year. Of those present, J. M. Willis, J. C. Connell, J. B. Gillespie, I. Leslie, Ben Jones, Arthur S. Gwathney, L. Dewitt Easterling, N. G. Carroll, W. S. Willis, J. Hardy Jones, R. E. Jones, W. B. Cox, W. C. Moore and J. N. Dennis each expressed himself as expecting to put out new plants for from one-fourth acre to three acres each this coming year.

Arrangements have been made by J. N. Dennis, O. H. Mastin, and J. M. Smith to handle orders for plans, so anyone wanting plants should place their orders with one of these gentlemen before January 1st, so that the plants will be ready for delivery by February 1st or 15th.

Last year Mr. Elijah Headley, who lives on the Lock 12 Road out a few miles from town raised on a little less than an acre enough strawberries to net him 423.50. This figure is equavalent to about four bales of cotton, and the crop matures much earlier and with a great deal less work. There are other instances which we could mention which are similar in production to this, and there could be lots more if our people would only break away from so much cotton and try strawberries.

It is reported that over 50,000 plants have been ordered already, and it is hoped that before February 1st there will be at least that many more. If you want plants, see one of the gentlemen named above and get them to put your order in for them.

As expresed in the meeting Saturday and as shown by actual experience, strawberries can be grown in this section very advantageously. People have already succeeded with small patches of them, and the same can be done with larger areas of them. It is hoped that our farmers will try out this crop and see for themselves that it is a very paying proposition, and the growing of them is very easy and cheap.

A
full
share
of Happi-
ness, a con-
tented heart, a
cup running over
with joy, is our wish
to everyone, on this, the
anniversary of the day
which gave man his only re-
demption from a life of tur-
moil and strife, to one of tran-
quility. Let each and every one re-
member that the term "Christmas"
does not mean rioting, which might bring
suffering, but rather suggests an era of peace
quiet, and good feeling, as was suggested in
the anthem of rejoicing on that memorable night
nineteen hundred twenty-four years ago, "Peace on
earth, good will toward men." Though the Christmas
seasons you have numbered in the past be great or small,
it is our hope that the future holds many for each
and every one. Though each Christmas season
in the past may have been better and
brighter than the last, we hope that
this one may be remembered
as the best and brightest
of them all. As the
years fade into
the past, may
you come to
love and es-
teem each of
your fellow-
men more, as
age and experience come
to bring judgment and
respect. So, with hearts overflow-
ing with thankfulness for any friends
we may have made, and with regret for, and
forgiveness of any enemies we may have made,
on this the one thousand nine hundred and twenty-fourth
anniversary of the greatest epoch in the history of the
world, we bid you "A MERRY CHRISTMAS."

CHRISTMAS TREE FOR BEAT 11

On Thursday night, December 25th., Christmas night, the local Republican leaders will give an old fashion Christmas tree at Cane Creek to the boys and girls of Beat 11 up to eighteen years of age. This tree is given by the Republican leaders in appreciation of the 100 per cent loyalty of the Republicans of Beat 11, when in the last election every vote cast in that precinct was in behalf of the Republican ticket. Not only did they vote solid for the Republican ticket, but they all voted in unanimity on each of the amendments submitted. This is a nice tribute on the part of local leaders to the spirit of Republicanism of Beat 11.

We are authorized to state that the tree will be open to the entire public and anyone who wishes to place a present on the tree for a friend is cordially invited to do so. All the people of the precinct are urged to be present as it is expected that Santa Claus will remember the voters as well as the boys and girls.

The Union-Banner extends it's hearty greetings to the people of Beat 11, and urge that they attend. Make it an occasion long to be remembered and let nothing be said or done that will in any way mar the pleasure of the occasion. Leave behind those things which have a tendency to disturb the joy of such occasions as this will be.

9,000 Miles Roads Built During 1924

Auto Owner Bears Much Of Expense. Vehicle And Gasoline Levy Helps To Swell Sum For Construction

Washington, Dec. 20—Every city of 5,000 population in the countsy will be on an improved road by 1931, the federal bureau of roads estimated Saturday on the basis of a continuation of the prestnt nationwide road building program.

Every state in the union met the $75,000,000 annual federal road aid "dollar for dollar" in 1924, resulting in the construction of 9,000 miles im-

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GREETINGS!

Imbued with the Christmas Spirit and desirous of spreading cheer at every opportunity, the officers of this Bank sincerely wish each and every man, woman and child in Clanton and Chilton county

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

May supreme Happiness abound in every home and this Yuletide be a never-to-be-forgotten event. And may next Christmas find us enjoying the same pleasant relationship with our patrons that we enjoy now.

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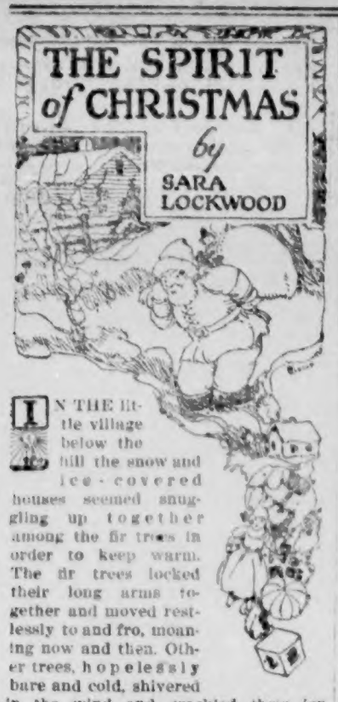
THE SPIRIT of CHRISTMAS

by SARA LOCKWOOD



IN THE little village below the hill the snow and ice-covered houses seemed snuggling up together among the fir trees in order to keep warm. The fir trees locked their long arms together and moved restlessly to and fro, moaning now and then. Other trees, hopelessly bare and cold, shivered in the wind and crackled their icy branches. The beautiful Lady of the Snow with all her Snowflake Imps in attendance flitted about the village street, sliding gayly down the shop windows and flirting with the passers-by.

The Man and the Child made their way through the drifts toward the group of houses. The Child ran and danced about, now in front, now behind the Man, shouting and laughing. She loved the white old Winter and in return Winter had commanded all his subjects to be kind to her. So the Snow Lady kissed and caressed her and the Snowflakes played about her merrily, touching her cheeks softly and making them rosy.

But the Man hated Winter and now he hurried along, giving no heed to the beauties about him, wishing only for the warm fire in his cottage. The Snow Lady tried all her charms on him, but he only pulled his muffler tighter about his throat and his cap more firmly upon his head and went on. Then the Snowflake Imps flew at him furiously. They stung his face and buried themselves inside his muffler. The North Wind tormented him, too, blowing up his sleeves and twisting his great coat about his knees until he stumbled and muttered under his breath. When the Child laughed at him and would have thrown snow in his face, he reproved her gruffly.

The Man was threshing over in his mind a question he had discussed with the Woman only the week before. They had decided to have no Christmas this year. It was foolish, very foolish to wear one's self out thinking and planning presents for all one's relatives and friends for months before, and then perhaps not be ready when Christmas came. They would not allow their child to keep her belief in the foolish Santa Clause myth which they had told her so long ago.

This was the hardest part, for both the Man and the Woman dreaded to tell the Child, and they put off the task

The Child Ran and Danced About, Shouting and Laughing.

as long as possible. Now it was Christmas Eve and the Man had promised to tell the Child as they visited the shops. But she had been so delighted with the array of toys heaped in windows and on counters, so happy in thinking Santa would bring her some of these wonderful playthings, that he could not bring himself to tell her Santa would never visit her again. And yet he must. She would soon get over the disappointment and be happier than ever, he told himself. Yes, it was the sensible thing to do, but he would wait and let the Woman tell her.

As they neared the cottages the Child threw out her arms joyously as though she would embrace the whole world of Snowflakes before she left them. And they, wild with delight, fought for a place upon her little hood and shoulders that she might carry them away with her.

"Oh, Mother, Mother, the Snowflakes have played with me and have told me the prettiest stories," cried the Child as she drew the Woman's hand across her cold, damp cheek. "And I have seen Santa Claus. He is visiting the shops now but he promised to come here tonight." She stood on her toes and clapped her hands in her excitement, and the words tumbled over one another as she tried to tell of all the beautiful toys she had seen.

The Woman sighed and looked reproachfully at the Man. So he had not told the Child. Why did he always put it off and leave it for her to do? The long discussions on the subject, the dread of spoiling the Child's happiness and the arguments as to which should tell her, had unsettled the Woman, usually so gentle and even tempered. She was vexed. She turned to the Child wearily, a little impatiently. She would tell her now.

"Dear, haven't you learned yet that there is no Santa Claus? You will not hang up your stockings tonight, for he isn't coming to fill them."

Then as the Child stood looking at her with wild, wondering eyes, she exclaimed, "Why do you stare at me so? Don't you see we have been playing make-believe with you all these years? There is no Santa Claus, and you are old enough now to forget such foolish stories. It is expensive and tiresome to keep up this farce and we have decided never to have Christmas again."

To the Child it was all a strange muddle. Something dreadful had happened, but as yet she could not understand what it was.

"No Santa— But I have just seen him, Mother. He talked to me this afternoon at the shops."

Wrought up as she was, the Woman's voice sounded cold and unfeeling. "Go to bed now. You will understand better in the morning."

The Child obeyed silently. All her joyousness was gone. The laughter had died out of her eyes and in its place

"I Wish We Had Never Heard of Christmas!"

there was wonder and hurt. But she could not talk about it now.

When the Woman left her in the white bed by the window, she cautiously opened it so the Snowflakes could come in. And then, with a great sob, she told them her troubles.

In the big room with the bay window, the Man paced restlessly back and forth and the Woman sat by the table with workbasket and mending. But her hands lay listlessly in her lap and she gazed into the fire.

Once her face brightened and she murmured aloud, "But Father and Mother never forgot us, and of course they will send something for the Child—"

The Man wheeled about with a scowl. "We won't receive anything from them. Do you think we would accept presents, when we are not sending any? I have written them that we are not to have any more Christmas celebrations."

"Oh," gasped the Woman. "You do not mean we must send back everything we get?"

The Man hesitated. Then, as though he were sick of the subject, "I don't know. It is all your doing. It is you who has nervous prostration at Christmas after worrying about presents."

"I do not," she denied hotly. "And you suggested this anyway. I wish we had never heard of Christmas!"

Their Christmas Eve was spent in quarreling, and that night they dreamed of horrible plots that Santa was planning against them.

A pale moon with icicles on his whiskers watched over the little village. The Snow Lady was asleep and the Snowflake Imps had settled down to rest. One cottage gleamed colder and whiter than the others and seemed to stand apart as though not of them. The Spirit of Christmas tried the door softly.

"Why, it is barred against me!" he murmured sadly. "This will never do."

So he walked about looking for a place to get in until he came to the window where the Child slept. Tenderly he sprinkled happiness and joy upon her until her lips parted in a smile. Then he flew past her to where the Man and the Woman slept. To them he gave of all his essences.

The Woman wakened first, and with strange new feelings, she called the Man. They gazed long at each other.

"Merry Christmas," whispered the Woman.

And with wonder and joy, peace and good will all mingled together, the Man took her in his arms.

"We must have Christmas, after all," he said. And the Woman nodded, her eyes beaming with happiness. "I must go to the shops and bring Santa Claus for the Child before she wakes."

"Wait," cried the Woman, and laughing, she brought from their hiding place an assortment of beautiful toys. "Mother and Father sent them and I just couldn't send them back."

With shining faces and happy hearts, the Man and the Woman hung stockings by the fireplace and heaped them with playthings.

"We will tell her she had a bad dream," said the Man.

"No," said the Woman softly. "We will tell her that Santa is the good Christmas fairy, who will always be welcome here."

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The "Water Cure" for Volstead Law Violators

THIS is a new kind of "penalty" meted out to men who can't leave intoxicating beverages alone. It was tried out in Cleveland, Ohio, recently when Police Judge Samuel Silbert offered six fellows—who had been arrested for not being able to walk a chalk line—the alternative of 30 days in the workhouse or drinking 20 glasses of water a day.

The unlucky half a dozen didn't know what a job they had on their hands when they elected the water. The first ten glasses were all right, but the second ten "seemed sorter unnecessary"—as one of them put it.

The photo shows Probation Officer Filocco supplying the water to two of the recalcitrants.

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

Talladega's new $500,000 water system was put out of commission when the bottom literally dropped out of the 2,000,000 gallon storage reservoir. As a result the water in the big container was emptied in about three minutes. Cost of the big concrete bowl alone is estimated at $100,000. The hole in the bottom of the reservoir is large enough to place a two-story residence. Cause of the bottom giving away is a puzzle to citizens of the city. The reservoir is located on a hill four miles from the city. Oldest citizens know nothing of any cavern that existed there. Where the water went after the cave-in is a mystery.

The Colbert County Medical society elected officers for the ensuing year at a meeting held in the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce. Dr. G. F. Littlepage was chosen president, Dr. E. W. Gray, vice president, Dr. J. P. Long secretary-treasurer, and Dr. D. T. Boozer, censor, all of Sheffield. At this meeting the medical society expressed themselves as being desirous of having an adequate hospital erected in the Muscle Shoals district and pledged themselves to sponsor a movement looking to its erection.

Barney Hood, of Whorton Bend, won the first prize, a gold watch, for the best farm work among the 71 members of the Etowah County Boys' Pig, Cow, Poultry, Cotton and Corn Club. Disque Daniel, of Webb; Clemon Naylon, of Sand Valley; Tom Lowe, of Coats Bend; R. C. McLain, of Hokes Bluff; Edwin Powell, of Webb, and Cecil Baugh, of Smokneck, were the other winners. Young Hood raised cotton and pigs and is said to have made a wonderful showing.

The following enumerators have been appointed in Marion County to take the agricultural census among the farmers: L. D. Nichols, T. M. Carter, W. W. Watts, W. R. Orbirn, W. S. Tidwell, J. D. Gregg, Ira L. Hughes and M. B. Shirey. These men will complete the work under the direction of M. H. Laws, supervisor of Birmingham, within the next two months.

A joint brief to be filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission against the tentative report of the examiner in recommending that the Interstate Commerce Commission raise the state rates on iron and steel from Birmingham to Mobile to correct alleged discrimination against Pensacola, has been prepared by R. G. Cobb, Traffic Manager of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce, and Hugh White, special counsel to the Alabama Public Service Commission. This is the first step in the fight against the proposed cancellation of the state rates by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

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ROAD BUILDING IN ALABAMA

The one important problem before the people of Alabama today is the need of providing ways and means to continue the road building program for the people of Alabama. The $25,000,000.00 Bond Issue will be all allotted in the year of 1925 and 1926. Then the building of roads would have to cease for the want of ways and means. Many of our good friends, when the $25,000,000.00 Bond Issue was being submitted to the people, were skeptical that the money would be a charge and an obligation on the real and personal property. The automobile license pays the interest on this issue and creates a sinking fund to retire the bonds and there has been $1,400,000.00 of this issue already retired, which is the first evidence that this will not be a charge on the personal or real property of the people of Alabama.

There are 160,000 automobiles and trucks in Alabama and due to the roads and bridges over which they travel, they pay $48,000,000.00 a year more than they should. How do I show this gigantic sum of money? The answer is the consumption of gas and lubricating oil is 40 per cent more than it should be. There are three repair bills due to the road conditions. With better roads, we could save two of these repair bills. The destruction of the tire and tube is 40 per cent more than it should be and the wear and tear and life of the car and truck and those four items make an average of $300.00 per annum per car. You multiply that by 160,000 cars and it makes the sum of $48,000,000.00. This is a larger tax that these 160,000 tax and license payers pay than it takes to run the combined State government, county and city government, including the income tax to the federal government.

My idea is that a $75,000,000.00 Bond Issue should be financed by a gasoline tax. The gasoline tax is the cheapest way to collect. There can be no escape like the automobile license or other personal property and the man that uses the roads ought to pay for them and he cannot travel any further than the amount of gas he buys. Besides, we have 40,000 or 50,000 automobiles and trucks come from other states and use our roads and they pay nothing to the wear and tear of the roads and they cannot travel over our roads any further than the amount of gas they buy. Thereby you get revenue from that source.

We must approach this problem with vision and courage. The horse drawn vehicle was a local proposition calling out statute labor and local taxation to build local roads. The coming of the automobile and the auto truck has changed these conditions. It is no longer a neighborhood road problem. The roads are used from every county in the State and from every state in the Union and many from Canada. Good roads have created business for the railroads, as well as every other social and commercial activity for the people of Alabama.

In 1912, when President Finley of the Southern & Mobile & Ohio Railroads, addressed the Good Roads Convention at Birmimngham, that I had the honor of being chairman of, he said in part that he accepted my invitation to address the Convention because Good Roads would be feeders to the railroads and it was cheaper for them to become interested than for them to build ap railways. This railroad prophet's statemen has come true. There are 15,000,000 automobiles and trucks in the United States and the railroads are the most prosperous in their history.

I have no personal interest other than the help to take the people of Alabama out of the mud and that I might travel on roads that are profitable and save $275.00 a year on my car and I am willing to pay gasoline tax as user of the roads.

Please give this publicity.

Yours truly,
JOHN CRAFT.

The new bridge over the Tallapoosa River in Tallapoosa County, on the Florida short route between Alexandor City and Dadeville, will be opened for traffic about January 15, according to information from the state highway department. The cost of the bridge was given at approximately $210,000.

Service on the Alabama River has resumed its regularity with a 16-foot rise of the river due to the recent rains, as reported by Charles Brislin, weather clerk. There is congestion of cotton, cotton-seed and other produce at the landings down river and freight can now be promptly moved.

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Carrollton Pen of F. A. Rew Is First In The Auburn Egg-Laying Test

Auburn, Alabama.—With the pen of F. A. Rew, of Carrollton, Ala., in the lead, closely followed by that of Hollywood Poultry Farm, Woodenville, Washington, Alabama's first national egg-laying contest closed its fifth week here with a total production of 6,700 eggs, an average of 19.94 per cent production.

F. A. Rew, of Carrollton, came into first place with a production of 196 eggs to date—a lead of 15 eggs over Hollywood Farm pen, which totaled 181 eggs.

An outbreak of chicken pox which swept over the contest during the last two weeks hit the highest producing pens the hardest, and this accounts for the low production. The disease, it is believed, has done its worst damage. The birds, as a flock, look better than they did a week ago, and it is believed the second month will show a good increase in production.

The first Alabama egg-laying demonstration is being conducted by poultrymen, county agents, home demonstration agents, poultry specialists and many others who are interested in developing a bigger and more profitable poultry business. The objects are to stimulate a greater interest in economic poultry production and to impress upon the minds of the people the value of proper feeding, housing, breeding and management of poultry. All the 960 hens in the contest are being housed and fed alike, Jazz poultry feed, manufactured by W. M. Crosby Flour & Grain Company, being the official feed adopted for the contest.

W. J. Hagood, Third

W. J. Hagood, of Town Creek, Ala., has come third with a production of 80 eggs for the week, and 171 to date.

Mrs. Alice T. Peart, of Loxley, Ala., owner of pen No. 16, holds fourth place. Mrs. Peart has some wonderful birds, but like several other good pens, her birds had a very severe case of pox. If they come back she will yet make it a hot race.

W. E. Pyles, of Maysville, Ky., and Happy Poultry Yards, of Memphis, Tenn., occupy fifth and sixth place, with a production of 151 and 154, respectively.

The Ancona pen owned by the Evergreen Poultry Yards made a good record for the week. A count of 37 for the seven-day period, with a total of 118 to date.

Mr. Gullatt, of Dothan, Ala., owner of the 10 Reds in pen No. 86, still holds the lead in his class, with a production of 132 eggs to date.

Hats off to Judge Sam High, of Asheville, Ala., owner of pen No. 95; 10 Buff Orpington pullets, with a production of 29 eggs for the week, a total of 149 to date.

Total production to date ..... 6,700 eggs
Production for fourth week ..... 1,107 eggs
Per cent production to date 19.94

Leading Pens and Breeds

Leading pens in the principal breeds at the end of the fourth week were as follows:

WHITE LEGHORNS

	No. Eggs
Hollywood Poultry Farm, Woodenville, Wash.	165
F. A. Rew, Carrollton, Ala.	164
Mrs. Alice Peart, Loxley, Ala.	144
W. J. Hagood, Town Creek, Ala.	141
W. E. Pyles, Maysville, Ky.	135
Happy Poultry Yards, Memphis, Tenn.	130

RHODE ISLAND REDS

	No. Eggs
W. A. Gullatt, Dothan, Ala.	107
Lotts Poultry Yards, B'ham, Ala.	82
Oscar Reinhart, B'ham, Ala.	79
Valley Red Farm, Tuscumbia, Ala.	65

BARRED ROCKS

	No. Eggs
Tubbs Poultry Farm, Jasper, Ala.	81
Mrs. D. T. Tatum, LaFayette, Ala.	61
Georgia State Agricultural College, Athens, Ga.	56

OTHER BREEDS

	No. Eggs
Judge Sam High, Ashville, Ala., Buff Orpingtons	120
Smith Oaks Plantation, Artesia, Miss., Blue Andalusians	101
J. Norris Weed, Arlton, Ala., Anconas	86
Evergreen Poultry Yards, Clayton, Ala., Anconas	81

NOTICE

Owing to the fact that the last Friday in this month, the regular day for the County Board meeting, will come the day after Christmas, the meeting will be postponed until the first Friday in January, which will be January 2nd.

HOWARD L. FOSHEE.
2t. County Supt. Education.

STOCKSOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Thorsby will be held in tde directors' room of the Bank at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, January 20th 1925, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

This, the 15th day of Dec., 1924.
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Surprise Shower.

On last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Q. Wade, the Y.W.A. girls gave Miss Mayme Smith a surprise shower. Mayme was called by Mrs. Wade to go to ride, and when she walked into the living room there were many and useful gifts presented to her by the Y. W. A. society. Late in the afternoon the hostess served a plate luncheon to the guests.

Y. W. A. Meets.

On last Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Hayes entertained in honor of the Y. W. A. society. The handsome home was beautifully decorated in growing plants and carnations. The usual business was discussed after which a very interesting program was rendered by Miss Mary Wise and Miss Pearl Miner, on "Christian Meditation." After a late hour, refreshments were served the members and guests.

Smith-Higgins Wedding.

On Sunday morning, Dec. 21, 1924, the marriage of Miss Mamie Clifford Smith and Mr. Robert Flemmon Higgins was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mamie Smith. The ceremony was performed by Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of 1st Baptist church and was witnessed by only a few relatives and close friends of the bride and groom.

The bride was attired in a brown crepe dress with accessories to match. She wore a corsage of bride's roses and valley lillies.

The happy couple left on No. 2 for Birmingham and other points. They will be at home in Clanton after the 25th.

Higgins-Reynolds Wedding.

A marriage of unusual interest to their many friends was that of Miss Willie Higgins and Mr. Omar Reynolds, which was solemnized at the First Baptist church on last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, Dec. 18, 1924.

The marriage ceremony, with the impressive ring service, was performed by Rev. C. C. Wilkerson, assisted by Dr. S. J. Ezell.

The church was decorated in Woodland greenery with emblems of snow and ferns banked on the altar with numerous white tapers interspersed.

A program of nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. L. C. Ross, Mr. Percy Pitts and Mrs. Pitts at the piano.

The ushers and groomsmen were: Grover Walker, Claud Reynolds, a brother of the groom, Clay Marcus, Otto Jones, John Deramus and Frank Mullins. The bridesmaids were: Miss Willodean Reynolds and Miss Josephine Allen. Miss Eugenia, Etta and Frances Reynolds were gowned in pastel crepe dresses trimmed with silver lace.

The maid of honor, Hazel Moore, wore a flesh chiffon dress with silver lace trimmings.

All the attendants carried arm clusters of pink Killarney roses tied with silver shades of tulle. The bride was preceded by two dainty flower girls, Olive Rainer Elmore and Helen Newell. The ring bearer, Master Callen Alred carried the ring in a huge white rose.

The bride entered with her uncle, Mr. R. A. Guy of Montgomery, by whom she was given in marriage. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Mr. John Newell, brother-in-law of the groom. Miss Higgins was beautiful in white duchess satin trimmed with pearls and rhinestones. The bride's veil of tulle was showered with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and valley lillies.

The bride is the accomplished and well known daughter of Mrs. D. C. Alred of Clanton. The groom, Mr. Reynolds, is a prominent young attorney of Clanton.

Immediately after the marriage, Mrs. Harvie Chandler gave a reception for the bridal party, after which Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds went to their new home on Eighth Steet.

Mr. S. C. Matthews left last Friday for Florence, S. C., where he will spend Christmas with parents.

Miss Jack Stevens left Friday for Greenville, where she will spend the holidays with friends.

Mr. Tom Jones of Montgomery, who is a cotton buyer for Weil Bros., will be home Wednesday to spend several days with relatives and friends.

Sam Upchurch came home Friday from Anniston to spend Xmas.

Miss Eugenia Etter of Warrior, attended the Higgins-Reynolds wedding here last Thursday.

Miss Josephine Allen of Gainsville, Ga., was one of the bridal party of Miss Willie Higgins' wedding.

Miss Willodean Reynolds is home for the holidays from Montevallo, where she is attending school.

Miss Irene Jones, who is teaching at Bessemer, will spend Xmas with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Miss Sarah Mullins from Montevallo will spend Christmas with relatives and friends in Clanton.

Jim Wade came home from Anniston last Friday to spend the holidays.

Miss Mary Upchurch is home from New Orleans to spend the holidays.

Miss Lurline Harper, who is teaching at Munford, is home to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Harper.

Prof. Stevens left Friday for Atlanta, where he will spend two weeks.

Miss Sophia Mullins is home from the University at Madison, Wisconsin, where she is attending school.

Mrs. Jake Shephard and daughter, Ruth, of Birmingham, are visiting relatives and friends in Clanton.

Dr. S. J. Ezell and family left Sunday afternoon for South Carolina to spend Christmas with his father and mother.

Mrs. J. M. Potts returned Sunday, after a week's visit with her sister in Hartselle.

Miss Sallye Johnson, who has been in school at Randolph-Macon, Va., will spend the Xmas. holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Mr. Clyde Foshee, who is in school at the University of Alabama, was in town Saturday. He will go to Grand Rapids, Mich., to spend the holidays with his brother, Dr. Foshee.

The many friends of Mrs. J. P. Lawrence are glad to know that she is convalescing.

Miss Bettie Mullins visited relatives and friends in Birmingham last week.

Miss Ruth Jones of Jumbo, was in town Monday.

The many friends of Miss White are sorry to learn of her illness. Miss White is our primary teacher in the Grammar school.

Mr. Charles Moore is home for the holidays.

Miss Jeane Johnson, who is in school at St. Cecelia, is home to spend Christmas.

Miss Mittice Hyman from Jemison was in town Monday shopping.

Mrs. J. C. Jones spent several days in Birmingham last week.

Herbert Davis, who is attending the spending the holidays with his uncle, Mr. M. L. White.

Dr. Hinkle went to Decatur Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Taylor of Montgomery will spend the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Bamma Cox.

Hsbert Davis, who is attending the University of Alabama, is home for Christmas.

Miss Bessie Thomas, who is teaching at Andalusia, will spend the holidays with relatives in Clanton.

Mrs. John C. Page and little daughter, Peggie left last Thursday for McMenville, Tenn., where they will spend the Yuletide.

Dr. Hayes and Dr. Earl Drennen of Birmingham went bird hunting on the river Tuesday.

Italy

NOT much difference between the Italian and American Christmas customs. Photo shows a happy Italian family seated by their tree while friend Santa Claus listens to the little miss saying her Christmas "pieces."

TO ALL MY PATRONS:---

I wish to express my sincere thanks for the most loyal patronage given me during the cotton season just closed, and rejoice with you, that, taken as a whole, this has been one of the best years since the World War.

Let's all be truly thankful for the many blessings enjoyed in 1924, and pledge our best efforts towards co-operating with each other in the interest of our homes, schools, churches and our County in 1925.

Again thanking you, one and all, for past evidences of your co-operation and patronage, and with the hope that I have merited a continuation of same in the future, I wish for each of you a Merry Christmas and success during the year 1925.

Yours to serve,

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ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS

A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Theo Lacey, former state employe, now serving a second sentence for embezzlement of state funds, was affected by a ruling of the supreme court which holds that time off for good behavior where a prisoner is serving more than one sentence should be deducted from each sentence and not on the basis of the aggregate sentences. The decision was made in the case of Ben Jones, Montgomery county convict. The supreme court holds that each sentence is begun separately and that time off cannot be considered until a sentence had been started.

The population of Anniston at the opening of 1925, five years after the last federal census, is 22,168, an increase of 4,434, or 25 per cent over the 17,734 shown by the United States enumeration of January, 1920, according to a survey just completed for The Anniston Star. The public school enrollment shows an increase of 1,063 over 1920, when 2,581 pupils were enrolled compared to the 3,644 at the close of 1924. The number of dwellings as given in the recent survey is 4,229 compared to the 3,383 of the 1920 census.

The citizens of Sulligent have organized a Chamber of Commerce.

State Senator John Craft, of Mobile, has foun danother argument for use in favor of hard surfaced roads. According to Senator Craft, 75 per cent of the engine trouble in automobiles charged ot carbon is caused by sand, dust and grit, which is sucked up by the motor on sand, clay and gravel roads. This conclusion has been reached as a result of investigations of automobile engineers, Senator Craft stated.

Lee County School Journal is the name of a new 16-page monthly magazine. This periodical is published by the schools of Lee county, and has as editor and business manager, W. Y. Fleming, county superintendent of education. The purpose of the new journal is to enable the schools of the county to get acquainted with each other, and to co-operate in all educational programs for the good of the county.

A dramatic story of how highly recommended oil wells turned out to be dry and how glowing prospects of financial success were snatched away during the "1921 period of depression," was told to a jury in United States court at Birmingham by A. W. Walker, president of the bankrupt Walker Consolidated Petroleum Company, who is being tried jointly with three other officers of the company on charges of misuse of the mails in the sales of $3,000,000 of worthless stock.

The freight rate on asphalt and composition roofing from the Ohio and Mississippi points to Albany and Decatur will soon be reduced about 13 per cent, it was announced by J. H. Smith, traffic expert of the Decatur Cornice & Roofing Company, who attended a hearing in Atlanta in November of the Southern Freight Association.

Marvin Hanvel, George Dutton and Ned Reams were bound over to the grand jury when tried before Recorder Phil Whiteside, of Anniston, on the charge of larceny of a car. Lee Dutton was also bound over to the grand jury on the charge of larceny in connection with stripping the car after it had been stolen. Bond was set at $300 for the four young men.

Shoplifters have been so active in Gadsden during the Christmas shopping that Chief Littlefield stationed five special plainclothes officers in the business district, with orders to keep a sharp lookout for store robberies. Most of the business houses have special officers of their own, but it is said that shoplifting is more pronounced than ever before.

A proposed change in the form of Huntsville's city government from the aldermanic to the commission form was defeated in a special election by a vote of 744 to 142.

The Alabama Public Service Commission in an order granted the petition of the Columbus Electric and Power Company, a Georgia corporation serving a number of east Alabama towns, for authority to issue bonds and notes to a total value of $4,000,000.

Dr. Charles Thigpen, prominent physician of Anniston, has accepted the position as chief of the bureau of food control of the Colbert county health department. He will take up his duties on January 1.

Members of the Auburn Lions turned their semi-annual election officers into a gridiron affair, creating it was freely admitted by students, a standard of mirth seldom equalled by the students in their various "stunt" and initiation parties.

Celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the organization of Helion Lodge, No. 1, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, Huntsville, first lodge of the order in Alabama, was held in that city on the evening of December 17.

A DAY EARLY AGAIN

The Union-Banner is coming out early again this week, on account of Christmas comimng on Thursday, our regular publication day. No rural carriers go on Christmas day, so we are getting out all the routes possible Wednesday. And too, the Banner force wanted to get a few days to take Christmas, so we managed to get the paper off our hands as early as possible. If you find anything short about the paper this week or any letters up-side down, just lay the blame on Santa Claus, for you know, Christmas comes only once a year.

The County Commissioners met the first of this week to attend to the County's road business. This session was held a few days early this time in order to get the hands paid off before Christmas.

Philadelphia North American—The Soviets announce there won't be any more Red paper money. It seems the Russians persist in preferring the long green.

OUR CHRISTMAS HONOR ROLL OF BANNER SUBSCRIBERS

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T. J. Dorminey, Jemison R. 4;
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Bill Benson of Collins Chapel was in Clanton Monday morning shooting his usual line. Bill is a jolly good fellow, and he never lacks something to talk about.

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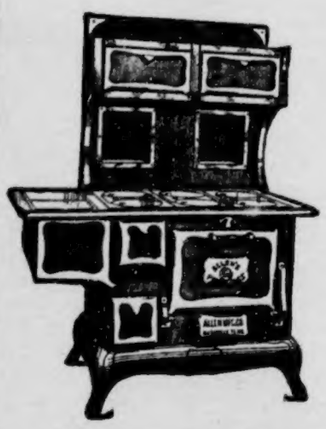

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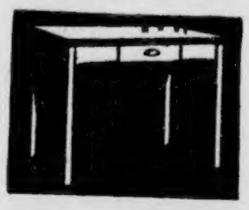

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Philadelphia Ledger—Until the League of Nations shakes off the control of its sordid politicians, forgets selfish nationalisms and puts its faith in justice instead of expediency, we can have neither lot nor part in it.

With some of our Presidents the taking of a trip to Chicago in an ordinary Pululman would have been regarded as a bit of sensationalism and as a bid for support of the "common people." But the act fits in so well with the known Coolidge character that it aroused little comment. The President has always been a frugal liver and is impressing economy on the National Government in a way that has never been brought home to them before. His spurning of special trains and private cars is strictly in keeping with his private and offical life.

"America must constantly be ready to help both at home and abroad where American aid is desired and will be effective," said President Coolidge at Chicago. This is but a restatement of Republican policy from the beginning. America has always stood ready to aid, but it is the Republican belief that American aid can be most effective whtn applied by ourselves independently of any league of nations. Had American strength been dissipated in attempting to carry into execution the various obligations of the league covenant, we would be little better off today than the countries of the Old World and in no position to give no aid of any sort.

This was a lean year for the Democratic rampaign chest. Despite the most frantic appeals by the Davis managers, the flow of contributions was mostly in the direction of the Republican organiations. What more natural, therefore, that the Democrats should seek to have their future campaigns financed by all the taxpayers, be they Republicans, Democrats, Third Party followers, or what not? Senator Caraway, of Arkansas, has drafted this ingenious scheme into the form of a bill which directs appropriations from the National Treasury to defray all future costs of campaigns. With rare naivete he places a limit of $1,000,000 on Presidential campaign expenses, which was considerably more than his party was able to collect in the last contest.

Secretary Davis has curtailed his trip to South America and will return to Washington ten days earlier than he had originally intended. His change of plan may indictate a reconsideration of his decision to retire from the Cabinet on March, 4. It is understood that President Coolidge has urged Mr. Davis to remain at the head of the Labor Department. That Department has never had a chief who took such a keen interest in its affairs or who was actuated by a higher patriotism. Just now, when immigration problems are so pressing, it is especially important that an expert like Mr. Davis should be kept in charge of those matters. By personal inspection of immigrant centers in Europe and of the methods of handling the problem by South American countries, Secretary Davis has acquired a first hand acquaintance of the subject probably possessed by no other citizen.

FREE SPEECH VICTORY

Freedom of speech won a great victory in both England and the United States in the recent elections in both countries. In the campaign in England the radicals sought every opportunity and adopted every means short of murder to break up public meetings where their opponents were trying to discuss the issues with the voters. Even women speakers were made the objects of insults, abuse and assaults. In this country a similar policy was pursued although the violence was not so marked. In one case where the radicals had asked for a joint debtte with a Republican, and this had been granted, the radical speaker was listened to with respect but when the Republican arose to talk his voice was drowned out by radical shouts, hisses, ond other forms of noisy disturbance.

The people of America, like the people of England, believe in freedom of speech, and their disaproval of radical suppression of free speech when they marked their ballots.

'Cause You Must Go Down For Gas

ELI TUCKER'S LETTER

Huckleberry Knob, N. C.,
December 1, 1924.

Edtor The Yellow Jacket,

My dear Sir:—Now that the Ku Klux Klan and other American organizations have rallied to the flag and saved the country from the Catholic Smiths and Near-Catholic Davises for another four years, Mr. Editor, I have been thinking that as a Godfearing man with a normal being's hunger and thirst after righteosness, you would do well to give a little of your valuable space to consideration of the country's real present vital need. You have seen enough of the world to understand that no nation ever long survives its loss of faith. You have read history, well and wisely, and you know that no empire has existed after its reverence for Divine Grace has been supplanted by material wealth and search for the things that perish with the using. Nations, as you well now, Mr. Editor, have existed with imperfect ideals in things spiritual—they have groped darkly but after the true light—but so long as they followed their spiritual ideals faithfully and with their best lights, they have prospered; when they have ignored spiritual supremacy and gone after selfish ends, making greed and gold and glory their gods, they have "perished with all the nations that forgot God." Assyria followed its priests with fervent zeal, and ruled the race. When it began to sneer at divine things, it went the way of all the world. Greece sent her priests chanting in front of her armies as they sang their anthems of praise, and victory crowned their conquests. When her poets and singers began to sneer at national dependence on any higher power than Might, Greece saw her armies beaten and her glories departed. Rome was mistress of the then known world as long as her temples were reared on every hill; when she sent the statue of Caesar to displace that of the lowly Nazarene, she went to wreckage. Spain's galleons pressed their prows against the shores of every seashore on the map, and she claimed them all as her own. But when she lost faith in an Overruling Hand, she became the plaything of weaker nations and a third-rate empire. France reigned the undisputed mistress of the world until she set up the goddess of Reason as her only Higher Authority, and down her tri-colors went, trailing in the dust of defeat. Once Germany was the most religious nation in the world—and the mightiest—but she waxed fat like Jeshurun, and supplanted Luther's Open Bible with the military maxims of Kaiser Bill, and today Germany is the despised and abject object of pity of the world, covered with the dust of her own shame.

I write thus, Mr. Editor, because I have just heard a series of sermons, so-called, by a modern interpreter of the Bible, and it seems to me from this man's popularity that his is a sample of what is being proclaimed from many of the leading pulpits of the country. This government, as President Coolidge has rfequently said, cannot survive on law alone; government is powerless without religion, and religion comes only from hearing the simple Gospel of Jesus Christ preached by saintly and inspired men. If America is to survivie the wreck of nations and the ruin of worlds, it must be because it hears and heeds the Book of books. What is being dished out from many pulpits is not preaching; it is ferbal froth; phrasy nothing; inane twaddle on topics alien to the simple World of Truth. There is a significant warning in the New Testament: I wonder if many preachers remember it, as my faithful wife and I hitch our old horse and buggy and drive miles thru the mountains to listen to one of these widely-advertised spiritual experts as he exhorts from the sacred desk. "How can they be saved without they hear the Word, and how can they hear the Word without a preacher, and how can one preach unless he is sent?" That is the substance of the text. I don't believe, Mr. Editor, that a lot of these newfangled preachers have been sent at all. We need a revival in the pulpits of this land. We need an abject and honest confession from the lips of the "unctious sanctified" that their experiments in theories and dogmas and dissertations is a plain fizzle in effecting the salvation of the world. We need a contrite return of the prophets to the unadorned maxims of Jesus Christ.

It seems to me, Mr. Editor, that there is a specific and very defined purpose and duty for every preacher. How he can msunderstand his divine mission, I don't understand. It is as plain as the people's decision at the polls. The wayfaring man, though a fool, much less a minister, need not err therein. There is but one direct military command from the Commander-General of the forces of Righteousness, and He issued that command as his final edict before returning to heaven. "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature; he that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; and he that believeth not shall be damned." I sometimes wonder as I listen impatiently to these modern praters of dogmas and doubts and dissertations if they have ever received their orders. The instruction is plain. Go where? "Into all the world." For what? "To preach the Gospel." To whom? Everybody in general and nobody in particular? Not on your life. The Greek text is direct: "To every creature." This modern method of preaching to everybody in general and nobody in particular doesn't seem to get anywhere. We need today, preaching that hits tse spot; preaching that strikes at particular sins and sinners; that doesn't shoot over everybody's head, but that brings down high and low until they fall on their marrow-bones and cry as of old, "Lord, what must we do to be saved?" There is nothing said in the Commander-General's final commission about lecturing on modern science, evolution, higher education, "Biblical Historicity," or the hundred and one phrasy topics one hears debated in the average pulpit. It says "Preach the Gospel." The results are assured. "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; he that believeth not shall be damned." That is to the point. Belief suggests baptism, and a man who won't accept the test of his Faith by submission to an outward expression of his inner belief in the ordinance of Baptism does not know the meaning of belief. I have no confidence in the Republicanism of a man who says that he believes in Coolidge and then votes for Davis or La Follette or someone else. And that's the way about Faith in Christ. If a man honestly believes, he is going to accept the ordinances that test his faith. And no preacher, bishop, high-priest, pope or anybody else in the world has a right to say more or less than what the Commander-General has implied. Jesus Christ never commissioned anybody to tell me that I must kneel when I pray, stand up when I sing, lie down when I shout, or roll over when I am happy. If I believe and obey by outward conduct, nobody of religious over-lords has any warrant to tell me that I must have feast days and fast days, do penance, pay for Purgatorial prayers, worship saints or do anything else except what the New Testament, the Military Ritual of the Commander-General, tells me that I must do. I have been reading through the Old Book by the winter lamp with my faithful companion, and we have been impressed as we studied God's Word, of one thing especially, and that is that everywhere He has commissioned any man to preach, He has given him the message to deliver. He told Moses exactly what to say to the King of Egypt; He instructed Jonah what to tell the wicked Ninevites, and when Jonah tried to cut bait and duck the issue, you remember what he got for his pains. Isaiah and Elijah and the whole list of sacred preachers of the Old Dispensation had their messages cut to fit their crowd, and they didn't side-step with long, wordy phrases about "Man's Evolution," "Society's Call for the League of Nations," or any other such twaddle. Mr. Editor, the reason that Christianity is not hitting on all six these days of million dollar churches and cathedrals ih because the preachers are not telling the direct Word to the hearers; they are side-stepping the issue and trying to pussyfoot and palaver to tickle the popular ears. What is the Gospel that must be preached? Paul hits it on the head with a whack: "Now I make known unto you the Gospel," And He says first of all, that, "Christ died for our sins, and that He was buried and that He hath been raised from the dead." I went to hear a Unitarian Unicorn rear up on his hind legs in his pulpit the last time I took the old woman on a vacation to Boston, and I thought surely there in the educational hub of the universe we would hear a powerful sermon. But the long-eared ass declared that the physical resurrection of Jesus Christ was a scientific impossibility; that it was no longer forward-looking to believe in it; but that Christ's death and his vicarious suffering on the Cross were sufficient to teach all men to look up, not down, forward, not backward, and press on to a higher and more humane civilization, and all that rot. I don't know what else the bewhiskered boob said, for I reached for my hat and told the old woman she could do as she pleased about it, being a woman she would do it anyway, but that I wasn't going to waste any more valuable time listening to such spluttermush. I was real proud of my wife when she grabbed her umbrella and followed me out of the church. And when I am informed that there is an army of such pulpit dynamiters every Lord's Day blasting down the Rock of Salvation, it makes me long to put on my old Jim Swinger that I used to wear when I was a deacon and took up the collection in Pinhook Hollow church, and go out and do what the Commander-General said, "Preach the Gospel."

Mr. Editor, I didn't mean to preach a sermon, and I'll do better next time and get back into the political harness if you print this. But seeing so many divisions and sects and warring factions in the Church makes me tired. There is one verse I want to leave with the readers; it is as eternal as the sun: "All flesh is as grass, and all the glory thereof as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower falleth, but the Word of God abideth forever." "Heaven and earth shall pass away, but My Word shall not pass away."

As we draw into the Christmas anniversary that celebrates the world's greatest event, the Birth of the Lord of human Salvation, let us also get nearer to the specific purpose of the Lord's Birth and Life and Death. Let us stop dividing into creeds and cults and man-made sects, and have only the Word of the Lord.

Yours Reverently,
ELI TUCKER.
(From The Yellow Jacket)

F. F. V. THANKS GOD FOR COOLIDGE

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett is a leader of Virginia aristocracy. She is equally priminent in Democratic politics in the Old Dominion. She was a delegate from Virginia to the Democratic Convention, and made a notable speech seconding the nomination of Senator Glass for the Presidency. She is representative of the clearest thought and the best intelligence of the Solid South. The other day Mrs. Barrett delivered an address before a Washington audience in the course of which she made this illuminating remark. "I am a Democrat and I voted for Davis but I thank God President Coolidge was re-elected."

Mrs. Barrett spoke the minds of many thousands of loyal Southern Democrats who are intelligent citizens. They approve of the Coolidge standards of government, they know that Republican protection is necessary to the industrial welfare of their section of the country, and they believe that American independence should be preserved from European entanglements. Yet the tradition of generations has laid hold upon them so strongly that they would no more think of deserting the Democratic ticket than of refusing homage to Jefferson Davis and Robert E. Lee.

Some Southern negroes are Republicans, and the White Democrats have a legitimate objection to voting for colored men for local office, but the race question does not enter at all into national politics. It would be perfectly simple for the Southern voter to cast his local vote according to the color of the candidates if he chose to do so, but his Presidential ballot ought to be determined by sound judgement as to the fitness of the men and their platforms.

But, instead, Democracy in the South has become a special form of fanaticism. Emotional reverence for the past controls to almost complete exclusion of intelligent appraisal of national issues. Ancestor worship by the Chinese has nothing on worship of the Democratic fetich by most of the Southern voters. Having laid their votes as a sacrifice upon their political altars, they await the result with bated breath. When reason triumphs, as it did last month, they join with Mrs. Barrett in laying unction to their own South as devout Democrats, but all "thank God that President Coolidge was reelected."

"Chuckle" Column

WHY IS IT—
That a girl
Checks her breath
And sighs—
"OOh! This is so sudden!"
When—she knows d—n
Well she had been
Working for it the
Seven or eight years
She had been keeping
Company with the bird?

—o—

One light lovers never want to turn down or off altogether. The—moonlight!

—o—

Accommodation

Got into the chair and told the barber we needed a hair cut "badly" and would he make it a "neat trim." We got what we asked for—in cut and price.

—o—

He who squanders his money right and left can't expect to have any left. Isn't that right?

—o—

Tails of Distress

Those on a full dress suit because they always get in the way when you want to sit down.

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Guess the reason they call a full dress suit "soup and fish" is that the low cut vest offers a nice resting place for any soup that misses your chin and the whole outfit makes you feel like a poor fish crowded into a sardine can.

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Had a lot of time on our hands this morning Oiling our alarm clock.

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Pat's wife broke her plate with him. Yep, it caught him right between the eyes!

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Ever see a model husband? We did. A wax dummy in a man's clothing store.

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So That's It!

The reason women's dresses are decreasing in

the amount of material used is because some professor broacasted the information about "Eve having been the original flapper."

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Only one person in a hundred knows how to use the phone right"— company official informs us. Can't agree with him. If the percentage were that great, there would be a lot of smashed phones lying around. Especially, after one has tried getting the same number six or seven times and been given everything else but.—

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"Line's busy!" said the operator before we even gave her the number.

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WORK OF ORGANIZED BANKING TO PROMOTE BETTER FARMING

By D. H. OTIS

Agricultural Director American Bankers Association.

The Agricultural Commission of the American Bankers Association has adopted and encourages the following general projects in its national program:

D. H. Otis

1. Boys and girls club work.
2. Diversified farming.
3. Increased appropriations for agricultural research.

With the state bankers' associations, the agricultural colleges and hosts of farmers' organizations uniting in all parts of the country, the Commission has held conferences in forty-seven states. The different individual projects approved number 195. Plans are now under way for follow-up work in making these programs effective.

These banker-farmer conferences have resulted not only in definite programs, but they have been the means of greatly increasing interest on the part of bankers. At the beginning there were a number of states that had no agricultural committees. Others were inactive. We now have agricultural committees for each state with the exception of two, and these have promised to appoint committees soon.

Banker Influence

The attitude of the bankers is not that of attempting to tell the farmers how to farm, but rather to aid in bringing about conditions that will help the farmer to help himself. The farmer who produces, the agricultural college that is attempting to improve the quality of farm products, and the banker who furnishes the capital are endeavoring to put their heads together and perform team work. A representative of one of the colleges of agriculture recently made the statement that the bankers could do more than the colleges for the advancement of agriculture. The banker is in position to influence the type of agriculture practiced by the farmer patrons. A county agent comes in contact with only 15 to 20 per cent of the farmers of his county, while the bankers come in contact with at least 75 per cent.

In some localities farmers seem to be prejudiced against bankers, due largely to misunderstanding. There is no better way for relieving this strained relationship than by getting the banker and farmer pulling together for their mutual interests and for the community.

If agriculture is to develop it is necessary to maintain on the soil men and women who will put as much intelligence into their business as is put into other lines of business. It is hard to change the attitude of mind of an old farmer. The great hope is in developing boys and girls into men and women who will be interested in improving the conditions on our farms. Out of forty-seven programs adopted at the banker-farmer conferences, thirty-six included boys' and girls' club work as one of their leading projects.

Farm Accounting

A large number of bankers are recognizing the importance of inventories, financial statements and farm accounts and are encouraging the keeping of records among their farmer patrons. Not a few insist on a financial statement from the farmer before making a loan, just as is required of other business men. Such a statement not only acquaints the banker with the financial status of the farmer but also brings the farmer face to face with conditions on his farm and calls attention to opportunities for improvement.

In many states county bankers' associations are being organized with agricultural committees. In New Jersey every county is thus organized. Ohio has a representative of the agricultural committee in every county in the state. Wisconsin has added thirteen agricultural committees to its county organizations. In Arkansas educational trains have been run in cooperation with the railroads, the College of Agriculture, and others for stimulating interests in better farming methods. In Oregon the Bankers Association employs a field secretary to devote his entire time to carrying on educational and agricultural programs. In Kentucky special plans have been developed for coordinating the various organizations interested in agricultural development. Key men, bankers, have been appointed in sixty-five counties. An annual income of $6,000 is provided and field secretary employed.

It will be seen that the efforts of the Agricultural Commission and the committees of the various states, in cooperation with the colleges of agriculture, have been to formulate workable programs. The field for work appears unlimited. The spirit of the bankers and the colleges is superb and effective results will be accomplished.

OPPOSES FEDERAL RAIL OWNERSHIP

Government Operation Would Mean Increased Taxation for General Public, Says Rail Head.

Opposition to Government ownership of the railroads, not because of the interests of the present owners but rather because of the burdens and disadvantages the change would impose upon the people as a whole, was expressed by C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central Railroad, in an address before the recent convention of the American Bankers Association.

"We have never favored Government ownership as a national policy," Mr. Markham said. "If the railroads are taken over by the Government, we must face the fact that the big step in reversing our old and settled policy will be taken. If there is no particular reason why the Government should not own and run the railroads, is there any reason why it should not take over also the banks, the stores, the factories, the farms, until all of us are Government employees and the ideal of the soviet is attained? The railroads are the first line of defense against those who would make this country a second Russia.

"The railroads have about 2,000,000 employees, approximately as many employees as there are in all the Government services—Federal, State, county and municipal—put together. If the railroads are taken over by the Government, there will be one Government employee out of every ten wage earners in the country, instead of one out of every twenty as at present.

Doubling Taxation

"Then, too, there is the matter of taxation. The railroads, under private ownership, are among our heaviest taxpayers. Last year they paid taxes amounting to $3 for every man, woman and child in the country. In some counties, particularly in the Middle West, the railroads pay from 10 per cent to nearly 50 per cent of the taxes collected. Under Government ownership, the railroads would be no more subject to taxation than the post offices now are. In some way the Government would have to make up the difference of $3 a head for every person in the country. In many counties the taxes on the remaining property would have to be nearly doubled. The result would be an unbearable burden that might force many of our local governments to stop payments on their bonds and go into bankruptcy. The tax problem would be a great deal more vexatious than it is today.

"Then, too, the acquisition of the railroads would add more than twenty billion dollars to our national debt. If Government railroads in this country were no more successful than they are elsewhere today in the world, the interest on that twenty billions of purchase price would be the cause for additional burdens on the taxpayers left to carry it. As the tax burden developed, it would not be surprising to see other industries welcoming Government ownership for themselves. They would gain immunity from taxation in turn, and their owners probably would be protected from loss. The Constitution prevents the confiscation of private property, and Government ownership can be accomplished only by paying a fair price for the properties taken over.

Bad for Public

"I do not oppose Government ownership of the railroads on behalf of the present owners of the railroads, many of whom would obtain safety in Government bonds in return for securities which have not paid a return in years. I oppose Government ownership of the railroads because I believe that it would be bad for our people as a whole. It would open the way to Government ownership of everything, and at the same time it would certainly lead to the wrecking of our highly essential railway service, if the lessons of experience offered by other nations mean anything at all to us."

Youngsters Exhibit 290 Pigs

Fourteen banks in Lee County, Iowa, recently co-operated with the Breeders' Association in conducting a boys' and girls' club rally. The boys and girls brought in the best pigs that they were raising and exhibited them for $150 in cash prizes which the banks contributed.

Quincy, Illinois, bankers are offering pure bred boars and high grade seed corn to the value of $500 to farmers who attend the Adams County Fair. These prizes will be distributed by lot to farmers of each township, the amount to be based on the township attendance at the fair.

The Missouri Bankers Association inter-county contest for boys' and girls' clubs is the result of action taken at the annual convention, when $1,600 was provided for premiums. The premiums, not less than $25 each, are to be awarded to counties to pay the expenses of club winners to junior farmers' week at the Missouri College of Agriculture; $100 is to be used to pay the expenses of the state champion demonstration team to the meeting of the Banker Association, where the team will present its winning demonstration.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and help during the sickness and death of our dear little son Loyd.

We shall never forget your kindness, and may God's richest blessings be with you all.

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DEVELOPING ALABAMA EXPORTS

Extending Southern commerce in Latin-America, the French line Transatlantic Steamship "LaFayette" will be at Mobile on Mardi Gras Day, February 24, and sail on the following day, taking a party of Alabama and Texas people to the tropical countries and islands to the southward. She will stop at Miami, the Bahama Islands, Haiti, Porto Rico Martinique, South American ports, Panama, Honduras ports and Havana, Cuba, making the entire voyage in about twenty-five days.

The commercial men and interests behind this expedition are anxious to have the state and industries of Alabama well represented, it is stated by the Mobile Chamber of Commerce, and are urging that the number of passengers sailing from Mobile be made sufficiently large to justify the return of the "Lafayette" by way of the Alabama seaport.

Page & Jones, Mobile agents for the liner, give the information that the pleasures features of the voyage will not be allowed to overshadow its commercial importance; that business meetings as well as excursions will be arranged at each important port visited. Numerous inquiries for reservations on the "Lafayette" are reported from the Birmingham district.

On previous tours, the liner has only visited Mobile to take coal. There is not at present a passenger line from Mobile to the Latin-American countries and the "Lafayette" has been induced with promises of co-operation to try the experiment of developing a trade expansion and excursion business out of the Alabama port.

NO MORE BEGINNERS AT CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

I understand that several persons are planning to start their children to school who have become six years of age since Oct. 1. The law provides that a child's age on Oct. 1 shall be considered as his age during tat scholastic year. You can see from that that there would be no law to permit a child to enter school who was six years of age on Oct. 1. If the school were not so badly crowded there would be no objections to allowing a class of beginners on Jan. 1, as has been customary. We regret very much that we cannot accommodate these children, but we are unable at present to improve the conditions, and we sincerely hope that you will not blame us for not accepting a new class at this time.

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THORSBY SECTION

(S. E. NORTON, Manager).

Thorsby Institute closed for the Christmas holidays Thursday the 18th and will reopen Tuesday, Dec. 30th. Miss Jenkins has gone to Demorest, Ga., for a visit with her parents. Miss Nell Shannon, who has been at Battle Creek, Mich., for several weeks, has returned much improved in health and is spending the holidays with her folks at West Point, Ga. Miss Althea Parker with two of T. I. students are visiting the Wood family in Butler county. They are expected to return before Christmas, when the girls will be guests of Miss Dorothy Butler until school opens.

Mrs. Ethel Wright Loveland and Miss Lois Leech, will remain in Thorsby during the holidays, except for short trips to nearby places. Miss Marian Farbank and Mr. and Mrs. Carlissall, with two T. I. boy students will spend vacation at the boys dormitory. Those who in any way are connected with the faculty or student body of Thorsby Institute, whose home is not in or near Thorsby, are designated as left overs, if they stay here during the vacation.

For many years it has been the custom for the Butler, Gerald and Norton families to unite in entertaining these left overs, in one or other of their homes on Christmas night. This year it falls to the Norton family.

The Congregational Sunday School Christmas service held at the church last Sunday night, under the title of "White Gifts for the King" was a beautiful and impressive occasion. The pulpit, organ and rosturm were decorated in white, with greens for trimmings, a manger and a star, electrically lighted, were provded to emphasize the story. Mrs. Reno S. Villadsen took the part of a Madonna, singing a lullaby over the manger. Rev. Joseph E. Each, the pastor read the story of The Nativity as recorded in Luke 2:8-21. Rev. E. W. Butler offered prayer. A chorus Choir of mixed voices came in singing as a processional, "O Come all Ye Faithful" and took seats provided in a corner of the auditorium. During the services they sang, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "Angels, From the Reals of Glory," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," Hark the Herald Angels Sing." The singing was good.

The idea which prevailed throughout the program was conveyed in the title, not only were there gifts of praise but each class in the Sunday school and Junior Christian Endeavor, through a chosen representative made gifts in money for one benevolent object which they had selected. The gifts in cash totaled $42.30.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson of Thorsby announce the engagement of their daughter, Beatrice, to Mr. J. W. Stolkrantz, Jr., of Jamestown, N. Y. The wedding date to be announced later.

Mr. Walter Johnson and wife of Birmingham are visitors at the home of Mr. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson in Thorsby.

Misses Jennye and Edith Robinson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson, college students at Lebanon, Tenn., are spending the holidays with their parents in Thorsby.

Miss Alma Lefstead is spending christmas vacation with her mother at their Thorsby home. Miss Lefstead is teaching at Myrtlewood, Tenn.

Miss Agnes Gerald, who is teaching mathematics and history in High School, at Abbeville, is a vacation visitor at the home of her mother, where she also meets her brother, Sumner, and sisters Ruth and Mary Ella, from Demorest, Ga., who arrived Saturday night, after much delay of trains. There is still another sister, Iola, living at home and attending Thorsby Institute.

Misses Margaret Butler and Esther Johnson also of Piedmont College at Demorest, came with the tardily arriving Geralds, to spend the holidays with their parents in Thorsby.

Rev. Bokke of Deer Lodge, Tenn., will be a Thorsby visitor during the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Dryhood. Mr. Bokke will conduct a "Juliotta" service in the Lutheran Church at 5 a. m. on Christmas day. He will also conduct services at that church Sunday, Dec. 28th, at the regular hours for morning and evening service.

The Lutheran Sunday School will hold their annual Christmas entertainment in their church at 7 p. m. Saturday, Dec. 27th.

The Baptist Sunday School of Thorsby will hold a White Christmas service, under the title of "The Light That Ne'er Goes Out." Time, Sunday, Dec. 28, 7:30 p. m. Place the Baptist church. You are invited.

The Ladies Guild of Thorsby will meet at the home of Mrs. C. E. Lucas at 2 o'clock p. m. Frday, instead of Thursday, Dec. 26th. Don't forget the change to Friday for this week only.

Mrs. Ethel Loveland spent the week-end in Birmingham, returning Monday night.

The Town Council of Thorsby have issued a notice for a special election to be held Friday, January 16th, when the qualified voters of Thorsby shall decide if the council shall be authorized to issue bonds in the sum of $10,000 for public school building purposes.

ALABAMA DAY AT THORSBY PUBLIC SCHOOL

(Received too late for last week)

The pupils of Thorsby Jr. High School paid tribute to their beloved state, Alabama, by rendering a very inspiring patriotic program Friday, Dec. 12, 1924.

The following program was rendered:

"America."

Scripture reading, "Isa. 92"—Roma Lee Pate.

Prayer.

Recitation, "Alabama" (Hamilton) Edna Childress.

"Resolutions for the admission of Alabama into the Union"—Eugene Littleton.

"Alabama's Capitals" — Kathryn Foss.

"Indians who influenced Alabama History"—Wallace Vickers.

"Alabama's Part in Wars"—Loyd Howard.

Song, "Glory to Alabama."

"Makers of Alabama History."

1. "Wm. R. King"—James Nelson.
2. "Wm. Yancey"—Lester Pate.
3. "Daniel Pratt"—Hugh Sorrell.
4. "Joseph Wheeler"—Cecil Cleckler.
5. "Admiral Semmes" — Andrew Sorrell.
6. "Emma Sansom"—Hilma Collins.
7. "Dr. Henry Tutwiler"—Howard Henning.
8. "Miss Julia Tutwiler"—Mable Johnson.
9. "Gen. Lee Bullard"—Hershell Hayes.

Song, "Alabama"—Miss Julia Tutwiler.

Salute to the Flag.

Alabama's creed.

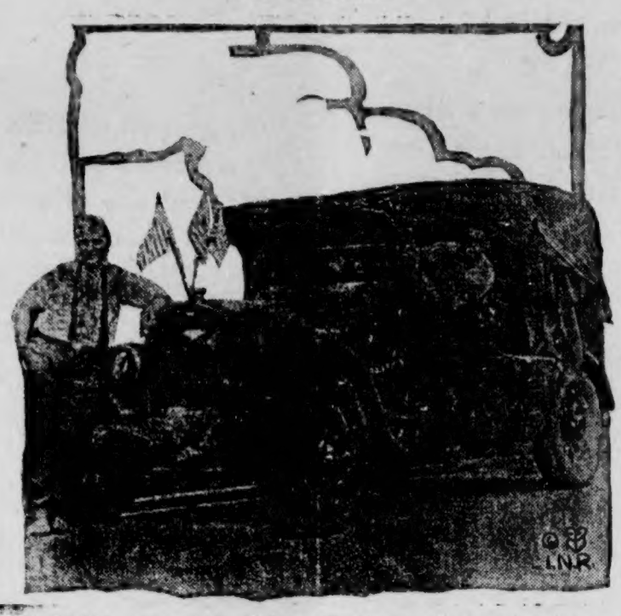
Each pupil on the program seemed to be filled with that patriotic enthusiasm which made them feel proud of Alabama and glad to tell of her History.

We once heard a lady say "An Apple is an Apple to me" meaning that to her one seemed about as good as another, she evidently did not exercise those niceties in discrimination of quality and flavor, size and appearance that have much to do with the real enjoyment of our food.

This incident was brought forcibly to mind recently by a controversy that arose over comparative values in Roasted Peanuts, as between the Jumbo variety and the small White Spanish. A customer was indignant that he was offered less than a bag full of the small variety for a nickel, saying he got a bag full elsewhere for that price. He undoubtedly did. But even at that he did not know that he was getting from 15 to 20 per cent less of edible nut, that he could eat, and that of an inferior quality. These big goobers take up a lot of room and make a big show, but weigh far less for equal bulk, and a big part of what they do weigh is made up of the thick shells which nobody wants to eat. For nearly 100 years, since an Italian discovered the fact that Spanish Peanuts roasted, were a distinct addition to human food which no substitute could satisfy, and having made the discovery, secured of the worlds greatest showman, T. P. Barnum, the exclusive right to sell them at all shows and entertainments which Barnum controlled, and so taught the American people what they had and how to use it.

Every since that day, an ordinary tumblerfull of White Spanish Peanuts roasted has been considered everywhere a fair equivalent for five cents, and they have held their own against all comers. These paper shell little goobers are so completely filled with one of the richest and most delightfull foods known to man, and it is simply astonishing to note the size of kernels one gets from these small shells, also the weight of the nut meat one gets from a given weight of unshelled nuts, then take the same weight of Jumbo Goobers and note that they yield far less in actual weight of the kernels, which she as food of inferior quality. Bulk is not all that a dscriminating person requires in his food, but when he takes bulk which yields lesh than is due him for his money he is cheating himsef.

Plans "See America" Tours For Kiddies



JEFF DAVIS, king of the hoboes and a leading knight of the road, is out to help the nation's children. He believes that in every state there are ever so many spots of historic interest that would materially aid in the yiungster's education—where each state government to furnish sufficient traveling expenses for taking the kiddies to such places.

Firmly convinced that it can be done, Davis recently journeyed to Washington, D. C. and called on the president his plan for "Seeing America Tours" for school children. To date, no definite action has been taken on the matter, but Davis asserts he will continue to press the plan for individual action in the different states.

In the above photograph the hobo king is shown standing by his tourng car in which he has been traveling all over the country. Quite an outfit he has there, isn't it?

STATE NEWS HAPPENINGS

An official investigation into the death of Jesse Kirkland, member of the crew of the government dredge Blackwater, who was drowned when a launch he was in went over the dam at Lock Number 1 on the Tombigbee River has been started by United States Engineer T. H. Emmerson.

O. C. Wilson, employe of Dendy Lumber Company, of Thomasville, suffered a peculiar accident. The belt threw a peavy against him with such force that his leg was broken. He was taken to a Selma hospital for treatment.

The Alabama Fishermen's and Hunters' Association received from the Government Fish Hatchery at Warm Springs, Ga., 5,000 blue-nosed bream, which were placed in the Warrior in the vicinity of Camp Oliver.

Thieves broke into the plant of the American Cleaning Company, of Decatur, and escaped with clothes belonging to customers valued at $300.

S. H. Evans, well-known merchant of Hartselle, was found dead in his bed by members of the family with whom he was boarding.

Over $1,000,000 in new construction has been spent in the Ensley district during the past 12 months, according to estimates.

H. G. Dowling, Secretary of the Alabama Education Association, has recently established a publicity office for the Alabama Educational Association in Montgomery, to help enlighten the people of the State on what has been accomplished in education, and future nedes.

J. B. Hobdy, director of the Division of Vocational Education of the Alabama State Education Department, has been elected President of the National Association of State Directors of Vocational Education.

A resolution requesting "close investigation of all applications coming before them" was passed at a meeting in Birmingham of the board of trustees of the Anti-Saloon League of Alabama following a spirited discussion of alleged laxity in the policy of the governor and board of pardons in granting pardons and paroles to persons convicted of violation of the prohibition laws.

Drainage district development in Alabama must await the enactment by the legislature of suitable enabling legislation under the constitutional amendment adopted at the November election, as a result of the decision of the supreme court, overruling an application for rehearing in the case in which the old drainage act of 1915 had been declared unconstitutional.

Chairman W. F. Jeffers of the Etowah County board of commissioners has asked the charitably inclined people of the county to contribute pictures and rugs to the new $25,000 county almshouse, just completed and opened. He says the inmates have to face blank walls and bare floors, although the home is one of the finest in the country.

Income tax forms for reporting to the commissioner of internal revenue, all salaries, rents, interest and other items paid out during the calendar year of 1924 have been released at the collector's office, in the federal building, according to announcement by W. E. Snead, internal revenue collector for the Birmingham District.

Montgomery County farmers have found turkey raising sufficiently profitable to produce and ship a solid carload of the birds, a carload of 1,000 turkeys moved from the Capital City bound for Atlanta markets, 27 turkey producers having pooled their output for the shipment. The price received was 27 cents a pound.

Felix E. Blackburn, former prominent Birmingham attorney, now judge advocate in the army and stationed at Fort MsKinley, Rizal, Philippine Islands, has been promoted by the War Department to the rank of lieutenant colonel, effective as of October 23.

The first sale of the Troy Co-Operative Hog Sales Association was held and one car of hogs was sold to A. B. Boutwell, of Greenville. Tops brought $8.35 pe rhundred. Atlanta and Montgomery stock yards had buyers at the sale.

W. T. Norman, for many years a citizen of Sheffield, died at the home of his son, J. C. Norman. "Square" Norman, as he was familiarly known, had passed his 70 years. He was a Confederate veteran and had many friends throughout the state.

The Colbert County Boosters Club was organized at a meeting of some 40 prominent citizens of the county at Sheffield.

The Alabama Highway Commission has authorized immediate construction of the 15-mile road between Attalla and Boaz.

Gen. R. E. Steiner has accepted the chairmanship of the membership drive of the Montgomery American Legion Post for 1925.

A play festival will be given by the county schools at Denny field at the University of Alabama on February 14. A demonstration of the play activities of the school the past year will be one of the features of the festival. Children of different ages will take part in the various stunts and plays to be put on during the day.

According to reports of the county health authorities only 16 per cent of the 460 children in the Attalla public schools have deficient teeth, eyes or tonsils.

Last week I told you I would tell you somethin of my boyhood days, but as the holiday season is so near I will leave that off for this week, at least. We are trying to stock to take care of any order of candy, fruit or nuts. In short, anything in the line of GOOD EATS.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Chilton County No. 100, Section "B"

Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Commission of Alabama at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 12:00 o'clock noon, January 7th, 1925, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of 17.184 miles of road between Calera and Autauga County line in Chilton County.

Contractors are notified that that part of the road within the Town of Clanton is designated as Section C and the right is reserved to award Section C separately from Section B.

Contractors are notified that the freight rates in effect at the time of opening bids will be the ones that govern.

Contractors in submitting bids on one course plain cement concrete pavement or combination cement concrete header curbing base course may bid on these items as follows:

Contractor furnishing all labor and materials including cement or the contractor furnishing all labor and materials with the exception of cement which will be furnished by the State.

No pavement will be laid on any grade within six months time of completing said grade unless permitted by the State Highway Engineer.

Should the grading and dranaige and surfacing be awarded to different contractors the contractor on the surfacing must absorb into the unit price bid for surfacing the cost of the necessary find grading within the following limits:

Six inches above or six inches below sub-grade:

Either Portland Cement or Puzzolan Cement may be used in the construction of concrete base course.

The principal items of work are approximately as follows:

PROPOSAL No. 1
Grading and Draining

22.557 acres clearing and grubbing; 171,452 Cu. Yds. common excavation and borrow; 1,897 Cu. Yds. solid rock excavation; 92,076 Sta. Yds. overhaul on excavation; 136 Lin. Ft. pipe to be removed; 206 Lin. Ft. 15-inch pipe; 1484 Lin. Ft. 18-inch pipe; 243 Lin. Ft. 21-inch pipe; 492.5 Lin. Ft. 24-inch pipe; 804.96 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete in culverts; 90,065 pounds steel reinforcing in culverts; 59 Sq. Yds. hand placed rip rap; 140.22 Cu. Yds. Class "B" concrete in headwalls and inlets; 282 concrete right-of-way markers; 14 structures to be removed from right-of-way; 12,702 Lin. Ft. fence to be reset; 26 Lin. Ft. pipe to be taken up and relaid; 42,365 Sq. Yds. Bermuda grass planting; 1,000 Cu. Yds. channel excavation; 360 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piles for culvert.

PROPOSAL No. 2
Surfacing

120 Sq. Yds. reinforced concrete bridge approach paving; 27,228 Lin. Ft. 3-4-inch galvanized cable for guard rail; 993 concrete posts for guard rail; 122 concrete end post braces for guard rail; 17.184 miles shoulder construction.

SURFACING ALTERNATES

181,459 Sq. Yds. one course plain cement concrete pavement; 171,378 Sq. Yds. rock asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. Warrenite bitulithic pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. sheet asphalt pavement on concrete base; 171,378 Sq. Yds. bituminous concrete pavement on concrete base; 181,459 Sq. Yds. combination cement concrete header curbing base course.

PROPOSAL No. 3
Bridges

1888.92 Cu. Yds. Class A concrete; 251,666 pounds reinforcing steel; 520 Cu. Yds. dry excavation; 1,088 Cu. Yds. wet excavation; 59 Cu. Yds. rock excavation; 300 Lin. Ft. untreated timber foundation piling; 95.5 Sq. Yds. surfacing; 1,342 Lin. Ft. Type "C" handrail.

The pipe used on this project may be either triple strength vitrified clay, concrete, or cast iron.

Contractors may bid on either proposal independent of the others.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, and in the office of the Division Engineer, Lincoln Life Building, Birmingham, Alabama. Any addtional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Montgomery, Alabama.

Cash, certified check or bid bond for Five Thousand Dollars, made payable to the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Alabama must acrompany earh bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded the contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

The right to rejert any or all bids is reserved.

Contractors are notified that any interlining with pen or pencil on the proposal form is sufficient cause to make the bid informal and may be rejected.

W. S. KELLER,
11-27-3 State Highway Engineer.

SHAREHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Clanton, will be held in the directors room of the bank at 8 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, January 13th, 1925, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before them.

This, December 8, 1924.
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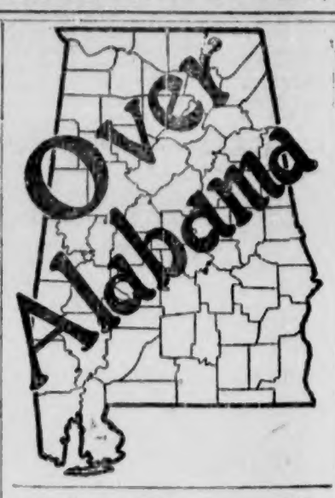

ALABAMA NEWS HAPPENINGS
A Resume of the More Important Events of Interest Condensed To An Epitomized Form.

Some residents of the Twin-Cities are chuckling over the reported activity of a smooth working rum "salesman" in Albany-Decatur a few days ago, while a few prominent citizens are looking for a gentleman of good appearance and keen insight into human nature, who told them a story which sounded too good to be true—and was. The "salesman" called on a number of citizens, it is said, and to a few he sold quotas of Canadian and Scotch whisky, or "extra dry," for cash and to others similar quotas to be paid for when delivered. The buyers still are waiting for the deliveries. Those who were sold C. O. D. were said to have occupied many strategic positions at prearranged rendezvous on one night recently until, like "snipe" hunters, they grew weary of waiting and departed. One report states the "salesman" phoned his customers on the night he was to meet them, reminding them of the engagement, and while his customers waited, he invested his profits in a railroad ticket.

Organization of two auxiliary corporations to carry out a program of proposed expansion is under way at Anniston by the Federal Phosphorous Company and the Southern Manganese Corporation. One of the branch concerns will manufacture carbides and has already been organized under the name of the Federal Carbide Company. The other, to be known as the Federal Abrasive Company, will be formed this month to manufacture abrasive products and silicon carbide, it is said. All of the concerns will operate in Anniston.

A new transit arrangement, covering storage in transit of pears at Birmingham, has been secured by the Birmingham Traffic Association through the co-operation of produce jobbers and dealers of the city. Under the new arrangement pears may be stored in Birmingham and reshipped to destination, based upon a through rate; plus a storage charge. This, it is stated, will bring about a material reduction in the total charges ultimately assessed on these movements and is expected to further enlarge the possibilities of Birmingham as a storage point.

The State Tax Commission has granted banks and domestic corporations a 30-day extension in which to make returns of their stock for assessments for the tax year beginning October 1, 1924. Banks and domestic corporations are required under the State law, to make returns of real estate, personal property and stocks before December 21 and provides a penalty of 10 per cent in addition to an additional penalty of $5 a day for delinquency. The order received by Mr. Dillon extends the time until the first Monday in February.

One hundred farm boys, members of the Boys' Corn, Pig, Poultry, Cotton and Cow Clubs of Etowa County, will plant two acres each in cotton next spring with the expectation of producing 300 bales. They will fertilize and cultivate their plots under the direction of County Demonstrator C. E. Stapp and will use the Auburn methods. Most of them on experimental plots during the past season produced a bale and a half to the acre, and it is believed they will be able to raise 300 bales on 200 acres next year.

The Alabama Power Company has begun surveys for building the second high power transmission line to Selma. This line will be built from Lock No. 16 on the Coosa River and be pushed to completion. Right of way in the majority of cases has already been obtained and a large number of surveyors have begun operations at the other end of the line.

Strict enforcement of the ordinance prohibiting the burning of leaves on the city street pavement has been announced by Anniston police officials. It is pointed out that the top coat of asphalt is damaged easily by fire and officials announce that all who are found guilty will be prosecuted.

After a trip on the Warrior River and to Birmingport, members of the Advisory Committee of the Inland Waterways Corporation have returned to Washington to formulate recommendations, which it is declared, will give the Warrior whatever is necessary to make it 100 per cent efficient and productive.

Edgar C. Taylor, manager of the Gay-Teague Hotel, Montgomery, was elected President of the Alabama Hotel Men's Association at the annual meeting held in Montgomery.

The first Conecuh co-operative hog sale of the season was held at the stock pens of the Conecuh Live Stock Association, Evergreen, H. R. Pettis, County Demonstration Agent in charge, assisted by C. S. Gantt. A total of 138 hogs were brought in representing 20,500 pounds, which were contributed by 15 farmers throughout the county. M. B. Boutwell, of Greenville, was the successful bidder and paid 8.40 cents for No. 1s; 7.40 for No. 2s, 6.65 for No. 3s and 5.65 for No. 4s, amounting to $1,662.71. The next sale will be held early in January.

Nine forest ranger districts have been established in Alabama, according to Major Page S. Bunker, State Forester. A tenth district will soon be organized, embracing southeastern Covington County. Forest ranger work has already demonstrated its worth, during the recent drouth, Major Bunker stated. Inter territory organized in forest ranger districts, comprising about 2,000,000 acres, less than 4 per cent was burned over during the drought, while in unorganized forest territory the percentage burned over was seven to eight times as great, Major Bunker stated.

Country-wide stock sales of the Walker Consolidated Petroleum Company reached approximately $3,000,000, of which Alabamians invested $2,000,000, including $1,000,000 in the City of Birmingham alone. This disclosure came from prosecutors in the trial in Federal Court of A. W. and Harold Walker, Sidney Mensco and Hudmon Hopson, officials of the bankrupt company, on charges of using the mails to defraud in connection with the sale of stock.

After being idle for 13 years the Etowah Iron Mines, just north of Gadsden, will resume operation about January 5, according to announcement. Employment will be given to 200 men at the start, but the force will be gradually increased until production reaches 800 tons of ore daily. The Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron Company which recently took over the property will also blow in one of the Alabama's company furnaces January 1, it is stated.

Birth registration in Alabama during October, 1924, indicated an encouraging improvement over the corresponding month in 1923, according to Dr. W. T. Fales, director of the bureau of vital statistics of the State Health Department. The death rate for October was the lowest this year. Number of births reported for October, 1924, was 4,997, and of deaths, 1,927.

Sick Headache

"I have used Black-Draught when needed for the past 25 years," says Mrs. Emma Grimes, of Forbes, Mo. "I began taking it for a bad case of constipation. I would get constipated and feel just miserable—sluggish, tired, a bad taste in my mouth, . . . and soon my head would begin hurting and I would have a severe sick headache. I don't know just who started me to taking

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CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 2
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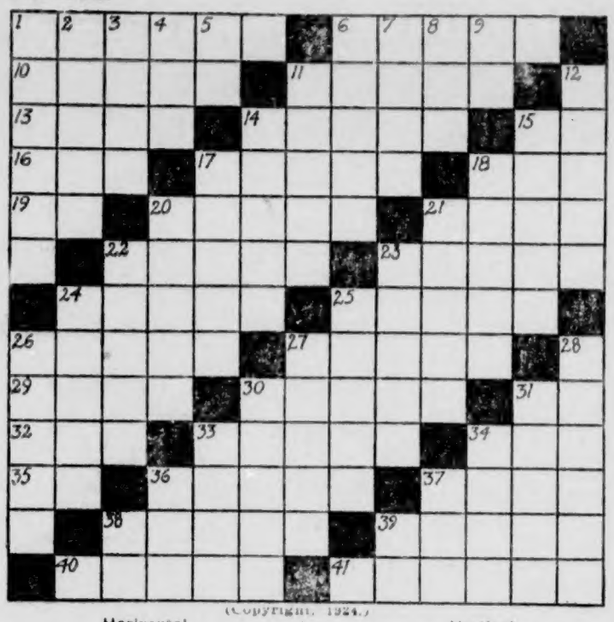

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Horizontal.
1—Relating to a hundred
6—The contrabass
10—Watchful
11—Musical instrument
13—Later
14—Food containing gelatin
15—Thus
16—Stir
17—Completely
18—Shelter
19—Definite article (French)
20—Poorly
21—Bodies of water
22—Substance used medicinally
23—Distributed
24—Seed of a fabaceous vine
25—Looks for
26—Slope
27—Vehicle on runners
29—Earth
30—Dams up
31—Forward
32—Belonging to it
33—Female horses
34—The sun
35—Not you
36—Spring flower
37—Noisy
38—A muscle
39—Deceitful
40—Smells strongly
41—Crude form of steps

Vertical
1—Mystic art
2—Evade
3—Roman emperor
4—Assay
5—By
6—Bulging part
7—To unite
8—Crafty
9—In order that
11—Small rooms
12—Cook in oven
14—Magistrate
15—Closes
17—Hero of a drama by Goethe
18—Permits to escape
20—Burn with iron
21—Plants
22—College supervisors
23—Considers
24—Flat dish
25—Slumber
26—Viscous mud
27—To deprive
28—Anything that unites or cements
30—Auctions
31—To tousle
33—Filth
34—Bartered
36—Bind together
37—Boy
38—Exist
39—Musical note

The solution will appear in next issue.

Solution of Puzzle No. 1.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Or will trade a Ford Truck, Ford touring or Ford cut-down for some poor hilly rocky worn out cut-over lands.—JOHN T. ELLIS and Sons. 12-25-2t-pd.

FOR RENT—Residence on West Side of town. See J. Hance Alred, Clanton, Ala. 12-19-2t-c

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RUNNING GRIST MILL—I wish to announce to the public that I have opened up the T. G. Taylor grist mill at the rear of the Banner office, and will operate the same in the future. I shall appreciate your patronage.—W. E. Easterling, Clanton, Ala. tf

LOST OR STOLEN—One liver and white spotted bird dog, medium size, untrained, missing Saturday, Nov. 22, answers to name "Joe." Notify K. M. Vinson, Clanton, and get reward. tf

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One lot of Ladies Patent Leather Shoes, one-strap, gray trimming, all sizes, $1.95

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All kinds of Christmas Gifts, for the Entire Family, and all prices are very low.

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WHY BANKS?

LESSON XII

By J. H. PUELICHER, Chairman
Public Education Commission, American Bankers Association

What is a *Trust Company?* Technically defined it is a bank that specializes in *investment* and *fiduciary* services in addition to general banking services. Humanly speaking, it is what its name implie —a place of trust.

J. H. Puelicher

INVESTMENT—lending money for income or profit to business and governments to "carry on." Such lending is often done through the purchase by investors of bonds selected by a bank or a trust company as safe and desirable.

FIDUCIARY—held in trust and confidence. For example, a trustee holds a man's estate for the benefit of his widow or children, cares for it faithfully, invests it prudently and uses it for their welfare in accordance with his wishes.

TRUST COMPANIES are able to fulfill these functions because of their experience in investments, because of their trained officers, and because of their continuous existence while an individual often knows nothing of investments, usually lacks experience and training, and may die during the life of the trust.

BACK TO NORMAL

In no period since the war has greater progress in the return to normal business conditions been made by industry, commerce and finance than during the past year. This re-establishment of normal conditions has been brought about by the working of purely economic influences. These influences and this result completely refute the arguments and pretensions of opportunist politicians and radical demagogues who have sought to bring about readjustment by political measures. These measures were aimed to give gratuitous advantages to the special interests and classes which the proposers assumed to represent, to the detriment of the general good.

The virtual disappearance, by natural economic processes, of the abnormalities that have persisted, as the long drawn out aftermath of the war, has removed whatever justification their presence seemed to give for governmental paternalism and for special measures of relief for particularly distressed classes. At best these measures were merely sedatives for psychological conditions and no real remedies for economic conditions. To that extent they served a purpose, but there is no further public good that they can serve. With normal conditions once more established it should be the resolute determination of all business men to resist any further effort at political interference with economic processes.

The time is at hand for a thorough going return to a free play of private enterprise and private initiative under unhampered competitive conditions. Government influence and political interference in respect to business should be reduced to an absolute minimum. We as bankers ask no special privileges for ourselves. Equally we are opposed to special privileges for other groups at the expense of the general welfare. The experience of the past few years has been one of the greatest demonstrations in history of the validity of the view that the community interests of a people are best served by the maximum degree of private enterprise and private initiative with the mmimum of government regulation.—Declaration of the American Bankers Association.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION AT REFUGE SCHOOL HOUSE

Editor Union-Banner:

Please allow me a space to say a few words in regard to the Christmas celebration which was so nicely observed Friday afternoon, December 19th at Refuge School House. The writer wishes to congratulate the teachers for their patience toward the children. The program rendered was interesting and very inspiring—it was so nicely and orderly carried out.

Our blessed Savior says, "Let all things be done decently and in order." Some folks continue to argue that time spent in this way is lost, but I say not, because exercises of this kind are so good to help children overcome embarassment. I will admit that we should not let our children endulge in things that would mar their Christian character. Jesus also teaches to "Rejoice not in enquity, but rejoice in the truth." So a Christian cannot enjoy himself, whether it be man or woman, girl or boy, by indulging in things contrary to God's will, for the sinner can rejoice in things in which a Christian can see no pleasure, and a Christian can rejoice in things that a sinner would frown upon. This why Paul tells us in Gal. 5:17, that "The spirit lusteth against the flesh and the flesh against the spirit, for they are contrarry one to the other."

Christ's birthday is known to come on December 25th. If so that is the day in which the angel announced Peace on Earth and good will toward all men, and there is not a day ever comes during the year wherein there is as much jubilation as there is on Christ's birthday. Such rejoicing is good, provided it is sacred, but nine-tenths of it is carried on never thinking that there was one of the greatest births that we have any history of, which was Christ's birthday. There is a class of people who think that Christmas never comes unles they have a jug of "white lightning". I want to say just here to you boys who use this filthy drug, that it is not a help to your character. I am sure that you boys, also men, who indulge in it, will agree with me that it will make a boy feel rich, when he can't show you a red cent.

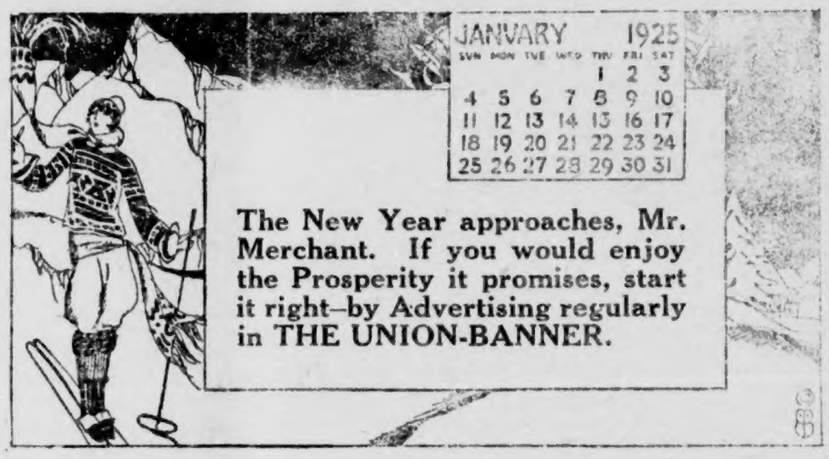
I'm just warning you for your own good and not mine. Boys, I would honestly have more respect for myself and especially for nice young girls than to indulge in such filthy stuff called whiskey. And also, will you agree with me that a boy that laps just such stuff is not fit to be in company with nice young girls? I have nothing against you boys who use the bottle, but it is because I love you and try to persuade you that you may quit such habit and make a man out of yourself. Otherwise, you will never bt worth anything to yourself or anybody else.

It is easy to distinguish a drunkard from another, for the true prophet says "It will cause redness of eyes, and wounds without cause," etc. So I say again, boys, just see if you can enjoy yourselves one Christmas without the bottle neck in your mouth.

I will say here that I think the work of Sheriff Littlejohn regarding the whiskey traffic is very successful, and it would be more successful if we would do our duty to help him out in the work which he is carrying on. The biggest trouble is, some are too impulsive and will never let the key be turned on the drunkard when he can't tell what a great good it would do the other boys or men for him to spend a few hours behind the bars.

So I will close, hoping that a Merry Christmas and a Heppy New Year may greet you all.

M. LOCKHART.



OFFICERS BREAK INTO CHRISTMAS MERRYMAKERS

When it gets so tight that fellow can't have a little "dram" for Christmas without being molested by the cruel officers, it is awful bad on some of the "old heads," but it is getting so that it is not at all safe to have the "good spirits" even in sight of you. Sheriff Littlejohn and his deputies are on to their wits this Christmas, and if they haven't already caught you, they will if you don't watch out.

On last Saturday night there was a dance up near Mineral Springs at the home of Mr. Mun Collins, so Mr. Littlejohn and Mr. Culp thought this might be a pretty good place to hang out their net, and they went up there or thereabouts. Four young fellows were on the scene pretty well "stewed" with C. C. (Christmas Corn), but the officers succeeded in dragging in only one of the four—Mr. William Barnett by name. Barnett was not brought to jail, but he appeared on Monday and made his bond, pleading guilty to the charge to await his trial.

The Sheriff, Deputy Culp and Deputy Easterling went out to the home of Mr. John H. Gore near Friendship last Monday evening and broke into the latter's annual Christmas intoxication celebration. Mr. Gore, the officers report, was drunk and beating up everything that got in his path and raising a general commotion. While the Deputies were entertaining Mr. Gore, Sheriff Littlejohn began looking around the premises for the rest of it. A diligent search revealed a gallon jug with about a pint of whiskey buried in a stall. By this time the Deputies had the hand-cuffs on Mr. Gore, and he and his "dram" were brought to Clanton and locked up in jail, where they will spend at least a part of the holiday season. Mr. Gore's whiskey is in jail with him, but the trouble is that they are each in a different cell.

On Friday of last week Sheriff Littlejohn and Deputy Foshee went out to Watley Town west of Stanton and raided a couple of small distilling outfits. The stills were torn up and a quantity of beer was poured out. No arrests were made.

LETTER FROM THE FORESTRY COMMISSION

The cutting of Christmas trees is a proper use of the forest, says a statement issued by the Alabama Commission of Forestry. It is estimated that about ten million trees are used for this purpose in the United States each year. By managing the woodlands so that there will be a continuous production of forest growth of proper size, and by not over-cutting during any year, many farmers and other owners of small tracts can realize a substantial income from this source. It is estimated that throughout the country between two and three million dollars per annum is earned in this manner.

Forests are for use, and the uses to which they may be put depend upon the wants of the people. A Christmas tree adding to the joys of the holiday season fills a human need as well as does the wood burning in the fire place.

The owner of forest land can often benefit his growing timber by thinning out the dense stands, which contain many trees that would die anyway through being crowded out by the more dominant growth. Indiscriminate cutting can be almost entirely avoided, since by doing the thinning work at the holiday season the young evergreens removed to allow for the greater growth of the other trees may well be used for Christmas tree purposes.

9,000 MILES OF ROAD BUILT IN 1924

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proved road during the year. States independently built about the same mileage while counties improved between 20,000 and 25,000 miles.

Forty state legislators meeting next month are expected to take long steps to further the 171,000 mile improved federal-state road system contemplated under the federal aid act. The act authorized federal aid totaling $540,000,000 and every state is forging ahead with state appropriations to match the federal fund.

In his message to congress President Coolidge announced his opposition to continual federal aid.

The improvement of main through highways in almost every state has created a demand from other sections of states that the improvement be continued, these officials say, and therefore they expect the present accelerated constitution to continue until the country is covered with a network of good roads serving practically every community.

State and county road building may take a big jump in 1925, it is believed, because of easier financial conditions and the gradual elimation of the old argument that the taxpayers cannot afford good roads.

Meanwhile the $1,000,000,000 annual tax burden for roads is being shifted largely to the automobile owner, the figures for 1924 and estimates for 1925 show.

Motor vehicles are increasing at the rate of 2,000,000 a year and next year will see a total registration of 17,500,000 is is predicted. Under the motor registration system, these vehicles will pay $300,000,000 or nearly one-third of the entire road building cost, into the state treasury. Gasoline taxes also contribute to the state building funds in many states.

Uncle Dock Gentry, who has been looking after the poor house for the past year, was in Clanton a while Monday. Mr. Gentry has rebuilt his home near Collins Chapel and will move back there the first of the year.

Mr. Ruben E. Wyatt, who has been living on the Daniel Wyatt place across the creek from town, rented the house of Jean Wyatt on Second Avenue and First Street and has already moved in.

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